

Great Expectations

In Partnership With



ANNUAL CONFERENCE PROGRAMME 2012

Thursday, 16 February

Time	Session	Speaker	Room
9.00am	Registration, Coffee and Exhibition Viewing		Business Centre/ Ballroom Foyer
9.50am	Brief outline of the day Chaired by	Glenn Campbell Broadcaster BBC Scotland	Ballroom
10.00am	Delivering the Future	John Swinney MSP Cabinet Secretary for Finance, Employment and Sustainable Growth	Ballroom
	Delivering Even More and Even Better	Councillor Michael Cook Strategic Human Resource Management Spokesperson COSLA	Ballroom
		Councillor Harry McGuigan Community Well-Being and Safety Spokesperson COSLA	Ballroom
11.00am	Tea/Coffee and Exhibition Viewing		Ballroom Foyer
11.30am	Mobilising and Supporting Change	Colin Mair Chief Executive Improvement Service	Ballroom

12.00Noon		Sir Peter Housden Permanent Secretary Scottish Government	Ballroom
12.30pm		Professor James Mitchell University of Strathclyde	Ballroom
1.00pm	Lunch and Exhibition Viewing		Squire/Ballroom Foyer
1.45pm	Fringe Event Early Years, Early Action – Roots of Empathy	Action for Children	Robert Louis Stevenson
1.45pm	Fringe Event It's no Fair	NHS Health Scotland	John Barbour Auditorium
2.30pm	Delivering Success	Jim McManus Joint Director of Public Health Birmingham City Council	Ballroom
	Delivering Even More and Even Better	Councillor Douglas Yates Health and Well-Being Spokesperson COSLA	Ballroom
		Councillor Jenny Dawe Leader City of Edinburgh Council	Ballroom
3.40pm	Tea/Coffee and Exhibition Viewing		Ballroom Foyer
4.10pm	Tactics, Benefits and the Language Of Partnership	Rory Mair Chief Executive COSLA	Ballroom

4.45pm	Close Day One		
7.00pm	Pre-Dinner Reception		Foyer
7.30pm	Excellence Awards Dinner and Ceremony	Hosted by Jackie Bird Broadcaster BBC Scotland	Ballroom

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		Alex Johnstone MSP Housing and Transport Spokesman Scottish Conservative Party	
		Johann Lamont MSP Leader Scottish Labour Party	
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12.00Noon	Delivering Differently	Stuart Dillett Managing Director Land Engineering	Ballroom
12.30pm	Lunch and Exhibition Viewing		Ballroom Foyer
1.30pm	Do the Voters Care? Public Attitudes on the Eve of Scotland's Local Elections	Professor John Curtice University of Strathclyde	Ballroom
2.00pm	Ministerial Address	Rt. Hon. Alex Salmond MSP First Minister of Scotland	Ballroom
2.30pm	Presidential Address	Councillor Pat Watters CBE President COSLA	Ballroom
3.00pm	Close of day two		