

Event programme

REACH – the Basics

19 September 2019 – Womble Bond Dickinson (UK) LLP, St Ann’s Wharf, 112 Quayside, Newcastle upon Tyne NE1 3DX



**Who should attend?**

Our **REACH – the Basics** workshop is aimed at business and regulatory managers and practitioners working in companies that make, import or use chemicals. The day is ideal for anyone in the EU who needs to understand more about their obligations under the **REACH Regulation**. It will also interest non-EU suppliers of substances and mixtures who are looking to support their EU customers on REACH.

This introductory workshop is an excellent place to start for those who are beginning to define their REACH obligations, and for those who are new to the regulation.

**Book by 19 August 2019 for the early booking discount.**

**Why attend?**

The REACH (Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and restriction of CHemicals) Regulation is fundamentally changing the shape of every supply chain within the EU. It affects almost every chemical substance that you **manufacture, import or use** to make your products and to run your processes. Come to this workshop to ensure you understand what it means for your business!

This one-day workshop is designed to help companies with the practical implementation of REACH. The comprehensive programme provides an introduction to the key elements of the regulation and includes talks covering the implications for manufacturers, importers and users of chemicals throughout the supply chain.

This workshop will:

- ✓ Explore the scope and exemptions of the regulation
- ✓ Explain Registration, Authorisation and Restriction
- ✓ Describe the changes to EU safety data sheets
- ✓ Help you recognise the significance to your business

We use an informal style so there will be plenty of opportunity to quiz our experts throughout the day.

**Outline Programme**

<b>09:30</b>	<b>Coffee &amp; Registration</b>
<b>10:00</b>	<b>Welcome</b> <b>Introduction to the REACH Regulation</b>
	<b>What’s covered by REACH</b> Scope of the regulation, exemptions and relationship with other legislation; what needs to be registered
	<b>Refreshment break</b>
	<b>Overview of the Registration process</b> Overview of the registration process; who needs to register; the role of the Only Representative; basic data requirements; registration costs
<b>13:00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>13:30</b>	<b>How REACH deals with chemicals of concern</b> The Candidate List and the Authorisation process; “problem” substances; Annex XVII restrictions
	<b>Refreshment break</b>
	<b>EU safety data sheets</b> Supply obligations; Annex II to REACH – the format, headings and subheadings of the SDS; transitional periods of grace for existing SDS; sources of information; Exposure Scenarios and the extended SDS
	<b>Navigating ECHA’s website</b> Hints and tips on navigating ECHA’s website
	<b>Q &amp; A</b>
<b>16:30</b>	<b>Close</b>

**Previous attendees said:**

*“An excellent course, well presented by a very knowledgeable and engaging person. Highly recommended.”*

*“A brilliant overview of what REACH is and the implications across the whole supply chain!”*

*“Definitely worth attending, even as a downstream user, to understand your obligations and responsibilities under REACH, how changes affect you and how to stay up to date.”*

*“A real thorough grounding for someone with no REACH experience.”*