

Clinical Academic staff: Strategic issues conference

Wednesday 31 January 2024

Programme

- 10.00 Registration and refreshments
- 10.20 **Welcome and introductions**
Chair
- 10.30 **NHS pay and workforce issues**
Jeremy Orr, Head of Medical Contracts, NHS Employers
- 11.00 **Future-proofing UK Health Research – The Academy of Medical Sciences report and the implications for the clinical academic workforce**
Professor David Adams FMedSci, Emeritus Professor of Hepatology and formerly Pro-Vice-Chancellor and Head of College of Medical and Dental Sciences at the University of Birmingham.
- 11.30 **The Reality of Negotiating New Clinical Academic Contracts for Nurses, Midwives and AHPs**
Professor Michelle Briggs, Clinical Professor of Nursing, School of Health Sciences, University of Liverpool and Deputy Chair of CARIN, Council of Deans of Health
- 12.00 Refreshment break
- 12.15 **Employment aspects of the NHS pension scheme retirement flexibilities**
Helen Mortlock, Legal Director, Education, Eversheds Sutherland & Carey Southward, Head of Pensions & Benefits, Imperial College London
- 12.55 Lunch
- 13.55 **The challenges of supporting Nurses, Midwives and AHP Clinical Academics**
Professor Anne-Maree Keenan, Associate Dean for Infrastructure and Research Capacity Building Structures, NIHR Academy
- 14.25 **NHS Long Term Workforce Plan – the implications for HEIs**
Katie Petty-Saphon, Chief Executive, Medical Schools Council
- 14.55 **Update on legal issues and recent cases**
Helen Mortlock, Legal Director, Eversheds Sutherland
- 15.25 **Summary**
Chair
- 15.30 Close