Management of Noise at Outdoor Music Events

This workshop will be delivered as an interactive event with delegates undertaking tasks and discussing real-life case studies.

09.30  Registration and exhibition viewing

10.00  Welcome and introduction

10.05  **Session 1: Introduction to outdoor music events**

- Sources of noise at outdoor music events
- Health impacts from noise on residents
- Event acceptability criteria

11.15  Refreshment break

11.30  **Session 2: Regulatory controls**

- Licensing
- Statutory nuisance
- The Pop code of practice guidelines
  - Audibility criteria
  - Low frequency sound

12.45  Lunch and exhibition viewing

13.30  **Session 3: The noise management plan**

- Typical licensing conditions for events – the good, the bad and the ugly!
- Noise controls for stage sound
- Pre-event sound checks
- Noise monitoring and measurements in practice
- Noise complaint management and response
- The post event report
14.45 Refreshment break

15.00 **Case studies and delegate tasks**
- Lessons learnt
- Delegate feedback

16.00 Collect CPD and depart