

# GuildHE ANNUAL CONFERENCE and AGM 2015

University of Worcester



## 2020 Vision for Higher Education

#GuildHE15

Venue: Conference Suite, University Arena, University of Worcester, Hylton Road, Worcester, WR2 5JN

### Programme

Tuesday, 24th November 2015

- 14:00 – 14:30      **Conference Registration**  
Refreshments available  
*Please take a seat in the Arena Conference Suite*
- 14:30 – 14:45      **Welcome**  
**Prof. Joy Carter**, Vice-Chancellor, University of Winchester and Chair, GuildHE  
**Prof. David Green**, Vice-Chancellor, University of Worcester
- 14:45 - 15:15      **Gordon McKenzie**, Chief Executive, GuildHE
- 15:15 – 16:15      **Students and Value for Money**  
*Chair: Prof. Nigel Seaton*, Vice-Chancellor, Abertay University  
*Speakers: Megan Dunn*, President, NUS; **Jodie Hope**, SU President, University of Chichester; **Charlie Bertoia**, SU President, AECC; **Wesley Hudson**, SU President, University of Worcester
- 16:15 – 16:45      Coffee break
- 16:45 – 18:30      **Implications of the Green Paper**  
*Introduced by: Yvonne Hawkins*, Director, Universities & Colleges, HEFCE  
*Panel: Steve Denton*, Director of Education and Professional Practice, HEA; **Douglas Blackstock**, Chief Executive (Interim), QAA; **Stephen Jones**, Deputy Director, Strategy and Policy, BIS
- 18:45-19:15      *Transport to St John's Campus from Arena*

*Continues overleaf*

Supported by

Media partner



- 19:15 – 20:00      **Drinks Reception**  
*University of Worcester Student's Union (Upstairs Bar)*
- 19:30**              **Launch: GuildHE / TSEP report - Making Student Engagement a Reality**
- 20:00                **Conference Dinner – Cotswold Suite, St John's Campus**  
 Henwick Grove, Worcester, WR2 6AJ  
*After Dinner Speaker: Smita Jamdar, Partner - Education, Shakespeare Martineau*

**Wednesday, 25th November 2015**

- 09:00 – 09:30      **GuildHE Ltd Annual General Meeting - GuildHE Members Only**  
*The Hive*  
**Chaired by Prof. Joy Carter, GuildHE Chair and Gordon McKenzie, Chief Executive, GuildHE**  
 All members are requested to be present for this meeting; refreshments will be provided. *(See separate AGM agenda and papers)*

*Walk to University Arena*

- 10:00 – 11:00      **Innovation, leadership and local economic growth**  
*University Arena Conference Suite*  
 Chair: **Prof. Graham Baldwin**, Vice-Chancellor, Southampton Solent University  
 Speakers: **Neil Anderson**, Worcestershire County Council, **Francis Davis**, CEO, Southern Policy Centre, **Gary Woodman**, Executive Director, Worcestershire LEP

- 11:00 – 12:00      **Parallel Sessions**

|   |  |  |
|---|--|--|
| <b>Initial Teacher Education</b>  | <b>UKADIA Board Meeting</b><br><i>UKADIA Members only</i>                      | <b>Regulation</b>                          |
| <b>Location: Conference Suite</b>   | <b>Location: Teaching Rooms</b>  | <b>Location: Conference Suite</b>          |
| <i>Chair: Prof. Margaret House, Vice-Chancellor, Leeds Trinity University</i> | <i>Chair: Prof. John Last, Vice-Chancellor, Norwich University of the Arts</i> | <i>Chair: Gordon McKenzie, CEO GuildHE</i> |
| <i>Speaker: James Noble-Rogers, Executive Director, UCET</i>                  |  |  |

- 12:00                Buffet Lunch and refreshments, *University Arena Conference Suite*

- 12:30\*              **Spending Review Announcement followed by**

**Keynote: Andrew McGettigan**, Author, *The Great University Gamble*  
 Chaired by **Gordon McKenzie** *\*(exact timings determined on the day)*

Supported by

Media partner