

Exhibition Organisers

Publishing Scotland is the network body for the book publishing industry in Scotland, working to promote and protect the interest of its members, both nationally and internationally. It offers membership to publishers and those in associated professions (including editors, literary agents, printers and authors), and currently represents over 100 companies and individuals across the whole of Scotland.



Publishing Scotland supports Scottish publishers, and through them, Scottish books and writers. It aims to provide publishers with the skills and knowledge they need to compete in the global marketplace (through a training and information programme); to help them promote their books both at home (to booksellers) and abroad (through international book fairs); it is also the lobbying voice of the sector.

Edinburgh Napier University is a dynamic, innovative and forward-looking institution dedicated to supplying educational services which are relevant to the needs of today's students and employers. By offering creatively designed courses, flexible study methods and accessible routes to higher education we equip our graduates for success in a competitive job market.



SAPPHIRE, the Scottish Archive of Print and Publishing History Records, is a consortium with the Scottish Centre for the Book at Napier University as the lead institution and Queen Margaret University, also in Edinburgh, as its collaborative partner. SAPPHIRE aims to record the history of the Scottish printing and publishing industries and related trades and profession, and to make such information accessible to the public through publications, lectures, school learning resources and public exhibitions. SAPPHIRE has been honoured with a Glenfiddich Living Scotland Award for its contribution to the preservation and promotion of Scotland's cultural heritage.



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