

South Georgia Association Autumn Event in association with Friends of the Scott Polar Research Institute

Scott Polar Research Institute, Lensfield Road, Cambridge CB2 1ER

10 November 2018

Programme

Morning Session

10:45 Coffee/Tea

11:00 The South Georgia Association's Morag Husband Campbell Medal Lecture:

Robert Burton: Captain C.A. Larsen at South Georgia: launching the Antarctic whaling industry

11:30 Dr Jen Jackson, British Antarctic Survey: Southern right whales at South Georgia: current status

12:00 Theo Crutchley-Mack, South Georgia Heritage Trust: Painting the whaling stations of South Georgia

12:30 Sophie Rowe ACR, Scott Polar Research Institute: Conserving a silver model of the *Terra Nova*

13:00 Lunch

First afternoon session

14:00 Dr John Shears, Shears Polar Ltd: The Weddell Sea Expedition: the search for Shackleton's *Endurance*

14:30 Charlotte Connelly: Scott Polar Research Institute: Polar Encounters – Arctic art at the Scott Polar Research Institute

15:00 Tea/Coffee

Second afternoon session

15:30 Dr William Block, Emeritus Fellow, British Antarctic Survey and Dr Ronald Lewis-Smith, Centre for Antarctic Plant Ecology and Diversity, Moffat, Dumfriesshire: South Georgia's terrestrial ecosystem in a changing climate - biological invasions and conservation

16:00 Dickie Hall, South Georgia Heritage Trust: Eradicating South Georgia's rodents: the final phase

16:30 Dr Sophie Fielding, British Antarctic Survey: Towards using autonomous underwater gliders for marine ecosystem assessment at South Georgia

The programme will be followed at 17:15 – 18:00 by the Friends of SPRI Annual General Meeting (for FoSPRI members only).