

Conference Programme July 03

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9.30 am Welcome - Duncan Booker FRSA; COP 26 Glasgow City Council

9.35 am Introduction - Dr Robin Russell-Jones; Organiser Mayday C4 Events

Session 1: The Scottish perspective

Chair: Duncan Booker

9.45 Rewilding Scotland - Gillian Dick; Principal Environmental Infrastructure Team Glasgow City Council

10.00 Optimal land use - Prof John Crawford: Adam Smith Business School

10.20 Getting Business on board in Scotland - Adam Purvis Dark Matter Labs

10.40 Discussion

11.10 Coffee Break

Session 2: Deforestation

11.30 Introduction by Chair - Ellen Wong; US Consulate Scotland

11.40 Why is deforestation still a problem? - Charlotte Opal; Earthworm Foundation

12.00 The Impact of palm oil - Simon Lord

12.20 Deforestation and landscape ecology - Dr Glen Reynolds

12.40 Discussion

13.15 Lunch

Session 3: The Youth Perspective

Chair: Dr Robin Russell-Jones: Organiser Mayday C4 Events

14.00 Deforestation and the Sumatran Tigers - Pre-recorded interview with Dr Tai Strike; Veterinary Officer Zoological Society of London (ZSL).

14.20 How the young can reduce deforestation - Deanna Emeny; St Mary's University London

14.35 Making our voices heard - Abhiir Bhalla; Youth Connect Delhi

14.50 Discussion

15.20 Tea

Session 4: Carbon Offsets

Chair: Titus Alexander FRSA - Honorary Fellow, Crick Centre for the Public Understanding of Politics

15.30 A market view of carbon offsets - Pre-recorded presentation by Subbu Loganathan; CEO Pico Analytics

15.50 How much do national targets for net zero carbon rely on offsetting? - Dr Robin Russell-Jones

16.10 Is tree-planting a fantasy? - Ulrich Loening: Honorary Research Fellow and former Director of the Centre for Human Ecology University of Edinburgh

16.30 Discussion

17.00 Closing remarks - Conference Chair

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