

Early Careers Workshop | Programme

11-12 April 2019, Newcastle Business School, Partner's Room

The Early Careers Workshop, facilitated by the Economics Network, is a two-day workshop focused on effective and innovative economics teaching.

The sessions at the workshop are designed for new and early careers economics lecturers and focus on improving large and small group teaching, assessment and feedback, module design, voice and presence in the classroom and using games and media in teaching.

Thursday 11th April

Time	Session title	Facilitators
09.00-09.15	Registration and coffee	
09.15-09.30	Ice-breaker activity	Christian Spielmann
09.30-10.30	Introduction to workshop & HE context	Alvin Birdi & Christian Spielmann
10.30-11.00	Module design	Guglielmo Volpe
11.00-11.20	Break	
11.20-12.30	Engaging students in large groups	Ralf Becker, Caroline Elliott and Guglielmo Volpe
12.30-13.30	Lunch	
13.30-14.30	Showcase/demonstrations A: Webinars/videos/podcasts	Christian Spielmann, Alvin Birdi, Caroline Elliott
13.30-14.30	Showcase/demonstrations B: Problem-based learning/ case studies/ flipped classrooms (including video production)	Guglielmo Volpe, Ralf Becker
14.30-14.45	Break	
14.45-15.45	Showcase/demonstrations A: Problem-based learning/ case studies/ flipped classrooms (including video production)	Guglielmo Volpe, Ralf Becker
14.45-15.45	Showcase/demonstrations B: Webinars/videos/podcasts	Christian Spielmann, Alvin Birdi, Caroline Elliott
15.50-16.50	Games and media	Jon Guest and Caroline Elliott
16.50-17.15	Curiosity & narrative	Christian Spielmann
19.00-late	Dinner	

Friday 12th April

Time	Session title	Facilitators
	Refreshments on arrival	
09.15-09.30	Welcome and day two intro	Alvin Birdi
09.30-11.00	A: Voice and presence in the classroom	Andrew Harries (VOX Coaching)
09.30-11.00	B: Assessment and employability skills	Jon Guest and Caroline Elliott
11.00-11.15	Break	
11.15-12.45	A: Assessment and employability skills	Jon Guest and Caroline Elliott
11.15-12.45	A: Voice and presence in the classroom	Andrew Harries (VOX Coaching)
12.45-13.45	Lunch	
13.45-15.00	Group work – planning activities/lessons	All
15.00-15.15	Break	
15.15-16.15	Group work presentations Panel – sum up and unanswered questions	All
	Certificates and closing remarks	