

# CSPP on the Fringe at...

...The Scottish Labour Party Spring Conference 2008

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Refreshments and catering available at all events.

## Voting Reform & Labour: Where Now?

- CHAIR:** Councillor Linda Gow, Leader of Falkirk Council (invited)
- SPEAKERS:** Ken Ritchie, Chief Executive, Electoral Reform Society; Douglas Fraser, Scottish Political Editor, The Herald and Councillor Steven Purcell, Leader of Glasgow City Council.
- WHEN:** Friday 28 March, Lunchtime (1230)
- WHERE:** In a change to the advertised listing, this will now be held in The Aviemore Inn Lounge

## City Regions: With greater connectivity and shared services, are we seeing a return to regional government?

- CHAIR:** Robert MacBean, CSPP City Regions Consultant
- SPEAKERS:** Eric Joyce MP for Falkirk; Councillor Steven Purcell, Leader of Glasgow City Council and Laura Gordon, Director, Glasgow-Edinburgh Collaboration
- WHEN:** Friday 28 March, Post conference (1730)
- WHERE:** The Four Seasons Hotel, Grantown Suite

## Public Service Reform: Can we better manage demand rather than simply increasing supply of public services?

- CHAIR:** Ross Martin, Policy Director, CSPP
- SPEAKERS:** Andy Kerr MSP, Shadow Cabinet Secretary for Public Services; Martin Mulholland, Client Director, BT Government Services Scotland and Aidan Rave, Rockpools
- WHEN:** Saturday 29 March, Breakfast (0830)
- WHERE:** The Conference Centre, Peregrine Suite (left side)

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“ Tree-hugging environmentalists put wildlife before people ”

“ Developers would concrete from the Mull of Galloway to Muckle Flugga if they could ”

**Is this an accurate portrayal of the debate?  
Can the environment and development ever co-exist?  
Come to the fringe and enjoy some lively debate.**

**CHAIR:** Ross Martin, Policy Director, CSPP  
**SPEAKERS:** Iain Gray MSP, Shadow Cabinet Secretary for Finance & Sustainable Growth; Rob Forrest, Chief Executive, Greenpower and Stuart Housden, Director, RSPB Scotland  
**WHEN:** Saturday 29 March, Lunch (1230)  
**WHERE:** The Academy Lounge

**Europe: Pushing the European Envelope? As the Scottish Government seeks to push its European policy envelope, we consider the consequences**

**CHAIR:** Kirsty Connell, Chair of Scottish Young Labour  
**SPEAKERS:** David Martin MEP; Jim Murphy MP, Minister for Europe (invited); Malcolm Chisholm MSP, Shadow Minister for Europe and Jason Ormiston, Chief Executive, Scottish Renewables  
**WHEN:** Saturday 29 March, Post conference (1730)  
**WHERE:** The Aviemore Inn, Allander Suite

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