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Your step-by-step guide
to accessing exciting new
opportunities for your
environmental business

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Welcome

Welcome to metnet (marches environmental technologies network), the on-line community for environmental businesses in Herefordshire, Worcestershire, Telford & Wrekin and Shropshire.

As a member of metnet, you now have access to exciting new opportunities for you and your business to develop and grow the environmental sector across the Marches.

metnet is a dynamic business network supporting businesses within the environmental technology sector across Herefordshire, Shropshire, Telford & Wrekin and Worcestershire. The metnet network is FREE to join for small to medium sized environmental business, or businesses looking to diversify into the environmental sector, from across Herefordshire, Shropshire, Telford & Wrekin and Worcestershire.



Benefits include:

- Create your own minisite, showcase to potential customers how they can get in touch with you and what you supply.
- An instant supply base of local environmental products, services and businesses at your fingertips.
- Free access to support and advice from key bodies and support agencies.
- Frequently updated event listings offering networking, collaboration and other business opportunities.
- Email alerts when a potential client wants to make contact or when an opportunity is posted in your sector.
- Access to employment opportunities, advice and funding.
- Business news.

You will also benefit from **FREE** networking events including Meet the Buyer and business briefings on key topics - all designed to build a bigger, brighter and greener local economy while your business grows.

metnet is easy to use and absolutely **FREE**. Register today.

How to register

Registration only takes three steps.

Step 1 – Enter your email address and a password.

Step 2 – Enter your name, job title and phone numbers.

Step 3 – Enter your company details and choose your business sector.

Once you're a member, we'll email you when opportunities are posted in your business sector – so make sure you don't miss out by choosing every sector your business is involved in.

What happens next?

Once registered, you can fill in details on your dashboard, and upload a picture of yourself and your company's logo. This is how your customers will find you, so make sure you enter all your details!



The screenshot shows the registration page for met-net.co.uk. The page has a blue header with the met-net logo and navigation links. The main content area is a registration form with several sections:

- Registration:** Fields for email address, password, and confirm password.
- Personal Details:** Fields for name, job title, phone number, and address.
- Company Details:** Fields for company name, address, and phone number.
- Business Sector:** A list of business sectors with checkboxes to select one or more.
- Privacy Policy:** A checkbox to agree to the privacy policy.
- Terms and Conditions:** A checkbox to agree to the terms and conditions.

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Dashboard



The Dashboard allows you to develop your minisite on metnet, customised with text, pictures and PDF files. Promote your business in your own way, providing all the information your customers might need to fully understand your business and products.

Dashboard Tip!

To ensure your business features strongly in the **'Find a Supplier'** section, think about the words people will use when they search for your services – then enter them on your **'Supply List'** to make sure they find you.

Make sure you feature in our **'Find a Supplier'** section



You can use the Dashboard to send instant chat messages to other site members.

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Find an opportunity



Opportunities!

You will only be emailed opportunities within the 'business sectors' you choose – but you can choose as many sectors as you like.

Use this section to source information and opportunities for your business but also to post any requirements you have or opportunities you may be offering.

From finding new customers to product development and new technologies the site has opportunities for every business.

Post an opportunity



'Post 'or' Find' a opportunity for your business today!

We are encouraging everyone who has a requirement for an environmental product or service or has something that will be of interest to businesses within the sector, to post it on the 'Opportunities' section of our website.

Using the 'Post an opportunity' page is quick and easy. Upload tender documents, drawings or specifications to easily illustrate your request.

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Events

Take a look at what is going on in the Marches using our Events listings page, to ensure you never miss a networking opportunity.



If you have an event you would like to publicise contact metnet with the details.

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Knowledge Bank



Our Knowledge Bank section has been created to make all the information on areas such as funding and business support available in an easy to search area and is maintained by the metnet team.



Knowledge Bank!

Find information on business grants, our partners, event presentations, where to find tendering opportunities and useful links

Information you need not there?
Contact metnet and we will try and find what you are after.

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