

# The Smith Institute at the Liberal Democrats Party Conference

Date	Fringe	Speakers	Time and Venue	
Monday 20th September	<b>Can Health Cuts be Good for You?</b>	<b>Paul Burstow MP</b> (Minister of State, Department of Health) <b>Rosie Newbigging</b> (Executive Director - Nations, Regions & Services, Asthma UK)	<b>Derek Campbell</b> (Chief Executive, NHS Liverpool PCT) <b>Dr Mark Hill</b> (Director, Novartis Pharmaceuticals UK Ltd)	1300-1400hrs Meeting Room 2, Hilton Liverpool
Monday 20th September	<b>Should We Fund Social Housing?</b>	<b>Andrew Stunnell MP OBE</b> (Minister for Communities and Local Government) <b>Derek Joseph</b> (Managing Editor, Social Housing Magazine)	<b>Mark Henderson</b> (Chief Executive, Home Group)	1815-1930hrs Meeting Room 3, Hilton Liverpool
Monday 20th September	<b>Feeding Britain: What Consumers Want</b>	<b>Party spokesperson TBC</b> <b>Richard Taylor</b> (Director of Corporate Affairs, Morrisons)	<b>Lord Whitty</b> (Former Minister for Food and Farming)	1815-1930hrs Hall 14, ACC Liverpool
Tuesday 21st September	<b>A Better Way to Behave – How Do We Get Back to Ethical Retail Banking?</b>	<b>Lord Newby</b> (Co-Chair of Liberal Democrats Parliamentary Treasury Team) <b>Ged Nichols</b> (General Secretary, Accord)	<b>Lucy Widenka</b> (Financial Services Senior Advocate, Which?)	1300-1400hrs Meeting Room 3, Hilton Liverpool
Tuesday 21st September	<b>Britain's Pensions System – Can We Fix It?</b>	<b>Professor Steve Webb MP</b> (Minister of State for Pensions) <b>Nick Timmins</b> (Public Policy Editor, Financial Times)	<b>Joanne Segars</b> (Chief Executive, NAPF)	1300-1400hrs Hall 14, ACC Liverpool
Tuesday 21st September	<b>Who Runs UK Plc – Why We Need to Reform Corporate Governance</b>	<b>Edward Davey MP</b> (Parliamentary Under Secretary of State, Department for Business Innovation and Skills)	<b>Councillor Neil Fletcher</b> (Aberdeen City Council) <b>Tom Powdrill</b> (Head of Communications, PIRC)	1815-1930hrs Meeting Room 2, Hilton Liverpool
Tuesday 21st September	<b>Divided Britain: Back to the North-South Divide?</b>	<b>Lord Shipley OBE</b> <b>Professor John Tomaney</b> (Director, Centre for Urban and Regional Development Studies, Newcastle University)	<b>Cllr. Richard Kemp</b> (LGA Liberal Democrat Group Leader) <b>Ed Cox</b> (Director, ippr North)	1815-1930hrs Meeting Room 3, Hilton Liverpool



Food and Refreshments will be served at all events  
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