

## **CEIAG for NEETs, FE/WBL Learners & Adults: Looking beyond careers advice in schools**

10.00 Registration and Morning Refreshments

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10.40 Chair's Introduction & Interactive Voting

*Chris Waterman, Director of Design, the Reduced Policy Company*

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10.45 Morning Session – Current and Future Policy:

- Careers services for FE students: how will they be affected by cuts to Connexions?
  - Changes to statutory duties for careers advice & guidance: assessing the impact on 16 – 19 year olds & adults, gauging the response of councils, local authorities and the NCS
  - The new National Council for Careers: how will it make a difference?
  - The Youth Contract: what service will it provide, who will it target and how will it operate?
  - Securing high quality CEIAG: can the Quality in Careers Standard make a difference?
  - Career development: what does the future hold for the careers profession?
  - DWP and Jobcentre Plus: how will they fit into the new policy framework?
  - The effect of the Education Act: what will it mean for young people leaving school?
- **Sue Barr**, Immediate Past President, Association for Careers Education and Guidance
  - **Paul Chubb**, Director & Professional Adviser, Careers England
  - **Jane Belcher**, Head of Careers, South Essex College of Further and Higher Education

11.45 Open Discussion & Q&A

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12.45 Interactive Voting

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13.00 Networking Lunch

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13.45 Afternoon Session - Policy into Practice:

- Early evidence of the impact of college & Jobcentre Plus collaboration with the NCS
  - Non-statutory provision: how are councils continuing to provide careers services?
  - Work-based learning and progression: providing high-quality advice to employers
  - Online service and the use of social media: web-based provision in action
- **Brenda Cabras**, Director of Employment & Training, Prospects

15.10 Chair's Summary

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15.15 Event Close

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