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| Thursday 18th June | |
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| 9:00 - 9:30 | Registration and refreshments |
| 9:30 - 9:45 | Introductions and welcome Dr Murray Leith (UWS) |
| 9:45 - 11:45 | Plenary Session and Q&A (20 minutes per speaker then questions) Prof. John Curtice (Strathclyde) Prof. David Denver (Lancaster) Prof. Murray Pittock (Glasgow) Prof. Susan Condor (Lancaster) |
| 11:45 - 12:00 | Break/refreshments |
| 12:00 - 13:30 | Panel Session One – Academic papers Panel A <i>Devolution, Democracy and Governance</i> Panel B <i>Policy and Gender in Post-devolutionary Scotland</i> Panel C <i>Contemporary Social Issues and Policies I</i> |
| 13:30 - 14:30 | Lunch |
| 14:30 - 15:30 | Plenary Session Two Brian Taylor, BBC Scotland Political Editor, Q&A |
| 15:30 - 15:45 | Break/refreshments |
| 15:45 - 17:15 | Panel Session Two – Academic papers Panel D <i>Contemporary Social Issues and Policies II</i> Panel E <i>Elections and Parties</i> Panel F <i>Devolution, Poverty and Inequality: Assessing Ten Years of Policy Making</i> |
| 19:00 - 20:15 | Reception at City Chambers, followed by dinner (payable locally) Ann McKechin MP, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State at the Scotland Office |
| Friday 19th June | |
| 9:30 - 10:00 | Registration and refreshments |
| 10:00 - 10:45 | Welcome Dr Ken Ritchie, Chief Executive of the Electoral Reform Society |
| | Keynote Address Nicola Sturgeon MSP, Deputy First Minister |
| 11:00 - 12:30 | Panel Session Three – Academic papers Panel G <i>Deliberative and Participatory Democracy in Scotland</i> Panel H <i>Media and Discourse</i> Panel I <i>Scotland and the UK</i> |
| 12:30 - 13:30 | Lunch |
| 13:30 - 14:45 | Panel Session Four – Academic papers Panel J <i>The Third Sector in Scotland</i> Panel K <i>Post Devolution Borders</i> Panel L <i>Identity and Language</i> Panel M <i>Scotland in a Global Context</i> |
| 14:45 - 15:00 | Break/refreshments |
| 15:00 - 15:30 | Final Plenary Session |
| | Goodbye and thank you |

Thursday 18th June

Panel Session One – Academic papers

PANEL A

Devolution, Democracy and Governance

Annie Thiec (Nantes)

The Scottish Parliament ten years on: has the intended 'Model for Democracy' inspired other institutions of governance?

Paul Cairney (Strathclyde)

The Scottish Devolution Monitoring Report Ten Years On

Rachel Ormston

(Scottish Centre for Social Research) and

Anita Morrison

(Office of the Chief Researcher, Scottish Government)

Trust in Governance and Perceptions of Influence in Scotland since 1999 – Evidence from the Scottish Social Attitudes Survey

PANEL B

Policy and Gender in Post-devolutionary Scotland

Chair: Alison Preston

(Curtin University of Technology, Perth, WA)

Discussant: Rona Fitzgerald (GCU)

Morag Gillespie (GCU) and **Emily Thomson** (GCU)

Accounting for Gender in the Modern Apprenticeship Programme in Scotland

Ailsa MacKay (GCU) and **Angela O'Hagan** (GCU)

Gender Analysis and the Scottish Budget

Fiona Mackay (Edinburgh)

Devolution and Domestic Violence Policy Ten Years On: Keeping up the momentum – or erosion and drift

Anne Meikle (GCU) and **Muriel MacKenzie** (GCU)

Economics for Equality – A Legacy for Policy Makers

PANEL C

Contemporary Social Issues and Policies I

Eric Stoddart (St Andrews)

Policy issues related to surveillance

Sandy Hobbs (UWS) and **Jim McKechnie** (UWS)

Child Employment in Scotland since Devolution

Alex Law (Abertay) and **Gerry Mooney** (Open)

Scotland and Devolution: Why Class Matters?

Kim McKee (Glasgow)

Community Ownership of Social Housing: a continuing Scottish success story?

