



Research Conference 2017

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Agenda

9.00 Registration and Tea/Coffee

Introduction and Opening Session

10.00 Welcome: **Eamon Stack**, NCSE Chairperson

10.10 Opening Remarks: TBC

Session 1

Chair: **Professor Sheelagh Drudy**, Chairperson NCSE Research Committee and Council Member

10.20 **Dr Marleen Pugach**, Professor Emerita, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

Teacher Education and Inclusion: Creating the Conditions for the Application of Knowledge and Skills

11.00 **Q & A**

11.10 **Tea/Coffee**

11.40 **Professor Yvette Solomon**, Manchester Metropolitan University.

Initial Teacher Education for Inclusion: Findings from Phases 1 and 2 of the NCSE's Longitudinal Research Study

12.15 **Q & A**

12.25 Panel Discussion on Teacher Education for Inclusion.

13.05 **Q & A**

13.15 **Lunch**

Session 2

Chair: **Dr Finian O'Shea**, NCSE Research Committee and Council Member

14.30 **Dr Dave Edyburn**, University of Central Florida

Latest Trends in Assistive Technology: Benefits and Issues for Students and Schools

15.10 **Q & A**

15.20 **Paul Nisbet**, CALL Scotland & University of Edinburgh

Practical Applications of Assistive Technology in Schools

15.50 **Q & A**

16.00 **Thank you and close**

Sign language interpretation and lunch will be provided