

18th BASES Heads of Department Forum



The British Association of
Sport and Exercise Sciences

Agenda

Tuesday 15th March 2022 • Online event

A day of information and insights for those with leadership roles within sport and exercise sciences academia: **Teaching and learning strategies post the pandemic.**



Prof Zoe Knowles FBASES

Zoe is BASES' Chair and is Strategic Lead for External Engagement in the School of Sport and Exercise Sciences at Liverpool John Moores University. She is a National Coordinating Centre for Public Engagement (NCCPE) Public Engagement Professional and a Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC) Registered Practitioner Psychologist.



Dr Matthew Timmis

Mat is an Associate Professor of Learning and Teaching in Sport & Exercise Science at Anglia Ruskin University, a BASES accredited sport and exercise scientist and Senior Fellow of the HEA. Mat's pedagogic research focusses on how students transition into HE, with a view to improving student retention.



Prof Sylvester Arnab

Sylvester is a Professor of Games Science at the Disruptive Media Learning Lab and an associate of the Centre for Post-digital Cultures at Coventry University. His research focuses on the investigation into engaging, empathic, and empowering experiences through the lens of playful and gameful design practices.



Prof Helen Jones

Helen is Professor in Cardiovascular Physiology at Liverpool John Moores University, and is the lead of the Cardiovascular Health Sciences Research Group within the Research Institute for Sport and Exercise Sciences. Her research focusses on understanding how exercise can improve vascular health in both healthy and diseased individuals.



Melissa Turner

Melissa is currently Head of Strategic Projects and Change at Newcastle University. Previously, she led on university-wide transformational change in learning and teaching and the student experience for Swansea University. Melissa was the institutional lead for the Teaching Excellence and Student Outcomes Framework (TEF), resulting in the achievement of institutional TEF Gold. She has also managed the effective development and implementation of university strategy.



Prof Lars McNaughton FBASES

Lars was recently appointed as Chair of the Heads of Department Advisory Group. He is Professor of Sport and Exercise Physiology at Edge Hill University and a member of the senior management team in the Department of Sport and Physical Activity where he also manages its undergraduate Sport and Exercise Science team.

10:00 Delegates log in

10:15 Welcome and Introduction

*Prof Zoe Knowles FBASES &
Prof Lars McNaughton FBASES*

10:25 PROCEED (Projected completion and employment from entrant data): student retention and employability

Dr Matthew Timmis

This session will unpack the new metric proposed by the Office for Students (OfS). Implications for our sector will be considered alongside the recent OfS consultation on quality and standards.

Chaired by Dr Martyn Morris

11:25 Break

11:40 Embedding active learning experiences into sport courses during lockdown, and beyond

Prof Sylvester Arnab

This session will provide insights into how engaging and meaningful learning experiences can be co-designed at the speed of need, sharing examples from the multi-award winning GameChangers initiative at Coventry University.

Chaired by Dr Martyn Morris

12:40 A Word from our Sponsors followed by lunch break

13:30 Clinical Exercise Physiology UK: update

Prof Helen Jones

This session will provide an overview that following the launch in December 2021, Clinical Exercise Physiologists are now eligible for professional registration with the Registration Council for Clinical Physiologists.

Chaired by Dr Jessica Hill and Dr Rebecca Murphy

13:50 Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF) updates and considerations

Melissa Turner

This session will help to understand the requirements of the TEF submission and how to provide an outstanding student experience.

Chaired by Dr Kiara Lewis FBASES

14:50 Feedback, Emerging Issues for future events/forums

Prof Lars McNaughton FBASES

15:00 Close and Depart

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