

Training and Consultancy in Environmental Arboriculture

Maintaining continued professional development (CPD) has become an important part of everyday working life. This is especially true within the relatively young professions of arboriculture and conservation land management.

Keeping up with developments in management techniques; new working practices, changes in legislation, to name but a few, can be a job in itself.

ArborEcology has the experience and expertise to bridge the knowledge gap, offering practical assistance and training in environmental arboriculture.

Ancient and Veteran Tree Management:

In recent years increasing emphasis has been placed on the management of trees for their wildlife value and ecological importance. The UK's ancient trees are a unique resource and perhaps it's biggest contribution to European biodiversity. However, many of these precious trees are suffering through neglect or inexperienced management.

ArborEcology offers a solution in the form of practical onsite advice backed up by training for contractors. If you are charged with the responsibility for looking after ancient trees we can advise you on the management plans, pruning specifications and arrange training for your contractors.

Protected Species and Biodiversity:

Increasingly treework and practical conservation contracts have to be planned around protected species like birds, bats, badgers, dormice, invertebrates, amphibians and reptiles, not to mention rare plants. Some of these species enjoy full protection under UK law that could result in significant fines and/or imprisonment if adequate provision is not given to their conservation.

ArborEcology can help you work within the law, by offering awareness training on protected species, providing practical solutions to management issues that may appear to, and often do, conflict.

Call us to discuss dedicated consultancy or training for a specific project or site. We also offer specialist training to contract teams involved in or tendering for environmentally sensitive projects.

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