Membership of the Universities Retired Staff Association (URSA) is open to retired staff (and their partners) of the University of Edinburgh and Heriot-Watt University. The aims of the Association are to promote the fellowship and well-being of retired members of staff and to maintain their interest in University affairs.

Meetings, with a speaker, are held monthly from October to April on Tuesday afternoons at 2.30 p.m. in the Chaplaincy Centre, 1 Bristo Square, Edinburgh (opposite the McEwan Hall). Afternoon visits to places of interest, a full-day summer outing and social occasions are also arranged.

One-off Membership Fee:
- Single - £5.00
- Joint (with partner) - £7.50

Annual Subscription, 2019/20:
- Single - £6.00
- Joint (with partner) - £9.00

Please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your cheque and form so that a membership card, which includes the syllabus, can be sent to you. The first meeting in the 2019/20 session will be on Tuesday, 8th October 2019, when Fred Daniels will be speaking on “China Overland, Part 3: Gobi Desert to Leshan” (a continuation of two previous fascinating talks about travelling along the Silk Road).

The application form and programme information are available on the URSA website: http://www.ed.ac.uk/schools-departments/human-resources/staff-benefits/ursa

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