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Coastal Futures 2019

Review and Future Trends

***January 23rd & 24th 2019***

***Royal Geographical Society, Kensington, London***

***The Coastal Futures 2019 programme includes****:*

*The Environment Bill, environmental principles and watch dog*

*The 25 year Plan – implementation in the marine environment*

*Brexit latest & its implications for the coastal & marine environment*

*Social Capital and the marine pioneers; the developing role of social sciences*

*Charting new initiatives and visions for coastal governance & management*

*Communities, health and well-being*

*Adaptation at the Coast & Climate Change & Restoring coastal habitats*

*Natural Capital, Net Gain and Economic importance of UK marine industry*

*Offshore wind development and addressing the environmental issues*

*What future for wave & tidal renewables?*

*Plastics Pollution - How do you respond?*

*Communicating Environmental Issues – Social media – Understanding audiences*

*Protecting the World’s Oceans last frontiers – the high seas and deep seas*

*The framework for marine protection & management – meeting our international commitments*

*Marine Spatial Planning: perspectives, practice and information: England, Scotland and Isle of Man*

*Effective engagement with stakeholders, building networks & understanding*

*The Fisheries Bill & Brexit replacing the CFP – Will the fundamentals change? Perspectives*

*Quota allocation, ownership & the inshore fleet, The Seafood Industry & Environmental Protection*

*Can we have Sustainable scallop fisheries? IFCAs Update*

*Marine Protected Areas & Fisheries - What should be our vision for the future?*

*The whole site approach – Marine Parks – Practice in austerity – Recovery*

*Networking & Presentations with 58 speakers providing the most comprehensive briefing of the year*

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Organised by *CMS – Communications and Management for Sustainability*

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***Coastal Futures 2019 provides***:-

1. ***Strong perspectives*** - from key stakeholders and industry leaders, who take a *proactive* approach to the sustainability agenda in the coastal and marine environment
2. ***Reviews*** - from acknowledged experts in many subjects
3. ***Future trends*** - pointers to future areas of activity which will directly affect *your* work
4. ***Networking*** - an excellent opportunity to meet those at the forefront of these issues – all speakers will be asked to remain in the hall after their presentation to facilitate networking

#### *Coastal Futures 2019 sets out to:-*

1. Deliberately ***bring together different sectors*** to discuss important developments and concerns
2. Describe the ***actual changes*** that are causing concern and actions being taken to deal with these
3. Describe the ***developing programme of policy and management*** which is unfolding to meet these concerns
4. Produce ***a high level of information via social media*** from the conference **Twitter: #CoastalFutures19**

**Programme**

**DAY 1 – Wednesday 23rd January**

8.30 Registration and refreshments

9.25 **Session 1 Chair: Lissa Batey,** The Wildlife Trusts

9.25 **Welcome to the conference Bob Earll,** CMS & Coastal Futures

9.30 **Protecting the Environment Post Brexit: What do we need from UK Environmental Legislation &**

**Policy**  **Shaun Spiers,** Executive Director, Green Alliance & Chair of Greener UK

9.55 **The** **25 year Plan: implementing our marine objectives**

**Jon Davies,** Defra, Marine & Fisheries

10.15 **Natural Capital: Can it be operationalised for the marine environment?**

**Professor Melanie Austen,** Plymouth Marine Laboratory

10.35 **The** **Marine Pioneer Project – the Importance of Social Capital Aisling Lannin**

Marine Management Organisation

* 1. **The Economic Importance of UK Offshore Industry to UK GDP**  **Peter Barham**

Seabed User & Developer Group

11.15 **Short presentations: Seven x 3 min updates: Governance, Social Sciences & Coasts**

* **Joint statement on marine conservation & management - SUDG & TWT, RSPB, MCS and WWF**

**Peter Barham,** SUDG **& Lissa Batey,** The Wildlife Trusts

* **The Public Trust Doctrine and its application to the governance of the sea Tom Appleby**

