



learning festival

macrobert building school of education
saturday 16th may 2009 (9.00am - 3.50pm)

Aims of the learning festival

- To promote collaborative engagement in Curriculum for Excellence
- To celebrate teachers' professional learning and development
- To encourage collaborative approaches to CPD that is for teachers by teachers
- To promote innovative learning technologies and encourage networking

Programme

9:00	Coffee and Registration
9:45	Welcoming remarks
9:55	Keynote speaker 1: Tony Finn, GTCS - Leadership
10:30	Workshop 1 – Leadership for Learning (4 workshops to choose from)
11:30	Comfort break and refreshment
11:50	Workshop 2 – Curriculum for Excellence (4 workshops to choose from)
12:50	Lunch + Stalls
13:50	Workshop 3 – Sharing Good Practice (4 workshops to choose from)
14:50	Keynote speaker 2: Prof. Do Coyle - Creating and Connecting Learning Communities
15:30	Plenary
15:50	CLOSE

Themes for the Workshops

Curriculum for Excellence; Leadership for Learning; Sharing Good Practice

Conference Fee: £25.00 (Free for those presenting or copresenting a workshop)

Full details of the festival workshops can be found at: www.abdn.ac.uk/pldc

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Please complete and return this application form by email/post to the address below by the 9th May 2009.

Name: _____ Age and Stage: _____

Job Title: _____ Organisation: _____

Contact Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Email Address (MANDATORY): _____ Phone: _____

Payment: Please provide name and address for the invoice _____

Postcode: _____

Please indicate your order of preference for the workshops under each of the three main themes from

1 (most preferred) 4 (least preferred):

Leadership for Learning

- Chartered Teachers & Exploring Leadership
- Mentoring
- CPD for Leaders
- Arts as a tool for learning across the curriculum

Curriculum for Excellence

- Learning and Teaching Methodologies (Numeracy)
- Literacy
- Please indicate age and stage:** _____
- International Education
- Music - Kodály (Primary)

Sharing Good Practice

- Innovative Learning Technologies
- Practitioner Enquiry
- Work-Based Projects
- CPD Pathways for probationers and 1st year fully registered teachers

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For further information and/or dietary requirements, please contact Alison Sage as above.

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Cancellation

If you cancel your place, a refund of the conference fee less an administrative charge will be made, provided that notice is received in writing no less than 14 days before the event. It is regretted that cancellations received after this time will be liable for the full conference fee. Substitutes may be made at any time at no extra charge. If the University cancels the conference, you will receive a full refund.