

Draft Agenda Day One

08.30 - 09.30	Conference Registration Refreshments & Networking	
09.30 - 10.00	National Conference Exhibition	Exhibition & Catering Area Chablis Suite (Ground Floor)
10.00 - 10.30	Welcome	Cremant Suite – First Floor
10.00 – 10.10	Introductions & Housekeeping	<i>Reeta Chakrabarti – Conference Chair</i> <i>BBC News presenter and correspondent</i>
10.10 – 10.20 10.20 – 10.30	AELP Chairman's Welcoming Address Chairman & Chief Executive Interview by Reeta Chakrabarti	<i>Martin Dunford OBE, Chairman – AELP</i> <i>Mark Dawe, CEO - AELP</i>
10.30 – 10.50	Opening Plenary	Cremant Suite
10.30 – 10.40 10.40 – 10.50	Keynote Speech – Minister of State for Apprenticeships and Skills Q&A	<i>Rt Hon Anne Milton MP</i>
10.50 – 11.25	Theme 1: Promoting Apprenticeships	Cremant Suite
10.50 – 11.00 11.00 – 11.10 11.10 – 11.20 11.20 – 11.25	Reaching out to SMEs Engaging more young people in apprenticeships Skills competitions raising standards and awareness Q&A/AELP Response	<i>Jason Holt CBE, Apprenticeship Ambassador Network</i> <i>Emily Chapman, NUS</i> <i>Dr Neil Bentley, WorldSkills UK</i>
11.25 – 11.55	Refreshments Break Refreshments, networking and an opportunity to visit the exhibitors	Exhibition & Catering Area Chablis Suite (Ground Floor)
11.55 – 12.15	Theme 2: Managing Sector Reforms	Cremant Suite
11.55 – 12.05 12.05 – 12.15	Funding overview and challenges Q&A/AELP Response	<i>Eileen Milner, Education and Skills Funding Agency</i> <i>Mark Dawe, AELP</i>
12.15 – 12.50	Theme 3: Ensuring Quality Provision	Cremant Suite
12.15 – 12.25 12.25 – 12.35 12.35 – 12.45 12.45 – 12.50	'Faster and better' approach to standards Regulator's role in ensuring quality Perspective from an Awarding Organisation Q&A/AELP Response	<i>Sir Gerry Berragan, Institute for Apprenticeships</i> <i>Sally Collier, Ofqual</i> <i>Julie Hyde, NCFE</i>
12.50 – 1.40	Day One Workshops – Session 1	Syndicate Rooms
	Choice of 14 Topics <i>45 minutes + 5 minutes travelling time</i>	
1.40 - 2.50	Lunch Refreshments, networking and an opportunity to visit the exhibitors	Exhibition & Catering Area Chablis Suite (Ground Floor)

2.50 – 3.40	Day One Workshops – Session 2	Syndicate Rooms
	Choice of 14 Topics <i>45 minutes + 5 minutes travelling time</i>	
3.40 – 4.10	Refreshments Break Refreshments, networking and an opportunity to visit the exhibitors	Exhibition & Catering Area Chablis Suite (Ground Floor)
4.10 – 4.30	Theme 4: Ofsted looking forward	Cremant Suite
4.10 – 4.30 4.20 – 4.30	Keynote address from Ofsted Q&A	<i>Paul Joyce HMI, Ofsted</i>
4.30 – 5.00	Theme 5: Good Governance of Providers	Cremant Suite
4.30 – 4.35 4.35 – 4.45 4.45 – 4.55 4.55 – 5.00	Introductory remarks Recommendations from new FETL/AELP governance report Response from a large independent provider Q&A/AELP Response	<i>Dame Ruth Silver DBE, FETL</i> <i>Dr Susan Pember OBE, HOLEX</i> <i>Peter Marples, 3aaa</i>
5.00 – 5.10	Final Plenary	Cremant Suite
5.00 – 5.05	What's great about being an apprentice – a personal viewpoint	<i>Maisey Woodland, Innovate Awarding</i>
5.05 – 5.10	Q&A and Final Remarks	<i>Mark Dawe, AELP</i>
5.10	Day One Close	
7.00 - 8.00	AELP Pre-Dinner Drinks Reception	Cremant Suite Foyer
8.00 - late	AELP Gala Dinner	Cremant Suite