



19th STUDENT CONFERENCE ON CONSERVATION SCIENCE

University of Cambridge

27 – 29 March 2018

Building links among young conservation scientists and practitioners

SCCS is aimed at young researchers working in university departments, conservation organisations, and resource management agencies. Approximately 200 postgraduate students (and similar-stage researchers) attend the conference each year, from a broad range of disciplines in conservation, including ecology, genetics, geography, sociology and economics.

Invited Speakers

Dr Paula Kahumbu
CEO of WildlifeDirect, Kenya

Professor David Kleijn
Wageningen University and Research, Netherlands

Professor Rashid Sumaila
University of British Columbia, Canada

Professor Rosie Woodroffe
Institute of Zoology, ZSL, UK

Your Role in the Conference

The three-day event consists of around 30 short talks and 100 posters presented by young researchers. Presentations on economic and social as well as biological aspects of conservation are welcome. Prizes are awarded for outstanding talks and posters.

Workshops help build practical skills. Social events provide lots of opportunities to network with others in your own and related disciplines.

Conference Costs

The conference fee is £80 (this includes registration, carbon offset, lunches, tea and coffee, and three evening events). Accommodation with breakfast for a limited number of delegates is available in a nearby college at £40 per person per night.

Bursaries

SCCS will provide financial support for some students from developing countries and eastern Europe. Bursaries can be used to cover travel and conference expenses.

Internships

Internships are available for students from developing countries and eastern Europe to attend SCCS and then spend a month with a UK-based conservation NGO or a university department carrying out a project of mutual interest. Internship applications must be submitted by 13 October 2017.

How to Apply?

All application details, plus an online application form, are available at our website:

www.sccs-cam.org

Closing date 20 October 2017



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