

## Collaborative Outreach & Uni Connect

### Morning Programme

- ◆ **10:30**     **Welcome & Introduction**  
**Annette Hayton**  
NERUPI Convenor, Senior Praxis Fellow, University of Bath
  
- ◆ **10:45**     **Effective Approaches to Evaluation in WP**  
**Professor Anna Mountford-Zimdars**  
Director of Centre for Social Mobility, University of Exeter  
  
Reflecting on some of the lessons learned in recent years, Anna will explore approaches to evaluating widening participation activity, supporting collaborative partnerships in building strong and sustainable programmes and developing their understanding of what works .
  
- ◆ **11:15**     **Q&A / Break**
  
- ◆ **11:30**     **OfS Update on Uni Connect Programme Evaluation**  
**Beth Isaac**  
Senior Evaluation Officer, Office for Students  
  
This session will provide a brief overview of programme evaluation for Uni Connect and an opportunity to ask questions.
  
- ◆ **12.00**     **Q& A / Break**
  
- ◆ **12.15**     **Lunch Break**

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### Afternoon Programme

- ◆ **12.45**      **Uni Connect, Collaboration and Covid-19**  
**Helen Smith**  
Uni Connect Project Director, FutureHy Programme  

Helen will explore how Uni Connect partnerships can foster collaboration both locally and nationally as well as discussing the impact of Covid-19 on Uni Connect activity going forward.
- ◆ **1.15**      **Q&A / Break**
- ◆ **1:30**      **Case Study 1: North East Regional Progression Framework**  
**Kate Murray & Rachel Morrison, North East Collaborative Outreach Programme**  

This session focusses on NECOP's work in embedding NERUPI Framework aims and objectives within a regional progression framework designed primarily as a tool to support practitioners from across a range of institutions and sectors wishing to develop a programme of higher education outreach activity and evaluation.
- ◆ **2.00**      **Short Break**
- ◆ **2:10**      **Case Study 2: HOP HE Progression Framework**  
**Claire Taylor & Jess Gleeson, Humber Outreach Programme**  

This session presents a case study of the Humber Outreach Programme's HE outreach framework which supports the planning of future opportunities for school/college students and parents/carers . The framework aligns with Gatsby benchmarks, links closely to the Ofsted Education Inspection Framework and uses the NERUPI Framework to underpin the design and evaluation of interventions.
- ◆ **2.40**      **Feedback & Closing Remarks**  
**Annette Hayton**  
NERUPI Convenor, Senior Praxis Fellow, University of Bath
- ◆ **3.00**      **Close**