



SUPA Public Engagement Forum

Wednesday 29 September 2021

10.00 – 10.15 **Opening remarks**

Welcome from Prof Alan Miller, CEO SUPA
Prof Julie Fitzpatrick, Chief Scientific Advisor

10.15 – 11.00 **Centres for Scientific Public Engagement**

Chair: Abi Ashton, Public Engagement Manager, Royal Observatory Edinburgh

- Dr Stephen Breslin, Glasgow Science Centre
- Dr Hermione Cockburn, Dynamic Earth
- Bryan Snelling, Aberdeen Science Centre
- Lorraine Lemon, Dundee Science Centre

11.00 – 11.15 Break

11.15 – 12.15 **SUPA Exemplars**

Chair: Prof Martin Hendry, University of Glasgow & RSE Programme Convenor

- Dr XinRan Liu, University of Edinburgh, Remote³
- Katelin Donaldson, HYPED
- Dr Aurora Sicilia Aguilar, University of Dundee

12.15 – 13.30 Lunch

13.30 – 14.15 **Science Festivals**

Chair: Howie Firth, Orkney Science Festival

- Laura McLister, Edinburgh Science
- Dr Suzanne McEndoo, Explorathon
- Mikey Jarrell, The Big Bounce (IOP Scotland)

14.15 – 14.30 Break

14.30 – 15.30 **SUPA Exemplars**

Chair: Prof Catherine Heymans, Astronomer Royal for Scotland

- Dr Margherita Mazzera, Heriot-Watt University (TEDxAdventure)
- Erin Broberg, Stanford Underground Research Facility (Dark Matter Day)
- Dr Martin Dominik, University of St Andrews (Royal Society Summer Exhibition)
- Prof Carol Trager-Cowan, University of Strathclyde
- Prof Aidan Robson, University of Glasgow

15.30 – 15.45 **Cabaret of Dangerous Ideas** – Dr Ross Donaldson, Heriot-Watt University

15.45 – 16.00 **Closing Remarks / Next steps**
