

Restoring Europe's Rivers

River Restoration Training Course and Restoration Centre Staff Knowledge Exchange

DATE

25th and 26th June 2013

LOCATION

Hotel Van Der Valk, De Bilt, Utrecht, the Netherlands

Agenda day 1- 25th June:

- Introduction (Martin Janes, RRC) - [Presentation](#)
- River processes in river restoration; the elements of geomorphology and hydrology/hydraulics necessary for understanding river restoration (Jenny Mant, RRC) - [Presentation](#)
- Restoration ecology; linking content of the previous session to functional habitats and ecology (Martin Janes, RRC) - [Presentation](#)
- Workshop sessions; discussion around presentation given by Miloslav Šindlar (Czech River Restoration Centre) - [Presentation](#)
- Site visit to example of best practice habitat management project on the Waal (lower Rhine branch) lead by Bart Peters (Beaurea Drift) - [Presentation](#)

Agenda day 2- 26th June:

- Introduction to setting project objectives (Martin Janes, RRC) - [Presentation](#)
- An example of river restoration design (Michelle Berg, Dommel) - [Presentation](#)
- Delivering project aims through evaluation (Jenny Mant, RRC) - [Presentation](#)
- Example of ecological successes in river restoration (Alain De Vocht, Hasselt University) - [Presentation](#)
- Site visit to best practice habitat management project at Lusterse Beek near the village of Renswoude led by Christian Huising (Waterboard Vallei en Veluwe). An exercise was carried out on site in small groups to encourage participants to explore ways of monitoring this type of project.