



Youth Friendly Employment Conference 2015

Creating a Youth Friendly Culture

Tuesday, 1 December 2015

Tower Hotel, London

Draft Agenda

08.30 – 09.30	Conference Registration	
	Refreshments, networking and an opportunity to visit the Exhibitors	
09.30 – 09.40	Opening	
09.30 - 09.35 09.35 - 09.40	Welcome Introduction & Housekeeping	Laura-Jane Rawlings - CEO, YEUK
09.40 – 10.20	Youth Voice	
09.40 - 09.50 09.50 - 10.00 10.00 - 10.10 10.10 - 10.20	The importance of listening to young people Involving young people in the recruitment process Learning from young people Panel discussion	Neil Burke – Youth Focus North East Caryl Cotton – National Grid Joanne Rich – Affinity Sutton <i>All speakers</i>
10.20 – 11.00	Creating Opportunity	
10.20 - 10.30 10.30 - 10.40 10.40 - 10.50 10.50 - 11.00	Creating opportunities in school Supporting hard to reach young people Creating opportunities through traineeships Panel discussion	Anne Spackman - Career Ready Emma Judge – EY Iain Salisbury – learndirect <i>All speakers</i>
11.00 – 11.40	Recognising Talent	
11.00 – 11.10 11.10 – 11.20 11.20 – 11.30 11.30 – 11.40	The impact of social action Supporting individuals Looking beyond the grades Panel discussion	Charlotte Hill – Step up to Serve Nichola Hay – Outsource Training Kim Patterson – Interserve <i>All speakers</i>
11.40 – 12.10	Refreshments, Networking and an opportunity to visit the Exhibitors	
12.10 – 12.20	Keynote	
	Address by the Minister	Rt Hon Priti Patel MP Minister for Employment
12.20 – 13.05	Workshops Session 1	<i>40 minutes + 5 travel</i>
	A. How to develop a youth voice B. Recruiting young people C. Recognising Talent D. Developing People	London Youth Recruitment and Employment Confederation Bright Futures Youth Employment UK
13.05 – 14.05	Lunch, Networking and an opportunity to visit the Exhibitors	
14.05 – 14.50	Workshops Session 2	<i>40 minutes + 5 travel</i>
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14.50 – 15.30	Fair Employment	
14.50 - 15.00 15.00 - 15.10	Making sure opportunities are quality Rewarding skills	Beth Gardner – Fair Train Gary Rimmer – Key Training

15.10 – 15.20 15.20 – 15.30	Pathways for all Panel discussion	Sandy Macdonald - Standard Life <i>All Speakers</i>
15.30 – 16.00	Refreshments, Networking and opportunity to visit the Exhibitors	
16.00 – 16.40	Developing People	
16.00 – 16.10 16.10 – 16.20 16.20 – 16.30 16.30 – 16.40	The benefits of an enterprise employee culture Developing young people through HR Mentoring young people in employment Panel discussion	Jemeela Quraishi - CIPD Kate Welch OBE DL MA FRSA - Acumen John Parks – SEMTA <i>All Speakers</i>
16.40 – 17.00	Plenary Session	
16.40 – 16.50 16.50 – 17.00	Final Summary Q&A	Laura-Jane Rawlings YEUK Ambassadors
17.00	Conference Close	
17.00 - 18.00	Champagne Reception – Including awards to the Youth Ambassadors of 2015 and Youth Friendly Employers	

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