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Association of National Teaching Fellows 10th Annual Symposium 2015

Monday 30 March 2015 and Tuesday 31 March 2015

Theme: Passion

Venue: Macdonald Burlington Hotel, Birmingham

Dear colleague,

We are delighted that you are able to join us for the 2015 ANTF symposium. Thank you for joining our 10th anniversary event. This document provides further details about the symposium including the programme and supporting information.

Our symposium is supported by the Higher Education Academy and we thank the HEA accordingly.

We are delighted and proud to be sponsored by Ede and Ravenscroft and thank the company for their support of this event and our other activities this year.

The Committee of the Association of National Teaching Fellows would also like to express their sincere appreciation to De Montfort University, Leicester, for kindly sponsoring the symposium drinks reception.

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We are delighted to receive the support of our symposium by Play Doh, as manufactured by Hasbro. Thanks go to Hasbro for such a colourful contribution. We welcome delegates to enjoy the creative delights of Play Doh!

We look forward to seeing you in Birmingham. Should you have any queries in the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact me.

On behalf of the Committee of the Association of National Teaching Fellows Many thanks,

Kirsten

Dr Kirsten Hardie

Chair of the Committee of the Association of National Teaching Fellows

All symposium activities will be in the Macdonald Burlington hotel Horton room unless indicated otherwise. All refreshments and lunch will be served near Horton room.

Programme: 30 March 2015

10.00	Registration and refreshments
10.30	Welcome: ANTF committee members
10.45	Pecha Kucha session (Host: Dr Viv Rolfe)
12.00	Strand 1 - ANTF Journal: Facilitator: Professor Carol Evans (Host: Professor Simon Lancaster) Strand 2 - Professional Service Workshop / discussion: Good Practice
12.30	Buffet Lunch
13.15	Keynote: Dr John Craig and Fiona Hellowell, HEA (Host: Dr Kirsten Hardie)
13.45	ANTF survey results; ANTF special interest groups; ANTF training requirements. Facilitator: Dr Viv Rolfe (Host: Professor Carol Evans)
15.00	Refreshments
15.15	Strand 1: Workshop ANTF Book – Facilitator: Tim Bilham (Host: Dr Laura Ritchie) Strand 2: Workshop - UKPSF & Senior & Principal Fellowship applications – Facilitator: Dr Ian Scott (Host: Dr Charles Buckley)
16.30 –	ANTF Annual General Meeting
18.00	including Chair's report (Dr Kirsten Hardie)
19.30	Drinks reception and dinner: quiz and prizes

Programme: Tuesday 31 March 2015

9.00	Welcome: ANTF committee members
9.45	Ede and Ravenscroft sponsored Keynote Speaker:
	Professor Sally Brown (Host: Professor Derek France)
10.30	Keynote Speaker: Professor Pauline Kneale (Host: Dr Julia Pointon)
11.15	Refreshments
11.30	Strand 1: Workshop - UKPSF & Senior & Principal Fellowship application. Facilitator: Dr Ian Scott (Host: Professor Julian Park)
	Strand 2: Workshop / discussion: Deepening the relationship between teaching and research - sharing best practice. Facilitator: Dr Pratap Rughani (Host: Dr Charles Buckley) Please come with examples of how your teaching models a research edge, or how you think this could be best developed.
12:30	Buffet lunch
13.15	Strand 1: Workshop: Mobile devices and fieldwork (Facilitator: Professor Derek Francis (Host: Professor Julian Park)
	Strand 2: Workshop: Using Cognitive Styles in Pedagogy – Facilitator: Professor Carol Evans (Host: Professor Simon Lancaster)
15.00	Refreshments
15.15	Keynote Speaker: Professor Michael Young (Host: Dr Pratap Rughani)
15.45	Blue Skies Session – what's possible projects, collaboration Facilitators: Dr Ian Scott and Dr Caroline Stainton (Host: Professor Carol Evans)
16.30	End

Venue information

All scheduled symposium activities will take place at:

Macdonald Burlington Hotel, Burlington Arcade, 126 New Street, Birmingham, B2 4JQ

Tel: 0844 879 9019

See: http://www.macdonaldhotels.co.uk/our-hotels/macdonald-burlington-hotel/

Macdonald Burlington Hotel is located in the centre of Birmingham and is opposite Birmingham New Street Station.

