

**Scottish Charity Number SC038638**

 **Annual National Conference 2022**

**Strengthening Community Development in Scotland**

**Tuesday, 20th September**

Edinburgh Training and Conference Venue and live streaming

 10am-3.30pm

**Programme**

10.00am Registration & coffee

10.15am  **Welcome & Conference Overview**

Chris Woodness- Chair, Community Development Alliance Scotland

Overview of background, aims and objectives

10.25 am **Keynote Speaker**

 Mr.Tom Arthur MSP, Scottish Government - Minister for Public Finance,

 Planning and Community Wealth

10.45am**Participatory Workshops**

 **Choice of 2 workshops. workshop A- 10.45am-11.35am**

 **workshop B- 11.40am 12.30pm**

 **Based on emerging themes from CDAS stakeholder event, 6th April**

 ***Solution Focussed Approaches***

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| **Workshop 1** | **How do we embed Community Development in policy?** **Overview of current policy landscape in CD: What needs to change?**  **Derek Rankin & Vikki Carpenter** |
| **Workshop 2** | **Promoting CD values within an equalities and Human Rights Framework: How do we get it right?****Empowering communities: What needs to happen to ensure communities have equality and human rights?** **Jewels Lange & Colette McGarva** |
| **Workshop 3** | **Cost of Living Crisis: How can we mobilise and support communities? Poverty & political shifts: Potential for collective action and campaigning?****Fiona Ballantyne & Laura Robertson** |
| **Workshop 4** | **Benefits & impact of Community Development: Raising the profile. Utilising the skills of CD practitioners: Workforce development & professional learning pathways**  **Chris Woodness & Tracey Groom** |

12.30pm **Lunch break**

1.00 pm **Market Place (Time Out to network!)**

1.45pm **Welcome Back (Conference chair)**

1.50 pm **Keynote** **Speaker- Prof Alan Miller,** Professor of Practice in Human Rights

 Law School University of Strathclyde (confirmed)

2.10pm  **Reverse Panel**

 **Chris Woodness- Panel chair**

 **Susan Paxton - Scottish Community Development Centre**

 **Gordon Terris- Scottish Community Development Network**

 **Clare MacGillivray- International Association for Community Development/**

 **Making Rights Real**

 **Mhairi Snowden, Human Rights Consortium Scotland**

 **Euan Leitch, Scottish Regeneration Forum (SURF)**

3.10pm **Next Steps**- Feedback/evaluation- Networking event/AGM Savethe

 Date **Wednesday 7th December, Scottish Refugee Council Buildings, Glasgow**

3.25 pmVote of thanks from Chris Woodness, Chair, CDAS

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