



HOMES FOR SCOTLAND ANNUAL CONFERENCE

**24 SEPTEMBER 2025
DYNAMIC EARTH, EDINBURGH**

Welcome & Introduction		
10.00 – 10.10	Stephen Jardine Chair	Chair's welcome
10.10 – 10.15	Jane Wood Chief Executive	Chief Executive's welcome

Session 1 – Homes Build Futures: Government perspective		
(Chair: Stephen Jardine) (10.15-11.00)		
10.15 – 10.20	Stephen Jardine Chair	Chair's opening remarks and introduction of Cabinet Secretary
10.20 – 10.25	Màiri McAllan Cabinet Secretary for Housing	Keynote address
10.25 – 10.45	Màiri McAllan Stephen Jardine	In Conversation session
10.45 – 11.00		Q&A

11.00 - 11.20	REFRESHMENTS AND NETWORKING	
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Session 2 – Homes Build Futures: The Politics of Delivering**(Chair: Stephen Jardine) (11.20-12.35)**

11.20 – 11.25		Chair's welcome back
11.25 – 11.35	Fionna Kell Director of Policy Homes for Scotland	Launch of HFS manifesto
11.35	Andy Williams Account Director Orbit Communications	Introduction of political panel
11.35 – 12.35	Political Panel discussion	Panel session and Q&A

12.35 – 1.25	LUNCH & NETWORKING	
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Session 3 – Homes Build Futures: What Next?
(Chair: Stephen Jardine) 1.25– 3.00

1.25 – 1.30	Stephen Jardine	Chair's welcome back
1.30 – 1.45	Professor Duncan MacLennan Affiliate Professor Urban Studies University of Glasgow	Resetting the system
1.45 – 2.00	Richard Donnell Executive Director – Research Zoopla	Unlocking buyer demand for new homes in Scotland
2.00 – 2.15	Faisal Choudhry Director Scottish Residential Research Savills	Scotland New Homes and Development Market
2.15 – 2.30	Professor Sir John Curtice Professor of Politics Strathclyde University	Prospects for Holyrood 2026
2.30 – 2.55	Panellists: Professor Duncan MacLennan Affiliate Professor Urban Studies University of Glasgow Richard Donnell Executive Director - Research Zoopla Faisal Choudhry Director Scottish Residential Research Savills Professor Sir John Curtice Professor of Politics Strathclyde University Ewan MacLeod Partner Shepherd and Wedderburn Tim Metcalfe Regional Managing Director Keepmoat	Panel session & Q&A
2.55 – 3.00	Jane Wood	Closing remarks

	Chief Executive Homes for Scotland	
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3.00	EVENT CLOSE	
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