The hotel has left luggage facilities.

Check-in 2pm / Check-out 11am.

Room service available 24 hours a day.

Parking available nearby at NCP New Street Car Park - B5 4AN – approx. £5.24 per day with reduced rate from hotel.

If you require direct drop off access to the hotel please contact reception.

Birmingham City Centre Map - available at:

http://visitbirmingham.com/interconnect/download-visitor-map/

Personal Property

Delegates are advised that they should look after their property. The ANTF is not responsible for any loss or damage to personal property.

Registration

Registration will take place at the registration desk near the Horton room which is the main room for the symposium. Refreshments will be available during this time in the area outside the Horton room.

Meeting rooms & catering arrangements

The event is taking place in the Horton room.

Teas and coffees and lunch will be served in the area outside the Horton room.

Travel

By road near A38M off M6 J6

Rail = 2 minute walk from Birmingham New Street Station

National Rail Enquiries on 08457 48 49 50 http://www.nationalrail.co.uk/

Air - 9 miles from Birmingham International Airport

Birmingham Coach Station (Digbeth high street)

Taxis A2B 0121 7333000

Birmingham Taxis 0121 777 3777, text on 07766 633339

Restaurants see: http://visitbirmingham.com/what-to-do/food-drink/restaurants/

Birmingham offers an array of restaurants and eating places across the city – from the inexpensive fast food of Big Johns to award winning restaurants. Areas offer a range of eating places e.g. China town – a short walk from the Burlington Macdonald hotel to canal side dining at Brindley place area http://www.brindleyplace.com/category/restaurants/

Accommodation

The following information is supplied to offer suggestion – a range of accommodation choices. Please note that the accommodation list highlights a few hotels only and does not suggest an ANTF preference. All delegates are to organise their own hotel bookings - accommodation is not included in conference fee.

Macdonald Burlington Hotel, Burlington Arcade, 126 New Street, B2 4JQ Tel: 0844 879 9019

Premier Inn, Birmingham City Centre (New St Station), Birmingham Exchange Buildings, Stephenson Place, B2 4NH (Birmingham New Street Train Station 2 mins walk)

Tel: 0871 527 9442

Premier Inn, Birmingham City Centre (Waterloo Street), 3-6 Waterloo Street, B2 5PG Tel: 0871 527 8074

Comfort Inn Birmingham, Station Street, Birmingham, B5 4D http://www.comfortinnbirmingham.co.uk/

Hotel du Vin Birmingham, Church Street, Birmingham, B3 2NR http://www.hotelduvin.com/locations/birmingham/?gclid=CP-xz7u5h7wCFQHHtAodEG8Ahw

Ibis City, Ladywell Walk, Arcadian Centre, B5 4ST. (Chinatown area)

Tel: 0121 6199000

http://www.ibis.com/gb/hotel-1459-ibis-birmingham-city-centre/index.shtml

Holiday Inn Birmingham City Centre, Smallbrook Queensway

Tel: 0121 634 6200

Radisson Blu hotel, Holloway Circus, Queensway, Birmingham

Tel: 0121 654 6000

http://www.radissonblu.co.uk/hotel-birmingham

Novotel Birmingham Centre Hotel, 70 Broad St, Birmingham Tel: 0121 643 2000 http://www.novotel.com/gb/hotel-1077-novotel-birmingham-centre/index.shtml

Travelodge Birmingham Central Hotel, 230 Broad Street, Birmingham, B15 1AY Tel: 0871 984 6064 http://www.travelodge.co.uk/hotels/109/Birmingham-Centralhotel?utm_source=google&utm_medium=maps&utm_campaign=Birmingham+Central

Crowne Plaza Birmingham City Central Square, Birmingham, B1 1HH

pentahotel Birmingham, Ernest Street/ Holloway Head, Birmingham, B1 1NS

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