

**NEW PUBLIC SECTOR SEMINAR 2003
MANAGEMENT SCHOOL, BRISTO SQUARE
UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH**

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IPSAR, management school and economics, University of Edinburgh

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CONFERENCE LOCATION

Management School, University of Edinburgh
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ACCOMODATION

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Conference Fee: There is no conference fee for this event
Travel Expenses: Participants are expected to meet their own travel expenses

DRAFT PROGRAMME

Thursday 25 September

13.00 - 13.20	Registration and sandwich lunch
13.20 - 13.30	Welcome from Prof. Vicki Bruse (Vice Principle Edinburgh)
13.30 - 15.30	Programme sessions (see next page)
15.30 - 15.50	Coffee Break
15.50 - 17.50	Programme sessions (see next page)
19.30 - 22.00	Dinner - Playfair Library, Old College, University of Edinburgh

Friday 26 September

9.00 - 10.20	Programme sessions (see next page)
10.20 - 10.40	Coffee Break
10.40 - 12.30	Programme sessions (see next page)
13.00 - 13.30	Sandwich Lunch

25 SEPTEMBER

1300 - 1320 REGISTRATION AND SANDWICH LUNCH

1320 - 13.30 WELCOME FROM PROFESSOR VICKI BRUSE (VICE PRINCIPLE EDINBURGH)

1330 - 1410 DAVID BELL AND ALEX CHRISTIE, STIRLING UNIVERSITY

"The Interaction between Target Setting (PSAs), the Budget and Accountability In Devolved Budgets"

1410 - 1450 PADDY BORT, EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY

" The Last Anomaly of the 'Scottish Constitution'? The Barnett Formula and the Finance of the Scottish Parliament"

1450 - 1530 RICHARD PARRY, EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY

"The Civil Service Response to Modernisation in the devolved administrations"

1530 - 1550 COFFEE

1550 - 1630 MAHMOUD EZZAMEL, NOEL HYNDMAN, IRVINE LAPSLEY AND AAGE JOHNSEN

"Accounting, Accountability and Devolution: Early Evidence from the Northern Ireland Assembly."

1630 - 1710 ARTHUR MIDWINTER, DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT, STRATHCLYDE UNIVERSITY

"Budgetary Reform in the Scottish Parliament: Principles and Practice."

1710 - 1750 RICHARD LAUGHLIN, KINGS COLLEGE, LONDON AND JANE BROADBENT, LONDON UNIVERSITY

"PFI and PPP: Tools of Modernisation?"

1930- 2000 RECEPTION DINNER

2000 - 2200 DINNER - PLAYFAIR LIBRARY, OLD COLLEGE, SOUTH BRIDGE, EDINBURGH

26 SEPTEMBER

0900 - 0940 JAN VAN HELDEN, FACULTY OF ECONOMICS, GRONINGEN
UNIVERSITY

"Contribution of Management Accounting to Modernising Government"

0940 - 1020 LIISA KURUNMÄKI AND PETER MILLER (LSE)

"Partnership as a Tool of Modernisation"

1020 - 1040 COFFEE

DOCTORAL FORUM

1040 - 1100 DAPHNE RIXTON, CANADA

"Performance Measurement of Workers' Compensation Schemes: Canada
and the UK"

1100- 1130 RITA SAMIOLO, (LSE)

"International Aspects of Government Reform"

1130-1200 GWEN M. HANNAH, UNIVERSITY OF DUNDEE

"Attempts to Improve Accountability in the Primary Health Care Sector:
An Analysis of a Case Practice in Dundee, Scotland"

1200-1230 GERALDINE ROBBINS

" A case study On the Use of Accounting Information to Manage in an
Irish hospital - Spruce: A Story of Transition, Contradiction and
Tension"

1230 - 1300 SANDWICH LUNCH