

# Current Challenges/Desired Futures for Higher Education in Japan and the UK

27-28 February 2017 / University of Sussex, Brighton, UK

## DRAFT PROGRAMME

### Monday 27 February

10.30am	MORNING COFFEE
11am	Professor Louise Morley (CHEER Director): <i>Welcome and introductions</i>
11.30am-12.30pm	Keynote by Dr Fumi Kitagawa (University of Edinburgh): <i>Whither or Wither Universities? Perspectives from the UK and Japan</i>
12.30-1pm	Professor Yumiko Hada: <i>Introduction to RIJUE the Research Institute for Japan, the UK and Europe (RIJUE) at Hiroshima University</i>
1-2pm	LUNCH
2-3.30pm	Panel Presentations: <i>Innovations and Challenges in Higher Education Teaching and Learning in the UK</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Dr Emily Danvers: 'Critical Thinking and the Student Voice: Speaking up and Speaking Back'</li> <li>- Dr Tamsin Hinton-Smith: 'Widening Access to UK Universities: Casting the New Wide?'</li> <li>- Dr Simon Thompson: 'Enhancing the Quality of Teaching and Learning in Higher Education'</li> </ul>
3.30-3.45pm	TEA BREAK
3.45-4.45pm	Discussion: <i>Challenges and Desired Futures in UK and Japanese Higher Education</i> Chair: Professor Louise Morley, CHEER, University of Sussex
5-6.30pm	Keynote by Professor Rosemary Deem (Royal Holloway College, University of London): <i>Trends and Developments in Doctoral Education</i> Respondent: Professor John Pryor, University of Sussex

### Tuesday 28 February

10-11am	Workshop: <i>Comparative Understandings of Teaching and Learning in the UK and Japan: Student's Perspectives</i> Chair: Dr Emily Danvers, CHEER, University of Sussex
11-11.30am	TEA BREAK
11.30am-1pm	Panel Presentations: <i>Newer Researchers interrogate The Neoliberal University</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Daniel Leyton, University of Sussex: 'Desirable Subjectivities in Chilean Widening Participation Narratives'</li> <li>- Paul Roberts, University of Sussex: '<i>Industrialising</i> the Doctorate'</li> <li>- Tanja Jovanovic, University of Sussex: 'Inequities for Roma in Higher Education: The Case of Serbia'</li> </ul>
1-2pm	LUNCH
2-3.30pm	Panel Presentations: <i>Internationalisation and Equity</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Dr Ryo Sasaki, Hiroshima University: 'Access to Higher Education and Equality of Opportunity in Education'</li> <li>- Dr Yuki Yamaguchi, Hiroshima University: 'International Mobility and Tensions: Cross Points of Different Economies of Higher Education'</li> </ul>
3.30-3.45pm	TEA BREAK
3.45-5pm	Workshop: <i>Identifying a Research Agenda for Exploring Higher Education in the UK and Japan - Summing up and Moving Forward</i> Chair: Professor Louise Morley, CHEER, University of Sussex & Professor Yumiko Hada, Hiroshima University