



THE FLORA OF COLD REGIONS

(a conference being held in conjunction with the 2012 AEM)

Friday, 2012 November 23
1.00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

This half-day meeting will be a general introduction to the flora of cold regions and will cover the Arctic, Antarctic and mountains.

Tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided from 12:30 a.m. and during the tea break.

12:00 – 12:30 Tour of BAS Herbarium for those booked

12:30 – 13:00 Registration & tea / coffee

13:00 – 13:10 Welcome and introduction, Jonathan Shanklin, Ian Bonner

Session chair Ian Bonner

13:10 – 13:40 The Montane flora of Scotland – What is its future?, Alistair Headley

13:50 – 14:20 The Flora of Nepal, Mark Watson

14:30 – 15:00 The flora of Greenland, Rod Corner

15:10 - 15:40 Tea break

Session chair Lynne Farrell

15:40 – 16:10 The flora of Antarctica and South Georgia, Jonathan Shanklin

16:20 – 16:50 Arctic-alpines and climate change, John Birks

17:00 Closing remarks and close of meeting

18:00 Meal in Cambridge

An evening meal has been arranged at St John's Chop House

<http://www.stjohnschophouse.co.uk>, Northampton Street (to the right of where Madingley Road and Queens Road meet). The cost is £14 for the early evening menu (the lunchtime one!), or your choice from the main menu. Vegetarian options are available. The venue is 2.4km from BAS, with limited nearby parking.