Attendance:

Rosie Russell (Interim Secretary) (Fellow)
Fiona Blake (Guest)
Amelia Hodgson (Guest)
Helen Gilroy (Guest)
Isabel Jack (Guest)
Carmina D’Allesandro (Guest)
Sandra Angers-Blondin (Guest)
Peter Gibson (Member)
Lawrence Green (Chair) (Fellow)
Geraldine Halliday (Guest)
Penny How (Speaker, Guest)
Haydn Thomas (Speaker, Guest)
Laura Quick (Speaker, Guest)
Gina Browse (Guest)

Apologies:

Andrew Barnett (Branch Communications) (Member)

1 Welcome and Introductions
   A warm welcome was extended to all Members and Guests.

2 Branch Business
   The minutes of the last meeting were approved
   The Branch e-mail was publicised: eastscotbranch@iirsm.org
   Members were reminded to log their CPD
   Vacant Committee Posts were advertised

3 From the Floor
   An opportunity was given for attendees to raise issues where they may need assistance. None were raised.

4 Main Presentation
   Risk and Safety Management in Extreme Environments - An honest look at the realities of fieldwork by School of GeoSciences PhD Candidates & Rosie Russell
   The presentation was well received and created a fair amount of discussion. Following the presentation, Laura, Penny and Haydn were presented with a small token of thanks.

5 Next Meeting
   11th October 2018: Travel Health Risk by Isabel Jack and Mallory Carney in the Main Lecture Theatre, Institute of Geography, Drummond Street, EH8 9XP
Meeting Closed 1500
Members remained for coffee and networking.