

## Tales from the Unwild: Reviewing some management strategies in Scotland's 'wildland' areas

The talk will review some current management strategy options for important areas in Scotland which are often referred to as being 'wild', but which are, in fact, in World Heritage Convention terms, 'organically evolved' and/or 'associative' cultural landscapes – either 'relict' or 'continuing' – long used for various human purposes, although the physical traces of these activities are often not obvious to the casual viewer. In addition to their considerable international intrinsic value, such areas are increasingly valued today for recreation and eco-tourism. The impact of anthropogenic activity in a range of examples of such areas, and the implications of this for policy and management, will be considered and discussed.

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