

# Supporting Disabled Students in Higher Education

Broadway House, Tothill Street, Westminster | Wednesday, 15th November 2017

## 11.00 Chair's Introduction

⇒ **Pete Quinn**, *Independent Consultant*

## 11.05 Disabled Students' Allowances

- Government plans for the future & latest developments
- *NMH Quality Assurance Framework* and delivering a high standard of support
- The impact of reforms one year on

⇒ **Greg Boone**, *Disabled Students' Allowances Team Leader, DfE*

## 11.45 Reasonable Adjustments & HEI Provided Support

- Determining DSA support & reasonable adjustments HEIs must provide
- Models of support for students with disabilities
- Using technology to increase accessibility
- Improving access provision for deaf students in HE: what more can be done?

⇒ **Phil Scarffe**, *Head of Student Welfare, De Montfort University*

⇒ **Matthew Williams**, *Senior Research Fellow, Institute for Employment Studies*

⇒ **Julia Taylor**, *Subject Specialist (Accessibility & Inclusion), Jisc*

⇒ **Frances Lewin**, *Communication & Language Specialist*

## 13.00 Networking Lunch

## 13.45 Creating Inclusive Teaching & Learning Environments

- Inclusive curriculum frameworks & developing a whole institutional approach
- Changing teaching & learning cultures to promote inclusion
- Raising awareness among staff & students
- Reasonable adjustments in assessment processes
- Inclusive teaching and the TEF
- Delivering social models of support

⇒ **Nona McDuff OBE**, *Director of Student Achievement, Kingston University*

⇒ **Rachel O'Brien**, *Disabled Students' Officer, NUS*

⇒ **Ann-Marie Houghton**, *Director of REAP, Lancaster University*

## 15.30 Event Close

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