

Ann Gardiner

Profile

- More than twenty years' experience in winning and delivering energy climate and policy solutions for a range of organisations
- Extensive experience in managing complex projects and proposals
- Expertise in analysing complex information to draw strategic conclusions
- Experienced communicator of technical concepts and policy to specialist and non-specialist audiences
- Experience of assembling and managing international and multi-disciplinary teams

Experience

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- ▶ Providing advice and analysis to develop and evaluate climate and energy policy and strategy

VARIOUS MANAGERIAL AND CONSULTANCY POSITIONS, ECOFYS UK 2006-APRIL 2017

- ▶ Developing business and delivering projects in the area of climate and energy policy
- ▶ Project management, typically of large and complex projects or proposals
- ▶ Line management of staff
- ▶ Management of the financial performance of a portfolio of projects (in 2011 around 7M euro)
- ▶ Responsible for setting strategic direction of areas of knowledge

VARIOUS MANAGERIAL AND CONSULTANCY POSITIONS, FUTURE ENERGY SOLUTIONS 1998-2006

- ▶ Developing business and delivering technical projects in the area of climate and energy policy
- ▶ Managing projects and line management of staff
- ▶ Seconded part time to the CHP team at Defra, responsible for the transposition of the Cogeneration Directive

PROJECT MANAGER, AEA TECHNOLOGY, 1987-1998

Providing R&D consultancy in a number of areas.

Education

University of Durham, Physics BSc Hons 1st Class

Selection of project experience

2017 Project Director. Impact Assessment of the Innovation Fund. A consortium led by Ecofys will provide input to DG CLIMA for the impact assessment of the innovation fund. I am responsible for quality control and for strategic support to the project manager.

2017 Project Manager. Indicators for GGR development. This project is for the Committee on Climate Change to develop indicators to measure progress towards implementation of greenhouse gas removal options to scale in the UK in 2030.

2017 Project Director. Support to the industrial roadmap actions plans. This project for DECC (now BEIS) is to provide support to the action plans to implement the 2050 industrial roadmaps. Support includes workshop facilitation and technical analysis and papers. I am responsible for customer relations and for strategic support to the project manager.

2017 Project Manager. Marginal Abatement Cost Curves for Turkey. For the World Bank, I managed this project to prepare MACCs for Turkey to be used in development of carbon pricing policy.

2016 Project Director. Evaluation of the MAPS programme for CIFF

2016. Project Manager. Energy prices and costs. In this project for DG Energy, I managed a consortium led by Ecofys to analyse the level of and drivers for energy prices and costs in 28 Member States and in major competitor countries.

2016 Project Manager. Analysis of the implications of 1.5 degrees. Project to analyse the implications of 1.5 degrees for the position of WWF in a number of areas.

2015 Project Director. Strategic Advice to the ICF. This project was to provide strategic advice on providing technical assistance under the International Climate Fund. The results were used in the business case presented by DECC. I provided design ideas for the methodology and quality assurance of the results.

2015 Project Director. Impact and process assessment of the compensation for the indirect effect of carbon price. Ecofys with Vivid Economics as partners carried out an impact and process assessment for BIS of this compensation for electro-intensive industry.

2014 -2015 Project Manager NAMA in Georgia. This project resulted in a proposal for a Nationally Appropriate Mitigation Action on building renovation in Georgia. I

managed the team and the stakeholder discussions and negotiations with the Georgian government.

2015. Project Director. Support to EIB. To help EIB finalise their climate action strategy, we analysed responses to a public consultation and developed their response in the strategy. I worked at the EIB during crucial periods and help draft their strategy and discuss with internal stakeholders including the responsible vice-president.

2014. Project Manager. Energy costs and subsidies in Europe. I managed this 1M euro project for DG Energy that provided the first dataset on subsidies, costs and external costs for energy for all Member States. As well as managing the project to deliver to time and quality, I was also responsible for the management of stakeholder relations.

2013- 2014 Project Manager Support to Gibraltar Government on developing NEEAP and on EPBD and EED. In this project, we supported the Gibraltar Government in defining targets and policy actions for the NEEAP and in implementing EPBD and EED.

2014 Project Director. Coordination and consistency contract for the assessment of renewable non-domestic heating technologies for DECC. This project is part of a suite of projects for DECC under the RHI review. Its aim is to ensure consistency in assumptions and data used in analysis of individual technologies.