

Curriculum Vitae

Name: Christopher Hartworth (previously Howorth)
DOB: 11 January 1970
Sex: Male
Marital
Status: Married
Nationality: British
Languages: English (Mother Tongue); French (fluent)

Qualifications:

1997 Ph.D. in Geography and Environmental Management, School of Social Sciences, University of Northumbria, Newcastle
1991 BSc (Hons) 2:1 Environmental Management, University of Northumbria, Newcastle
1988 3 'A'-Levels: English, Geography, Biology
1986 8 'O'-Levels including English and Maths

Overseas Work Experience: Albania, Australia, Burkina Faso, Gambia, Ghana, Kenya, Kosovo, Laos, Malawi, Mali, Mozambique, Netherlands, Niger, South Africa, Sudan, Tanzania, Zimbabwe.

Employment:

Barefoot Research and Evaluation (Director)

Year: 2011
Client: PROPS
Consultancy: Evaluation of the Community Reinforcement and Family Training initiative

Year: 2011
Client: NEPACS/prison aftercare society
Consultancy: Evaluation of the Integrated Family Support Initiative

Year: 2011
Client: DISC
Consultancy: Creation of a business plan for their young adult carers support project

Year: 2011
Client: Northern Rock Foundation
Consultancy: Mapping the characteristics and dynamics of the sex market and sexual exploitation in Cumbria

Year: 2011
Client: Northern Rock Foundation
Consultancy: Research into provision for parents with learning disabilities in Newcastle

Year: 2011
Client: Women's Health Advice Centre, Northumberland
Consultancy: An evaluation of WHAC's services between 2008 and 2011

Year: 2011
Client: Children North East
Consultancy: Evaluation of the BU Mental Health Diploma: impact assessment and review of a diploma taught in schools

Year: 2010
Client: Northern Learning Trust
Consultancy: Evaluation of Science Families: an impact evaluation of a family learning science education project in Newcastle.

Year: 2010 - 2011
Client: Escape Family Support
Consultancy: Evaluation of this diverting women from custody project in Northumberland

Year: March 2010 to September 2010
Client: Durham County Council
Consultancy: Young adult carers needs assessment carers between the ages of 18 and 25 in County Durham

Year: August 2010
Client: Children North East
Consultancy: Evaluation of Northumberland Council's Hidden Harm family intervention initiative

Year: July 2010 to May 2011
Client: VONNE and NEPACS
Consultancy: Working with children and families of offenders: A guide for local authorities and partnerships

Year: March 2009 and July 2010
Client: Fire and Rescue Service
Consultancy: Evaluation of SafetyWorks! concentrating on the family intervention aspect

Year: July 2009 to July 2010
Client: Northern Rock Foundation
Consultancy: Mapping the characteristics and dynamics of the sex market and sexual exploitation in County Durham and Darlington

Year: December 2009 to March 2010
Client: Centre West (New Deal for Communities) Consultancy: Evaluation of the Leisure And Sports Training project, a sports and leisure apprenticeship scheme in the West End of Newcastle

Year: December 2009 to March 2010
Client: Centre West (New Deal for Communities)
Consultancy: Evaluation of Victim Support's Anti-Social Behaviour Initiative

Year: December 2009 to March 2010
Client: Centre West (New Deal for Communities)
Consultancy: Evaluation and impact assessment of the New Deal for Communities Police Team and their Flexible Interventions Fund and Anti-Social Behaviour Coordinator

Year: March 2010
Client: Safe Newcastle
Consultancy: Focus groups with hard to reach groups about crime and community safety for their strategic assessment

Year: December 2008 and January 2010
Client: Your Homes Newcastle Consultancy: Evaluation and impact assessment of the Safe Newcastle Family Intervention Project

Year: January 2010
Client: The Comfrey Project
Consultancy: Evaluation of the Comfrey Project and a review of the first eight years of project operations

Year: December 2008 to March 2009
Client: Parentline Plus
Consultancy: Evaluation of the Prisoner Post Release Project

Year: December 2008 to March 2009
Client: Nacro
Consultancy: Case studies of Integrated Offender Management and the engagement with the Third Sector

Year: August 2008 to March 2009
Client: Voluntary Organisation Network North East
Consultancy: Chair of the North East Regional Offender Manager's Children and Families Pathway and administrator of the North East Offender Network

Year: September 2008 to March 2009
Client: Women's Health Advice Centre
Consultancy: 25 year review

Year: August 2008 to March 2010
Client: Newcastle's New Deal for Communities
Consultancy: Evaluation of the Domestic Violence Project

Year: April 2008
Client: Newcastle's Health and Well Being Partnership

Consultancy: Evaluation of the Smoke Free Project for Smoke Free Newcastle.

