

**Westminster Education Forum Keynote Seminar:
Implementing the T-Level programme - content, regulation and assessment**

Timing: Morning, Monday, 29th April 2019

Venue: Central London

Draft agenda subject to change



- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 9.05 - 9.15 **T-Levels - the story so far**
Professor Martin Doel, FETL Professor of Leadership in FE and Skills, Institute of Education, University College London
- 9.15 - 10.00 **Next steps for technical education and routes for progression**

Implementing T-Levels - progress and remaining challenges
Susan Lovelock, Deputy Director, Technical Education Implementation Division, Department for Education

Preparing students for the new qualifications and transitioning to Level 4 and 5 technical education
Angela Fairchild, Deputy Director, Technical Education and Qualifications Reform Division, Department for Education

Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.00 - 10.50 **Key issues for delivery - teacher training, curriculum design, work placements and quality assurance**
Rob Bosworth, Vice Principal, Exeter College
Cerian Ayres, Head of Technical Education, Education and Training Foundation
Mike Westlake, Global Education Strategy Manager, Autodesk and Chair, T-Level Engineering and Manufacturing Panel
Senior speaker confirmed from the **Federation of Small Businesses**
Senior representative, awarding body
Questions and comments from the floor with **Professor Martin Doel**, FETL Professor of Leadership in FE and Skills, Institute of Education, University College London
- 10.50 - 10.55 **Chair's closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 10.55 - 11.20 Coffee
- 11.20 - 11.25 **Chair's opening remarks**
Marcus Fysh MP
- 11.25 - 11.45 **The changing regulatory landscape - Ofqual's approach to regulating T-Levels**
Lucy Sydney, Director of Strategic Relationships for Vocational and Technical Qualifications, Ofqual
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.45 - 12.30 **Regulation and assessment - designing an effective grading system, transitioning to a single awarding body system and achieving parity of esteem**
Chris Shirley, Business Analysis Manager, Network Rail
Ian Pryce, Chief Executive, Bedford College
Tom Bewick, Chief Executive, Federation of Awarding Bodies
Senior speaker confirmed from **OCR**
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.30 - 12.55 **The transition of responsibility for T-Levels to the Institute for Apprenticeships and key policy priorities moving forward**
Rob Nitsch, Chief Operating Officer, Institute for Apprenticeships
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Education Forum closing remarks**
Marcus Fysh MP
Sean Cudmore, Deputy Editor, Westminster Education Forum