



**20<sup>th</sup> of February 2013**

<i>Time</i>	<i>Agenda</i>	<i>Presenters</i>
<b>9.00</b>	Registration/Coffee	
<b>9.30</b>	Welcome	Iain Macmillan, Principal Lews Castle College, UHI
<b>9.40</b>	TBA	Christopher Parker, Northern Periphery Programme Secretariat
<b>10.00</b>	Overview of the OCTES Project	Neil Hewitt, Professor of Energy/Director of the Centre for Sustainable Technologies, University of Ulster
<b>Part I – The Energy Scene in a Community</b>		
<b>10.30</b>	The Energy Policy Landscape – Local Perspective	Ruairi MacIver, Project Manager, Renewable Energy, Comhairle nan Eilean Siar
<b>11.00</b>	Community Energy – European Perspective	Jim Millard, Senior Policy Advisor, Scottish Government
<b>11.30</b>	Innovation - Linking Community Energy Generation to Local Use	Kathleen McDonald, Development Officer for the Western Isles, Community Energy Scotland
<b>12.00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	
<b>Part II – The Changing Face of Domestic Household Energy Consumption</b>		
<b>1.00</b>	Introduction to the OCTES Service and Consumer Experience	Ewan Ramsay, Operations Director, International Resources and Recycling Institute (IRRI)
<b>1.30</b>	OCTES Advisory Service/Energy Storage	Ian Cuthbert, Microgeneration Manager, Energy Saving Trust
<b>Part III – New Innovations in Community Energy Thinking</b>		
<b>2.00</b>	TBA	Calum Davidson, Director of Energy and Low Carbon, Highlands and Islands Enterprise
<b>2.30</b>	Smart Meter Development	Teemu Korpela, Oulu University of Applied Sciences, Finland
<b>3.00</b>	Sustainable Hebrides - Increasing Energy Efficiency and Reducing Fuel Poverty through Energy Advice	Kirsty MacLennan and Dan Morrison, The Energy Advisory Service, Tighean Innse Gall
<b>3.30</b>	Energy Efficiency/ Consumer Experience	OCTES Consumers
<b>4.00</b>	Final Thoughts	Ewan Ramsay (IRRI)
<b>4.15</b>	Close	