

That's Quality 2016 Universities #TQ16uni

AGENDA

Audience: Student officers with an education remit, students' association staff and senior reps/executive officers.

Aim: to equip you with the knowledge and tools to use the quality enhancement agenda to deliver change for your students' learning and teaching experience.

By the end of the event you will:

- Be able to describe the various elements of Quality Enhancement Framework;
- Be able to explain the roles of the different sector agencies and how they can support you;
- Be able to explain how quality affects your students' learning experience;
- Be aware of the current issues affecting the quality landscape (including the Teaching Excellence Framework);
- Have created an action plan to enhance your students' learning experience.

Day 1: Tuesday 12th of July

10.00 – 10.30	Registration and coffee
10.30 – 10.35	Introduction and welcome
10.35 – 11.45	What's quality and why does it matter to students? Representatives from the sector will discuss the Scottish HE Landscape, priorities for the sector and why quality matters to your students.
11.45 – 12.45	Quality: a national picture In this session NUS Scotland will share its perspectives on current policy changes that have an impact on learning and teaching in universities in Scotland.
12.45 – 13.45	Lunch

13.45 – 15.00	Students as partners in quality enhancement This session will introduce you to the role of sparqs, and some key concepts that will guide your work this year.
15.00 – 15.30	Coffee break and check into accommodation
15.30 – 17.00	An introduction to quality tools An introduction to the Quality Enhancement Framework and the other mechanisms and procedures that ensure the best possible student experience at universities in Scotland.
17.00 – 17.15	Conclusions and end of day one
19.00	Dinner

Day 2: Wednesday 13th of July

09.00 – 09.30	Check-out, arrival and coffee
09.30 – 10.00	Introduction to day two
10.00 – 12.30	Using quality to make change Participative workshop in which you will learn how different quality mechanisms can be used to effect change at your university.
12.30 – 13.30	Lunch
13.30 – 15.45	Action Planning: what do you want to achieve? In this session you will have an opportunity to think about your key priorities in learning and teaching for the year ahead and develop your action plan.
15.45 – 16.00	Conclusions and finish