Associate Professor in Property Law University of the West of England, Bristol

* **Sustainable Development Goals & the Marine Environment**

**Professor Mike Elliott**, IECS, University of Hull

* **The Marine Social Sciences Network: An Update Emma McKinley,** Cardiff University
* **UK Coastal Governance – Future Insights Natasha Bradshaw**

University of the West of England (UWE Bristol)

* **Coastal Partnerships 10 Year Review – Highlights** **Amy Pryor,** Thames Estuary Partnership &

Coastal Partnership Network & **Alice Watts,** Coastal Partnership Network

11.35 First Break: Sandwiches and refreshments

12.15 **Session 2:** **Chair:** **Rowan Byrne,** Mott MacDonald

12.15 **Reimagining the UK’s Coastal Communities into a coastal power house Tim Morris**

Chief Executive, The UK Major Ports Group

12.35 **Partnerships for the Coast – The power of national, regional & local approaches** **Bill Parker**

Head of Coastal Partnership East: Great Yarmouth Borough, North Norfolk, Suffolk Coastal and

Waveney District Councils

12.55 **Flood and coastal erosion risk management & the practical challenges of adapting to climate**

**Change**  **Graeme Smith,** Teignbridge District Council

13.15 **Oceans and human health: Latest findings and a roadmap for European research**

**Mat White,** European Centre for Environment and Human Health, University of Oxford

13.35 **Reducing unwanted plastics in the environment – How do you respond?**

**Laura Foster & Emma Cunningham,** Marine Conservation Society

13.55 **Short presentations: Seven x 3 min updates: Blue carbon, Science, Data & Coasts, plastics**

* **Blue carbon - looking a gift horse in the mouth Phil Williamson,** University of East Anglia
* **Why your data matters John Pepper,** OceanWise
* **Working together to improve access to marine data** **Charlotte Miskin-Hymas,** MEDIN

Marine Environmental Data and Information Network

* **POSEIDON - A Probabilistic Offshore Scour Evolution Model - reducing environmental impacts and costs for offshore windfarm development** **Amy Parry,**  Atkins
* **Sand engine design - Applying the *Building with Nature* concept: An innovative solution to coastal management at Bacton Claire Gilchrist,** Royal HaskoningDHV
* **Tern it up**  - **furthering the conservation of UK’s tern populations** **Leigh Lock,** Senior Species Recovery Officer RSPB
* **Marine Plastics – changing the habits of global shipping Alex Hammond,** IMarEST

The Institute of Marine Engineering, Science and Technology

14.15Second break and refreshments

15.00 **Session 3:** **Chair: Bob Earll,** Coastal Futures & CMS

20 minute presentations: 15 minutes for questions and 5 mins for Q&A

15.00 **Offshore wind: Future prospects** **Helen Elphick**, Senior Development Manager, Offshore Wind

The Crown Estate

15.20 **Resolving current environment issues with offshore wind Madeline Hodge**

Strategic Environment Manager, Ørsted

15.40 **What future for tidal and wave energy in the UK? David Jones** Marine Energy Wales

16.00 **Environmental Net gain** **Steve Hull,** ABPmer

16.20  **Restoring our estuarine and coastal environment Roger Proudfoot & Jonny Peters**

Environment Agency

16.40 **Communicating environmental issues to make a difference** **Chris Rose,** Campaign Strategy

17.05 **Protecting the ocean’s final frontiers – the high seas & deep ocean** **Callum Roberts**

University of York

17.30 **Wine reception**

**Day 2 – Thursday 24th January**

8.30 **Registration and refreshments**

9.25 **Session 4:** **Chair: Lyndsey Dodds,** WWF

9.25 **Welcome to the conference**

20 minute presentations: 15 minutes for questions and 5 mins for Q&A

9.30 **Meeting our international commitments to protect & manage the ocean’s resources. The**

