

Pharmacy Education Conference 2021

Programme

15th — 17th September 2021

Day 1

Wednesday 15 September 2021

10:00 – 10:15

Welcome and Introduction

Dr Jennifer Silverthorne, University of Manchester

10:15 – 11:15

Keynote Speech

Learning for Success

Professor Lezley-Anne Hanna, Queen's University Belfast

Collectively, we strive to improve our teaching practices, achieve educational excellence, and have a positive impact on the success of our students. This keynote speech will consider 'success' in the context of both higher education students (future pharmacists) and teaching staff.

12:30 – 13:30

Research and Innovation Snapshots - Undergraduate

14:00 – 16:00

Workshop 1

Entrustable Professional Activities (EPAs) – opportunities for use in Pharmacy Education

Ms Lyn Hanning (University of Bath), Mrs Rachel Kenward (University of Nottingham), Dr Victoria Silkstone (University of Manchester), Mark Green, (University of Bradford), Mat Smith (University of Cardiff)

Entrustable Professional Activities (EPAs) have been used in a number of health professions to support the development of skills during experiential learning. This workshop will briefly explore the development of EPAs and then look at examples of development work at a number of UK Schools of Pharmacy. There will also be an opportunity to explore good practice in developing EPAs and application across a range of practice settings in group work.

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Day 2

Thursday 16 September 2021

12:30 – 13:30

Research and Innovation Snapshots - COVID impact and innovation

14:00 – 16:00

Workshop 2

Undergraduate curriculum redesign: evolution or revolution

Professor Anne Boyter, University of Strathclyde

This workshop is planned to be practical and interactive with participants undertaking a critical review of their MPharm curriculum against the new GPhC IETP standards. Participant will then start to investigate some of the steps in redesign including structure, decision making, balancing the curriculum, and review of the revised curriculum.

Day 3

Friday 17 September 2021

12:30 – 13:30

Research and Innovation Snapshots - Postgraduate

14:00 – 15:30

Expert panel discussion

Developing your academic career on a teaching and scholarship pathway

Dr Paul McCague, Dr Aisling Kerr, Dr Andrew Sturrock, Professor Dai John, Dr Nadia Bukhari, Dr Roisin O'Hare, Dr Ruth Edwards

This session is for all staff (particularly those on a teaching & scholarship pathway) who would like to think about their career development. A panel of pharmacists with a background in pharmacy education, will reflect on their career journey and offer practical advice on planning your professional development. Areas of discussion will include professional recognition of teaching through Advance HE, academic progression, engaging in scholarly activity and networking.

Please submit any questions you would like to ask the panel before 12 noon on Monday 13th September to Pharmacy.conference@manchester.ac.uk

15:30—15:45

Closing remarks and evaluation