

# Next Steps for Delivering Full Open Access in Higher Education

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10.15 Registration & Morning Refreshments

11.00 ⇒ **Chair's Introduction - Professor Yvonne Barnett**, Senior Pro VC (Research), Nottingham Trent University & Former Co-Chair, UUK Gold Open Access Service Standards Working Group

11.05 **Morning Session: Current and future challenges for open access policy**

- Current key issues: UKRI Open Access policies & upcoming review
  - Open Access under REF 2021: requirements, exceptions & timescales
  - Results and implications of HEFCE, Jisc, UKRI & The Wellcome Trust survey
  - Addressing the financial consequences of Open Access, including rising article publishing charges and accompanying grant costs
  - Effective relationships with publishers and other key partners
  - Data management post-GDPR: sensitive data, governance & ethics implications
  - Role of technology and digital tools in facilitating Open Access
  - Aligning Open Access policies with academic & research community interests
- ⇒ **Max Hastings**, Open Science Lead, UKRI Strategy
- ⇒ **Bill Hubbard**, Head of Scholarly Communications Support & Director, Centre for Research Communications, Jisc
- ⇒ **Dr Arthur Smith**, Acting Joint Deputy Head of Scholarly Communication (Open Access), University of Cambridge

13.00 Networking Lunch

13.45 **Afternoon Session: Practitioner-focussed information and case studies**

- Hearing and sharing experiences of open access with peers
  - Successful approaches to Open Access institutional repositories
  - Best practice in partnership working in and out of HEIs
  - Implementing peer support programmes
- ⇒ **Dr Simon Kerridge**, Director of Research Services, University of Kent & ARMA
- ⇒ **Dr Emma Wilson**, Publishing Director, Royal Society of Chemistry & ALPSP

15.30 Event Close

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