

**Scotland Policy Conferences Keynote Seminar: Next steps for *Energy Efficient Scotland* - decarbonising heat, building standards and economic impact**

Timing: Morning, Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Venue: The Royal Society of Edinburgh, 22-26 George Street, Edinburgh EH2 2PQ



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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Claudia Beamish MSP**, Deputy Convenor, Cross-Party Group on Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency
- 9.05 - 9.35 **Next steps for *Energy Efficient Scotland***  
**Paul Wheelhouse MSP**, Minister for Energy, Connectivity and the Islands, The Scottish Government  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.35 - 9.45 **Assessing the economic impacts of energy efficiency**  
**Ragne Low**, Principal Knowledge Exchange Fellow, Centre for Energy Policy, University of Strathclyde
- Policy priorities for decarbonising heat in Scotland**
- 9.45 - 9.55 **Designing and delivering Local Heat and Energy Efficiency Strategies**  
**Eddie Boyd**, Energy & Sustainability Manager, The Highland Council
- 9.55 - 10.05 **Developing the regulatory framework for district heating**  
**James Lambert**, Director, Sector Regulation, Competition and Markets Authority
- 10.05 - 10.25 **Sectoral priorities for decarbonising heat**  
**Gareth Davies**, Gas Market Strategy Manager, National Grid  
**Tony Glover**, Director of Policy & Gas, Energy Networks Association
- 10.25 - 10.35 **Case study: lessons from the Queens Quay District Heating Network**  
**Paul O'Donnell**, Development Director, Dawn Developments
- 10.35 - 11.05 Questions and comments from the floor with **Ragne Low**, Principal Knowledge Exchange Fellow, Centre for Energy Policy, University of Strathclyde
- 11.05 - 11.10 **Chair's closing remarks**  
**Claudia Beamish MSP**, Deputy Convenor, Cross-Party Group on Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency
- 11.10 - 11.40 Coffee
- 11.40 - 11.45 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Liam McArthur MSP**, Convenor, Cross-Party Group on Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency
- Policy priorities for delivering energy efficient building standards: retrofitting and funding major projects**
- 11.45 - 11.55 **Matt Bridgestock**, Director, John Gilbert Architects
- 11.55 - 12.05 **Kathryn Dapr **, Head of Engineering and Energy, NSS Health Facilities Scotland
- 12.05 - 12.15 **Jennifer Roberts**, Scotland Programme Co-ordinator, Salix Finance
- 12.15 - 12.25 Senior speaker to be confirmed
- 12.25 - 12.55 Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Scotland Policy Conferences closing remarks**  
**Liam McArthur MSP**, Convenor, Cross-Party Group on Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency  
**Sean Cudmore**, Deputy Editor, Scotland Policy Conferences