

## Facilitating dialogue and deliberation

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Thousands of local public forums take place every day across communities in Scotland. The purposes of these forums vary, from sharing information and networking, to consulting on, or co-producing, policies and services. One of the most challenging aspects of organising and facilitating such public forums is to ensure that they entail meaningful and inclusive conversations that can make a difference. This participative workshop focused on how to facilitate substantial dialogue and deliberation by drawing on learning from communication studies and mediation practices.



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