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Workshop on oyster herpes virus and biosecurity in Oban



Two of the speakers and a publication below that will inform the workshop, - on the left Fabrice Richez and on the right Martin Flanigan who will be speaking together with Michael Gubbins and Mar Marcos-Lopez at the ASSG workshop/AGM. See page 15 for full details. Please book as soon as you can via the website..



Review

A review of the risk posed to Scottish mollusc aquaculture from Bonamia, Marteilia and oyster herpesvirus

Alexander G. Murray*, Mar Marcos-Lopez, Bertrand Collet, Lorna A. Munro

Marine Scotland Science, Marine Laboratory, Aberdeen, UK

Workshop Programme 16th April Oban*

9am-10am Registration

10.00 Michael Gubbins (CEFAS) The current oyster herpes situation in England and Wales

10.20 Mar Marcos-Lopez (Marine Scotland Science) "Reviewing the risks to Scottish Shellfish farming—don't forget the mussels." {provisional title}

10.40 Fabrice Richez The inside story of the oyster herpes virus in France

11.00 Martin Flanigan (Aquaculture Initiative) EFF Funded farm based research on the Oyster Herpes virus in N. Ireland.

11.30-13.00 Round table discussion chaired by Janet H Brown "What should the Scottish Growers response be to these issues?"
Rapporteur Craig Burton Seafish

13.15 Lunch

14.00 AGM of the Association of Scottish Shellfish Growers

*Venue to be confirmed shortly

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