

Wednesday, 1 November 2017

The Principal, Manchester

Towards an Inclusive Skills Strategy – 12 months on

Agenda

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| 08.45 – 09.45 | Delegate Registration | |
| 09.45 – 10.15 | Conference Opening | |
| 09.45 – 09.55 | Introductions and housekeeping | Mark Dawe, AELP |
| 09.55 – 10.05 | Chairman's welcome | Martin Dunford OBE, AELP |
| 10.05 – 10.15 | Big issues for providers | Mark Dawe, AELP |
| 10.15 – 11.10 | Apprenticeships & Employers | |
| 10.15 – 10.25 | Levy payer viewpoint | Adrian Rowley, Grafton Merchanting GB |
| 10.25 – 10.35 | Public sector roll-out | Lucy Hunte, Health Education England – North, Central & East London |
| 10.35 – 10.45 | Government update | Keith Smith, ESFA |
| 10.45 – 10.55 | Provider perspective | Richard Marsh, Kaplan |
| 10.55 – 11.10 | Q&A | <i>Panel of above speakers with M Dawe</i> |
| 11.10 – 11.40 | Morning Break | |
| 11.40 – 12.35 | Overcoming Barriers to Social Mobility | |
| 11.40 – 11.50 | Traineeships | Anthony Chalmers, DfE |
| 11.50 – 12.00 | 16-18 funding | Ashley McCaul, Skills for Growth |
| 12.00 – 12.10 | Disadvantaged and LLDD | Clare Howard, Natspec |
| 12.10 – 12.20 | English, maths & digital skills | Elizabeth Pawloski, Carillion PLC |
| 12.20 – 12.35 | Q&A | <i>Panel of above speakers with M Dawe</i> |
| 12.35 – 13.50 | Lunch | |
| 13.50 – 14.00 | Combined Authorities' approach to devolution | |
| 13.50 - 14.00 | Deals now and in the future | Gemma Marsh, Greater Manchester Combined Authority |
| 14.00 – 15.05 | T Level Reforms | |
| 14.00 – 14.10 | Government update | Jennifer Coupland, DfE |
| 14.10 – 14.20 | Work placement challenge | Mark Pike, Develop |
| 14.20 – 14.30 | Partnership working | Alex Richards, WTPN |
| 14.30 – 14.40 | Q&A | <i>Panel of above speakers with M Dawe</i> |
| 14.40 – 15.05 | Matching the T Level to Apprenticeship Reform | Kirstie Donnelly MBE, City & Guilds + Sally Dicketts CBE, Activate Learning + Ian Bamford, Paragon Skills |
| | Q&A | <i>Panel of above speakers</i> |
| 15.05 – 15.35 | Afternoon Break | |
| 15.35 – 16.30 | Quality | |
| 15.35 – 15.45 | Ofsted update | Chris Jones, Ofsted |
| 15.45 – 15.55 | Standards and EPA | Richard Guy OBE, Ifa |
| 15.55 – 16.05 | Role of technology in improving delivery | Sam Blyth, Canvas |
| 16.05 – 16.15 | Challenges of EPA | Charlotte Bosworth, Innovate Awarding |
| 16.15 – 16.30 | Q&A | <i>Panel of above speakers with M Dawe</i> |
| 16.30 – 16.45 | Closing Plenary | |
| 16.30 – 16.45 | Summary & Final Remarks | Mark Dawe, AELP |
| 16.45 | Conference Close | |