



**BIOLOGICAL RECORDING IN SCOTLAND**  
Scottish Charity No. SC0224418

BRISC Annual Conference and AGM 2017

## Marine Biological Recording

**Saturday 14th October 2017**

FSC Millport, Millport Field Centre, Isle of Cumbrae, Scotland, KA28 0EG

### Programme

0930-1000 **Arrival and registration**

1000-1005 **Chairman's welcome**

1005-1045 **BRISC Bursary talks**

*Susan Falconer* Bee identification

*Miranda Shephard* Hoverfly identification

*Hannah Bischof* Introduction to seaweeds

*Magdalena Blanz* Grass identification

1045-1115 *Aisling Gribbin* (Where's Wildlife in Ayrshire) **Putting Ayrshire's Wildlife on the map.**

1115-1145 *Natalie Hirst* (Seasearch Coordinator Scotland) **Seasearch – How volunteer data contribute to protecting the marine environment**

1145-1200 *Aroa Sampedro-Fernandez* (The Conservation Volunteers) **The Edinburgh shoreline: Engaging with the past and the present**

1200-1230 *Phillip Cowie* (FSC Millport) **Recording at Millport, past, present and future**

1230-1300 *Andrew Brownlow* (Scottish Marine Stranding Scheme) **Dead Useful? What strandings can tell us about the Marine environment**

1300-1400 **Lunch and Raffle Draw**

1400-1430 **BRISC AGM**

1430-1440 **Conference Close and briefing for field visit**

1440-1630 **Field Visit to Cumbrae**

1630-1700 **Depart, Tea and Coffee**

Costs: Student: £15; member £35; non-member £40.

Overnight B&B for Friday night: £35 for shared room with dinner.

### BOOKING by Eventbrite

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