

CIWEM has begun to formally establish a Contaminated Land Network in support of professionals in the global contaminated land sector.

The function of the **CIWEM Global Contaminated Land Network (CLN)** is to provide expert views for the Institution and to be a sounding board for current and new initiatives.

Role and Remit

The role of the CIWEM Contaminated Land Network (CLN) is to bring together government/non-governmental bodies, industry, academia and other stakeholders to stimulate sharing of knowledge and good practice in the management of contaminated land.

The network will aim to support the relationship between academic research and practice.

Steering Group

The CLN will be a virtual global network, operating mainly by email, but there will be a Steering Group of a maximum of 15 people who can meet 2 – 3 times a year and help direct the work of the Group as a whole.

Linkages

The CLN can make a number of strategic linkages with CIWEM's waste management technical panel as well as through our status as a founding body of SiLC (www.silc.org.uk)

Seeking Members

If you have contaminated land as an element of your post or are interested in contaminated land issues, or require further information on joining the network or steering group **please contact** Joshua@ciwem.org

Membership of the network is not a major commitment – it is a good way to keep in touch with CIWEM's work (there will be regular email updates) on contaminated land issues and to pass on your views.