

Buckingham Festival of Higher Education: Wednesday 13 June 2018

Time/Venue	Event
09:15 - 9.55	Registration and Refreshments
9.55	Opening remarks from Sir Anthony Seldon, Vice Chancellor, University of Buckingham
10.05 - 11.00	HEPI Debate; This House believes that academic selection is wrong at 11 and still wrong at 18 Chair; Nick Hillman HEPI Pro Motion Matthew Taylor, Chief Executive, RSA Laura McInerney, Contributing Editor, Schools Week Anti Motion Other speakers - Tbc
11.00 - 12.00	Curriculum; The Substance of Education - Is it fit for Purpose? Chair; Mary Curnock Cook OBE Amanda Spielman; Chief Inspector, Ofsted Respondents Julian Astle RSA -Post 16 Curriculum Stephen Tierney, CEO of the Blessed Edward Bamber Catholic Multi Academy Trust, Chair of the Heads Roundtable
12.00 - 12.15	Coffee
12:15 - 13:10 Venue 1	Social Mobility Can schools do more to improve mobility and Access to HE? Chair; Tom Middlehurst Head of Public Affairs The Schools Students and Teachers Network Dr Nicola Rollock Reader in Equity & Education Editor, Whiteness & Education-Goldsmiths Carl Cullinane Research and Policy Manager The Sutton Trust Joan Deslandes Headteacher of Kingsland Community School co Founder and Governor, London Academy of Excellence Anne-Marie Canning Director of Social Mobility and Student Success, Kings College London
12.15 - 13.10 Radcliffe Centre	Raising the Quality of Teaching- in Schools and HE -Research informed Practice and Professional Development Chair; TBC Geraint Jones, University of Buckingham? Sir Kevan Collins; EEF Dr Julie Nelson NFER Dr Jo Pearson, Head of Research, Teamworks Teaching School Alliance
13:10 - 14:00	Lunch
14.00 - 15.30 Radcliffe Centre	Question Time Chair; Claire Fox, Director Academy of Ideas Dr Joanna Williams, Senior Lecturer, University of Kent Jim Dickinson Chief of Staff UEA Students Union Sonia Sodha Leader Writer, The Observer Professor Becky Francis Director Institute of Education UCL Andy Westwood TBC
14:00 - 14:45 Venue 1	The Transition from School to Training Work and HE Chair; James Seymour, Director of Admissions and Recruitment

	Claudia Harris, Chief Executive Officer; Careers and Enterprise Company Geoff Barton; President, ASCL John Yarham; Chief Executive, Futures
14:50 - 15:30 Venue 1	Mental Health and Well Being in Schools Chair; Sir Anthony Seldon Catherine Roche; Chief Executive, Place2BE Professor Damien Page, Dean of The Carnegie School of Education, Leeds Beckett University Dr Masa Popovac; University of Buckingham
15:35 - 16.35 Radcliffe Centre TBC	Artificial Intelligence EdTech - The Fourth Education Revolution Chair Harin Sellahewa, University of Buckingham TBC Priya Lakhani; Founder Century Tech Pearson Rep TBC
16.40	Closing Remarks
18.00- 19.30	Evening Four Local Choirs Singing Festival, Drinks - Rock Choir, Buckingham Children's Choir and Glee more to be confirmed

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09:15 - 10.00	Registration and Refreshments
10:00 - 10.10	Opening Remarks and reflecting on first day Sir Anthony Seldon, Vice-Chancellor, University of Buckingham
10:10 - 10.50 Venue 1	A Conversation with Sir Anthony Seldon TBC
10.50 - 11.50 Venue 1	Fair Funding - Is the current model sustainable and providing value for money? Chair; Mary Curnock Cook Rt Hon Lord David Willetts Executive Chairman, The Resolution Foundation Rt Hon Lord Andrew Adonis Chair, National Infrastructure Commission
10.50 - 11.50 Radcliffe Centre	Is the Admissions Process to Universities fit for purpose? Chair; James Seymour Clare Marchant, Chief Executive, UCAS Chris Ramsey; Headmaster Whitgift and HMC Rep HE
11.50 - 12.05	Coffee
12:05 - 13.00 Venue 1	Making Sense of Societal and Political Changes Conversation with David Goodhart, Head of Demography Policy Exchange and Author of The Road to Somewhere Chair; Sir Anthony Seldon
12.05 - 13.00 Radcliffe Centre	Pearson - Education Co-Lab - TBC
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch
14:00 - 14:50 Venue 1	Improving the Quality of Teaching in HE-The Role of TEF Professor Chris Husbands; Vice Chancellor Sheffield Hallam Ant Bagshaw Deputy CEO, WonkHE Professor Janice Kay CBE Provost and Deputy Vice Chancellor Exeter University

14.00 - 14.50 Radcliffe Centre	Non-Traditional Routes in Higher Education?? Chair; Dr Ann Limb CBE DL Prof Keith Ridgway CBE; AMRC Sheffield University and Strathclyde University Professor John Drew; Dean of Humanities, University of Buckingham Pearson Rep TBC
14:55 - 15:50 Venue 1	HEPI Debate; This House believes it would be of public benefit for far more people to go university Chair; Nick Hilman HEPI Pro-Motion: Mary Curnock Cook OBE Lord David Willetts Anti-Motion: Barnaby Lenon, Chairman, Independent Schools Council, Governor London Academy of Excellence Other speakers TBC
14.55 - 15.50 Radcliffe Centre	Fair Regulation in Higher Education-Are we getting the balance right between producers and Consumers? Chair; Pearl Slater, University of Buckingham Professor Sir Michael Barber Shakira Martin, President, NUS Smita Jamdar, Partner & Head of Education, Shakespeare Martineau
15:55 - 16.35 Venue 1	Blue Skies Thinking - Reshaping Delivery of Global HE Chair; Ducan Piper Dyson Institute Ryan Craig, University Ventures Pearson Rep TBC
16 .35	Closing Remarks