



CPD event for psychology teachers & lecturers

Saturday 3rd October 2015, A K Bell Library, Perth

Cost: £45. **Book your place online at www.theATP.org.** Venue address & info: see below.

Note: to attend this event you must be an ATP/ATPS member – join or renew at www.theATP.org

PROGRAMME (provisional)

The focus will be on teaching, learning and assessment, and sessions will be mainly participative workshops rather than lecture-style presentations, to facilitate sharing of ideas, experiences and classroom practice. There will be plenty of opportunity for informal 'networking'.

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- 9.30 Registration , *Tea & coffee*
- 9.45 Event opens: Welcome by ATPS Team and message from ATP Chairperson Helene Ansell
- 10.00 Workshop 1:
New Ideas for the Active Classroom - Helene Ansell and Dorothy Coombs (ATP UK committee)
- 10.45 *Tea & coffee*
- 11.00 **Sharing experiences of the new NQs in Psychology**
Short presentations by teachers on their planning and delivery of the new Higher and National 5 Presentations will be followed by **Q and A to presenters and an expert panel**
Chair: Dorothy Coombs, ATP UK
An opportunity to **share your experiences and concerns** about option topics, internal assessments, the Assignment, exam prep, resources etc; **put your questions** to experienced teachers and examiners.
- 12.15 **Psychology teaching in Scotland – updates on current and recent developments:**
Education Scotland; SQA; ATP UK; BPS Scottish Branch; EFPTA; Lothians Network
- 12.45 **Buffet lunch** (*included in delegate fee and provided in the venue*)
- 13.45 **Keynote: Applying psychological science in our teaching**
Mark Healy and Jonathan Firth
- 14.45 **Workshop 2:**
The future of psychology in schools and colleges– sticking our heads above the parapet
Presenters tbc.
- 15.45 Closing remarks /close of event.

Directions to the venue:

- **Venue address:** AK Bell Library, 2-8 York Place, Perth PH2 8EP
- **It is easy to reach by public transport:** about 5-10 minutes' walk from the main bus station in Leonard Street and 10-15 minutes' walk from the main railway station, also in Leonard Street.
- Find venue info here: <http://www.pkc.gov.uk/AKBell>
- **Map and directions:**
<https://www.google.co.uk/maps/place/A+K+Bell+Library/@56.3950852,-3.4376183,15z/data=!4m2!3m1!1sox0:oxd187295ffe70deb4>

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