



Changing lives with data

This event is part of Designing with Data, a series of Data Festival 2017 Fringe events

#DataFest17

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National Records of Scotland

National Records of Scotland (NRS) is a non-ministerial department of the Scottish Government. Our purpose is to collect, preserve and produce information about Scotland's people and history and make it available to inform current and future generations.





Agenda

- 1.00pm Introduction to the event Esther Roughsedge Introduction to the Data Lab Dave Fitch
- 1.10pm Overview of data available from government sources Amy Wilson
- 1.40pm Innovative things people have done with government data Amelia Brereton
- 2.10pm Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation (SIMD) Alistair McAlpine
- 2.30pm INTERACTIVE SESSION + COFFEE
- 3.00pm Scotland's official statistics platform Gerry Scullion
- 3.30pm Tips for creating infographics / visualisations Esther Roughsedge
- 4.00pm End



Interactive session

'Stalls' where you can talk to people about their data

- Scottish Government
- National Records of Scotland (NRS)
- Information Services Division (ISD), part of NHS Scotland
- Scottish Environment Protection Agency (SEPA)
- EDINA, based at the University of Edinburgh
- Rapid Reflection Model on 'Population ageing society'.
 - Collaborating on visualising data across eight jurisdictions



Afterwards

- Slides will be made available on NRS website
 - http://bit.ly/2mJBAgV
- Please fill in feedback forms!
- Feel free to tweet about this event #DataFest17



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 - B2: £27,755-£31,811
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