

SGR Responsible Science Conference 2024

DEFUSING CARBON BOMBS: HOW DO WE STOP REMAINING

DANGEROUS FOSSIL FUELS FROM BEING BURNED?

Wednesday 16th October, 16.00-18.00 (BST) on Zoom

Register for a free ticket (donations welcome!) at: www.sgr.org.uk/events

Programme

- 4.00 - 4.05 Welcome and introduction – the concept of carbon bombs
Andrew Simms, SGR
- 4.05 - 4.10 **Participants' poll #1** on the prospect of carbon bombs
- 4.10 - 4.25 **A treaty to keep carbon underground: the rising tide of supply-side policies**
Prof. Peter Newell, University of Sussex
- 4.25 - 4.40 **Ending the social licence for overconsumption**
Kate Power, Independent consultant
- 4.40 - 4.55 **Military carbon emissions: how can we stop them rising?**
Dr. Stuart Parkinson, SGR
- 4.55 - 5.00 *Comfort break*
- 5.00 - 5.15 **Which technologies are most effective in the transition away from fossil fuels?**
Prof. Mark Z. Jacobson, Stanford University
- 5.15 - 5.35 **Questions to the speakers and panel discussion**
- 5.35 - 5.40 **Participants' poll #2**
- 5.40 - 5.50 **Participants' suggestions:** best proposals to defuse carbon bombs
- 5.50 - 5.55 **Panel pick top three proposals**
- 5.55 - 6.00 Closing remarks

6.15 - 6.45 **AGM (SGR members only) – agenda on next page**

SGR's Annual General Meeting 2024

Wednesday 16th October, 18.15-18.45 (BST)

On Zoom (using same link as for conference)

Agenda

1. Opening Remarks Dr Jan Maskell, Co-Chair

2. Minutes of SGR AGM 2023 and Matters Arising

3. Annual Report and Accounts 2023 – 2024

- Dr Stuart Parkinson, Executive Director
- Dr Emily Heath, Finance & Membership Manager

Questions are very welcome

4. Election of Advisors to the Board of Directors*

5. Update on Recent/Current Activities

- Dr Stuart Parkinson, Executive Director

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* **Item 4:** SGR members are welcome to volunteer for the role of Advisor, by emailing emilyh@sgr.org.uk by 5pm on Monday 7 October. Please include a brief summary of your background in science/technology. Advisors are invited to attend SGR's quarterly Board meetings (which are usually held on Zoom in the late afternoon/early evening), and to participate by email in discussions about SGR campaigns and activities (including whether/how to support campaigns led by other organisations). Advisors may in due course be invited by the Board to become Directors.