



## SCOTTISH WOODLAND HISTORY CONFERENCE

Thursday 24th October 2019  
Scottish Natural Heritage Centre, Battleby

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### *DRAFT PROGRAMME*

## *One hundred years of state forestry in Scotland*

**09.20 - 09.50**      **REGISTRATION & TEA/COFFEE**

**09.50 – 10.00**      **Introduction: Syd House**

**Chair: Fiona Watson**

**10.00 - 10.30**      *A brief history of the Forestry Commission*      James Ogilvie

**10.30 – 11.00**      *The birth of the Forestry Commission*      Jim Miller

**Comfort break**

**11.10 – 11.40**      *The impact of the Flow Country controversy on Scottish forestry*      Charles Warren

**11.40 – 12.10**      *Native woodlands in Scotland: the last 100 years*      Neil MacKenzie

**12.10 – 13.00**      **DISCUSSION**

**13.00 - 14.00**      **LUNCH**

**Chair: Charles Dundas**

**14.00 - 14.30**      *Machines and men: post-war research and development*      Andy Neustein

**14.30 – 15.00**      *Glenmore reflections: an oral history*      Mairi Stewart

**15.00 – 15.30**      *Forestry Memories: 100 years of Scottish forestry in pictures*      Norman Davidson

**15.30 – 15.40**      **Afternoon Tea/Coffee**

**15.40 – 15.50**      *Reflections and looking forward*      Gordon Gray Stephens

**15.50 – 16.30**      **DISCUSSION**