

ASSESSMENT TOMORROW

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17th November 2011 at the Grosvenor Hilton Hotel, Edinburgh

**6th Scottish Conference
Technology and achieving the objectives of Curriculum for Excellence**

This, the sixth Assessment Tomorrow conference in Scotland, takes “Technology and achieving the objectives of Curriculum for Excellence” as its focus and at how technology can deliver benefits for the learner, the teacher or the school, college or training provider. It will also focus on recent innovations in the use of technology and how these are now being adopted by users and by organisations such as SQA.

It is often said that learners achieve most when:

- they are at the centre of their learning and understand clearly what they are trying to achieve and they are given feedback about the quality of their work and what they can do to improve
- they are fully involved in deciding what needs to be done next and who can give them help if they need it
- assessment and learning go “hand-in-hand” and feedback is available quickly

Curriculum for Excellence is designed to offer learners the maximum opportunity to develop knowledge, skills and attributes for learning, life and work. Technology has a significant role to play in providing this opportunity.

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Objectives of the Conference

To evaluate the tools and techniques required by education and identify which technologies can meet their needs, be fit for purpose and be most beneficial in helping to achieve the objectives of Curriculum for Excellence.

To raise the awareness of the importance of e-Assessment, particularly for Curriculum for Excellence, in all its forms - electronic testing, e-portfolio management, gaming for assessment and mobile technologies.

To bring together the strategists, policy makers, practitioners and key decision makers at one event for an exchange of ideas and to review lessons learnt and opportunities available.

To provide a forum for developing the debate on the selection and use of e-Assessment.

To provide an opportunity to update education managers and teachers on the most recent developments in Scotland.

To identify the role of e-assessment within the development of effective teaching and learning strategies.

Who should attend?

Central/Regional Government, Education Agencies & Local Authorities
Senior Managers in Schools, Colleges and Training Providers
Senior Managers from Training and Human Resources
Education, Training and Qualification Policy Makers
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Outline Programme

0930 Welcome and Opening Address
0935 The Development of e-assessment - the landscape in Scotland
1030 Coffee Break
1045 Curriculum for Excellence – the pivotal role of technology
1230 Lunch
1330 Good Practice and users experiences –

- User experiences of assessment of groupwork using social software
- Using Deskspace e-portfolio to support delivery of the baccalaureate
- Making Maths work! – pushing the learning boundaries using e-assessment

1445 Tea Break
1500 Meeting the expectations of Learners, Teachers, Schools, Colleges & the workplace, Panel Q&A
1600 Summary and closure

Speakers

Speakers include:

Chair: Prof. Cliff Beevers, Professor Emeritus, Mathematics, Heriot-Watt University
Dr Gill Stewart, Director of Qualifications Development, SQA - Keynote opening address
Local Education Authority Case Study (speaker T.B.C.)
Education Scotland (speaker T.B.C.)
Lynda McBain, Curriculum Head for Care, South Lanarkshire College
Bob Gomersall, Chair, BTL Group
Prof. Phillip John, SCHOLAR Programme, Heriot-Watt University
Denis Saunders, Managing Director, Calibrand
Martyn Ware, e-Assessment Manager, SQA
Grahame Smart, Maths AST and E-Learning Consultant
Andy McPherson, Projects Director, LearnTPM
Matt Wingfield, MD, TAG Developments

Fees

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Discounted fee for Schools and Colleges: £190 per delegate plus VAT (total £228.00)

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