

TWENTY FIRST NON-NATIVE SPECIES STAKEHOLDER FORUM

Wednesday 11 June 2025

Scotsman Hotel, Edinburgh

PROGRAMME

09:30 *Registration and coffee*

10:00 Introduction to the day by the Chair (Lisa McCann, Scottish Government)

10:15 Update on progress since the 2024 Forum (Niall Moore, NNSS)

10:30 Scottish Invasive Species Initiative (Calum Sinclair, SISI)

10:45 GB Horizon Scanning (Helen Roy, UKCEH)

11:00 Rapid response working group update (Jo Long, SEPA)

11:15 *Refreshment break*

11:45 Feedback from BES research workshop (Steph Bradbeer, Yorkshire Water)

12:00 Assessing new technology needs for practitioners (Pete Robertson, Newcastle University)

12:15 Orkney Native Wildlife Project (Hannah Read, RSPB Scotland)

12:30 Introduction to workshop sessions

12:35 *Lunch*

13:40 Workshop sessions (participants please choose one)

Workshop 1: Pathway Action Plans

(Jura Suite)

Workshop 2: Developing an updated Media and Comms plan (2025-2030)

(Garden Room)

Workshop 3: Assessing stakeholder needs for new techniques for management

(Fettercairn Suite)

15:00 *Refreshment break*

15:30 Open session

15:50 Closing remarks/next steps

16:00 Close