

# Education for life: Celebrating partnership, encouraging innovation

Newcastle University  
Learning & Teaching  
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Programme



# Welcome to Education for life: Celebrating partnership, encouraging innovation

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2018

This year's conference submissions were of high quality and the conference programme committee have put together this exciting and diverse programme. This showcases the excellent partnership approaches and innovative learning and teaching which characterise Newcastle University.

Learning and Teaching Development Service staff will be on hand throughout the day to help with venues, directions and queries.



You can Tweet us throughout the day  
**@ncllt** Please use the conference hashtag  
in social media posts: **#ncllt18**

A lunch will be served at 13:15 in B32 Barbara Strang Teaching Centre. Please take the opportunity to take part in the poster vote by voting for the three posters you find most inspirational for your own practice at <http://bit.ly/postervote18> or by using the QR code below.



Prizes will be awarded by Professor Suzanne Cholerton at the end of the day at the drinks reception. Please stay to see if your chosen poster has won. Dr Laura Delgaty will also be presenting an award on behalf of Newcastle University Technology Enhanced Learning Advocates (NUTELA).

Please note: Today's conference is being documented by Newcastle University students, who are being paid for their work. Both video clips and stills may appear in news and announcements about this and future Newcastle University learning and teaching conferences.

Wherever possible we will share the presentations from today's programme on the conference website [www.ncl.ac.uk/ltds/professional/conference/](http://www.ncl.ac.uk/ltds/professional/conference/)

We hope you have an enjoyable  
and informative day.



WHEN	WHAT	WHERE
09:00	Arrival and registration	The Boiler House
09:30	Welcome Professor Chris Day, Vice-Chancellor and President, Newcastle University 	The Boiler House
09:40	Keynote: Newcastle University Education Strategy Professor Suzanne Cholerton, Pro-Vice-Chancellor Learning and Teaching, Newcastle University 	The Boiler House
10:30	<b>CHOOSE FROM A, B OR C</b>	
	A. Workshop: CASAP review (see page 6 for details)	G36 Barbara Strang Teaching Centre
	B. Presentations: How might we develop students as whole people, preparing them to flourish for futures we can't predict? (see page 6 for details)	G33 Barbara Strang Teaching Centre
	C. Presentations: How might a research intensive environment add value to the education of all students at all stages? (see page 6 for details)	G34 Barbara Strang Teaching Centre
11:30	Refreshment break	The Boiler House
11:45	Integrated work study programme at Singapore Institute of Technology Dr Foo Yong Lim, Associate Professor, Assistant Provost (Applied Learning) Dr May Lim, Associate Professor, Director of Centre for Learning Environment and Assessment Development, Singapore Institute of Technology	The Boiler House
12:30	Inclusive learning Dr Ruth Graham, Dean of Undergraduate Studies, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences Sandy Alden, Team Leader, Disability and Specialist Learning, Student Wellbeing Service	The Boiler House

WHEN	WHAT	WHERE
13:15	Poster viewing and lunch Informal discussion with poster presenters	B32 Barbara Strang Teaching Centre
14:00	<b>CHOOSE FROM A, B OR C</b>	
	A. Workshop: Reconceptualising and rewarding teaching and teaching excellence in higher education (see page 7 for details)	G36 Barbara Strang Teaching Centre
	B. Lightning talks (see page 7 for details)	G33 Barbara Strang Teaching Centre
15:00	C. Presentations: How can we encourage an educational experience supported and enhanced by technology? (see page 7 for details)	G34 Barbara Strang Teaching Centre
	Refreshment break	The Boiler House
15:15	Reflecting on partnership: Articulating the purpose of academic representation at Newcastle University Rowan South, Education Officer, Dr Joe Barton, Representation & Research Coordinator George Watkins, Representation & Democracy Manager, Newcastle University Student Union Sam Cooke, Student, School Rep for School of English Literature, Language & Linguistics	The Boiler House
16:00	Keynote: Learning gain Dr Camille Kandiko Howson, Academic Head of Student Engagement, King's College London	The Boiler House
16:45	Presentations and awards, followed by drinks reception	The Boiler House
17:30	Conference ends	

## 10:30 CHOOSE FROM A, B OR C

### A. Workshop:

#### CASAP review

*Chair:* Dr Alison Graham, Lecturer, School of Natural and Environmental Sciences

*Presenter:* Sue Gill, Academic Practice Team Leader, Learning and Teaching Development Service

### B. Presentations:

#### How might we develop students as whole people, preparing them to flourish for futures we can't predict?

*Chair:* Dr Phil Ansell, Senior Lecturer and Director of Excellence in Learning and Teaching, School of Mathematics, Statistics and Physics

#### - Delivering Newcastle degrees in partnership: The challenges and opportunities of delivering joint programmes in Singapore for a sustainable future in SE Asia

