



'Nature and Human Wellbeing - Scoring Common Goals'
09.00 – 17.00 2nd May 2018

A meeting of the International Union for Conservation of Nature's National Committee UK, hosted by IUCN Member, the Margaret Pyke Trust, and their supporter, Stephenson Harwood
1 Finsbury Circus, London, EC2M 7SH
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A celebratory event to mark the 70th anniversary of IUCN and the 21st birthday of its National Committee in the UK, gathering people interested in the work of IUCN together to learn more about how some of IUCN's UK Members contribute to the delivery of the people-centred Sustainable Development Goals; CBD Aichi Targets; Resolutions from the IUCN World Conservation Congress and its Hawai'i Commitments; the IUCN Programme and the work of IUCN Commissions; European regional and UK national plans and strategies.

Registration booking online [HERE](#)

- 09.00: Delegates arrive for welcome tea and coffee, and registration
- 09.15: **Welcome, purpose of the meeting, introductions, housekeeping etc.**
Stuart Brooks, Chair IUCN National Committee UK
- 09.25: **By way of context:** Emily Auckland, Network Director and Co-Chair, UK Stakeholders for Sustainable Development
- 09.40 **Questions**
- Session 1** **Nature, Health and Wellbeing** – Session Chair, Stuart Brooks, Chair IUCN National Committee UK
- 09.45: **Reproductive health and rights in conservation policy and programmes**
David Johnson, Director, Margaret Pyke Trust, with the Population & Sustainability Network
- 10.05: **Transforming society - the role and challenge of education and change models and the SDGs**
Ann Finlayson, Executive Chair, Sustainability and Environmental Education (SEEd)
- 10.25: **Delivering Wellbeing through Nature with Prisoners, Pupils and Permaculture**
Joannah Metcalfe, Founder, Greener Growth
- 10.45: **Panel session Q&A**
- 11.00: Coffee break & networking
- 11.30: **UK Government Ministerial address:** Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for the Environment, Thérèse Coffey MP
- Session 2** **Linking Spirituality, Religion, Culture and Conservation** – Session Chair, Stephen Grady, European Advisor, Joint Nature Conservation Committee
- 11.45: **Spirituality and Conservation** Liza Zogib, Director, DiversEarth and Co-Chair, IUCN CEESP Specialist Group on Religion, Spirituality, Environmental Conservation and Climate Justice
- 12.05: **Mobilising Churches and Christians to care for the natural environment: A Rocha UK's experience and lessons**

- Andy Atkins, Chief Executive, A Rocha UK
- 12.25: **Linking Religion and Conservation - our duty of care, in prayer & practice**
Rianne C ten Veen, Islamic Foundation for Ecology and Environmental Sciences
- 12.45: **Panel session Q&A**
- 13.00-14.15: **Event group photo, hot buffet lunch & networking**
- 13.45-14.15: **IUCN National Committee UK Annual General Meeting** – Chair, Stuart Brooks, Chair IUCN National Committee UK
- Session 3** **Urban dimensions and livelihoods** – Session Chair, David Johnson, Margaret Pyke Trust, with the Population & Sustainability Network
- 14.15: **IUCN CEC & WCPA #NatureForAll initiative**
Sarah Thomas, Head of Discovery and Learning, Zoological Society of London
- 14.35: **How listening to communities can help save our oceans**
Vik Mohan, Medical Director, Blue Ventures
- 14.55: **London National Park City**
Judy Ling Wong, London National Park City and Black Environment Network
- 15.15: **Panel session Q&A**
- 15.30: Coffee break & networking
- Session 4** **What's the score? How are we doing as we head towards 2020, the end of the UN Decade on Biodiversity and reporting on the current SDGs? What more can be done?**
Session Chair, Stuart Brooks, IUCN National Committee UK
- 16.00: Emily Connors, Economic Advisor, Natural Capital Branch, Well-being, Inequality, Sustainability and Environment Division, Office for National Statistics
- 16.20: Conclusion and thanks
- 16.30: **Drinks, canapes and networking opportunity with IUCN 70th birthday cake**
- 17.30: Close

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