EDI Conference - 18 March 2021

Log-in to Online platform 09:00 - 09:30

Auditorium / Live presentations

Welcome: Alison Johns, Chief Executive, Advance HE 09:30 - 09:40

Keynote: Professor Nishan Canagarajah, Vice Chancellor, University of Leicester 09:40 - 10:20

Co-creation session: The big conversation: Who are we? Jess Moody, Senior Adviser, Advance HE 10:20 - 10:30

BREAK - Poster viewing, networking etc. 10:30 - 10:45

Belonging and safe space 10:45 - 11:45

Live Parallel Session 5

Storytelling and courageous conversations

Chair: TBC
Dr Rachel Forsyth, Professor Claire Hamshire and Shuab Gamote, Manchester Metropolitan University
Dr Karen Lipsedge, Kingston University

Parental equality and working flexibly

Chair: Ellen Pugh, Advance HE
Dr Katie Tirlaway and Dr David Brown, Cardiff Metropolitan University
Clare Matysova, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine
Dr Angharad Davies, Swansea University

Anti-racist pedagogy and practice in higher education

Host: Jessica Kitsell, Advance HE
Dr Anil Awesti and Dr Meleisa Ono-George, University of Warwick

The role of the tempered radicals: Experiences of making changes in our organisation

Host: Sarah Fink, Advance HE
Melissa Highton and Dr Dominique Green, University of Edinburgh

BREAK - Poster viewing, networking etc. 11:45 - 13:00

LUNCH 11:45 - 13:00

Ignite Session: Pre-recorded with live Q&A 13:00 - 13:45

IG3a: From the sticky floor to the glass ceiling and everything in between: Preliminary results from a systematic review and qualitative study of (gender) inequality in clinical academic careers.

Jennifer Brown, University of York and Professor Gabrielle Finn, Hull York Medical School

IG3b: Queer STEM: Systems engineering as queer pedagogy in railway engineering education

Dr Holly Foss, The University of Birmingham

IG3c: Creating an inclusive environment for first years where all can flourish

Dr Roselina Arebi and Dr Anthony Rossiter, University of Sheffield

BREAK - Poster viewing, networking etc. 13:45 - 14:00

Live Parallel Session 6

EDI and leadership 14:00 - 15:00

Thinking forward

Bridging the gaps

Belonging and safe space

6.1 Interactive Breakout

6.2 Interactive Breakout

6.3 Interactive Breakout

6.4 Interactive Breakout

Good Governance Leads to Effective Culture Change

Host: Victoria Brownlee
Marcellina Fogarty and Rory Carey, University College Dublin

Finding the missing pieces of my history to find myself

Dr Nighet Riaz, Advance HE

Listening matters and listening works: effective and meaningful institutional change through friendship conversations and democratic decisions. An exploration of two methods

Host: Tamara Szucs, Advance HE
Dr Emma Heron and Helen Parkin, Sheffield Hallam University

Persistent inequalities: Tackling the negative experiences of LGBTQ+ students in higher education

Host: Lucy Madahar, Advance HE
Amy Norton and Josh Callander, Office for Students

BREAK - Poster viewing, networking etc. 15:00 - 15:15

Panel Session: Hot topic 15:15 - 16:15

Chair: Gary Loke, Advance HE
Janet Le Grand QC Hon, Chair of Court, University of Edinburgh
Katherine Trebeck, Wellbeing Economy Alliance
Alastair Pringle, Executive Director, Legal, Compliance & Scotland, EHRC
Sharan Virdee, Equality and Diversity Partner, Heriot-Watt University

Closing plenary, co production summary 16:15 - 16:30