

Completed SEFARI Fellowships

Stakeholder	Fellow	Delivery	Aim
Scottish Futures Forum, Scottish Parliament	Stephanie Smith, SRUC	Completed	<p>Working in partnership with the Scottish Parliament's Think Tank, this fellowship provided an opportunity to explore what Scotland's environment might look like in 2030.</p> <p>Read the full report and/or blog post.</p>
Cairngorms National Park Authority	Beth Wells, Moredun Research Institute	Completed	<p>This fellowship was about building relationships as well as identifying research and knowledge exchange interests with land users, including landowners, managers, gamekeepers and farmers. The fellowship focussed on upland moorland management which is an area where land management and best practice conflicts have arisen in the past; where management practice varies considerably throughout the Cairngorms National Park area and is also a topic in which the Scottish Government's Strategic Research Programme (SRP) is very active.</p> <p>Read the full report and/or blog post.</p>
Food Standards Scotland	Neil Chalmers, Rowett Institute (formerly)	Completed	<p>This project focused on the resilience of the food chain in Scotland with particular regard to potential risks relating to its safety and provenance. The work was set in the context of supporting Food Standard Scotland's developing food surveillance strategy, which aims to improve the use of data and intelligence to identify trends and emerging issues and enable interventions to be targeted more effectively to areas of greatest risk.</p> <p>Read a blog post about this fellowship.</p>
Scotland Food and Drink	Alex Foito, James Hutton Institute	Completed	<p>The project delivered research that will help Scotland Food and Drink realise a specific opportunity to develop a high integrity and authenticity assurance programme for the food chain in Scotland. The project focused on the following areas:</p>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Review of literature on current and emerging technical models and systems for statutory and voluntary monitoring of authenticity within Scottish Salmon and Beef production sectors. b. Compiling a contact list of experts and stakeholders within these sectors for Salmon and Beef production sectors. c. Direct conversations with experts working within different scientific fields. d. Mapping and recommending relevant technologies based on their effectiveness for these sectors. <p>Read a case study about this fellowship.</p>
Cairngorms National Park Authority	Alison Hester, James Hutton Institute	Completed	<p>This fellowship involved doing a review of published research carried out in the Cairngorms National Park; identifying themes for future development of a Cairngorms Research database; identifying major research gaps from the perspective of the Cairngorms National Park Authority; and exploring how to improve the use of knowledge and data created.</p> <p>Read the full report and/or a short summary.</p>