

THE SCIENCE BEHIND HEALTH

SCIENCE AND THE PARLIAMENT 2009



Provisional Timetable Our Dynamic Earth, Edinburgh

Wednesday 11th November
12.30 to 19.30

- 12.30pm Registration, Exhibition and Refreshments
- 12.50pm Take seats in Biosphere (lower level auditorium)
- 12.55pm Welcome and Introduction - Professor Dave Garner FRSC FRS
President, Royal Society of Chemistry
- 13.00pm Deputy First Minister, Nicola Sturgeon MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Health & Wellbeing
- 13.20pm Presentation of Awards - Presented by Nicola Sturgeon MSP
- Higher Grade Chemistry Prize Award 2009
 - Advanced Higher Chemistry Investigation Prize 2009
 - Biology prizes
 - Physics prizes
- 13.25pm Professor Anne Glover, Chief Scientific Adviser
- 13.45pm Breakout Sessions
- Food and human health – Sir John Arbutnott
 - Disease, globalisation & climate change - Professor Stuart Reid
 - Drugs and therapies – Professor Alan Fairlamb (tbc)
 - Diagnostics – Professor Alan Heavens
- 15.00pm Refreshment Break and Exhibition
- 15.30pm Parliamentary Panel Question and Answer session
- Ross Finnie MSP, Scottish Liberal Democrat
 - Patrick Harvie MSP, Scottish Green
 - Alex Johnstone MSP, Scottish Conservative
 - Dr Richard Simpson MSP, Scottish Labour
 - Dr Bill Wilson MSP, Scottish National Party
- 16.30pm Professor Karen Vousden, science and advances in cancer treatment
- 16.50pm Concluding remarks: Professor Dave Garner
- 17.15pm Reception & Exhibition
- 19.00pm END OF SCIENCE AND THE PARLIAMENT