

**Norfolk 2010 14-19 Conference incorporating  
the Secondary Summer Keynote Conference**

**Wednesday, 7 July, 9am to 4pm**

**The John Innes Centre, Norwich Research Park, Colney, NR4 7UH**

# **Raising the Participation Age and the New Realism**

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This one day Conference will highlight the challenges and opportunities that exist as we work together to improve learning and training for Norfolk's young people in the new political and economic era.

Target audience: Senior leaders and Governors from High Schools, Special Schools, PRUs, Sixth Form Colleges, FE Colleges and work based learning providers. Employers and those involved in leading integrated youth support will also find the Conference of value.

Presenters will include:

- **Sharon Goddard**, Deputy Director for Children and Learners at Government Office for the East of England
- **Paul Martinez**, Policy Lead for Framework for Excellence, Skills Funding Agency
- **Lisa Christensen**, Director of Children's Services, Norfolk County Council
- **Dick Palmer**, Principal and Chief Executive, City College Norwich
- **Edward Bales**, Managing Director, Poultec Training Ltd
- **Duncan Spalding**, Headteacher, Aylsham High School

There will be a focus on Norfolk's developing approach to 14-19 Strategy. Workshop sessions will include topics such as: Personal Tutoring; the online Prospectus and Common Application Process; Foundation Learning and Apprenticeships.

There will be perspectives from a range of learners as well as from a selection of providers.

**Cost:**

Free to Norfolk employers and representatives of all Norfolk schools, colleges and learning providers. Refreshments, lunch and conference pack will be available. Otherwise £140 per delegate.

**Booking:**

Please email **Marion Nobbs** [marion.nobbs@norfolk.gov.uk](mailto:marion.nobbs@norfolk.gov.uk) to reserve your place. Further details including joining instructions and workshop choices will be provided for delegates prior to the Conference.

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