Year: January to March 2008

Client: Tyne Metropolitan College

Consultancy: Evaluation of the Challenge Project (a £2.5 million adult literacy and numeracy project in Tyne and Wear).

Year: March 2008

Client: Safe Newcastle

Consultancy: Review of Safe Neighbourhoods

Year: March 2008

Client: Newcastle City Council

Consultancy: Editing the Newcastle Alcohol Strategy.

Year: January to March 2008

Client: National Offender Management Service and Voluntary Organisation Network North East

Consultancy: Development of a voluntary and community sector network of agencies who work with (ex) offenders and their families across the north east.

Year: February 2008

Client: Safe Newcastle

Consultancy: Consultation for the strategic assessment 2008-11.

Year: November 2007

Client: Safe Newcastle

Consultancy: Evaluation of the Bottleneck Scheme (a scheme to address alcohol-related youth disorder).

Year: October 2007 to March 2008

Client: Newcastle City Council (Children's Services)

Consultancy: Evaluation of the Respect Parenting Programme

Year: October 2007

Client: Northern Rock Foundation

Consultancy: Sexual Exploitation and Sex Work in Northumberland and Tyne and Wear

Year: January 2007

Client: Northern Rock Foundation

Consultancy: Keeping Prisoners and Their Families Together: A Review of the Family and Social Support Strategic Pathway and Other Developments in the North East's Reduction of Re-Offending Action Plan

Year: October 2006 to March 2008

Client: Safe Newcastle

Consultancy: Evaluation of the Neighbourhood Renewal Fund Anti-Social Behaviour Programme

Year: February 2007

Client: Wansbeck District Council and Blyth Valley Borough Council

Consultancy: Evaluation of Doorstep Pictures; a community cinema initiative

Year: May 2006

Client: Northumbria Probation Service

Consultancy: Development of Performance Measures for the Prolific and Priority Offenders Programme

Year: April 2006

Client: Drugs in Our Communities Group, Safe Newcastle

Consultancy: Volunteer Needs Assessment.

Year: March 2006

Client: Safe Newcastle (the Drug Support Unit)

Consultancy: Research With Local Communities in the East End of Newcastle Surrounding Drug Use and Associated Issues.

Year: March 2006 to March 2008

Client: Safe Newcastle

Consultancy: Consultation and research into levels of community engagement to support the implementation of the Safe Newcastle 2005-08 Community Safety Strategy.

Year: March 2006

Client: Safe Newcastle

Consultancy: Review of the Full Circle Domestic Violence Project incorporating Northumbria Police's Public Protection Unit and Victim Support.

Year: February 2006

Client: Safe Newcastle

Consultancy: Review of the Newcastle Anti-Social Behaviour Unit (made up of Northumbria Police, Your Homes Newcastle, Victim Support and Neighbourhood Services).

Year: October 2005 to January 2006

Client: Northumbria Police

Consultancy: Research to Assess the Impact of Police Marshalled Taxi Ranks in Newcastle.

Year: October 2005

Client: Middlesbrough Teenage Pregnancy Strategy, Middlesbrough City Council

Consultancy: Review of first five years of operation.

Year: June 2005 to September 2005

Client: Middlesbrough Teenage Pregnancy Strategy, Middlesbrough City Council
Consultancy: Evaluation of C Card condom distribution scheme in Middlesbrough.

Year: May 2005
Client: Newcastle City Council, Social Services
Consultancy: Evaluation of the Care to Read literacy project for looked-after-children.

Year: February to April 2005
Client: Newcastle Community Safety Partnership
Consultancy: Development of the Crime Audit and Crime, Disorder and Drugs Reduction Strategy; Option Analysis of Community Safety TV.

Year: February 2005
Client: Northumberland Strategic Partnership
Consultancy: Facilitation of a partnership event for the Rural Coalfield Development Plan for South East Northumberland.

Year: January 2005 to February 2005
Client: Middlesbrough Teenage Pregnancy Strategy, Middlesbrough City Council
Consultancy: Evaluation of teenage pregnancy services in Middlesbrough.

Year: December 2004 to February 2005
Client: Newcastle Community Safety Partnership
Consultancy: Analysis of the consultation for the Crime Audit; facilitation of Newcastle Community Safety Partnership and Drug Action Team partnership consultation event; feasibility study for anti-social behaviour phone line.

Year: November 2004 – September 2005
Client: Northumberland Strategic Partnership
Consultancy: Participatory evaluation of the Inspire public art programme in South East Northumberland

Year: November to December 2004
Client: Newcastle Community Safety Partnership
Consultancy: Consultation with hard to reach groups in Newcastle for the crime audit

Year: October 2004 – September 2005
Client: Nacro
Consultancy: Research into prisons and families and approaches to maintain positive relationships between children and parents in prisons in the North East of England.

