



Public Speaking Sustainability



Dear Members and Friends,

Last week, I shared *why people join and continue with Sustainable Speakers Online* — the confidence they build, the support they receive,

and the value of having a safe space to practise speaking about sustainability.

This week's newsletter follows naturally from that conversation.

Public speaking in sustainability has never been more important. Clear communication is now a core sustainability skill, not an optional extra. As sustainability and climate topics become more complex, the ability to speak with clarity, relevance, and confidence is essential.

To support this, we are sharing our **Top Seven Tips for Public Speaking in Sustainability**. These practical tips focus on helping you communicate complex ideas clearly, engage diverse audiences, and speak with confidence and impact.

1. Start with relevance, not data

Open with *why this matters to the audience*, not with statistics. Data supports your message, but relevance earns attention.

2. Translate complexity into meaning

Sustainability topics are often complex. Your role is not to simplify the issue, but to explain it in a way that makes sense to the people in the room.

3. Balance evidence with humanity

Facts build credibility, but people connect through stories, examples, and lived experience. Both are essential.

4. Match your energy to the audience

Different audiences need different tones. Senior leaders, technical teams, and community groups all listen differently. Adapt your delivery, not your values.

5. Avoid alarmism, aim for clarity

Urgency matters, but fear shuts people down. Clear, calm communication helps audiences think and act.

6. End with agency, not overwhelm

Always leave people knowing what they can do next. Even small actions restore confidence and momentum.

7. Practise out loud, with feedback

Sustainability speaking improves through practice, not perfection. Speaking regularly, receiving feedback, and learning what lands makes the biggest difference

We offer a supportive space where you can practise, learn, and build confidence. Join us at **Sustainable Speakers Online**. We meet on Mondays, **6:30–8:00 pm (GMT)**.

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- ✓ Mentoring Programme
- ✓ Dedicated to Sustainability
- ✓ Leadership Focused

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In summary here are those tips

These are exactly the skills our members practise regularly — with feedback, encouragement, and real-world sustainability topics.

1. Start with relevance, not data
2. Translate complexity into meaning

3. Balance evidence with humanity
4. Match your energy to the audience
5. Be clear, not alarmist
6. End with agency and next steps
7. Practise regularly and seek feedback Strong sustainability messages are built through shared learning, feedback, and mentoring, not perfection.

We are here to offer supportive feedback and one-to-one mentoring, and to help you grow in confidence and succeed.

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