

ESPA Development Network Conference: Changing Landscapes, Strengthening Teams

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City of Glasgow College, Glasgow

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Education Sector PA Network

Programme

- 0930 **Registration and Tea/Coffee/Breakfast**
- 1000 **Welcome and Introductions**
Michelle Brand, PA to the Depute Principal, City of Glasgow College
- Michelle will deliver any housekeeping notes and set the scene for the day.
- 1010 **Disruption, Change & Innovation**
Paul Little, Principal and CEO, City of Glasgow College
- In this session Paul will highlight how the above has had an impact on the college sector and contributed to the changing landscape.
- 1100 **Is it Time For a Change?**
Wendy Alexander, Vice Principal, University of Dundee
- Wendy will use her own career history spanning politics, private sector and education in Scotland and internationally to explore how women can think about the practicalities of career change and the changing world of work. Is variety the spice of life? Are the trade-offs different for women? And how do we ensure we love our workplaces - if not everything we need to do.
- 1200 **Introduction of Charity Raffle**
- The ESPA Development Network has over the years supported a charity with the proceeds from the raffle – this year the funds will go to Alzheimer Scotland. Diane Goldberg will introduce the charity and its work.
- 1215 **Lunch, Raffle Tickets and Networking Opportunity**



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1300 **Welcome Back**

Michelle will welcome everyone back from lunch, describe the format for the afternoon sessions.

1310 **The World is Changing All Around Us**

Diane Goldberg, Director, T2G Coaching Limited & Honorary Secretary at Alzheimer Scotland

Diane's session will explore how external and internal factors affect the workplace, leadership and individuals' abilities to work effectively as teams. The session will be interactive, encouraging delegate participation and will include a team exercise.

1410 **Comfort Break**

1420 **Afternoon Sessions**

Delegates can choose one session to attend from the following:

- Brick-laying Build your own wall
- Art Tour
- Pulled and Blown Sugar

1520 **Tea/coffee and Presentation of Raffle Prizes**

1545 **Plenary and Close**



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