

Fishmongers' Hall, London.

20th - 21st May 2014

Tuesday 20th May

0900 Registration and Coffee

1000 Opening Address – Mr Jeremy Simmonds RD BA (Oxon) President of SAGB

Session 1 Chair: Mr Jeremy Simmonds RD, BA (Oxon) - President of SAGB

1015 **Keynote Speaker: Mr Dario Dubolino**, EU Commission, DG Mare. (title TBC)

1050 **The Drummond Lecture: Mr Chris Leftwich,** Fishmongers' Company, "The Fishmongers' Company and the first 500 years of shellfish and seafood inspection"

1120 **Angus Garrettt,** Seafish: "Understanding developments in the brown crab system: longer term challenges, near term opportunities".

1145 Refreshment Break

Session 2 Chair: Mr Tristan Hugh-Jones - Chairman of SAGB Mollusc Committee

1210 **Mr Jonathan Burney**, Marine Director, Natural England: "Natural England and Shellfisheries: Ways of Working"

1235 Mr Matt Sowery, Defra, "EMFF the new funding mechanism".

1300 Lunch

Session 3 Chair: Mrs Sarah Clark – Chairman of SAGB Crustacea Committee

1400 SAGB member slot, Andy Abrahams, Colonsay Oysters.

1425 **Matt Watson**, MSC, Project Inshore: "Collaborative partnership working toward sustainable inshore fisheries"

1450 **Dr Ziggy Otto,** School of Law, Swansea University: "Management of Cockle Fisheries in the UK: Examples from South & North Wales and The Wash"

1515 Refreshment Break

1540 **TBC** (shellfish in the retail sector ?)

1605 TBC

1630 "The Business of Fishing (2nd Edition)" introduced by Dr Paul Williams, CEO Seafish

1900 for 1930 SAGB Annual Dinner

After dinner speaker: Tudur Owen

Tudur Owen is a Bafta winning Welsh comedian from Gogledd Cymru, (sponsored by a council member.)

Wednesday 21st May

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Chair: Dr Sue Utting – Chairman of SAGB Training & Technology Committee

1000 Keynote Speaker: Mr George Eustice MP, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Farming, Food and the Marine Environment.

1025 Mr John Vautier, Jersey Oysters: "Oyster Herpes Virus: Threat or Opportunity?"

1050 Ms Mariella Eripret, Euroshell Project

Refreshment Break

1135 Dr Henry Caspar, Cawthron Institute, New Zealand: "A New Zealand Shellfish Farming Perspective"

1200 **Dr Magnus Johnson**, Nephrops project. "Nephrops norvegicus: Pub Grub to Posh Nosh"

1225 Mr Jim Portus, Fishstock festival: "One man's fish soup is another man's super fish supper".

Followed by:

1300 AGM

1330 Lunch

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