



**Scottish Association for the Study of Offending: Edinburgh Branch**

**Programme 2018-2019**

All meetings will be held at 5.30 pm at Edinburgh Sheriff Court, Chambers Street, Edinburgh

<b>Date</b>	<b>Speaker</b>	<b>Subject / Title</b>
Tuesday 2 October 2018	James Wolffe QC The Lord Advocate	Reflections
Tuesday 6 November 2018	Dr Katharine Russell NHS Lothian Serious Offender Liaison Service	Psychological approaches to personality disorder
Tuesday 4 December 2018	Kathrine Mackie, Formerly sheriff Edinburgh Sheriff Court	Changing role of a sheriff
Tuesday 8 January 2019	Nick Hobbs, Office of the Children and Young People's Commissioner Scotland	Topical issues - children's justice
Tuesday 5 February 2019	Dr Beth Weaver  Glasgow School of Social Work, Universities of Glasgow and Strathclyde	Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill
Tuesday 5 March 2019	Anne Pinkman, Prison Reform Trust	Women in prison

***All those with an interest in crime and criminal justice are very welcome. You do not need to be a member of SASO to attend.***

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