Enhancing monitoring and prevention of invasive non-native species across UKOTs – BAS and SGSSI Programme

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British Antarctic Survey, Cambridge

**Draft workshop programme**

Tuesday 10 October

1. Introduction

0900: Welcome and introductions

0915: Overview of workshop and Darwin Plus Project: Enhancing monitoring and prevention of invasive non-native species across UKOTs – Helen Roy

0930: Talks from BAS and SGGSI including:

Introductory talks - Peter Convey and David Barnes

Effective biosecurity – Kevin Hughes

1035: Coffee

**Non-Native Species Information Systems**

1100: Non-native species monitoring in GB – Helen Roy

1115: Introduction to CyDAS – Jakovos Demetriou and Kelly Martinou

1135: Introduction to UK Overseas Territories Database of Non-Native Species – David Roy and Meg Williams

1155: Discussion on structure of UK Overseas Territories Database of Non-Native Species and potential for integration with existing BAS / SGSSI systems

**1245: Lunch**

**Indicators and Reporting**

1330: Indicators and the Global Biodiversity Framework – Helen Roy

1345: Overview of approaches to reporting and summarising invasive non-native species data – Diana Bowler

1400: Group discussion

What reports, visualisations or other outputs on invasive non-native species data would be useful for BAS / SGSSI?

* Who are the audiences?
* What do they need?

1500: Prioritisation of reporting, visualisation and outputs – participants vote and prioritise most useful outputs

1530: Summarising prioritisation exercise – Helen Roy

1600: Close

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**Prioritising monitoring**

0930: Monitoring approaches on BAT – Kevin Hughes

1000: Emerging tools and technologies – Diana Bowler

**1030: Coffee**

1045: Group Discussion

What are the additional opportunities for invasive non-native species monitoring for BAS / SGSSI for policy, science or other?

1115: Opportunities and barriers for monitoring invasive non-native species including emerging tools and technologies

Opportunities

What topics are suitable and important for enhancing understanding of invasive non-native species, now and in the next 5 years?

Which topics would be most achievable and useful now and in the next 5 years?

What are the relevant policy, science or other contexts?

Barriers

What are barriers that limit invasive non-native species monitoring?

Overcoming which barriers would have most impact on addressing invasive non-native species?

1230: Review lists of opportunities and barriers – Group discussion

**1300: Lunch**

1330: Summary of discussions and next steps

1430: Close