Year: October 2004
Client: Newcastle Community Safety Partnership

Consultancy: Consultation review for the Crime Audit

Year: July to October 2004

Client: Northumbria University, Centre for Work and Employment Studies

Consultancy: Creation of three case studies of union funded worked based learning and an examination of the changing nature of Trade Unions.

Year: June 2004

Client: Newcastle City Council

Consultancy: Evaluation of the Jobs Through ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) and Training Project, a project aimed at Asylum Seekers and Refugees.

Year: September 2003 to September 2004

Employer: Nacro (a national crime reduction charity), Crime and Social Policy Division, 567a Barlow Moor Road, Manchester, M21 8AE

Position: Senior Research and Evaluation Officer for the North East of England

Year: October 2002 to September 2003

Employer: North Tyneside Council, Wallsend, Town Hall, NE28 7RR.

Position: Senior Research Officer

Year: November 2001 to September 2002

Employer: Sage Software, Research and Development, Gosforth, Newcastle

Position: Senior Researcher and Technical Writer

Year: July 2001 to October 2001

Employer: Sure Start, Northumberland Health Authority, Morpeth

Position: Research and Evaluation Officer

Year: July 2000 to January 2001

Employer: LookSmart (Internet Directory), Lonsdale Street, Melbourne, Australia

Position: Senior Technical Writer and Trainer

Year: April 1995 to January 2000

Employer: ETC International, Consultants for Development Programs, 119 Norfolk St, North Shields, Newcastle Upon Tyne, UK.

Position: Consultant for Development Programmes

Consultancies:

Research into the informal economy in Newcastle and the relationship between local Government's social policy and urban economic development. Research elements included interviewing cannabis, heroin, crack, cocaine and amphetamine dealers, prostitutes and people involved in handling stolen goods,

over a 12 month period and carrying out an economic assessment of their activities. Funded by the Big Issue North East.

Real-time evaluation of the Kosova crisis in week six of the emergency for DANIDA (Danish Foreign Ministry). Evaluation concentrated on WFP, UNHCR and the International NGOs. Funded by DANIDA.

Creation of community forestry case studies for Northern Territories University, Australia for a distance learning course.

Evaluation of Danish Humanitarian Assistance in nine countries. Focus area: The African Great Lakes region. Funded by DANIDA.

Preparation of background document for the Global Water Partnership on Freshwater Ecosystems and Social Security. Funded by IUCN.

A study on Spatial Development Initiatives (SDIs) in Southern Africa. The study examined the SDI's prospects for regional development, their social and environmental impacts. Fieldwork included Zimbabwe, Mozambique, Swaziland, Botswana and South Africa.

Social forestry backstopping mission for the forestry and wildlife resources management programme of the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry in Sofala Province, Mozambique.

A Critical Examination of Spatial Development Initiatives in Southern Africa. A workshop with leading British academics and the Department of Trade and Industry, South Africa. Funded by DFID Southern Africa.

Evaluation of an evaluation of Danish Transitional Assistance to South Africa for DANIDA.

Strategic Environmental Assessment and Spatial Development Initiatives in South and Southern Africa; a prefeasibility study for the Department of Trade and Industry, South Africa.

Technical Editor of 'Developing Technology with Farmers: A trainer's guide for participatory learning' published by Intermediate Technology for DGIS (Dutch Foreign Ministry).

Workshop in El Doret, Kenya, on participatory approaches for the development of natural resource management projects, for ETC International and KWAP.

Stakeholder Urban Agriculture Workshop in Harare, Zimbabwe, organised by ETC International and ENDA (Zimbabwe). Needs Assessment of ENDA (Zimbabwe).

Feasibility Study of Urban Horticulture in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania, for the Natural Resources Institute (DFID).

Year: March 1995 - July 1997
Employer: University of Northumbria at Newcastle, Division of Geography and Environmental Management.
Position: Part-time Lecturer in Geography

Year: February 1993 - March 1995
Employer: United Nations Association for International Service, Suite 3a, 57 Goodramgate, York
Position: Technical Adviser to a Burkinabé NGO

Year: September 1992 - January 1993
Employer: ZERO - Regional Network of Environmental Experts, Zimbabwe
Position: Environmental Studies Consultant

Year: April 1992 - September 1992
Employer: Kenya Woodfuel and Agroforestry Programme (KWAP)
Position: Monitoring Consultant

Year: May 1990 - October 1990
Employer: Intermediate Technology Development Group
Position: Researcher

Publications

Books

Hartworth, C. 2007. Keeping Prisoners and Their Families Together: A Review of Family and Social Support Within the North East Reducing Re-offending Action Plan, Think 1. Northern Rock Foundation, Newcastle.

Howorth, C. 1999. Rebuilding the Local Landscape: Environmental Management in Burkina Faso, Ashgate, Aldershot.

