

**ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2011**  
**Charles Darwin House, London**  
**Tues 25<sup>th</sup>–Fri 28<sup>th</sup> Oct 2011**



**AGENDA**

**Day 1                      Tuesday 25th October (Programme Framework Grants Only)**

08.45	Registration (for PFG participants only)
09.30	Welcome – <b>Paul van Gardingen, ESPA Director</b>
09.35	Introduction to and update on ESPA plus scene-setting for the conference – <b>Paul van Gardingen, ESPA Director</b>
09.45	Reporting for the PFGs – <b>Paul van Gardingen, ESPA Director</b>
10.15	Introduction to panel session – <b>Georgina Mace, ESPA Associate Director</b> (including time to get people divided up into their panel groups)
10.30	Coffee (30 minutes)
11.00	Panel sessions (five panels: agent based modeling, equity and rights based approaches, forests and REDD, payment for ecosystem services, coasts): five panels of PFG members plus one member of the Directorate in each group (to take minutes). Panel sessions will comprise of five minutes from each project to present their interests in the theme followed by a discussion on synergies between projects
12.30	Lunch (60 minutes)
13.30	Report back from panel sessions: rapporteur to feed back to wider group the outcomes of their panel session
14.30	Introduction to session looking at emerging challenges for ESPA research – <b>Georgina Mace, ESPA Associate Director</b>
14.45	Coffee (30 minutes)
15.15	Two breakout groups looking at emerging challenges for ESPA research
16.30	Report back from emerging challenges session
17.15	Close

**Day 2**      **Wednesday 26th October (consortium projects, external people and Programme Framework Grants)**

08.45	Registration (for consortium projects and external participants only)
09.30	Welcome to Consortium Projects – <b>Paul van Gardingen, ESPA Director</b>
09.35	Introduction to and update on ESPA plus scene-setting for the conference – <b>Paul van Gardingen, ESPA Director</b>
10.00	PFG participants to arrive Coffee (30 minutes)
10.30	Introduction to the ESPA I-PAC – <b>Izabella Koziell, PEB Member</b>
10.45	ESPA I-PAC: main challenges facing the ESPA Programme – <b>Declan Conway, ESPA I-PAC Member</b> (20 min presentation followed by a 10 min Q&A session)
11.15	Biodiversity and Ecosystem Service Sustainability (BESS) presentation – <b>David Raffaelli, BESS Director</b>
11.45	Global Ecosystem Services feeding into our daily lives – <b>Paul van Gardingen, ESPA Director</b>
12.00	Ten-minute presentations from the PFG Projects*
13.30	Lunch (60 minutes)
14.30	Ten-minute presentations from the PFG Projects**
16.00	Coffee (30 minutes)
16.30	Feedback from PFG Pls to the Consortium Projects on the discussions from the themed panel sessions held on Day 1 of the conference – outlining gaps and synergies
17.30	Close

**\*Timetable for PFG presentations (morning session)**

12.00 – Mark Huxam's Project  
 12.10 – Pier Luigi Vidale's Project  
 12.20 – Tim Daw's Project  
 12.30 – David Raffaelli's Project  
 12.40 – Genevieve Patenaude's Project  
 12.50 – Oliver Springate-Baginski's Project  
 13.00 – John Dearing's Project  
 13.10 – Nigel Asquith's Project  
 13.20 – Bhaskar Vira's Project

**\*\* Timetable for PFG presentations (afternoon session)**

14.30 – Saskia Vermeylen's Project  
 14.40 – Katherine Homewood's Project  
 14.50 – Charles Palmer's Project  
 15.00 – Thomas Sikor's Project (by video link)  
 15.10 – Patricia Howard's Project  
 15.20 – Eric Odada's Project  
 15.30 – Wouter Buytaert's Project  
 15.40 – Mark Rosegrant's Project  
 15.50 – Kate Schreckenbergs's Project

**Day 3**      **Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October (consortium projects, external people and Programme Framework Grants)**

09.30	ESPA and the policy environment – <b>Paul van Gardingen, ESPA Director</b>
10.30	Coffee (30 minutes)
11.00	Reporting back on two ESPA events held during 2011: ESPA's Approaches to Valuation Workshop held in May 2011 ( <b>Georgina Mace, ESPA Associate Director</b> ) (end 11.30) ESPA's Poverty Workshop held in September 2011 ( <b>Helen Suich, ESPA Impact Researcher</b> ) (start 11.30)
12.00	Impact session Introduction by <b>Paul van Gardingen, ESPA Director</b> Open discussion examining where the opportunities for ESPA to influence policy lie – led by <b>Paul van Gardingen, ESPA Director</b>
13.00	Open networking session (leading into lunch)
13.30	Lunch (60 minutes)
14.30	Communications session – <b>Liz Carlile, ESPA Communications Task Leader</b>
15.30	Coffee (30 minutes)
16.00	A presentation outlining the themes emerging from the synthesis work on ESPA's Situation Analysis projects – <b>Matthew Bunce, ESPA Knowledge Synthesis Researcher</b>
16.45	Open networking session
17.30	Close

**Day 4**      **Friday 28th October (consortium projects only)**

09.00	Data and Reporting session – <b>Paul van Gardingen, ESPA Director</b>
10.00	Coffee (30 minutes)
10.30	Project and financial management – <b>Beth Woodward, ESPA Secretariat (NERC)</b>
11.30	General Q&A session with NERC – <b>Beth Woodward, ESPA Secretariat (NERC)</b>
12.00	Ethics session – <b>Paul van Gardingen, ESPA Director</b>
13.00	Lunch (60 minutes)
14.00	Surgery sessions for each of the Consortium Projects to talk directly with members of the ESPA Directorate – <b>Paul van Gardingen, Georgina Mace</b>
15.00	Coffee (30 minutes)
15.30	Surgery sessions for each of the Consortium Projects to talk directly with members of the ESPA Directorate – <b>Paul van Gardingen, Georgina Mace</b>
17.00	Close
17.15	Departures