

National Conference

Enhancing Fundraising and Philanthropy in Higher Education

No longer an optional extra

Tuesday 8th February 2011, Westminster Studio, London SW1

"As further cuts are threatened, universities should tap into philanthropic giving to increase and diversify their sources of funding"

The Guardian, June 2010

Speakers include:

Rory Brooks

Co-Founder, **MML Capital Partners**

Gretchen C. Dobson

Senior Associate Director, **Domestic and International Programs, Tufts University**

Lori Manders

Director of External Affairs and Development,

University of Aberdeen

Professor Eric Thomas

Vice-Chancellor, University of Bristol

Professor Shirley Pearce

Vice-Chancellor, Loughborough University, representing the 1994 Group

Miles Stephenson

Director of Development, **University of Sheffield**

In the US 20% of all public university alumni give to their university. In the UK it is closer to 2%.

What opportunities do the much publicised reductions in government spending present to institutions to build a culture of voluntary giving?

2011 also marks the end of the HEFCE's matched funding scheme.

This conference will bring together vice-chancellors, directors of development, external affairs, major gifts, finance, and other senior decision makers to examine how to sustain the gains that have been made and the critical future role of major donors, philanthropy and alumni funding.

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Agenda (subject to change)

09:00 Registration, refreshments and exhibition

Session One:

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SETTING THE SCENE

10:00 Welcome and introduction from conference chair

John O'Leary, Editor, Policy Review

10:10 Setting the scene

Professor Eric Thomas, Vice-Chancellor, University of Bristol

10:30 Developing the future – successful university fundraising that allows philanthropy to grow

Professor Shirley Pearce, Vice-Chancellor, Loughborough University, representing the 1994 Group

10:50 Challenging the culture that "someone else" will fund higher education

Check website for speaker updates

11:10 Questions and discussion

11:30 Refreshments, networking and exhibition

Session Three:

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IDENTIFYING AND DEVELOPING YOUR FUNDING STREAMS

14:00 Working with international alumni

Gretchen C. Dobson, Senior Associate Director, Domestic and International Programs, Tufts University

14:20 Panel discussion and case studies

Lori Manders, Director of External Affairs and Development, University of Aberdeen Miles Stephenson, Director of Development, University of Sheffield

14:50 Questions and discussion

15:00 Refreshments, networking and exhibition

Session Two:



WORKING WITH DONORS

12:00 KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Rory Brooks, Co-Founder, MML Capital Partners

12:20 The 1994 Group/Russell Group Eliahou

Dangoor Scholarship scheme

Paul Marshall, Executive Director, 1994 Group

12:40 Questions and discussion

13:00 Buffet lunch, networking and exhibition

Session Four:

KEY ISSUE SEMINARS

15:30 Delegates should choose to attend one seminar from the list below. Seminars are designed to be interactive and participatory in nature. Places are allocated on a first-come, first-served basis and are subject to maximum capacities.

Connecting with international alumni Gretchen C. Dobson, Senior Associate Director, Domestic and International Programs, Tufts University

Working with families of current students
Nick Fragel, Director of Alumni and
Development, Lancaster University
Rachel Newbury, Deputy Director of Alumni
and Development, Lancaster University

Making best use of technology
Check website for speaker updates

16:30 Close of conference

Purpose of the Conference:

By attending this event you will -

- Map the direction of higher education funding and provide insight and solutions to the challenges ahead
- Hear from leading higher education institutions that have been successful in garnering a wide variety of philanthropic support
- Examine how institutions are identifying their unique university selling points in a future where UK higher education will become increasingly stratified
- Examine the areas where donors can contribute, including widening student access, retaining key staff, facilities and enhancing the student experience
- Learn the importance of sustaining UK higher education and the complexity of future funding as well as structural implications in meeting future challenges
- Hear from those who give, including individual donors, corporations, institutional staff, parents, and their motivation for investing in the future of higher education
- Get the opportunity to network with others working to enhance philanthropy, major giving and alumni relations in higher education

Who should attend:

This conference will attract a range of delegates from across higher education and business:

- Vice-Chancellors and Principals
- Pro-Vice Chancellors
- Academic and Research Deans
- Directors and Heads of:
 - > Development
 - > Major Gifts
 - > External Relations or Affairs
 - > Alumni Relations
 - > Income Generation
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 - > Enterprise and Business Development
 - > University-Business Partnership and Collaboration
 - > Regional Development and Community Liaison

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