Journals

Hartworth, C., Hartworth, J. and Convery, I. 2007. Community Safety: A Theoretical Perspective, Research and Practice in Social Sciences Vol.3, No.1 (August) 1-18

Hartworth, C. and Hartworth, J. (2007) Participatory Evaluation of the Inspire Public Art Programme in South East Northumberland, Participatory Learning and Action, Issue (55).

Howorth, C, Kirkby, J and O'Keefe, P. 2001. Introduction: Rethinking Environment and Development in Africa and Asia, The Journal of Land Degradation and Development Special Issue: Rethinking Environment and Development in Africa and Asia (eds. John Kirkby, Phil O'Keefe, Chris Howorth) Vol. 12, Issue 3, John Wiley & Sons, Ltd.

Howorth, C. and Mahiri, I. 2001. Twenty Years of Resolving the Irresolvable: Approaches to the Fuelwood Problem in Kenya, The Journal of Land Degradation and Development Special Issue: Rethinking Environment and Development in Africa and Asia (eds. John Kirkby, Phil O'Keefe, Chris Howorth) Vol. 12, Issue 3, John Wiley & Sons, Ltd.

Howorth, C, O'Keefe, P, and Convery, I, 2001. Gardening to Reduce Hazard: Urban Agriculture in Tanzania, The Journal of Land Degradation and Development Special Issue: Rethinking Environment and Development in Africa and Asia (eds. John Kirkby, Phil O'Keefe, Chris Howorth) Vol. 12, Issue 3, John Wiley & Sons, Ltd.

Howorth, C, Kirkby, J, O'Keefe, P, and Collins, A, 2001. A Survey of Evaluation Experience in Complex Emergencies, The International Journal of Human Rights, Vol. 5.2, 2001.

Howorth, C, Soussan, J and Emmel, N, 1999. Ecosystems Management and Social Security, IUCN - The World Conservation Union, March 26.

Howorth, C, O'Keefe, P and Convery, I, 1999, Energy Utilization in Peri-Urban Areas: Issues of Demand, in Energy for Sustainable Development, The Journal of the International Energy Initiative.

Howorth, C and O'Keefe, P, 1999. Farmers do it Better: Local Management of Change in Southern Burkina Faso, The Journal of Land Degradation and Development, Vol. 10, Issue: 2.

Howorth, C and O'Keefe, P, 1996. Drought-Induced Resettlement: A Case Study from Burkina Faso, Journal of Regional Environmental Change 1, 15-23, 1999.

Chris Howorth, Momo Masoka and Joanne Harnmeyer A Local Stakeholders Workshop on Urban Agriculture ENDA, Harare, 1996.

Howorth, C and Konaté, O, 1995. Traditional Medicine and Tree Planting in Burkina Faso, Baobab Journal, Oxfam: ALIN, November edition.

Howorth, C, Kirkby, J and O'Keefe, P. 1992. Whatever Happened to Brazil 1992: an Earth Charter for Whom?, In Dahl, J., Drakakis-Smith, D. and Narman, N. (eds) University of Göteborg, Sweden.

Howorth, C. 1992. Energy Transitions in Africa, Boiling Point, ITDG, No.27.

Magazines

Hartworth, C. and Hartworth, J. (2006) Third World Development, Loss of Entitlements and Community Safety, National Community Safety Network Monthly (6th October 2006).

Hartworth, C. and Hartworth, J. (2006) Strong Communities Get What They Are Entitled To, New Start (Vol 8, No.359).

Howorth, C, 1992. Listening and Watching Saves Energy and Money, ILEIA, 1/92.

Internet

Hartworth, C. and Hartworth, J. (2006) Keeping Families Together: Maintaining Positive Relationships Between Children and Parents in Prison, Voluntary Organisations' Network North East,
www.vonne.co.uk/issues/offenders/families%20and%20prison.doc

Published Working Papers (1994-1999) University of Northumbria, Newcastle Upon Tyne

Howorth, C, O'Keefe, P and Moyo, S, 1999. Spatial Development Issues in Southern Africa: Current Progress.

Howorth, C, Kirkby, J and O'Keefe, P, 1999. A Survey of Evaluation Experience in Complex Emergencies, 1999.

Howorth, C, O'Keefe, P and Convery, I, 1998. Urban Agriculture in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania.

Howorth, C and O'Keefe, P, 1998. Rebuilding the Local Landscape in Southern Burkina Faso.

Howorth, C and O'Keefe, P, 1998. Spatial Development Initiatives: A Development Approach in Post-Apartheid South and Southern Africa.

Howorth, C, O'Keefe, P and Kirkby, J, 1997. Addressing Global Warming: The Challenge of the Kyoto Summit.

Howorth, C. 1996. Integrated Rural Extension: The Gestion de Terroirs Approach and an Example from Burkina Faso.