Prof Matt Bentley, Head of Academic Operations Singapore, Newcastle University in Singapore

#### - The skills of employability – How teamwork and collaboration between students, professional services, professionals and academics has transformed the School of Modern Language's Employability Agenda

Dr JC Penet, Lecturer, School of Modern Languages  
Jos Harrison, Careers Adviser, Careers Service

#### - The role of character-led education for the 4th industrial revolution

Prof Amanda Broderick, Chief Executive Officer and Director, Newcastle University London

### C. Presentations:

#### How might a research intensive environment add value to the education of all students at all stages?

*Chair:* Dr Samantha Shields, Lecturer, School of Education, Communication and Language Sciences

#### - Recommendations for integrating innovative and creative learning approaches within higher education

Dr Iain Keenan, Lecturer, School of Medical Education

#### - Using neuroscience research to influence teaching: Could 'spaced learning' work in higher education?

Dr Paul Hubbard, Teaching Fellow, School of Medical Education

#### - Challenges and opportunities from research-informed teaching

Dr Cindy Lee, Assistant Professor and Director of Excellence in Learning and Teaching, Newcastle University in Singapore

## 14:00 CHOOSE FROM A, B OR C

### A. Workshop:

#### Reconceptualising and rewarding teaching and teaching excellence in higher education

*Chair:* Prof Danny McLaughlin, Professor, School of Medical Education

*Presenter:* Prof Stephen McHanwell, Director of Unit for Educational Research Development and Practice, School of Medical Education  
Prof Sue Robson, Professor, School of Education, Communication and Language Sciences

### B. Lightning talks

*Chair:* Dr Laura Delgaty, Deputy Degree Programme Director, School of Medical Education

#### How can we encourage an educational experience supported and enhanced by technology?

#### - Using ePortfolio to record the development of professional behavioural attributes and facilitate reflective practice in Pharmacy

Dr Hamde Nazar, Senior Lecturer, School of Pharmacy  
Simon Cotterill, L & T Projects and Innovation Manager, Learning Technology Support Unit, Faculty of Medical Sciences

#### - Supporting the student voice through the MBBS Medical Learning Environment

Dr David Kennedy, Deputy Head of School, School of Medical Education  
John Moss, Faculty Learning Technology Systems Manager, Learning Technology Support Unit, Faculty of Medical Sciences

#### - Successful use of multiple technologies to reinforce anatomy and physiology theory for first year sport and exercise science undergraduates

Dr Chris Eggett, Senior Lecturer, School of Biomedical Sciences

#### How might we develop students as whole people, preparing them to flourish for futures we can't predict?

#### - Cultivating resilience through mindfulness

Michael Atkinson, Teaching Fellow, School of Medical Education  
Dr Richy Hetherington, Postgraduate Skills Development Co-ordinator, Faculty of Medical Sciences Graduate School

#### - PG buddies

Joey Jenkins, Postgraduate Research Student  
Dr Heike Pichler, Senior Lecturer  
Jasmine Warburton, Postgraduate Research Student

Kaleigh Woolford, Postgraduate Research Student  
School of English Literature, Language and Linguistics

#### - Embedding employability skills into an action learning module

Dr Sharron Kuznesof, Senior Lecturer, School of Natural and Environmental Sciences  
Dr Helen Mason, Teaching Fellow, School of Biomedical Sciences

#### How do we adopt and develop approaches to education which actively engage students in their learning?

#### - Innovation through collaboration: using blended learning to enhance PGR learning experiences at NCL & NU London

Rosalind Beaumont, Lecturer in Postgraduate Skills and eLearning Development, Humanities and Social Sciences Faculty Office  
Adam Potts, Teaching Fellow, Philosophical Studies  
Nuala Davis, Development Officer, Learning and Teaching Development Service

#### - Learning and teaching sustainability through Marine Engineering design

Dr Ivan Tam, Director of Operations and Associate Professor in Marine Engineering Design & Technology, Newcastle University in Singapore

#### - To flip, or not to flip: that is the question

Dr Javier Munguia, Lecturer, School of Engineering  
Dr Joan Harvey, Senior Lecturer, School of Psychology/School of Engineering

### C. Presentations

#### How can we encourage an educational experience supported and enhanced by technology?

*Chair:* Dr Floor Christie-de Jong, Lecturer, Faculty of Medical Sciences Graduate School

#### - VLE Strategic Review: Where we are now and what's next

Professor T. T. Arvind, Professor, Newcastle Law School  
Lisa Fishburn, Development Officer, Learning and Teaching Development Service

#### - Working Together: The enhanced collaborative capabilities of Microsoft's Office 365

Marc Bennett, Learning Technologist, NUIT  
Graham Collins, Research Computing Analyst, NUIT

#### - Developing collaborative critical thinking beyond the classroom

Boguslaw Ostrowski, English Teacher, INTO Newcastle University

Please bring your own mobile device to this session

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