



LIFE Laser Fence (LIFE15 ENV/UK/000386)
Laser systems for the prevention of food chain poisoning and minimization of chemical exposure to the environment.
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Life Laser Fence Project Final Conference

3th and 4th of March 2020

Peter Jost Upper Lecture Theatre and Exhibition Space
Byrom Street Campus, Liverpool John Moores University
Byrom Street, Liverpool L3 3AF

Programme: Tuesday 3 March 2020

Session 1: The Challenge of Wildlife and Pest Control

9.30-10.00	Registration & coffee
10.00-10.15	<i>Welcome and Introduction to the Faculty of Engineering and Technology, Liverpool John Moores University</i> Prof. Paulo Lisboa - Liverpool John Moores University (LJMU)
10.15-10.30	<i>Introduction to the conference and Laser Fence project</i> Dr. Martin Sharp - LJMU
10.30-11.00	<i>The benefits of laser bird deterrence to UK commercial operations</i> Steve Wheeler - Bird Control Group (BCG)
11.00-11.30	Break
11.30-12.15	<i>Camacho Integra Pesticide Reduction Programme</i> Felipe Pizarro Ruiz - Angel Camacho Alimentacion SL
12.15-12.45	<i>Wildlife Surveillance Using Deep Learning Methods</i> Dr. Ruth Cox - Animal & Plant Health Agency (APHA)
12.45-13.00	<i>Session Q&A</i> Dr. Dave Parish (Facilitator) - Game and Wildlife Conservation Trust (GWCT)
13.00-14.00	Lunch

Session 2: Innovations in Agri-Tech

14.00-14.45	<i>Drones and Agri-Tech</i> Dr. Santiago Martinez Rodriguez - IRIS UAV Services S.L.
14.45-15.00	Break
15.00-15.45	<i>Understanding the impact of metals in river catchments</i> Onnis Patrizia - LJMU
15.45-16.15	<i>Laser Fence in Agriculture</i> Dr. Martin Sharp - LJMU
16.15-16.30	<i>Session Q&A</i> Dr. Martin Sharp (Facilitator) - LJMU

Evening

18.30-19.30	Pre-dinner drinks at Brasco Lounge, Mann Island, L3 1BP
19.30-21.30	Conference dinner at Silk Road, Beetham Plaza, L2 0XJ



Conference and free registration info at
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Programme: Wednesday 4 March

Session 3: The LIFE Laser Fence Project: Trials and Outcomes

09.30-09.45	Registration & coffee
09.45-10.00	<i>Day 2 welcome</i> Laura Bellinger - LJMU
10.00-10.45	<i>Project trials and outcomes - LJMU</i> Dr. Jenny Sneddon & Alex Moore - LJMU
10.45-11.15	<i>Project trials and outcomes - Game and Wildlife Scottish Demonstration Farm</i> Dr. Dave Parish - GWCT
11.15-11.45	Break
11.45-12.30	<i>Project trials and outcomes - IRIS</i> Dr. Santiago Martinez Rodriguez - IRIS
12.30-13.00	<i>Project trials and outcomes - Angel Camacho</i> Rafael Coveñas Pérez - Angel Camacho Alimentación SL
13.00-14.00	Lunch
14.00-14.30	<i>Project trials and outcomes - BCG</i> Jan Karssies - BCG

Session 4: The LIFE Funding Programme and Future Opportunities

14.30-15.15	<i>EU LIFE Programme – applying for funding in the 2020 Call</i> Jessica Magnus - Joint Nature Conservation Committee (JNCC)
15.15-15.30	Break
15.30-16.00	<i>Delivering LIFE projects</i> Marta Múgica - Volterra
16.00-16.30	<i>Q+A, Summary and conclusions</i> Dr. Martin Sharp - LJMU



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