**opportunity of the Commonwealth Blue Charter Jeff Ardron,** Commonwealth Secretariat

9.50 **Community, conservation and sustainable fisheries in UNESCO Biosphere Isle of Man**

**Fiona Gell**, Isle of Man

10.10 **Marine planning in Scotland: Update**  **David Pratt,** Marine Scotland

10.30 **Marine Spatial Planning in England: Update** **Clare Kavanagh,** MMO

10.50 **Whose decision counts? Wiser decision-making for our seas** **Diana Pound,** Dialogue Matters

11.10 **IFCAs Update** **Stephen Bolt,** Association of Inshore Fisheries & Conservation Authorities

11:30 **Short presentations: Six x 3 min updates: Engagement, marine planning & science**

* **Shaping the Future, Conserving the Past of a Post-Industrial Seascape: ‘SeaScapes’ A Case Study of the UK’s First Seascape-scale Conservation Initiative  Veronica Rudd** SeaScapes Partnership
* **Enhancing knowledge exchange and encouraging collaboration between researchers and marine management institutions Katherine Yates,** University of Salford
* **Agents of Change: Making Marine Conservation Zones Matter** **Alice Tebb,** Marine Conservation Society
* **Societal engagement and conflict resolution in marine planning – outputs of a Winston Churchill Memorial Trust Fellowship to North America**                       **Sarah Brown,** C2W Consulting
* **Hindsight and Long-term Surveillance David Little**

Millford Haven Waterway Environmental Surveillance Group

* **The Marine Ecosystems Research Programme – an update Paul J. Somerfield**

Plymouth Marine Laboratory

11.50 First Break: Sandwiches and refreshments

12.35 **Session 5:** **Chair:** **Sandy Luk**, CEO, Marine Conservation Society

**Brexit & The Fisheries Bill**

12.35 **Distribution of fishing opportunities, for who?, for why?, for when? and for how much?**

**Jerry Percy,** NUFTA The New Under Ten Fishermen's Association

12.55 **Brexit, Fisheries Bill - A seafood industry perspective Andrew Kuyk,** UK Seafood Industry Alliance

13.15 **The Fisheries Bill & sustainable fisheries – lessons for beyond Brexit** **Helen McLachlan,** WWF-UK

13.35 **Ecologically sustainable scallop fisheries: myth or achievable goal?** **Dr Bryce Stewart**

York University

13.55 **Short presentations: Six x 3 min updates Engaging with fishermen, Fisheries & MPAs**

* **Gearing Up  – The online tool helping fishermen find selectivity solutions to the Landing Obligation  Harriet Yates-Smith,** Mindfully Wired Communications
* **Investing in fishermen Jim Masters,** Fishing into the Future
* **Sustainable Fish Education Felicity Sylvester,** Sustainable Fish Education
* **Sea’s the Day: the fishermen of Selsey Bill Jane Cunningham**, MPP Project Officer

Chichester District Council

* **IFCA Management of Inshore MPAs Jamie Small,** The Association of IFCAs
* **The Welsh Marine Protected Areas Gill Bell,** Marine Conservation Society

14.15 Second Break

14.55 **Session 6:** **Chair:** **Professor Mike Elliott**, IECS, University of Hull

**MPAs – What do we want?**

[4 x 15 min presentations – 20 mins discussion]

14.55 **The whole site approach – what do we want?** **Jean-Luc Solandt,** Principal Specialist MPAs,

Marine Conservation Society

15.10 **National Marine Parks: Background case and discussion** **Professor Martin Attrill**

Plymouth University

15.25 **Well managed MPAs in the UK – what does this mean and how do we achieve it?**

**Jenny Oates,** WWF-UK

15.40 **Recovery of horse mussel communities in Strangford Lough** **Joe Breen**

DAERA, Northern Ireland

15.55 - 16.15 Discussion

16.15 - 16.20 **Conference Closes**

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**The Organiser:** This will be the26thin this series of meetings organised by Dr Bob Earll of *Communications and Management for Sustainability* (CMS)*.*

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