

Appendix 5.1: Sloy Pumped Hydro Storage Scheme: EIA Team



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Person	Role	Expertise	Qualifications
Jennifer Skrynka ASH design+assessment	Managing Director	Jennifer is Managing Director with ASH and has nearly 40 years' experience working on a broad range of projects across many aspects of the landscape profession, including Landscape and Visual Impact Assessments, landscape planning and landscape design. Jennifer has been Project Director for the coordination and production of EIA Reports for several hydro, pumped storage hydro, wind farms, overhead lines and substation projects. She has prepared and presented evidence as Expert Witness as Public Inquiry, and provided evidence for Judicial Review and Appeal.	BA Landscape Architecture Post Graduate Diploma Landscape Architecture Chartered Member of the Landscape Institute (CMLI)
Tatiana White ASH design+assessment	EIA Project Manager	Tatiana is an Associate Director at ASH and has over a decade of experience working on EIA/EA Reports, Landscape and Visual Impact Assessments and Appraisals, feasibility studies, planning applications and landscape design projects. This has involved leading projects, team co-ordination and the production of EIA/EA documentation and supporting materials for renewable energy.	Bachelor of Urban and Regional Planning. Master of Landscape Architecture.
Katy McBride ASH design+assessment	EIA Project Support	Over 2 years of experience providing project support in the production of EIA/EA reports for a diverse range of renewables developments including Pumped Storage. Project support work has involved assisting in EIA team coordination, document production and graphics work.	Master of Sustainability and Environmental Studies



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Eilidh Mackenzie ASH design+assessment	Landscape and Visual Lead	Over 18 years' experience working in Scotland, specialising in Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment in the energy and transmission sectors. Also expert in the design, and implementation of hard and soft landscape proposals for a variety of developments, and the production of strategic and detailed design solutions for landscape reinstatement and mitigation works for a variety of projects.	MA (Hons) Landscape Architecture Chartered Member of the Landscape Institute (CMLI)
Matt Sullivan EnviroCentre Ltd.	Principle Ecology Consultant - Ornithology	Matt Sullivan is a Principal Consultant at EnviroCentre, with over 17 years of experience undertaking surveys and assessments, including EIAs for renewables (wind farms and hydro schemes) and infrastructure (OHL and substation) projects in Scotland.	Associate Member of ACIEEM
Steven Duncan EnviroCentre Ltd.	Lead-Senior Ecology Consultant – Aquatic and Terrestrial Ecology	Steven has nine years' experience working as an ecological consultant. He has extensive experience in undertaking field and written assessments regarding habitats and protected species. In recent years Steven has contributed as lead author in ecology chapters for a range of EIA's within Scotland including residential, industrial and energy related infrastructure projects.	Associate Member of ACIEEM
Ross Glover SSE Renewables	Fisheries Ecologist	Ross has 17 years' experience in the management of wild fisheries in Scotland, with a focus on Atlantic salmon. He has worked in government, local salmon fishery boards, and most recently, in renewable energy. He advises SSE Renewables on fish and fisheries to protect and enhance populations in areas impacted by hydropower.	PhD
Gordon Robb SLR Consulting Ltd.	Soils, Geology and Water	Over 30 years' experience assessing renewable energy and electrical infrastructure projects and specifically their potential effect on soils, geology	BSc MSc MBA



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	Environment Consultant	and the water environment. He has also prepared and given expert witness testimony for renewable energy and electrical infrastructure projects.	C.WEM, FCIWEM
Stephen Cochrane Pell Frischmann	Traffic and Transport Consultant	Stephen has over 21 years' experience in the traffic and transportation industry and over 17 years' experience in the production of EIA transport chapters (and associated studies) for other energy generation and distribution projects in Scotland.	Chartered Member of the Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport (CMILT)
			Member of the Chartered Institution of Highways and Transportation (MCIHT).
Gordon Buchan Pell Frischmann	Traffic and Transport Technical Reviewer	As the Divisional Director, Gordon has over 27 years' experience of undertaking transport assessments associated with new developments and has worked on renewable energy and energy distribution projects across the UK, Ireland and Northern Europe.	CEng MSc
			CMILT
			FCIHT
Mhairi Hastie	Consultant Archaeologist	Mhairi has over 18 years full time experience of producing Environmental Impact Assessments (EIAs) for renewable energy developments, and for other industrial and commercial development across the UK.	BSc (Hons)
CFA Archaeology			MSc
Ltd.			FSA Scot
			MClfA
Simon Herriot Savills	Planning Consultant	27 years' experience of town planning with a focus on renewable energy and infrastructure projects. Simon has contributed to and managed a number of EIAs for renewable energy projects, as well as provided planning consultancy input.	BSc(Hons) MRTPI
Jim Singleton TNEI Services Ltd.	Noise and Vibration Consultant	Jim is a Specialist Consultant at TNEI with over 17 years experience undertaking environmental noise and	Institute of Acoustics (IOA) PG Dip in



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		vibration assessments. He has particular expertise in the assessment of operational and construction noise from renewable energy generation and energy infrastructure projects, having worked on several GW of projects including pumped storage, battery storage, run-of-river hydro, onshore wind, solar and hydrogen. Jim also acts as Expert Witness, having worked on several Appeals. Judicial Reviews and similar.	Acoustics and Noise Control MIOA
Eilidh Henderson Page Park Ltd.	Design Consultant	Eilidh is a practice Director with over 20 years experience in architectural practice. She has extensive experience in the delivery of projects of varying scales and types across the UK.	BSc(Hons) PG Dip AAD RIAS ARB
		Eilidh has particular skills and experience in the creative adaptation of existing buildings and settings. She also has extensive experience working in close liaison with statutory bodies and community groups, managing consultation processes and ensuring a collaborative and inclusive approach is adopted.	
		Eilidh is a Trustee on the Board of the National Mining Museum Scotland and shadows the board of Architecture and Design Scotland.	