

Stakeholder	Fellow	Delivery	Focus
NFU Scotland	Gemma Miller, SRUC	October 2019 to June 2020	<p>This fellowship has summarised what is currently understood about agricultural emissions in Scotland and to communicate that information in a user-friendly way to key industry stakeholders. The main output of this work is a series of six factsheets covering topics including the sequestration potential of managed grasslands, the climate impacts of agriculture on Scottish uplands, arable land and options for mitigating agricultural nitrous oxide emissions. You can find more information about the fellowship on the NFU Scotland website.</p>
Just Transition Commission, Scottish Government	Annabel Pinker, James Hutton Institute	October 2019 to June 2020	<p>This fellowship has explored examples of Just Transitions in other nations/regions looking at their scope, methodology, approaches to participation and engagement, timelines, perceived risks/benefits and resultant policy outcomes. The main output of this fellowship is a forthcoming report examining evidence from government interventions seeking to manage or minimise the disruption to workers and communities caused by economic structural change similar to that implied by the move to a carbon-neutral economy. You can hear Annabel discussing her fellowship on the Decent Jobs on a Living podcast.</p>
Highlands and Islands Enterprise	David Watts, Rowett Institute	October 2019 to August 2020	<p>The purpose of this fellowship is threefold, to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand the benefits for Scotland’s participation in the Artic Food Innovation Clusters with respect to food innovation and local economies. • Reflect on the strengths and contributions the Highlands and Islands and wider Scotland could make as an effective partner and good global citizen. • Illustrate possible approaches and models for engagement in line with the UN Sustainable Development Goals, including within the context of a global climate emergency. <p>Sarah Jones, SRUC provided research support for this project.</p> <p>A report of the key findings and recommendations is due to be published in August 2020.</p>

Loch Lomond and Trossachs National Park	Rob McMorran, SRUC	January 2020 to March 2021	To investigate key drivers (opportunities and constraints) for land manager decision making in relation to the creation of new multipurpose woodlands and improve understanding of how constraints to woodland creation can be overcome in practice. You can read more about the fellowship elsewhere on the SEFARI website.
Scottish Natural Heritage and SEPA	Kit MacLeod, James Hutton Institute	May 2020 to November 2020	This project aims to improve the data pipeline, i.e. moving more swiftly/efficiently from the point at which data are gathered, through interpretation and analysis to the point of making data (and interpretations) available. This includes sharing of data between partners to make the widest possible use of those data that are collected. It will also explore the use of new technologies (and increasing the understanding of the potential for new technologies) to gather and process data, including new approaches (e.g. eDNA, earth observation), sensor platforms (e.g. automated recorders, satellite or drones), and data analytic tools.
Scottish Agricultural Organisation Society	Sharon Flanigan, James Hutton Institute and Caroline Whitfield, SRUC	June 2020 to March 2021	The fellowship aims to develop a standard and practical method for assessing the co-op business model, including both the direct and indirect benefits. You can read more about the fellowship elsewhere on the SEFARI website.
Zero Waste Scotland and North East Scotland	Derek Stewart, James Hutton Institute	June 2020 to March 2021	This project has several objectives <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To identify the bioeconomy opportunities within the agricultural sector now and in the coming decades. • To evaluate these opportunities in relation to current research and available technology. • To engage the sector in relation these opportunities. The focus of the project should be the North-east of Scotland with reference to the wider Scottish opportunity. •
Highlands and Islands Enterprise	Sarah Jones, SRUC	May to October 2020	This fellowship will provide secretariat support to the SEFARI & Highlands and Islands Enterprise COVID19 Response – Food and Drink Sector Think Tank by providing analysis, development of reports and administration.

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