UCL Education Conference

Wednesday 17 April 2024

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| Time | Activity | Location | Theme |
| All day | Quiet room | Room 728, Level 7 |  |
| 9.00am | Registration | The Foyer, Level 3 (ground floor, accessed from Bedford Way) |  |
|  | Tea/coffee & pastries | The Crush, Level 1 |  |
| 9.30am | Conference open Peter Fitch | Logan Hall, Level 1 |  |
|  | Welcome UCL Vice-Provost Education and Student Experience, Professor Kathy Armour | Logan Hall, Level 1 |  |
|  | Keynote: The challenges facing school pupils from disadvantaged backgrounds Mouhssin Ismail | Logan Hall, Level 1 |  |
| 10.50am | Tea / Coffee | The Crush, Level 1 |  |
| 11.15am– 12.30pm | Parallel sessions #1 |  |  |
|  | Case studies Connecting modules through case-based studies.  Presenter: Sudeshna Basugupta, Alexander Norori-McCormac  Perspectives on the role of self-assessment in shaping an effective learning environment  Presenter: Karen Stepanyan, Helen Poon and Kaede Hasegawa  The use of Generative AI in Higher Education curriculum development: a case study in Biomedical Engineering  Presenter: Darren Player  Students co-creating AI support for dissertation research  Presenters: Eileen Kennedy, Yuni Triandini, Deepita Shukla  Facilitator: Tom Langston | Room A5.01, Level 5 | The modern and future Higher Education classroom |
|  | Interactive workshop Nurturing sustainable development in education  Presenter: Victoria Hilborne  Facilitator: Jamie Cawthra | Room A5.02, Level 5 | The modern and future Higher Education classroom |
|  | Interactive workshop Safeguarding personal tutors’ mental health and wellbeing.  Presenter: Liz Halstead, Elizabeth Herbert  Facilitator: Frances Lane | Room A5.03, Level 5 | Wellbeing and care in Higher Education |
|  | Case studies Increasing quality while decreasing stress: a case study of a feed forward approach coupled with ungrading.  Presenter: Alecia Carter  Am I being unreasonable? Reasonable adjustments in the Faculty of Engineering  Presenter: Molly Lavender-Rose  Creative visual methodologies for higher education  Presenter: Eleanor Chiari  Understanding how to prevent and address vicarious trauma and compassion fatigue in students researching distressing topics  Presenter: Enrico Mariconti, Lilly Neubauer  Facilitator: Manjula Patrick | Room C3.15, Level 3 | Wellbeing and care in Higher Education |
|  | Case studies Decoding the use of Generative AI in Higher Education assessments: understanding student utilisation  Presenters: Tom Gurney, Zahra Mohri, Vassilis Sideropoulos, Darren Player, Zachary Walker, Flaminia Ronca    The Engineering student experience: a comparative study looking into student support  Presenter: Liu Yuncong, Abel Nyamapfene  Creating grounds-up workshop spaces to educate 21st-century learners  Presenter: Nidhi Chaudhary  MyPortfolio: A case study supporting the Engineering foundation year (a widening participation programme) on their assessment journey  Presenter: Kathleen Alston-Cole  Lessons learned from developing a new module ‘Year 1 Toolkit: Thinking like a doctor in a changing world.'  Presenters: Emma Kelley, Lois Haruna-Cooper, Jayne Kavanagh, Vicki Cowling  Facilitator: Jason Davies | Room C3.11, Level 3 | 21st-century learners |
|  | **Interactive workshop** Navigating the horizon: exploring challenges and solutions in international education collaborations  Presenters: Zakia Arfeen, James Kelly, Isobel Lawson, Meganne Lawrence  Facilitator: Ella Zhang | Room C3.14, Level 3 |  |
