

School of Education Doctoral Conference 2018

Imagine, Challenge, Transform: Dialogues in educational research

Thursday 7 June, 12.45pm-4.30pm

Friday 8 June, 10.00am-4.30pm

Saturday 9 June, 10.00am-4.30pm



Section from Red Balloon,
Paul Klee, 1922

CALL FOR PAPERS

We are pleased to invite you to the 18th annual doctoral conference to be hosted by the School of Education.

CONFERENCE THEME

We live in a political, social, technological and educational landscape whose contours are constantly changing. Even the nature and role of scientific and research knowledge are being challenged. What counts as trustworthy is up for (re)negotiation.

As early career educational researchers, we often occupy a liminal space within this landscape, identifying with both the professional and academic communities in which we work. This is a unique vantage point to imagine possibilities beyond established, taken-for-granted assumptions about educational purpose, research and knowledge. What are the challenges and possibilities? What is imaginable? Where are the tensions and sticking points?

This student-led conference will provide a space to explore some of these questions, reflect on our work and refresh our aspirations to contribute

to transforming education. It will provide a forum for invigorating and thought-provoking dialogue, about and within educational research and between research and practice.

We are delighted to invite you to join us for discussion, presentations, networking events and workshops in a supportive and friendly environment.

PRESENTATION GUIDELINES

We welcome contributions from people from any area of education and at any stage of their doctoral journey, from those who are contemplating starting a doctorate to those who have recently completed. You are encouraged to submit an abstract (max 250 words) for one of the following:

- 20 minute oral presentation with 10 minutes Q &A.
- 5 minute quick-fire presentation
- Poster presentation

We strongly encourage you to consider the theme of the conference in your presentation, and particularly welcome papers which focus on any of the following:

- researcher position
- methodological innovation
- challenges to accepted wisdom
- collaboration across boundaries
- overcoming challenges in research
- transforming practice
- imagining possibilities

SUBMISSION DETAILS:

Please submit by **Thursday 29th March** using the form provided below.

By email – **SoEDC2018@gmail.com**

By post or fax – please contact us at the email address above for a postal address.

We very much look forward to reading your contributions.
2018 Conference Committee

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DOCTORAL CONFERENCE 2018 ABSTRACT SUBMISSION FORM

Title:

Abstract (no more than 250 words)

Name as you wish it to appear in the programme:	
School/Dept/University:	
Email Address:	
Daytime Phone No:	
Year of Study (if applicable):	
Mode (circle/underline):	PhD Student EdD Student MRes Student Full time / Part time Other
Type of Presentation (circle/underline):	20 minute presentation Quick-fire presentation Poster
Any other information we need to know:	