



'A Fairer Scotland, A Greener World'

CRNS Conference Programme (Digital Event)

Tuesday 17 and Wednesday 18 November 2020

17 Nov 2020

- 09.15 – 09.45 **Networking and Visit the Expo Area**
- 09.45 – 10.00 **Welcome and Opening Introductions** – Dr Heather Reid, OBE, Host
Ministerial Address – Roseanna Cunningham MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform
- 10.00 – 10.30 **A Power for Change, The Power to Change** – Doug Allan, Wildlife and Documentary Film Maker
- 10.30 – 10.40 **A Fairer Scotland, A Greener World** – Michael Cook, Chief Executive Officer, CRNS
- 10.40 – 10.50 **Climate Emergency to Climate Opportunity for Solutions** – Dr Martin Valenti, Head of Climate Enterprise, Scottish Enterprise
- 10.50 – 11.00 **Q & A with Speakers**
- 11.00 – 11.30 **Comfort Break, Networking and Visit the Expo Area**
- 11.30 – 12.15 **Breakout Sessions**
1. **How to Get Politicians to do What You Want them to Do** – Anne McLaughlin, MP for Glasgow North East, Shadow SNP Spokesperson on Women and Equalities
 2. **Is it a Good Idea to Trade Online** – Sarah Dodd, Managing Director, Kudos Software
 3. **Developing Effective Partnerships** – Naomi Johnson, Social Enterprise and Social Economy Specialist, and Stephen Gilfillan, LARAC Scotland Executive
- 12.15 – 12.30pm **Spotlight on CRNS Members: Helping to make the World Greener**
- Neil Mapes, Manager, Green Hive
Sophie Lejeune, Founder and Managing Director, Society Zero
Chris Hellawell, Founder and Director, Edinburgh Tool Library
- 12.30 – 12.50 **Q & A with Spotlight Members**
- 12.50 - 13:00 **Day 1 Closing Remarks** – Dr Heather Reid, OBE, Host

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- 09.45 – 10.00 **Opening Introductions and Reflections on Climate Change** – Dr Heather Reid, OBE, Host
- 10.00 – 10.15 **Social Enterprise Responding to Crisis: Economic, Social and Environmental** – Terry McDonald, Executive Director, St. Vincent de Paul Society of Lane County, Oregon, USA
- 10.15 – 10.30 **Lessons from Lockdown on Building a Greener, Fairer Scotland** – Iain Gulland, Chief Executive Officer, Zero Waste Scotland
- 10.30 – 10.45 **How Can the Circular Economy Contribute to a Green Recovery?** – Libby Peak, Head of Resource Policy, Green Alliance
- 10.45 – 11.00 **Q&A with Speakers**
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- 11.30 – 12.15 **Breakout Sessions**
1. **Leading in our 'VUCA World' – taking your people with you** – David Bryan, Hub Manager Highlands & Islands, Social Enterprise Scotland
 2. **Getting on Top of your Risk Management, and Staying There** – Garry Dalton, Account Executive, Keegan & Pennykid Insurance Brokers
 3. **Mapping the Circular Economy** – Naomi Johnson, Social Enterprise and Social Economy Specialist
- 12.15 – 12.30 **Spotlight on CRNS Members: Helping to make Scotland Fairer**
- Jane Devine, Chief Executive Officer, Four Square
Lesley Campbell, CRNS Reuse Consortium Coordinator, interviews Heather Buchan, Team Leader (Options and Homelessness), Aberdeenshire Council
Gail Jackson, Operations Manager, Castle Furniture
- 12.30 – 12.50 **Q & A with Spotlight Members**
- 12:50 – 13.00 **Conference Closing Remarks** – Michael Cook, Chief Executive Officer, CRNS

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