

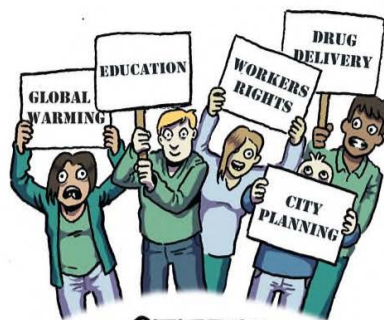
Getting your research into Parliament

Why is it important?

PROVIDES EVIDENCE TO INFORM POLICY MAKING



USED TO SCRUTINIZE LAWS AND POLICIES



CITIZENS CARE ABOUT EVIDENCE

DEMONSTRATES RESEARCH IMPACT



The routes in:

SELECT COMMITTEES



PARLIAMENTARY OFFICE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (POST)

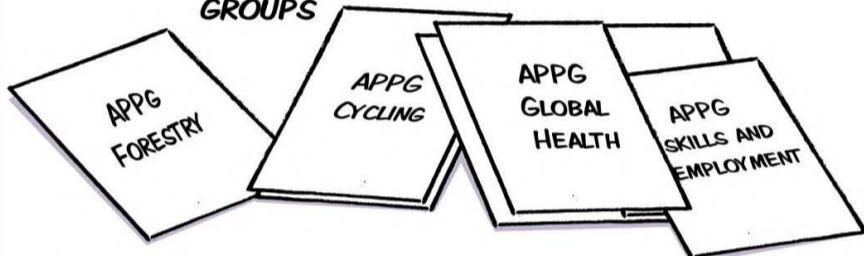
LIBRARIES



CORRESPONDENCE WITH MEMBERS



ALL-PARTY PARLIAMENTARY GROUPS



NGOs

THINK TANKS



EVENTS



TOP 10 TIPS:

Making Connections

1. BE SEEN ONLINE OR AT EVENTS SO THE RELEVANT PEOPLE CAN FIND YOU



2. BLOG YOUR RESEARCH SO THEY KNOW WHAT YOU ARE WORKING ON



3. FOLLOW WHAT PARLIAMENT MEMBERS ARE DOING VIA THE WEBSITE OR TWITTER



4. SIGN UP TO POST, COMMONS AND LORDS LIBRARY AND SELECT COMMITTEE ALERTS

5. INVITE PARLIAMENTARY STAFF TO YOUR EVENTS



Presenting Research

6. DON'T JUST SEND YOUR JOURNAL ARTICLES, SEND A BRIEF AND INCLUDE YOUR SOURCES

7. BE RELEVANT: START WITH A SUMMARY AND FOCUS ON HOW YOUR RESEARCH IMPACTS PEOPLE



8. USE VISUALS - A PICTURE CAN PAINT A THOUSAND WORDS



9. BE CLEAR AND ACCURATE: BE EXPLICIT ABOUT ALL LIMITATIONS AND CAVEATS

10. DON'T FORGET THE ESSENTIALS: INCLUDE YOUR CREDENTIALS AND DATE YOUR BRIEFING

