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**University of Birmingham and University of Nottingham
London Careers Advisers' and Teachers' Conference
Thursday 6 June 2019
09:30-15:30**

Programme

09.30 – 10.00	Arrival and refreshments
10.00 – 10.10	Welcome and housekeeping
10.10 – 11.05	Topical issues in university admissions Rachel Atkin – Director of Student Recruitment, University of Nottingham Roderick Smith – Director of Admissions, University of Birmingham
11.05 – 11.20	Break
11.20 – 12.20	Breakout session 1 1.1 'Studying towards a sustainable future' Biosciences – Dr Simon Welham, University of Nottingham Earth Sciences – Dr Tom Dunkley Jones, University of Birmingham Geography – Speaker TBC, University of Birmingham 1.2 Degree Apprenticeships Anna Morrison – Director of Amazing Apprenticeships Jade Westwood – Degree Apprenticeships Manager, University of Birmingham Ruth Eccles – Head of Degree Apprenticeships, University of Nottingham
12.20 – 13.00	Lunch



13.00 – 14.00

Breakout session 2

2.1 Engineering

Architectural Engineering – Dr Christopher Smith, University of Nottingham

Chemical Engineering – Dr John Turner, University of Nottingham

Electrical Engineering – Dr Tim Jackson, University of Birmingham

2.2 Multidisciplinary courses

Liberal Arts – Dr Ross Wilson, University of Nottingham

Natural Sciences – Dr Chris Brignell, University of Nottingham

Politics, Religion and Philosophy – Dr Karen Wenell, University of Birmingham

14.00 – 14.20

Break

14.20 – 15.20

Breakout session 3

3.1 New courses

Aerospace Engineering – Dr Alessandro Mottura, University of Birmingham

Cancer Sciences – Dr Kevin Gaston, University of Nottingham

Criminology – Speaker TBC, University of Birmingham

3.2 An introduction to Medicine

Mandy Hampshire – Director of Admissions & UKFP Lead, University of Nottingham

Dr Austen Spruce – College Lead for Medical Admissions, University of Birmingham

15.30

Conference close

Please note this is a draft programme and therefore subject to minor amendments