

NERUPI Evaluators Event
Sharing Evaluation Findings:
Improving Practice

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Improving Practice - Why Share?

- ❖ Compliance: Access and Participation Plan (or equivalent)
- ❖ Grow the evidence base for equality of opportunity in higher education
- ❖ Enhancement of institutional profile
- ❖ Team and Relationship-building – within own praxis team but also cross-institutional, cross-partnership and cross-sector
- ❖ Professional development of colleagues – those that produce and receive
- ❖ Own personal and professional development

- **Expect publication of findings on short, medium and long-term outcomes or other relevant findings**
- **Through a range of channels, both internally and externally**

Suggested publication channels include:

- peer/non-peer reviewed reports or papers hosted on own institutional webpages
- REF submissions (where appropriate)
- blogs** and webpages
- papers/case studies in academic journals
- calls for evidence (*including OfS and HEEL*)
- at conferences (talks or poster presentations)
- learning lunches, network meetings or network communication channels.

* *Regulatory advice 6: How to prepare an access and participation plan*

** ⚠ *with approval from your manager/institutional comms policy/PR team*

The NERUPI Approach

NERUPI recognises the importance of a safe, supportive space where members can talk and share experiences and practice with colleagues about things that matter in their area of work.

We work to ensure that all our activities provide this space.

Sharing Evaluation Findings: NERUPI Opportunities

- ❖ Workshop, Presentation or Panel member at the annual NERUPI Convention – can be research or practice example-based
- ❖ Poster Presentation at the Annual NERUPI Convention
- ❖ Presentation General Programme of Events or Evaluators' Series of Events (online and in-person)
- ❖ Lightning Talk or Presentation at Working Group Meeting
- ❖ Leading practice example discussion at Working Group Meeting
- ❖ Research, Case Studies or Practice Examples in resource area of NERUPI Website – [link to share your results and materials with the NERUPI community here](#)

Ideas for Sharing Practice



Sharing Practice - Background

Our individual members fall broadly into three groups or communities of practice:

- ❖ Evaluators
- ❖ Practitioners who are involved in delivering programmes and activities that support students throughout the life-cycle
- ❖ Leaders / Managers who bring together these two elements strategically and/or operationally.

Sharing Practice - Activity

Think about and discuss ideas for sharing practice through the medium of lightning talks* for our Evaluator and Access and Participation Plan Working Groups identifying:

- ❖ Topics that would be of current interest to members in these three groups
- ❖ Yourself or colleagues that you know who might be willing to share their practice.

* a very short presentation lasting only a few minutes (can also be called 'ignite talk': collective noun – data-blitz)

Sharing Practice

20 March 2025 Evaluator Event - Ideas for sharing practice through lightning talks of interest to:

Evaluators	Programme Delivery Practitioners	WP/APP Leaders/Strategic Managers
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