



EARLY NOTICE

Scottish Young Planners Annual Conference 2012



**Delivering Development:
Meeting the Challenge**

Tuesday 20 March 2012, Glasgow

This conference will look at how planners can play a key role in delivering sustainable economic development. It will consider what tools are required for planners to have a greater understanding of the economic issues facing development in this current climate and showcase examples of successful developments have been delivered and draw out the lessons that can be learned. The conference will also aim to stimulate thinking and discussion about the how planning and planners can support development that creates successful places. Given this it feature debates and roundtable discussions to consider the challenges and opportunities presented by the current economic climate and consider new innovative approaches. Speakers confirmed include:

- Derek Mackay MSP, Minister for Local Government and Planning
- Dominic Fairlie, Scotia Homes
- Kevin Murray, Kevin Murray Associates
- Alistair MacDonald, Glasgow City Council
- Pam Ewen, TAYPlan
- Blair Melville, Homes for Scotland
- Jim Mackinnon, Scottish Government



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