

ESRC Festival of Social Science



Monday 15 March 2010
Room G39

Educating Citizens: Preparing Undergraduates for Lives of Civic Engagement

This seminar seeks to have a dialogue on the public purposes of higher education, particularly on how best to educate future generations of responsible and engaged citizens.

10.00 Arrival and Coffee in School of Education Reception Area

10.30 Introduction

10.40 Key Note Lecture

Professor John Annette – Pro-Vice Master of Birbeck College, University of London
'Civic Engagement and Higher Education'

11.40 Coffee

12.00 1st Presentation from Guild of Students

Claire Differ, Stacey Brown, Rebecca Buswell
'Volunteering and the University of Birmingham Guild of Students'

1.00 Lunch

1.45 2nd Presentation from the Third Sector

Chair: Tom Harrison
Panel: Peter Hayes - Director of Education - CSV, Eileen Hendon - Birmingham and Black Country Manager, BTCV, Ben Ballin - Tide, Cameron Nimmo - Events and Volunteer Coordinator, Envision
'The Third Sector and Civic Engagement'

3.15 Conclusion and Tea

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Professor James Arthur, Editor of BJES, Ian White, Journals, Taylor and Francis

4.00 Volume 58 No. 1 – First Issue with Taylor and Francis

Contributors:

David Gillborn – *'The White Working Class, Racism and Respectability: Victims, Degenerates and Interest-convergence'*

Andrew Pollard – *'Directing the Teaching and Learning Research Programme: or 'trying to fly a glider made of jelly''*

Stephen Gorard – *'Education Can Compensate for Society – a bit'*

David Carr – *'Education, Contestation and Confusions of Sense and Concept'*

Malcolm Tight – *'The Golden Age of Academe: Myth or Memory?'*

John Annette – *'Special Issue on Civic Engagement.'*

4.50 Question and Answer Session

5.15 Cheese and Wine in Reception

