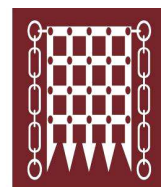


Westminster Higher Education Forum Keynote Seminar
Next steps for international student recruitment - competition, student experience
and the impact of the immigration white paper

Timing: Morning, Thursday, 7th February 2019

Venue: Royal Over-Seas League, Over-Seas House, Park Place, St James's Street, London SW1A 1LR



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Agenda subject to change

- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Lord Bilimoria, President, UK Council for International Student Affairs
- 9.05 - 9.30 **Assessing the impact of international students in the UK**
Professor Alan Manning, Professor of Economics, London School of Economics and Political Science and
Chair, Migration Advisory Committee
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.30 - 9.40 **Projecting the impact of Brexit on EEA student demand for UK HE**
Nick Hillman, Director, HEPI
- 9.40 - 10.35 **The impact of Government's white paper proposals - study visas for EEA students and work in the UK after graduation**
Adam Haxell, Senior Parliamentary Officer, MillionPlus
Primerose Chiguri, Partner, IPS Legal Solicitors
Dr Hollie Chandler, Senior Policy Analyst, The Russell Group
Pat Saini, Partner, Head of Immigration, Penningtons Manches
Questions and comments from the floor with **Nick Hillman**, Director, HEPI
- 10.35 - 11.05 Coffee
- 11.05 - 11.25 **Competing in the international students market and challenges from abroad - global advertising campaigns, transnational education and English-taught courses**
Meredith Bradt, Deputy Director, Marketing and Communications, Maastricht University
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.25 - 11.35 **International student welfare: integration and support**
Wang Yongli, Minister Counsellor for Education, Embassy of the People's Republic of China in the
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
- 11.35 - 12.30 **Promoting the UK as a study destination: impact of Brexit, pricing strategies and the international student experience**
- Positioning the UK as a leading destination in the international student market*
Jacqueline Jenkins, Senior Education Advisor, Engagement, British Council
- The role of alumni networks in fostering future international co-operation*
Clare Monaghan, Deputy Director, Alumni Relations, University of Oxford
- Improving the international student experience*
Riddi Viswanathan, International Students' Officer, University of Manchester Students' Union, former Diversity Officer,
UMSU and Member, International Students' Committee, NUS
- How does Brexit affect internationalisation strategies?*
Dr Anthony Manning, Dean for Internationalisation, University of Kent
- Developing tailored regional approaches to international student recruitment*
Mark Garratt, Director of External Affairs, University of Bradford
- Questions and comments from the floor with **Wang Yongli**, Minister Counsellor for Education, Embassy of the
People's Republic of China in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
- 12.30 - 12.55 **The future of student migration: policy priorities for supporting the sector**
Paul Jeffrey, Head of Student Migration Policy, Home Office
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Higher Education Forum closing remarks**
Lord Bilimoria, President, UK Council for International Student Affairs
Sean Cudmore, Deputy Editor, Westminster Higher Education Forum