



Connecting and learning together for a better world:

Celebrating a decade of Learning for Sustainability Scotland

### Annual General Meeting and Networking event

**When:** 13.30 to 17:00 on Thursday 11 January 2024

**Where:** Room 1.26, Paterson’s Land, Moray House School of Education and Sport, Holyrood Road, Edinburgh EH8 8AQ

This year’s annual gathering is an in-person celebration of the tenth year of **Learning for Sustainability Scotland as Scotland’s UN University-recognised Regional Centre of Expertise on Education for Sustainable Development**.

In advance of the [UN Summit for the Future in 2024](#), we’ll be celebrating our members’ Learning for Sustainability stories, and exploring how we can all take action and play our part in Scotland’s [Target 2030 ‘Movement for Change’](#).

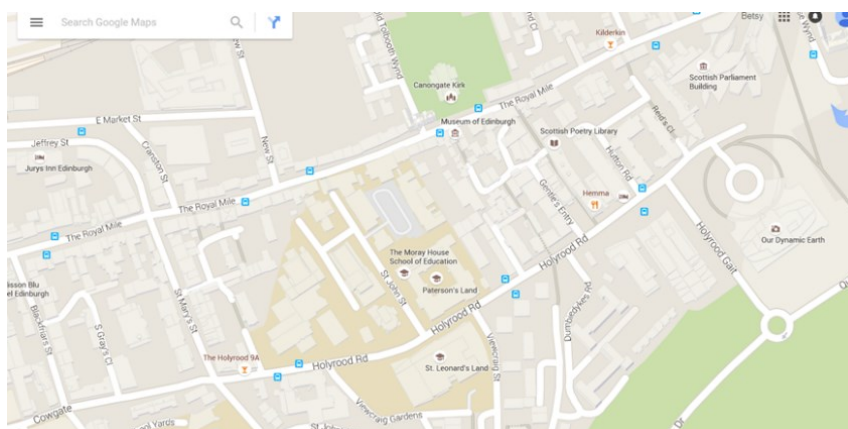
### Outline Programme

<b>13:30</b>	<b>Arrival and networking</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Refreshments and registration.</li> <li>• Choose your two skill-share sessions</li> <li>• Bring your posters, pamphlets and pop-ups</li> </ul>
<b>14:00</b>	<b>Welcome and Introductions</b>
<b>14:10</b>	<b>Learning for Sustainability Scotland - an Update</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Updates on the National &amp; Global context for Learning for Sustainability and from LfS Scotland</li> <li>• Q&amp;A</li> </ul>
<b>14:30</b>	<b>Reflecting on a Decade of LfS in Scotland</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interactive session</li> </ul>
<b>14:45</b>	<b>Connecting and Learning for Sustainability: members’ stories:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In Communities: <i>Evie Murray, Earth in Common</i></li> <li>• In Schools: <i>Jennifer Hutton, Dunblane Primary School</i></li> <li>• In Local authorities: <i>George Tarvit, Sustainable Scotland Network</i></li> <li>• In Further and Higher Education: <i>Greg Mannion, University of Stirling</i></li> <li>• In Policy: <i>Ian Menzies, Education Scotland</i></li> <li>• Working across sectors: <i>Rob Bushby, Awards Plus</i></li> </ul>
<b>15.20</b>	<b>A Movement for Change</b> Small group conversations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- What have our successes been over the past decade?</li> <li>- What barriers have we overcome and which remain?</li> <li>- What should we do next to support Scotland’s ‘Movement for Change’?</li> </ul>

15:40	<b>Sharing Skills</b> Skills-based ‘market place’ to enable you to explore or deepen Learning for Sustainability skills and approaches. Pick two sessions from the following options when you register: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Impact assessment:</b> <i>Sara Smith, Royal Highland Education Trust (RHET)</i></li> <li>• <b>An introduction to Artificial Intelligence (AI), and discussion about AI and LfS:</b> <i>Jen Ross, University of Edinburgh</i></li> <li>• <b>Meaningful engagement with young people and youth voice:</b> <i>Sophia Georgescu, Children’s Parliament</i></li> </ul>
16:35	<b>Looking to the Future – the next decade and beyond</b> Group discussions introduced and facilitated by young people from Boroughmuir High School
16:50	<b>Summary of key points from the day and looking ahead</b>
17:00	<b>Formal business closes</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We hope that you will also attend our <b>‘Celebrating a decade of LfS Scotland’</b> Reception in the Playfair Library, University of Edinburgh, from 18:00 – 19:30. If you plan to attend, and have not already done so, please indicate this by <a href="#">registering here</a>.</li> </ul>

## Getting there

The AGM will be held in Room 1.26, Paterson’s Land, please follow this link for a map of the area: <https://www.ed.ac.uk/maps/maps?building=patersons-land>



## Transport

The Moray House campus is a short walk from Waverley train station and is accessed by several buses. Lothian buses operate a very convenient route planner from their webpages <https://www.lothianbuses.com/>.

Parking is available in the nearby National Car Park: <https://www.ncp.co.uk/find-a-car-park/car-parks/edinburgh-st-johns-hill/> and visitors to Moray House can park at a subsidised rate. Parking tickets must be validated at Moray House before returning to the car park. The validation machine is located on the located at the Reception desk on the ground floor of Paterson’s Land (turn left when you reach the ground floor).