

## SOLUTIONS FOR FUEL POOR HOUSEHOLDS

<b>Day 1</b>	Thursday 14 November 2024
09:30 - 09:45	<p><b>Welcome</b></p> <p><b>Frazer Scott</b>, Chief Executive Officer, Energy Action Scotland <b>Maureen McIntosh</b>, Director of Customer Services, SGN</p>
09:45 – 11:15	<p><b>Upstream: where do we need to intervene in order to save lives?</b> - in the Auditorium</p> <p>Chair: <b>Ann Loughrey</b>, Independent Social Justice and Fuel Poverty Expert Speakers: <b>Professor Phil Mackie</b>, Prevention Lead, Aberdeen City Health &amp; Social Care Partnership/Professor in Public Health, University of Aberdeen <b>Harriet Thomson</b>, Professor of Energy, Sustainability and Inequality, University of Glasgow</p>
11:15 – 11:45	<b>Tea/coffee</b> – in the Exhibitors Area
11:45 – 13:00	<p><b>Workshops – Morning session</b></p> <p><b>Breakout 1: Understanding the Retrofit Funding Environment</b> A workshop to create a better understanding of the different funding routes to support fuel poor households through retrofit covering Scottish Government programmes, Warmer Homes Scotland, the area based schemes and the Energy Company Obligation. Hear from Home Energy Scotland, Warmworks, local government and from energy industry experts. <b>Mark MacLeod &amp; Sophia Bates</b>, Home Energy Scotland - Energy Saving Trust <b>Nicola McLeod</b>, Warmworks <b>Jackie Westerman</b>, Argyll &amp; Bute Council <b>Paul Slater</b>, ScottishPower</p> <p><b>Breakout 2: Fuel Poverty Strategy</b> Colleagues from across the UK will share their experiences and good practice in the development and revision of fuel poverty strategies in England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales. <b>Maya Fitchett</b>, Policy Analyst, NEA <b>Ben Saltmarsh</b>, Head of Wales, NEA <b>Pat Austin</b>, NEA Northern Ireland <b>Kate Cunningham</b>, Energy Action Scotland</p> <p><b>Breakout 3: Working with vulnerable households</b> Colleagues from National Energy Action and organisations in Scotland working with vulnerable health compromised households</p>

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13:00 – 14:00	<b>Lunch</b> – in the Beardmore Restaurant
13:30 – 14:00	<b>Energy Action Scotland AGM</b> – in the Auditorium
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15:30 – 16:00	<b>Tea/coffee</b> – in the Exhibitors Area
16:00 – 17:15	<b>Retrofit: Bridging the Skills Gap</b> - in the Auditorium  Chair: <b>Chris Stewart</b> , Past President, RIAS / Architect, Collective Architecture Speakers: <b>Lori McElroy</b> , Professor of Architecture, University of Strathclyde <b>Tom Hamilton</b> , Director – Architect, Graham + Sibbald <b>Paul Zealey</b> , Skills Planning Lead, Skills Development Scotland
19:00	<b>Drinks Reception</b> - sponsored by Golden Jubilee In the Exhibitors Area
19:30	<b>Conference Dinner and Awards</b> – in the Beardmore Restaurant
<b>Day 2</b>	<b>Friday 15 November 2024</b>
9:30 – 11:00	<b>Ministerial Session</b> - in the Auditorium  Chair: <b>Frazer Scott</b> , Chief Executive Officer, Energy Action Scotland Speakers: <b>Dr Alasdair Allan MSP</b> , Minister for Climate Action <b>Jim McCormick</b> , CEO, The Robertson Trust <b>Ruth Boyle</b> , Policy and Campaigns Manager, Poverty Alliance <b>Chris Burt</b> , Associate Director for Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland, Joseph Rowntree Foundation
11:00 – 11:30	<b>Tea/coffee</b> – in the Exhibitors Area
11:30 – 13:00	<b>Making It Right, Making It Fair (social justice)</b> - in the Auditorium  Chair: <b>Liz Marquis</b> , Previous Director, Energy Agency Speakers: <b>Professor Stephen Sinclair</b> , Chair, Poverty & Inequality Commission <b>Ellie Wagstaff</b> , Senior Policy Manager, Marie Curie Scotland <b>Stephen Smellie</b> , UNISON Branch Secretary, Just Transition Commission <b>Simon Francis</b> , Coordinator, End Fuel Poverty Coalition
13:00 – 14:00	<b>Lunch</b> in the Beardmore Restaurant