

Conference: Approaches to Inequalities: Perspectives from Higher Education

Call for Papers

A one-day conference organised by the Law Division, University of Northampton.

Themes: The conference theme will focus on proposing ways of addressing the patterns of inequality within Higher Education and to share good practice. Papers can relate to staff and/or students and to any of the protected characteristics (race; gender; sexual orientation; age; disability; and religion and belief) as well as looking at issues of intersectionality and Widening Participation.

Proposals for the following are welcome:

Papers: abstracts of 300 words (excluding references) for papers lasting 25 minutes plus 15 minutes for discussion and questions.

Workshops: abstracts for interactive workshops lasting 40 minutes are welcome and should be no longer than 200 words (excluding references).

Posters: poster presentations can also be made on research proposals, previous research findings or new initiatives. Posters should be of A1 size and have a 200 word abstract/synopsis.

Abstracts for the above should be sent by the **2nd May 2014** to Melanie Crofts (melanie.crofts@northampton.ac.uk), following which they will undergo peer review.

The final conference programme will include keynote speakers, research paper presentations, interactive workshops, a panel discussion and posters with networking opportunities following the conference.

Date: 11th September 2014, 9.30am – 5pm

Location: Sunley Conference Centre, Park Campus, The University of Northampton NN2 7AL

Cost: Early Bird Booking (before May 30th) £50, thereafter £60 per person (inclusive of lunch and coffee/tea)

For more information, or to book your place, please email Karin Ferngren (Karin.ferngren@northampton.ac.uk) or Melanie Crofts (melanie.crofts@northampton.ac.uk)