



Scottish Landscapes & Wedding Photography Photography Presentation

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"We all really enjoyed Karen's superb landscape images of Scotland. Her love for photographing the islands was evident to all members, so much so that we are now planning a club tour to Scotland and hopefully meeting up with Karen!

The effort that she puts into wedding photography comes across in the fabulous shots that she gets on the day. We know she will go from strength to strength in the coming years."

East Cork Camera Club



Hello! I'm Karen.

Thanks for considering me as a guest speaker.

I'm an experienced public speaker and am never fazed by the prospect of standing up in front of a busy lecture theatre (or presenting online)!

In this eBook, I'll tell you about my 'Scottish Landscapes & Wedding Photography' talk.

I can also offer you an alternative presentation, 'A Travelogue With A Difference', which tells the professional and personal story behind my transition into self-employment and features numerous genres of photography. Further details are available on my website here.

Scottish Landscapes & Wedding Photography



If you're looking to escape to Highlands and Islands, then this is the photography talk for you!

In the first half of my talk, I'll present my landscape photography portfolio, with lots of helpful advice and recommendations on locations.

In the second section, I'll explain how I branched out into wedding photography, and share a wide selection of favourite images, including lots of stories, and couples set in the Scottish landscape (more engaging than you might think!).

Let me show you...

Scottish Landscapes

I became obsessed with landscape photography when I was a young adult, spending all my free time travelling to the likes of the Western Isles, the Small Isles, Wester Ross and Perthshire, nearly always alone, focusing on my craft and enjoying encounters with wildlife along the way.

I'll look forward to sharing my journey with you, from the mishaps in my early days through to becoming an accomplished professional, running popular landscape photography workshops in the Highlands since 2017.









"Glenrothes Camera Club was delighted to invite Karen to our club where she entertained our members with a display of her stunning work

Karen's presentation was not only informative but she managed to keep everyone's attention throughout with her dedication and passion for photographing our beautiful country."

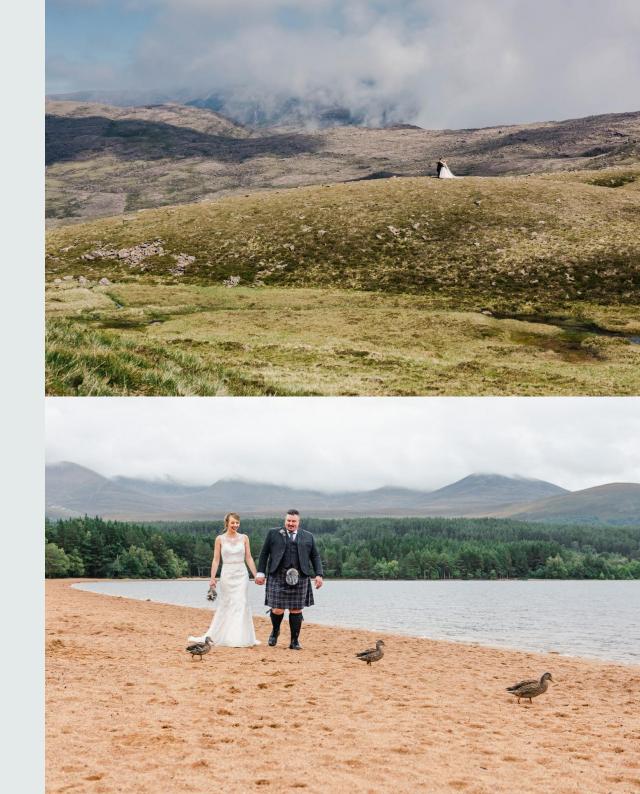
Glenrothes Camera Club

Wedding Photography

When I become self-employed as a professional photographer back in 2017, I embarked on a very steep learning curve as I learned the ropes as a wedding photographer!

I've worked all over the Highlands (and further afield) photographing all types of weddings, from romantic, intimate elopements and small weddings on beaches; to rustic celebrations in barns and on crofts; and large, elegant celebrations in castles, hotels and country houses. I'll focus on being out in the landscape!









"Karen was a breath of fresh air.

All of our club members really enjoyed the session.

Her photos were fab, and we hope to see her again!"

Tallaght Photographic Society, Dublin

Photography Guest Speaker Fees

In-Person Presentations

If you'd like me to attend your club or society in person, then I'll provide a customised quote based around the length of the talk, travel time, mileage and any other expenses.

Online Presentations to Small Groups

Online presentations to camera clubs, photographic societies and other small groups will be priced at the following rates:

1 hour Zoom session: £70

2 hour Zoom session: £100

This applies to my pre-existing talks, detailed in the introduction to this eBook.

Online Presentations to Larger Audiences & Other Exceptions

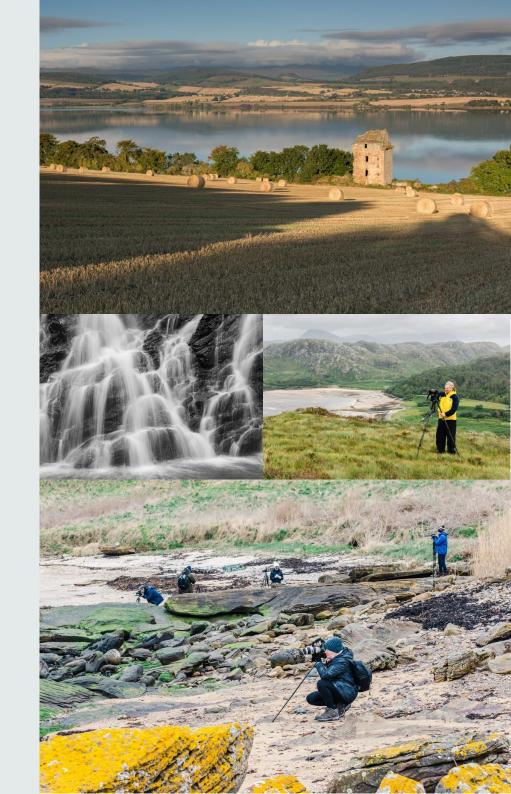
Additional fees will apply for large audiences and for bespoke presentations, e.g. where an existing presentation has to be restructured to fit a particular remit.

Group Workshops

Maybe you're looking for more than just a guest speaker. If so, I'd be happy to discuss the possibility of organising a landscape photography workshop for your members. I typically run workshops for individuals and couples. However, I've also hosted camera clubs and school groups.

I can accommodate groups of up to 10 on a full day photography workshop. Your club would need to organise a minibus or we could car share and drive around in convoy. Your members would need to bring a packed lunch and have an average level of fitness.

You can read more about my landscape photography workshops on my website <u>here</u>.





"The presentation was excellent; Karen held all the students' attention throughout, and they were even more excited about the workshop after having met Karen and seen her work

We had a fantastic day out. At each location, Karen talked to the group as a whole before engaging with the students individually. They all learned a lot and felt inspired to progress with their photography journey."

Wendi Van-Hoof, Head of Art & Photography, Gordonstoun

How to book ...

I'd be delighted to hear from you if you're in need of a photography guest speaker or workshop leader.

Please get in touch by clicking the button below. Let me know your availability; whether you'd like a one or two hour talk; and whether you'd like to proceed with an online presentation or if you'd like me to quote for an inperson talk.

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