

Irish BSBI Conference
28th March 2020,
National Botanic Gardens, Dublin



PROGRAMME

10.00 – 10.20 Registration

Morning

10.20 – 10.25 Welcome

10.25 – 10.55 Robert Northridge – Atlas 2020 and Beyond

10.55 – 11.10 Maria Long – Irish Semi-natural Grasslands Project

11.10 – 11.20 Abbie Maiden – National Plant Monitoring Scheme

11.20 – 11.45 Tea/coffee

11.45 – 12.00 John Conaghan – Rare Plant Surveys

12.00 – 12.20 Rory Hodd – The discovery of the Neo-Tropical fern *Stenogrammitis jamesonii* in Kerry

12.20 – 12.35 Gonçalo Santos – *Epipactis dunensis* in Dublin

12.35 – 14.00 Lunch (not included; restaurants available in Botanic Gardens and nearby)
Take some time to explore the gardens and check out the new Herbarium exhibit!

Afternoon

14.00 – 14.30 John Faulkner and Robert Northridge – Identifying Common Conifers

14.30 – 15.00 John Faulkner – Riparian Sedges

15.00 – 15.30 Tea/coffee

15.30 – 15.40 Jessica Hamilton – New Year Plant Hunt

15.40 – 15.50 Fiona MacGowan – Lea Castle Project

15.50 – 16.30 Matthew Jebb – Botany of the Irish Isles

16.30 – 16.45 Words from Chairperson; Conference close

Bring along any tricky plants you might have, we'll have a help/ID table!

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