

Cross-Party Group on Culture and Communities

04 June 2025 6:00PM – 8:00PM

Committee Room 3, Scottish Parliament, Edinburgh, EH99 1SP

And online, via Teams

Agenda

Agenda Item 1

Welcome and apologies.

Agenda Item 2

Katharine Macfarlane poetry reading - The Library

Agenda Item 3

Review and approve the minutes of the last meeting of 25 February 2024

Agenda Item 4

Opening address, Richard Bellingham, Director of Insitute for Future Cities, University of Strathclyde

Agenda Item 5

Panel discussions - Éadaoin Lynch, Research and Evaluation Manager, Scottish Book Trust and Giulia Gregnanin, Director of Timespan, Helmsdale.

Agenda Item 6

- Questions and discussion

Agenda Item 7

- Any other business

Agenda Item 8

Date of Next Meeting – TBC (October / November 2025)