

Second Conference Announcement & Call for Papers

EAFE Conference 2013

in partnership with

Heriot-Watt University

Securing the future - Implementing reform in European Fisheries

15th – 17th April 2013 - at Heriot-Watt University, Edinburgh, UK



We are delighted to announce that the European Association of Fisheries Economists will hold its XXIst Conference in partnership with Heriot-Watt University, at their Edinburgh campus, from 15th to 17th April 2013. We are grateful for support from the Department of Accounting, Economics, and Finance and the School of Management and Languages at Heriot-Watt University.

The theme of the conference is Implementing Reform in European Fisheries and it will bring together academics, policy makers and industry to share knowledge and perspectives, and provide a forum to share recent advances in capture fisheries and aquaculture economics and management. We aim to publish selected conference papers in a respected journal.

The XXIst EAFE Conference aims to contribute to the EAFE objectives, which are:

- to promote cooperation in economic research in fisheries and aquaculture;
- to help disseminate information about fisheries economics among members;
- to further understanding of the economics of fisheries and aquaculture; and
- to serve as a channel of communication with other interested bodies.





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Outline conference programme:

Monday 15th April	Morning	Workshop on presentation skills - brush up your skills in delivering conference presentations and practice in a lecture theatre.
	Afternoon	Conference Opening and keynote speech, 1 st Paper Session
	Evening	Reception and Poster Session
Tuesday 16th April	Morning	Keynote speech and 2 nd Paper Session
	Afternoon	3 rd Paper session Roundtable discussion on implementing CFP Reform EAFE Biennial General Meeting
	Evening	Conference Dinner and Prize Giving in historic Edinburgh city centre. followed by Ghost Tour
Wednesday 17th April	Morning	Keynote speech and 4 th Paper Sessions
	Afternoon	5 th and 6 th Paper Sessions Industry and economists discussion on economic data for fisheries management, collection and use of data
	<i>All day</i>	<i>Optional excursions: Fishing industry visit in Scotland or tour of the Scottish Highlands</i>

Themes and topics:

We invite abstracts for papers on these topics:

- **Access to fisheries and the right to fish**
- **Investment, incentives and subsidies in fisheries management**
- **Social role of fisheries - the cultural and social values of fisheries, distribution of wealth from fisheries**
- **Business performance, risk and return in stock recovery situations**
- **Aquaculture's role in the production and supply chain**
- **Discards and waste**
- **Role of fisheries and fisheries economics in marine spatial planning**
- **Europe in the global seafood market**
- **Common organisation of the market in the EU**
- **Economic implications of Ecosystem-Based Management (EBM) of fisheries**
- **Economic Indicators for sustainability monitoring (Good Environmental Status, EBM), Marine Strategy**
- **Data collection and analysis in fisheries**

Please send suggestions for themes or special sessions to: ralf.doering@vti.bund.de

Abstracts should not exceed 250 words and should clearly state the author name, contact details, proposed conference theme and whether a poster or oral presentation is preferred.

Please submit abstracts by email to Lesley Cunningham, l_cunningham2@seafish.co.uk

Timetable for EAFE Conference – Key Dates for your diary!

31st August 2012	Early bird abstract submission deadline (mail to I_cunningham2@seafish.co.uk)
28th September	Notify acceptance decisions for Early bird papers
1st October	Conference registration opens
26th November	Deadline to submit abstracts
20th December	Notify acceptance decisions on abstracts (mail to I_cunningham2@seafish.co.uk)
14th January 2013	End of early bird conference registration discount Deadline to submit full papers for prizes
4th February 2013	Notify best paper prize winners Draft detailed programme of papers
22nd March 2013	Close of registration for conference Deadline to submit posters
Friday 26th April 2013	Submit full papers for proceedings of conference
May 2013	Papers submitted for peer-review for journal special edition

Best Paper Prizes

There will be prizes for the best student paper and the best paper informing key policy questions relating to implementing fisheries reform. Prizes of £400 for each winning paper are generously provided by the Department of Accounting, Economics and Finance at Heriot-Watt University. For further information on best paper prizes please contact the chair of the scientific committee, Dr Jesper Andersen jla@foi.dk

Conference Dinner and Prize Giving

The Conference Dinner and Prize Giving will be held at the Heights Restaurant, within the Apex International Hotel, boasting stunning views of Edinburgh Castle. Appropriately, the restaurant previously housed the Heriot-Watt University Economics Department!

Dinner will be followed by a Ghost Tour in the streets and graveyards of old Edinburgh.





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Accommodation at Edinburgh Conference Centre, Heriot-Watt campus:

During the conference you may wish to take advantage of the convenience and value you will find in the Edinburgh Conference Centre accommodation which is on campus at Heriot-Watt University. Entry to bedrooms is from 1500 onwards and check out time is by 1000.

Delegates who wish to book accommodation at Heriot-Watt should call 0044 131 451 3669 or email reservations@edinburgh-conference.com and quote code SEAF150413. You may book single or double en-suite rooms for nights during or either side of the conference. We have reserved 80 single rooms but any not booked by conference delegates by **4th March 2013** will be released for general allocation, and therefore vacancies cannot be guaranteed after this date.

[http://www.edinburgh-conference.com/Accommodation at ECC](http://www.edinburgh-conference.com/Accommodation%20at%20ECC)

Conference Location:

The Edinburgh campus of Heriot-Watt University is very conveniently located close to Edinburgh Airport and has excellent and frequent bus links into the city centre.

