

Philosophy of HE symposium

Hendon Hall, 4th and 5th July 2016

Programme

Day 1

1330-1400	Buffet lunch
1400-1415	Welcome
1415-1545	Session 1: 'Towards a/the Philosophy of Higher Education' – Ron Barnett to offer a view, with Richard Pring as discussant (+ open discussion)
1545-1615	Tea
1615-1745	Session 2: Naomi Hodgson: 'The Public University' or 'The Ethics of Research and Scholarship'. Michael Luntley: 'Discretion, judgement and creativity: the status of rules at the frontiers of knowledge'
1745-1800	Break
1800-1900	Session 3: Paul Gibbs: 'Marketisation of Higher Education'. Soren S.E. Bengtson: 'Realism and the University'.
1930	Dinner

Day 2

0915-1045	Session 4: Amanda Fulford: 'Educational Relationships in Higher Education'. David Scott: 'Curriculum and the University' Jon Nixon: 'Professional Judgement and Higher Education'
1045-1110	Coffee
1110-1240	Session 5: Ronald Barnett: 'The coming of the Ecological University'. Nick Maxwell: 'Wisdom and the University'. David Bridges: 'Commodification of research'.
1300-1400	Lunch
1400-1500	Session 6: Gary Rolfe: 'Thinking and Academic Knowledge'. Richard Pring: 'The idea of the University – necessary criteria?'
1500-1510	Tea
1510-1600	Discussion – future direction of travel, who does what, possible conference, possible new organization etc. etc.
1600	Close