

SUNDAY 4 September (Optional)

Study Visits 14.00-16.00

1. Twechar Community Action
- or 2. Glenboig Neighbourhood House

Wind Turbines: How to Work with Commercial Developers

15.00-16.00

Martin Turner & Bill Acton, FrostFree (who have worked successfully with a number of DTAS members) will explore how development trusts can maximise income from neighbouring commercial windfarm developments or, work in partnership with commercial developers to initiate their own wind turbine projects.

SEMINARS

MONDAY 5 September

Part 1

11.20-12.45

LONG SEMINARS

1. Older People Services: A New Opportunity for Development Trusts?

Speakers: Andrew Jackson (Change Fund)
Jane Cowie (Annexe Communities)

2. Alternative Financial Models for Housing – Panel Session

Involving – Chair: Derek Logie (Rural Housing)
Panel – Ronnie McRae (Highlands Small Communities Housing Trust), Alex Walker (Ekopia Resource Exchange), Ian Hepburn (North West Mull Community Woodland Co. Ltd), Jamie Dent (Dumfries & Galloway Small Communities Housing Trust)

or

SHORT SESSIONS

11.20-12.00

3. Regeneration is About People – Positive Psychology

Speaker – Jo Williamson (Wellhouse Housing Association)

4. Using Heritage Assets for Regeneration

Speaker – Hugh Hutchison (Citrine Development Trust)

5. Applying for Funding? – Hints & Tips for Successful Applications

Speaker – Mhairi Owens (BIG Lottery Fund Scotland)

12:05-12:45

6. Legal Workshop – Learn About SCIO's (Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation)

Speaker – Stephen Phillips (Burness SSP)

7. Asset Transfer – Aberfeldy Town Hall

Speakers – Norman McCandlish (Locus Breadalbane Ltd), Linda Gillespie (Community Ownership Support Service)

8. Community Led Design

Speakers – Maja Luna Jorgensen & Hannah Gibbs (The Glass-House, Community Led Design)

Part 2

14.25-15.05

9. Community Enterprise Case Study

Speaker – Janet Miles (Gairloch & Loch Ewe Action Group, GALE)

10. BIDs & Town Centre Regeneration

Speakers – Ian Davidson Porter (BIDS)
John Gold (The Rural Development Trust)

11. Building Preservation Trusts

Speaker – Anne McChlery (Glasgow Building Preservation Trust)

12. Involving Young People

Speaker – Sandra Sutton (Twechar Community Action)

13. Building Projects

Speakers – Matt Bridgestock (Architect)
John Cullen (Croy Miners Welfare Society)
Douglas Westwater (Community Enterprise/Croy Miners Welfare)

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WELCOME

I would like to welcome you to Cumbernauld for our 2011 Annual Conference & AGM and this year we are delighted that there are some delegates from the new Development Trusts Northern Ireland.

The theme of this year's conference is "Development Trusts – Creating the Future", reflecting the impact development trusts are having in delivering local solutions to the many challenges our communities are facing. This is being done through enterprise, and more evidently in the last 12 months, the acquisition of assets which has been supported by the Promoting Asset Transfer Project and the recently launched DTAS Community Ownership Support Service.

The annual conference remains the most important event in our calendar as it remains the best opportunity for people with a genuine sense of common purpose and shared principles to come together and learn from each other and enjoy the stories from other members that will inspire and inform.

I hope that you enjoy the conference and as always, we are extremely grateful to all those who have agreed to contribute to the programme - including our members, partner organisations, colleagues from England and Ireland and our sponsors, whose support continues to keep the event as financially accessible as possible.

With best wishes,

Alex Walker, Chair

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THEMES

- **Assets & Enterprise**
- **Community Led Regeneration (Community Anchors)**
- **Sustainability in Challenging Times**

PROGRAMME

SUNDAY 4 SEPTEMBER

Arrive & Register from 1pm onwards

14.00

Study Visits (*optional*)

1. Twechar Community Action or
2. Glenboig Neighbourhood House

Return 16.00

15.00

Wind Turbines – How to Work with Commercial Developers – Martin Turner, FrostFree (*optional*)

16.30

Annual General Meeting and Annual Review

16:50

Guest Speakers from the Membership and Wider Movement

18.00

Break

19.00

Civic Reception

– Sponsored by North Lanarkshire Council

19.45

Conference Dinner

– Sponsored by The Royal Bank of Scotland

MONDAY 5 SEPTEMBER

09.00-09.30

Registration & Marketplace (Tea/Coffee)

09.30-09.40

Welcome and Introduction

– Alex Walker, Chairperson, DTAS

09.40-10.50

Session 1 – Community-led Regeneration in Action

– Archie Thomson, Renton Community Development Trust

– Huw Francis, Storas Uibhist

– Anne Lear, Govanhill Community Trust

10.50-11.15

Tea/Coffee & Marketplace & Networking

11.20-12.45

Morning Seminars (*see over for details*)

12.45-13.00

Marketplace/Networking

13.00-13.45

Lunch & Marketplace (from 13.20)

13.50-14.20

Community Enterprise within Regeneration

– Peter Holbrook, Director, Social Enterprise Coalition

14.25-15.05

Afternoon Seminars (*see over for details*)

15.10-16.00

Key Funders Views and Discussion Session

– Jackie Killeen, Chief Executive, Big Lottery Fund

– David Gunn, Programme Manager,

Climate Challenge Fund

16.00-16.15

'Wind of Change'

– DVD from Fintry Development Trust

SEMINARS ▶