



One-day Fielddays course

Guideline document 2016/005 (GD05): Erosion and Sediment Control for Land Disturbing Activities in the Auckland Region

This one-day face-to-face course on GD05 by Auckland Council has been designed to provide attendees with a sound understanding of erosion and sediment control (ESC) principles as well as Council's current requirements to ensure resource consent compliance when undertaking land disturbing activities.

By the end of this course, participants will:

- Recognise potential adverse effects of land disturbance and the benefits of best-practice ESC
- Understand the technical and legal requirements that apply to land disturbance activities and potential consequences of poor compliance
- Be familiar with the fundamental principles of ESC
- Better understand ESC methodologies / technologies that are current best practice, proven and practical
- Understand the fundamentals of selecting and implementing ESC practices and procedures during the design, construction, operation, maintenance and decommissioning phases (within the Auckland context)
- Understand how to utilise the guideline to prepare ESC Plans and key aspects of monitoring ESC devices and ensuring site compliance.

Who should attend?

Designers and contractors/implementers, who construct, operate and maintain ESC measures as part of earthworks and other land disturbing activities at multiple scales. It also includes useful guidance for Council consent processors and compliance officers, as well as developers and householders involved in earthworks activities.

Course format:

The course is led by industry leaders in an interactive workshop format. Questions and the experience of participants are welcomed throughout the day. The course includes activities to reinforce learning.

Guideline GD05:

GD05 focuses on earthworks for activities such as residential, commercial or infrastructure developments and maintenance, roads and utilities, ancillary farming earthworks, and earthworks associated with quarrying, such as overburden disposal. It also addresses management of construction activities that result in the disturbance of sediment within the coastal marine area.

Course date and time, 9am – 4pm:

Tuesday 20 September 2022 (Fielddays, Colin Dale Motorsport Park)

Price:

Our fee is \$500 (plus GST). Space is limited, so early registration is recommended.

Presenter information:

The course will be run by Michael Parsonson, Gregor McLean or Campbell Stewart, directors of SouthernSkies Environmental Limited.

All have 24 years' experience in construction erosion and sediment control (ESC) and have trained many hundreds of private and public sector people in best practice ESC. In conjunction with Beca, they were authors of GD05 (which received the Best Publication of 2017 Award from the Resource Management Law Association). They are experienced in ESC design, construction, maintenance, auditing and compliance monitoring across a wide range of projects.

How to register for this course?

Please complete the registration form at <https://forms.office.com/r/4MbNpXRrag>.