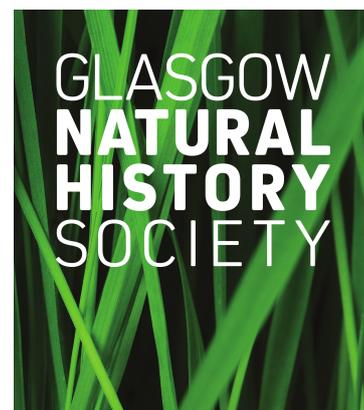


Amphibians and Reptiles of Scotland: current research and future challenges



University of Glasgow, Graham Kerr Building,
Saturday 9th June 2018

Arrival time 0900h, start 0945h, and close 1700h.

Registration will be free through the Glasgow Science Festival
<http://www.glasgowsciencefestival.org.uk/> from April 26th.

Confirmed programme

Speakers	Affiliation	Title	Time
Roger Downie Emma Harper MSP	University of Glasgow GNHS Scottish Parliament	Opening and welcome	5 minutes
Silviu Petrovan	University of Cambridge Froglife	Using an evidence-based approach to improve the understanding and effectiveness of road mitigation schemes for amphibians and reptiles	30 minutes
Nigel Hand	Central Ecology	The vanishing viper - using radiotelemetry to unlock the secret life of the adder'	20 minutes
Lynsey Harper	University of Hull	Enhancing understanding of great crested newt habitat and environmental influences in Scotland	10 minutes
David O'Brien	Highland Biological Recording Group	SuDS and amphibians - are constructed wetlands really benefitting nature and people?	15 minutes
Chloe Rossi Iain Hill	University of Glasgow	Under-road tunnel mitigation at Frankfield Loch, Glasgow	10 minutes
Matthew Witt	University of Exeter	Waifs and strays or seasonally resident? Marine turtles in the British Isles	20 minutes
Rick Hodges	Kent ARG	Long-term monitoring for adders	15 minutes
Pete Minting	Scottish ARC	Great crested newt detectives; citizen science, education and DNA technology	15 minutes
James Stead	Froglife	Scottish Dragon Finder	15 minutes
Chris Cathrine	Caledonian Conservation	A novel approach to reptile mitigation in peatland habitats for an underground power line development in Kintyre	15 minutes
Erik Paterson Ryan Bird	University of Glasgow CARG	Amphibians and water quality in East Kilbride and Renfrewshire	15 minutes
Chris McInerney	University of Glasgow GNHS CARG	The study and conservation of adders in Scotland	15 minutes
Kathleen McMillan	Clyde Muirshiel Regional Park	A study of the reptile populations at the Greenock Cut and management plan	10 minutes
Rob Raynor	Scottish Natural Heritage	An amphibian and reptile strategy for Scotland	20 minutes, + 40 minutes discussion
Andrew Cunningham	Institute of Zoology	Infectious disease threats to amphibian conservation	30 minutes