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## Edinburgh Branch

Invites you to attend a lecture on  
**Tuesday 6 November 2018** at 5.30pm

by

**Dr Katharine Russell**

Scottish Group of Forensic Clinical Psychologists

Entitled

**Psychological approaches to personality  
disorder**

at

**Edinburgh Sheriff Court, Chambers Street,  
Edinburgh**

**This is an open meeting, free  
to all with an interest in  
crime and criminal justice.  
No need to register.**

**1½ hours of CPD time may  
be claimed by Advocates,  
Solicitors and Social  
Workers.**

**Registration at the event  
will be required for the first  
two professions.**

**You do not need to be a  
member of SASO to attend.**

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Dr Russell is a Consultant Clinical and Forensic Psychologist.

Dr Russell will discuss personality disorder and why it is important in forensic mental health settings; issues in its assessment and treatment; and outline developments in its interventions relevant to the forensic field that aim to improve outcomes for patients and enhance practice and wellbeing.

Dr Russell's career has been spent in forensic mental health settings – high security, medium security and a community liaison service. Her recent experience leading a criminal justice assessment and liaison service has developed her expertise in risk assessment and personality issues.

She undertook this work on personality disorder on behalf of the Scottish Group of Forensic Clinical Psychologists.