

**Interdisciplinary Learning and Teaching Conference
Practice and Knowledge Production
Keele University
9 - 10th April 2019**



Programme

Tuesday, April 9th

09:00 am	Registration and Refreshments	Gallery, Chancellor's Building
10:00 am	<p>Opening Remarks</p> <p>Professor Jonathan Wastling Director of the Institute of Liberal Arts and Sciences (ILAS), Pro Vice-Chancellor (Postgraduate Studies) and Executive Dean of the Faculty of Natural Sciences</p> <p>Keynote Address</p> <p>Dr. Machiel Keestra Institute for Interdisciplinary Studies, University of Amsterdam and former President of the Association for Interdisciplinary Studies</p>	CBA0.060
11:00	Parallel Sessions	
A	<i>Building Interdisciplinary Communities of Learning</i>	<i>Chair: I. Kemp</i>
1	Laying the foundation: Education for sustainability through interdisciplinary projects. S. Davenward and S. Briggs - Keele University	CBA0.007
2	The importance of scenario-building exercises for teaching interdisciplinarity. S. Scott - University of Birmingham	

<i>B</i>	<i>Assessing and Teaching Interdisciplinarity</i>	<i>Chair: E. Tennant</i>
1	Teaching and assessing online interdisciplinary units. C. Cooke and S. Yeowell - University of Manchester	CBA0.003
2	Driving 'inter' from the ground-up: a resource to support students. S. McLaughlin - University of Leeds	
<i>C</i>	<i>Assessing and Teaching Interdisciplinary Research</i>	<i>Chair: A. Zieleniec</i>
1	Under read, over read and wandering free: Interdisciplinary research and finding balance. S. Taha - Keele University	CBA0.013
2	Supervision of interdisciplinary undergraduate research. R. van Lambalgen - Utrecht University	
12:00	Parallel Sessions	
<i>A</i>	<i>Assessing and Teaching Interdisciplinarity</i>	<i>Chair: H. Cooke</i>
1	Creation, curation and critique: teaching and assessing creative practice in the Liberal Arts. R. Stannard - Keele University	CBA0.007
2	Wiki technology in interdisciplinary assessment. J. Everest – University College London (UCL)	
<i>B</i>	<i>Building Interdisciplinary Communities of Learning</i>	<i>Chair: E. Riva</i>
1	Bringing students together with inter-professional learning. C. Zawada - Birmingham City University	CBA0.013
2	Utilising inter-professional simulation to enhance the challenging area of safeguarding children education. R. Carter and A. Kelly - University of Plymouth	
<i>C</i>	<i>Building Interdisciplinary Communities of Learning</i>	<i>Chair: J. Parker</i>
1	'Be My'... - a consideration of student and staff partnership and interdisciplinary learning and teaching in action. K. Hardie - Arts University Bournemouth	CBA0.003
2	Co-teaching and co-learning for interdisciplinarity: autonomy, uncertainty and generosity. N. De La Tour and N. C. Tosun - Warwick University	
12:45	Posters and Lunch	Gallery
13:45	Parallel Sessions	
<i>A</i>	<i>Development and Progress in Liberal Arts Provision in the UK</i>	<i>Chair: A. Zieleniec</i>
1	Liberal Arts degrees in the UK: Is there a British approach? J. Parker - Keele University	CBA0.007

2	Not drowning but waving: Openness-to-interpretation and the Liberal Arts. P. Lucas and K. Vernon - University of Central Lancashire	
<i>B</i>	<i>Assessing the Impact of Interdisciplinary Study on Engagement, Satisfaction and Employability</i>	<i>Chair: Z. Robinson</i>
1	Placements, employability and interdisciplinarity. T. Clark and K. Nichols - University of Sheffield	CBA0.013
2	A 'capitalist' approach to student employability. H. Cooke and I. Kemp - The Open University	
<i>C</i>	<i>Collaboration and Interdisciplinarity</i>	<i>Chair: R. Stannard</i>
1	Effective collaboration in interdisciplinary (student) teams: competencies for 21 st century research and research education. R. van Woerden - University of Utrecht	CBA0.003
2	Collaboration across disciplines with Academic Conversations. E. Tennant – Keele University	
14:45	Parallel Sessions	
<i>A</i>	<i>Assessing and Teaching Interdisciplinarity</i>	<i>Chair: J. Parker</i>
1	The Co-operative College Project. P. Wilding and A. Colebrook - University of Leeds/Co-operative College	CBA0.007
2	Combined subject learning and civic capital in the fourth industrial revolution. D. Holloway – University of Derby	
<i>B</i>	<i>Problem/Theme based Interdisciplinary Activities</i>	<i>Chair: A. Zieleniec</i>
1	Animals and society: Embedding experiences of animal campaigning into interdisciplinary teaching and learning. D. Allen - Keele University	CBA0.013
2	Well-being - an interdisciplinary issue. E. Riva - University of Warwick	
<i>C</i>	<i>Problem/Theme based Interdisciplinary Activities</i>	<i>Chair: E. Tennant</i>
1	Evaluation of a work-based learning module for healthcare professionals working in cancer care. J. Fairhurst and L. Potter - Keele University/Macmillan Cancer Support	CBA0.003
2	Interdisciplinary experiences: staff and student perspectives of sustainability-focused interdisciplinary degrees. Z. Robinson - Keele University	
15:30	Tea/Coffee Break	

16:00 – 17:15	Poster Presentations Day 1 Closing Remarks Professor David Amigoni Pro Vice-Chancellor (Research and Enterprise)	CBA0.060
17:30	Wine Reception	Keele Hall – The Great Hall and Salvin Room
19:00	Evening Meal (optional)	Keele Hall – The Old Library

Wednesday, April 10th

09:30	Arrival. Refreshments and Topic Meetings	Gallery and Chancellor's Open Space
10:00	Parallel Workshops	<i>Workshop/Discussion</i>
A	The Future of Interdisciplinary Education: The best way to predict the future is to create it. A. Manneke and L. DeGreef - University of Amsterdam	CBA0.007
B	Picture This: Where will my story take me now? S. Corbett - Keele University	CBA0.013
C	Employability for multi-subject students. H. Cooke and I. Kemp The Open University	CBA0.003
10:50	Tea/Coffee	
11:00	Student Perspectives– Papers/Panel/Discussion	CBA0.060
	A Shift to Problem, not discipline. J. Sparkes - Keele University student	
	A Personal narrative and institutional perspective of a student journey as a student on the Open Degree. S. Andrews - The Open University student	
	Building a broken elevator: The role of Student Creative Collectives in interdisciplinary education. T. Nelson - Keele University student	
12:15	Closing Remarks Professor Helen O'Sullivan Pro Vice-Chancellor (Education)	CBA0.060
12:30	Le Café, the Refectory and the shop are open for lunch and/or takeaway sandwiches	

Unless otherwise stated all rooms are on the ground floor of Chancellor's Building A.