University of Manchester

Research Support Conference

Manchester Interdisciplinary Biocentre

(The John Garside Building)10.3

Monday 1st July 2013

Programme

*9.15 - 9.45 Registration*

9.45 - 10.00 Welcome and Introduction *(Andrew Walsh, Director RBESS and Lita Denny, Head of RSS)*

10.00 – 10.30 Prof Dame Nancy Rothwell, President and Vice-Chancellor

**10.35 - 11.20 Parallel Session 1**

(101) The IT Service Catalogue with a focus on IT for Research *(Greg Barclay, Service Catalogue Project Manager)*

(102) Managing research impact through our working practices post-REF *(****Judith Gracey, Knowledge Transfer and Impact Coordinator)***

(103) Implementing the Universities UK Concordat to Support Research Integrity *(April Lockyer, Research Governance and Integrity Manager)*

*11.20 - 11.40 Tea & Coffee*

11.40 - 12.30 Open Access at Manchester *(Helen Dobson, Research Services Librarian and Scott Taylor, Research Services Librarian) Lecture Theatre*

*12.30 - 1.20 Lunch*

**1.20 - 2.05 Parallel Session 2**

(201) Finance – Equipment Sharing *(Mel Lythgo, Head of Cost Accounting)*

(202) An Overview of REF Preparations *(Liz Venn, Senior Research Policy Officer)*

(203) An introduction to bibliometrics and citation analysis *(Stephen Pearson, Research Information Analyst)*

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**2.05 – 2.50 Parallel Session 3**

(301) Research Data Management *(Mary McDerby, MiSS Project Manager)*

(302) Contracts Within the University Environment *(Sam Bibby, Contracts Officer and Seamus Byers, Contracts Officer)*

(303) UMIP and Supporting IP *(Rich Ferrie, Innovation Manager)*

*2.50 - 3.05pm Coffee Break*

**3.05 – 3.50** Withdrawal of VAT Exemption and HR Shared Services Support for Research *(Louise Bissell, Head of Corporate Accounts, James Gillen, Senior VAT Assistant and Lesley Clements, Recruitment and Resourcing Manager) Lecture Theatre*

3.50 - 4.15pm Closing Remarks *(Lita Denny, Head of RSS) Lecture Theatre*