

EDI Conference - 16 March 2021

09:00 - 09:30	Log into online platform			09:00 - 09:30
09:30 - 09:35	Auditorium / Live Presentations			09:30 - 09:35
	Welcome: Alison Johns, Chief Executive, Advance HE			
09:35 - 09:45	Richard Lochhead MSP, Minister for Higher Education, Further Education and Science, Scotland			09:35 - 09:45
09:45 - 10:05	Keynote: Jackie Galbraith, Principal and Chief Executive, West Lothian College			09:45 - 10:05
10:05 - 10:25	Keynote 2: Professor Pamela Gillies, Principal and Vice-Chancellor, Glasgow Caledonian University			10:05 - 10:25
10:25 - 10:35	Q&A for both keynotes			10:25 - 10:35
10:35 - 10:45	Co-creation session: The big conversation: Who are we? Jess Moody, Senior Adviser, Advance HE			10:35 - 10:45
10:45 - 11:00	BREAK - Poster viewing, networking etc.			10:45 - 11:00
11:00 - 12:00	Live Parallel Session 1			11:00 - 12:00
	Positive action	Breaking the taboo	Breaking the taboo	
	1.1 Panel Session	1.2 Interactive Breakout	1.3 Panel Session	
	Positive action: Addressing underrepresentation and inequality through targeted initiatives	Spilling the T on my degree: The student experience through a race lens	Keeping gender on the agenda	
	Chair: David Bass, Advance HE Professor Ruth Falconer, Abertay University Dr Ross Woods, Higher Education Authority Dr Angie Pears, University of Leicester	Host: Lizzy Allman Sherry Iqbal and Ahmed Ali, Leeds Beckett Students' Union	Chair: Ellen Pugh, Advance HE Emma Ritch, Engender Scotland Talat Yaqoob, independent consultant, formerly Equate Scotland Professor Sarah Cunningham-Burley, Dean of Molecular, Genetic and Population Health Sciences, University of Edinburgh and Non-Executive Director of the Centre for Research on Families and Relationships Caroline Gauchotte-Lindsay, Senior Lecturer, James Watt School of Engineering, University of Glasgow	
12:00 - 13:10	LUNCH Poetry Session: Nadine Aisha Jassat			12:00 - 13:10
13:10 - 13:55	Ignite Session - Pre-recorded with live Q&A			13:10 - 13:55
	IG1a: Associate student project: facilitating computing students' transition to higher education , Dr Ella Taylor-Smith, Dr Khristin Fabian and Debbie Meharg, Edinburgh Napier University IG1b: Intersectionality - targeting men from deprived areas in Scotland , Anne Farquharson, The Open University in Scotland IG1c: Intersectionality – targeting women with caring responsibilities , Anne Farquharson, The Open University in Scotland IG1d: Study smarter with technology for all , Portia Bentley, Staffordshire University 1G1e: Advocacy in action: How a university shared reading project reaches homeless readers in Scotland , Avril Gray, Edinburgh Napier University			
13:55 - 14:05	BREAK - Poster viewing, networking etc.			13:55 - 14:05
14:05 - 15:05	Live Parallel Session 2			14:05 - 15:05
	Breaking the taboo	Positive action	Leading change	
	2.1 Panel Session	2.2. Interactive Breakout	2.3 Interactive Breakout	
	Hidden gender inequalities	Using positive action to bring about a step change in race equality	Tackling racism on campus project	
	Chair: Jessica Kitsell, Advance HE Melissa Highton, University of Edinburgh Ruth Cochrane, Edinburgh Napier University Andrea Cameron, Abertay University Dr Emma Watson and Victoria Murphy, Imperial College London	Host: Rachel Witton, Advance HE Aloma Onyemah, University Hospitals of Leicester	Nighet Riaz and Sukhi Kainth, Advance HE	
15:05 - 15:15	BREAK - Poster viewing, networking etc.			15:05 - 15:15
15:15 - 16:15	Panel Session How do you navigate hierarchies of inequalities in the context of restricted resources and political pressures?			15:15 - 16:15
	Chair: Gary Loke, Advance HE Matt Crilly, NUS Scotland Dr Jim McGeorge, University Secretary and Chief Operating Officer, University of Dundee Professor Ruth Taylor, Vice-Principal Education, University of Aberdeen and Deputy Chair of QAAS/Advance HE Anti-racist Curriculum Group Naira Dar, EDI Manager at City of Glasgow College and Chair of Scottish Minority Ethnic Women's Network			
16:15 - 16:30	Summative Plenary			16:15 - 16:30