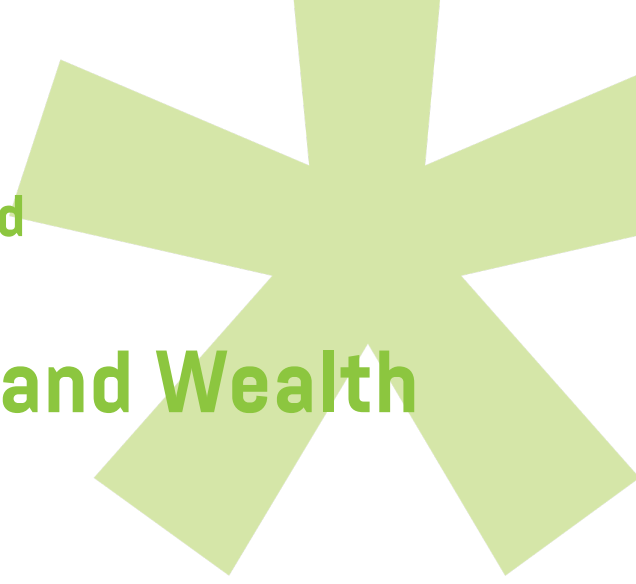


**2022 Community Land Scotland  
Annual Conference**

# **Sharing Scotland's Land Wealth**

**20 & 21 May 2022**



## Event Programme

### Friday 20 May \* 14:00 - 22:00

- 14:00**    **Repopulation in Action seminar at Greyfriars Charteris Centre**  
Chaired by Ariane Burgess, with:
- \* Morven Fancey, Highlands and Islands Enterprise
  - \* David Ford, South of Scotland Enterprise
  - \* Cameron Anson, Lorraine Lowrie and Ben Jones, Scottish Government
  - \* Jane Millar, Isle of Gigha Heritage Trust
  - \* Billie Jones, Glentroll and Bargrennan Community Trust
- 14:00**    **Study visits to ActionPorty and Bridgend Farmhouse**
- 19:00**    **Conference Welcome Dinner at South Hall, Pollock Halls**

### Saturday 21 May \* 9:30 - 17:00

John McIntyre Conference Centre

- 9:30**    **Welcome**  
Ailsa Raeburn, Chair of Community Land Scotland
- 10:10**    **Keynote address**  
To be announced...
- 10:30**    **Community Land Story**  
Jane Fullerton, Donside Community Association / Aberdeen Community Energy
- 10:45**    **Panel Discussion: Communities, 'green lairds' and the climate emergency**  
Chaired by Dr Calum Macleod, with:
- \* Miram Brett, Common Wealth
  - \* Jennifer Eliot, Action Porty
  - \* Laurie McFarlane
  - \* Megan McInnes, Scottish Land Commission
- 11:30**    **Tea and coffee**
- 12:00**    **Workshop session A** (see descriptions on page 4)
- \* What makes a community? Thinking about inclusion and diversity in community land.
  - \* Land reform in towns and cities
  - \* Community-led tourism
  - \* Members only: Community Right to Buy discussion session
- 13:00**    **Lunch**

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- 14:00**    **Welcome Back**
- 14:05**    **Panel Discussion: Community Wealth-building**  
Chaired by Martin Avila with:  
\* Morven Gibson, South West Mull & Iona Development  
\* Julia Campbell, Coigach Community Development Company  
\* Carey Doyle, Community Ownership Hub
- 14:50**    **Workshops session B and Surgeries** (see descriptions on page 4)  
\* What makes a community?  
\* Land reform in towns and cities  
\* Community landowners and the climate emergency  
\* The Year of Community Ownership  
\* One-on-one surgeries
- 15:50**    **Tea and coffee**
- 16:10**    **Community Land Story:**  
Dannie Onn, Colonsay Community Development Company
- 16:20**    **QUEST: presenting the new community land education project**
- 16:30**    **Community Landownership Academic Network**  
Dr Bobby Macaulay
- 16:45**    **Closing remarks**  
Agnes Rennie, Chair of Urras Oighreachd Ghabhsainn and CLS Director
- 17:00**    **Close**

## Workshops

### **A & B** What makes a community? Thinking about inclusion and diversity in community land.

Many different types of people make up a geographic community. What are different experiences of community land projects, and how do we include everyone? We will discuss recent Community Land Scotland projects on these topics, such as our Gender Audit, as well as The Community Ownership Hub Inclusive Community Engagement Top-Tips. We aim to identify priorities for future work on this topic.

### **A & B** Land reform in towns and cities

Since the introduction of the game-changing Community Empowerment Act and the extension of the Scottish Land Fund to all of Scotland's communities, there is much to celebrate. However, there are also systemic issues that make the ownership journey uniquely challenging for communities in towns and cities. Focusing on the emerging evidence from the Community Ownership Hub: Glasgow and Clyde valley, we will explore urban land reform learning, such as what's next for Vacant and Derelict Land, why we need an Urban Community Led Housing Fund, and more.

### **A** Community-led tourism

Community Tourism Scotland (SCOTO) is the new forum for community tourism. Come along and find out what they offer and hear from two community landowners that are successfully running tourism businesses

### **A** Members only: Community Right to Buy discussion session

It's almost 20 years since the Land Reform Act 2003 introduced the first Community Right to Buy. The legislation changed the culture around community landownership and further rights have been added in recent years. Whether your community has successfully used the legislation, or it didn't work for you, Community Land Scotland would like to hear your story at this workshop.

### **B** Community landowners and the climate emergency

More information coming soon.

### **B** The Year of Community Ownership

Community Land Scotland is declaring 2023 to be the Year of Community Ownership! Our plan is to take 100 creative works and objects from community landowners on a tour of Scotland. Come along to this workshop to find out more and help us shape the programme for our biggest ever showcase of community ownership.