Payments for Ecosystems Services: Lessons (PESLES)
two local Scottish research case studies in adaptive water management

We would like to welcome everybody interested in the lessons from this research project for a half-day online workshop

Adaptive water management seeks to reconcile multiple demands for water use in a way that is responsive to local pressures and interests. The PESLES project has aimed to develop and monitor progress in adaptive water management, including the potential for using a Payment for Ecosystem Services (PES) approach, in two lowland catchments in Scotland, Lunan Water and Loch Leven. In the Lunan Water case study, interest has centred on improving water management for wetland ecology, flooding, diffuse pollution mitigation, and low flows. In the Loch Leven case study, the interest has focused on developing improved management of Loch flushing to minimise impact of cyano-bacterial and algal blooms. Governance as well as technical issues have been explored and analysed, and potential lessons at both local and national scale will be discussed.

More information about the project on the **PESLES** project (2016-2021) can be found here: https://www.hutton.ac.uk/research/projects/payments-ecosystem-services-lessons

When: Friday, 10th December 2021, 10:00-14:00 GMT

Where: Online through Webex. Details for logging into the online meeting will be sent to those that have registered a few days before the event.

Registration: email stanislav.martinat@hutton.ac.uk

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We are very much looking forward to meeting you at the workshop