



Tackling the Climate Emergency Scottish Funding Council and Scotland Beyond Net Zero

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10:00	Registration		
		Coffee, tea and pastries	
10:30	Welcome	Professor Christina Boswell, Vice Principal Research, University of Edinburgh	
		Professor Irene McAra-McWilliam, Board Member, Scottish Funding Council	
10:40	Professor Calum Semple	Keynote Speech	
10:50	Showcase Session One	Panel Chair: Professor Gary Hutchison, Assistant Principal, Edinburgh Napier University • Professor Baukje de Roos Sustainable, Healthy and Innovative Food System Transformation • Professor Andrew Tyler Hydronation Chair Research & Innovation Programme	
		 Professor Richard Dewhurst Digital Dairy Chain Professor Emilie Combet Scottish Alliance for Food (SCAF) Professor Jaime Toney GALLANT: Glasgow as a Living Lab Accelerating Novel Transformation 	
11:35		Coffee Break & Poster session	
11:55	Funders panel	Host : Professor Nick Forsyth, Vice Principal Research, University of Aberdeen	
		Panel Chair: Professor Calum Semple, Chief Scientific Advisor (CSA)	
		 Dr Kate Hamer, Executive Director - Strategy & Performance NERC Dr Cathy Kerfoot, Associate Director 	
		 AHRC Dr Kathryn Magnay, Deputy Director Clean Energy 	
		 EPSRC Aayush Chadha, Frontier Research Programme Specialist ARIA 	
		 Hazel Dalgård, Senior European Advisor, UK Research Office UKRI International 	





		 Conall McGinley, Horizon Europe UK National Contact Point for Energy & Global Innovation Lead for Energy Innovate UK 	
12.45	Networking Lunch		
Vegetarian and vegan Fork Buffet lunch		arian and vegan Fork Buffet lunch	
13:25	Showcase Session Two	Host : Professor Nick Forsyth, Vice Principal Research, University of Aberdeen	
		Panel Chair: David Lott, Scottish Funding Council	
		 Dr Encarni Medina-Lopez Failure Modes of Engineering Dr Julio Bros-Williamson Centre for Net Zero - High Density Buildings 	
		 Stephen Fitzpatrick ReMake Value Retention Centre 	
		Stephen Good Built Environment-Smarter Transformation (BE-ST)	
		 Professor Mel Woods/ Professor Paul Rodgers Design Hopes 	
14.10	Coffee Break Themed networking session: • Food		
1	Green Finance		
		Energy Transition	
14.45	Showcase Session Three	Host: Chris Pearce, Vice Principal Research University of Glasgow	
		Panel Chair: Claire Ordoyno, Executive Director Scottish Partnership in Energy & Engineering Research & Innovation (SPEERI)	
		 Professor John Underhill Centre for Energy Transition 	
		 Professor Benjamin Williamson UHI PELAGIO 	
		Dr Paul HarveyTransiT	
		 Professor Mette High Scottish Research Alliance for Energy, Homes and Livelihoods 	
		 Professor Jo Sharp St Andrews Centre for Critical Sustainabilities 	
15.30	Scottish Government Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture Research Strategy	Professor Mathew Williams, Chief Scientific Advisor for Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture	
	2027-32 Areas of research interest	Linda Galloway, Deputy Chief Scientific Advisor Nabeil Salama, Principal Operational Research Analyst	





15.50	Closing remarks	Professor Chris Pearce, Vice Principal Research, University of Glasgow
16.00	Drinks reception	