|  | Case studies How work-based learning can help students employ their specialist academic skills in their future career.  Presenters: Benjamin Abrams, Caroline Oliver, David Guile, Rachel Wilde, and Sam Blaxland  From the classroom to community and back: developing research-based volunteering opportunities for student skill-building with social impact  Presenters: Molly McCabe, Martin Rodriguez Rocha, Aliza Kabani, Clarissa Salmon, Anne Laybourne  Empowerment through pro bono skills development and reflective practice  Presenter: Sonia Kalsi, Ram Sabaratnam, Eren Goknil L'Anson and Alexandra Thacker  Facilitator: Jenny Griffiths | Room C3.12, Level 3 | A fast-changing graduate employment market |
|  | Interactive workshop LEGO as a bridge to the future: empowering 21st-century learners for the evolving workplace  Presenters: Edyta Kostanek, Sarah Warnes  Facilitator: Karen Shackleford-Cesare | Room C3.13, Level 3 |  |
| 12.30pm | Lunch | The Crush, Level 1 |  |
| 1.35pm | UCL Education priorities, plans, and progress Parama Chaudhury, Kathryn Woods, & Karen Barnard | Jeffery Hall, Level 1 |  |
| 2.00pm | Keynote 2: Supporting our graduates into employment Natasha Davidson | Jeffery Hall, Level 1 |  |
| 2.50pm | Tea / Coffee (15 min) | The Crush, Level 1 |  |
| 3.10–3.40pm | Parallel session #2 |  |  |
|  | Case studies Co-creation of capstone assessment in Integrated Medical Sciences  Presenters: Iker Hernaez Sanz, Nephtali Marina Gonzalez, Angelica Valeria Blotto  Strategic staff-student partnership in research project selection and allocation  Presenter: Solomon Bawa  Facilitator:Nick Grindle | Room A5.01, Level 5 | The modern and future Higher Education classroom |
|  | Case studies Enhancing learning: blended teaching for a large cohort of postgrads at Bloomsbury & UCL East  Presenters: Shahab Akhavan, Georgios Nikiforidis  Walking in the patients’ shoes  Presenter: Anika Ahmad, Sara Garfield, Cate Whittlesea, Maria Buck  Facilitator: Jesper Hansen | Room A5.02, Level 5 |  |
|  | Case studies An accessible tool for writing, reviewing, and marking papers  Presenter: Sahar Nava  Post-exam dialogue for reassurance and quality assurance after multiple choice question assessments  Presenters: Adam Liston, Joelle Hanson-Baiden, Chris Routh  Facilitator: Karen Shackleford-Cesare | Room C3.15, Level 3 | Wellbeing and care in Higher Education |
|  | Case studies Evaluation and reflection of student-led learning support project “Content Help, Tips and Tricks from Learners to Learners”  Presenters: Camille Davidson, Muyang Duan, Tina Lavithi, Varsha Pandanda, Eileen Wang, Nuo Xu  Sing-a-long-a-classroom: Supporting student perceptions of learning complex concepts with song Presenter: William Sykes  Facilitator: Frances Lane | Room C3.11, Level 3 | 21st-century learners |
|  | Case studies Empowering global careers: supporting UCL School of Management international students  Presenters: Priya Chauhan, Nida Siddiqui, Kate Gault  The role of information interviewing in preparing students for work in a global market  Presenters: Catherine Casale, Sue-Zhen Yong  Facilitator: Brianna Powell | Room C3.12, Level 3 | A fast-changing graduate employment market |
|  | Case studies Community-based placements in Higher Education (Engineering)  Presenter: Kristyna Campbell  Find your future: reflecting on career and the evolving workplace in a multidisciplinary PG module  Presenter: Barnaby Mollett  Facilitator: Aardra Chandra Mouli | C3.13, Level 3 |  |
| 3.45–4.45pm | Parallel discussion groups |  |  |
|  | Facilitators: Angela Meade, Kjell Horn (Jesper Hansen) | Room A5.02, Level 5 | The modern and future Higher Education classroom |
|  | Facilitators: Andrew Williams, Helen Knowler (Manjula Patrick) | Room C3.15, Level 3 | Wellbeing and care in Higher Education |
|  | Facilitators: Ghita Kouadri Mostefaoui, Jenny Griffiths (Nick Grindle) | Room C3.14, Level 3 | 21st-century learners |
|  | Facilitators: Nikki Baxter, Monali Jasani (Weronika Benning) | Room C3.12, Level 3 | A fast-changing graduate employment market |
| 5.00–7.00pm | Drinks reception | The Crush |  |