



Teacher Education and the Changing Demographics of Schooling

15 March 2016 9.30am - 3pm

Edinburgh Centre for Carbon Innovation, High School Yards, Edinburgh EH1 1LZ

Preparing teachers for the changing demographic of schooling as reflected in the increasing diversity of students in today's schools is a key concern among teacher educators, the teaching profession and policy makers. This conference presents a synthesis of the recently concluded seminar series *Teacher Education for the Changing Demographics of Schooling*. Drawing on research from a range of areas addressing different diversity areas, approaches to teacher education and the ideals of inclusive education, the conference aims to promote discussion among key stakeholders and articulate a framework for further research in the field.

09.30-10.00	Registration and Coffee
10.00-10.10	Welcome – Pamela Munn, University of Edinburgh
10.10-10.55	Teacher Education and the Changing Demographics of Schooling: key lessons for future research: Lani Florian and Nataša Pantić, University of Edinburgh
10.55-11.10	Q&A/Discussion
11.10-11.30	Tea & Coffee
11.30-12.20	Teacher Education and the Improvement Trap Graham Donaldson, Formerly Chair of the Donaldson Review, Teaching Scotland's Future: Glasgow University
12.20-12.35	Q&A/Discussion
12.35-13.30	Lunch
13.30-14.45	Panel discussion on Diversity Markers: language, race, disability and culture Chair, Pamela Munn, University of Edinburgh
	Deb Smith, Claremont Graduate University & Naomi Tyler, Vanderbilt University Do Coyle, University of Aberdeen
	Rowena Arshad, University of Edinburgh
	Ana Maria Villegas, Montclair State University, USA
14.45-15.00	Q&A/Discussion