Panel Session Two – Academic papers

PANEL D

Contemporary Social Issues and Policies II

Paul Coleshill (UWS)

The sexual orientation of councillors

Fiona Edgar (UWS)

"People enjoy it ... they don't just do it for the sake of it": Women in Scotland's regard for Government guidelines relating to alcohol consumption

Eileen Harkess-Murphy (UWS)

Policy issues related to suicide rates

Iain McPhee (UWS)

Policy issues related to drug abuse

PANEL E

Elections and Parties

Thomas Carl Lundberg (Glasgow)

MSPs – constituency versus list

Fiona Simpkins-Spear (Lumiere)

Falling Apart: Devolution and the Shifting Relationships within the Labour Party

David Denver (Lancaster) and

Rob Johns (Strathclyde)

Scottish Parliament Elections: 'British not Scottish' or 'More Scottish than British'?

Alistair Clark (Queen's, Belfast)

Party Organisation and Concurrent Multi-Level Local Campaigning Under AMS and STV: The 2007 Devolved Elections in Scotland

PANEL F

Devolution, Poverty and Inequality: Assessing Ten Years of Policy Making

Chair/Discussant Sharon Wright (Stirling)

John McKendrick (GCU) and

Stephen Sinclair (GCU)

Ending Child Poverty in Scotland – Responsibilities, Actions, Plaudits and Failings

Gerry Mooney (Open), **Carlo Morelli** (Dundee)

and **Paul Seaman** (Dundee)

Moving 'Upstream'? The Case for Universalism and Redistribution in Tackling Poverty and Inequality in the Devolved

Mike Danson (UWS) and **Geoff Whittam** (UWS)

Financing Devolution: Addressing Poverty, Inequality and Barriers to Sustainable Growth and Development

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Panel Session Three – Academic papers

PANEL G

Deliberative and Participatory Democracy in Scotland

Chair: Stephen Elstub

Peter McLaverty (Robert Gordon)
Participation and the Scottish Parliament Committees

Stewart Davidson (GCU) and
Gordon Heggie (UWS)
The Scottish Parliament: A Case Study in Institutionalising Deliberation

Caroline Scott (Strathclyde)
Strategic Environmental Assessment: Early and Effective Engagement?

PANEL H

Media and Discourse

Daniel Soule (GCU)
Elections in the press since devolution: A comparative discourse analysis of metaphors for devolved, Westminster and Euro elections

Ewan Crawford (UWS)
Media and Devolution

Marina Dekvalla (Stirling)
Covering Westminster Elections in Post-devolution Scotland

Gilles Leydier (Sud Toulon-Var)
Scottish Devolution: a View from France

PANEL I

Scotland and the UK

Russell Deacon (UWIC, Cardiff)
Wales, following on from Scotland's lead?

David Griffiths (Stirling)
Independence from Westminster: Devolution and UK-wide Quangos

Alex Wright (Dundee)
Scotland and Inter-governmental Relations

W. Elliot Bulmer (Glasgow)
The Scottish Constitution

Panel Session Four – Academic papers

PANEL J

The Third Sector in Scotland

Chair: TBC

Martin Sime (SCVO)
Scotland's Third Sector in International Context

Stephen Elstub (UWS) and **Lynn Poole** (UWS)
Democratising the Non-Profit Sector: Opportunities and Barriers to Accountability, Participation and Democracy in a Scottish Voluntary Organisation

Madhu Satsangi (Stirling)
Title - TBC

PANEL K

Post Devolution Borders

Margaret A. Arnott (GCU) and
Jenny Ozga (Edinburgh)
Policy Making & the 'Nation' under the SNP Government: Interdependencies & Interrelationships in Post Devolution Territorial Governance

Atsuko Ichijo (Kingston)
Nationalism and the discourse of sovereignty in the post-devolutionary Scotland

Ronan Paddison (Glasgow)
Devolution and the Rebordering of the UK State: Reimagining the Border

PANEL L

Identity and Language

Daithí Mac Síthigh (East Anglia)
Securing The Status: what has devolution meant for Gaelic?

Tania Tawhi (Te Wananga o Aotearoa)
Scotland and New Zealand: Embedding a New Regime. The Scottish Gaelic and New Zealand Maori Primary Education Immersion Initiatives, Ten Years On

Andrew Mycock (Huddersfield)
SNP, Identity and citizenship: re-imagining state and nation

Murray Leith (UWS)
Scottishness and Britishness

PANEL M

Scotland in a Global Context

Nathalie Duclos (Toulouse II)
Scotland's diplomatic efforts since devolution

Tadeusz Kopyce (Jagiellonian, Kraków)
The Scottish Independence Movement in the Context of the Political Events on the Balkans and in Central Europe (after 1989)

Duncan Sim (UWS)
Devolution and the diaspora