

The schedule



Wednesday 24th May

- 13.30 Conference registration begins plus “Fun with sticks” (Helium session)
- 14.00 Welcome and opening address by Conference Chair: Daryl Murray
- 14.20 **Keynote 1: Rob Briner**
Evidence-based practice in the world of assessment centres
- 15.15 Tea break
- 15.35 **Breakout session 1**
- 16.20 Comfort break
- 16.30 **Breakout session 2**
- 17.15 Plenary summary
- 17.30 Mindfulness through meditation breathing
- 17.45 Adjourn
- 18.00 “Fun with sticks” (Nunchaku session)
- 18.30 Drinks reception
- 19.30 Dinner and entertainment

Entertainment with Rob Bailey: Exploring the secret science of mindreading

Thursday 25th May

- 08.00 “Fun with sticks” (Helium and bamboo sessions)
- 08.30 Conference registration begins
- 08.40 Mindfulness through body movement
- 09.00 Welcome and opening address by Conference Chair: Daryl Murray
- 09.20 **Keynote 2: Sandra Schlebusch**
Achieving the balancing act: Designing and delivering centres to satisfy various stakeholders
- 10.15 Tea break
- 10.35 **Breakout session 3**
- 11.20 Group photo
- 11.40 **Breakout session 4**
- 12.25 Conference update
- 12.45 Lunch
- 13.40 Mindfulness through interpersonal communication
- 14.00 **Keynote 3: Nicky Garcea**
Authentic assessment
- 15.00 Tea break
- 15.20 **Breakout session 5**
- 16.05 Mindfulness using different senses
- 16.20 Summary and close

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Activity	Presenter(s)	Title
Opening address day 1	Daryl Murray, Conference Chair	Introduction and icebreakers: 'Mindfulness' and 'Fun with sticks!'
Keynote 1	Rob Briner, Queen Mary University of London	Evidence-based practice in the world of assessment centres
Breakout session 1	1a Fleur Scott and Martin Adams, Propel	Mind the gap: Diversity and inclusivity implications for evidence based assessment
	1b Amanda Potter, Zircon	Why traditional assessment centres are a thing of the past
Break		
Breakout session 2	2a Angie Smith, MBA Roleplay	The ultimate evidence: Observed roleplay in assessment
	2b Katy Welsh, a&dc	Automation in development centres: A case study from the publishing industry
Day 1 close		
Opening address day 2	Daryl Murray, Conference Chair	Introduction and icebreakers: 'Mindfulness' and 'Fun with sticks!'
Keynote 2	Sandra Schlebusch, Lemasa	Achieving the balancing act: Designing and delivering centres to satisfy various stakeholders
Breakout session 3	3a Kathryn Lewis, a&dc	Assessing for development using virtual technology: A global case study
	3b Max Choi, Quest Partnership and Helen Baron and T K Wu	Evidence based ACs: The earth is not flat!
Group photo		
Breakout session 4	4a Martin Lanik, Pinsight	Future of assessment centers: Two disruptive, evidence-based technologies changing the practice
	4b Liza Brothers, Land Securities Ross McGarrigle, a&dc	Analysing assessment centre data: A case study from the commercial property sector
Conference update		
Keynote 3	Nicky Garcea, CAPP	Authentic assessment
Breakout session 5	5a Martin Adams, Propel Robert Newry, Arctic Shores Philippa Riley, a&dc	Panel discussion: Gamification and evidence-based assessment
	5b Jenny Kodz, & Isla Campbell, College of Policing ; Laura Litvine & Ariella Kristal, Behavioural Insights Team	Tackling barriers to recruiting and selecting a diverse workforce to policing: An evidence based approach
Summary and conference close		