### **FORTHCOMING LEARNING AND TEACHING CONFERENCE CALL FOR PAPERS**

### **2020/21**

**The Student Education Conference**

7th January 2021

Deadline for Papers – 6th November 2020

University of Leeds - Online

LITE will be holding a one-day online Student Education Conference to enable our community to come together to share research, emerging evidence and reflections on teaching and supporting students within the hybrid teaching world.

More info: <https://teachingexcellence.leeds.ac.uk/events/student-education-conference-2021/>

**STEM Conference 2021: Rethinking STEM Higher Education**28th January 2021

Call for papers still open

Online

The 2021 STEM Conference will provide an opportunity to reflect on, learn from, and further progress our responses to the COVID-19 crisis, to ensure that our approaches to STEM education are more resilient, effective and inclusive and to identify the new opportunities that have arisen from the pandemic.

More info: <https://www.advance-he.ac.uk/programmes-events/calendar/stem-conference-2021-rethinking-stem-higher-education>

**Advance HE Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Conference**

16th – 18th March 2021

Ignite Template now available

Online

2021 will see Advance HE bring together the annual EDI conference with the biannual Scottish conference into a three day virtual conference with the theme – *Courageous and adventurous approaches: Creative thinking in tackling inequality.* The conference will focus on ensuring that approaches to EDI topics and priorities in the sector, it will create space for reflection and capacity building and explore two sub-themes: ‘courageous conversations’ and ‘adventurous approaches.’ It will dig deep to explore hidden and merging EDI issues, and highlight the best examples of creative, courageous interventions that are contributing to change. Day one will have an additional focus on using positive action to advance equality in Scottish colleges and universities. As well as sharing best practice across the sector, there will be a focus on innovative approaches from outside HE and further education that have relevance to us.

More info: <https://www.advance-he.ac.uk/programmes-events/calendar/equality-diversity-and-inclusion-conference>

## **UKAT Annual Conference**

30th – 31st March 2021

Deadline for Papers – 30th November 2020

Online

The online conference focuses on developing students as independent self-regulating learners. The event will have a conversational focus and will consider how personal tutoring enables the addressing of disparities in engagement, progression and degree outcomes by students from groups underrepresented in HE and/or with protected characteristics. Through discussion and practice sharing, we will identify ways in which this fundamental component of HE can make higher education more inclusive of diverse student populations and enhance outcomes for all students.

Additionally, it will look at how personal tutoring can combine with peer learning, academic study skills development, and mentoring and coaching to build confidence and resilience, and enhance student success academically and successfully.

More info: <https://www.ukat.uk/events/ukat-annual-conference-2021/>

#### **Association for Learning Development in HE 2021: The Learning Development Conference**

7th – 9th April 2021

Deadline for Papers – 13th November 2020

University of Northampton

Join us in Northampton for three days of stimulating discussion and inspiring sessions! The conference will offer plenty of CPD opportunities, including research development, CeP/CeLP guidance, opportunities to learn more about ALDin HE’s work, and the chance to get involved with a working group.

More info: <http://aldinhe.ac.uk/aldinhe-2021/>

**Advance HE Surveys Conference**

28th April 2021

Deadline for Papers – 28th January 2021

Online

In the past few months the higher education sector has faced unprecedented challenges. While gathering and reflecting the student voice has always been critical, it has arguably become even more necessary in these times to ensure the quality of the student experience as it evolves.

Surveys, measurement tools, qualitative research and other techniques have a key role to play in capturing and understanding feedback from students and staff. The wider insight generated from these techniques can in turn deliver creative solutions with real impact.

The Advance HE Surveys and Insights Conference provides an opportunity to discuss and debate the potential of insight from surveys, metrics, qualitative research and wider methods of capturing the voice of the student for driving excellence and enhancement within higher education.

More info: <https://www.advance-he.ac.uk/programmes-events/conferences/SurveyConf20>

**International AHE Conference – Contemporary Assessment Practice in the New Age of Higher Education**

30th June – 2nd July 2021

Deadline for Papers - 18th January 2021

Manchester MacDonald Hotel, Manchester

AHE 2021 will be a conference like no other. Incorporating the best elements of the planned but postponed 2020 conference this three day event in Manchester will now be in the foreground of research, practice, policy and thinking about contemporary assessment practice in the new age of higher education following recent pandemic events. While highlighting new evidence-informed insights into assessment and feedback practices that promote and support learning in HE, workshops, posters and open discussion will also provide opportunities for colleagues to reconsider radically their approaches to higher education assessment and feedback processes.

More info: <https://ahenetwork.org/>

**AHE Teaching and Learning Conference 2021: Teaching in the Spotlight: What is the Future for HE Curricula**

6th – 8th July 2021

Deadline for Papers – midnight 22 January 2021

Online

Advance HE’s Teaching and Learning Conference 2021 will continue to position the spotlight firmly on teaching in global context. With particular reference to this year, the conference will explore where we go from here in terms of teaching and learning in HE, and how will we deliver the curricula of the future.

Teaching in higher education has never been under such scrutiny as during 2020 and this continues into the new academic year. Ongoing debates around teaching excellence, fees, value the student experience, inclusion, equality impact and more have been further scrutinised and added to by the global pandemic.

More info: <https://www.advance-he.ac.uk/programmes-events/conferences/teaching-and-learning-conference-2021#Papers>

**European Conference on Education 2020**

15th – 18th July 2021

Deadline for Papers – Early Bird 26th February 2021. Final Deadline – 30th April, 2021

Institute of Education, London and Online

To encourage academics and scholars to meet and exchange ideas and views in an international forum stimulating respectful dialogue. This event will afford an exceptional opportunity for renewing old acquaintances, making new contacts, networking, and facilitating partnerships across national and disciplinary borders.

IAFOR's unique global platform facilitates discussion around specific subject areas, with the goal of generating new knowledge and understanding, forging and expanding new international, intercultural and interdisciplinary research networks and partnerships. We have no doubt that ECE2021 will offer a remarkable opportunity for the sharing of research and best practice and for the meeting of people and ideas.

More Info: <https://ece.iafor.org/>

**BERA Annual Conference**

14th – 16th September 2021

Deadline for papers – 31st January 2021

Aston University, Birmingham

TBC

More information: <https://www.bera.ac.uk/conference/bera-conference-2021>