Aspiring Academic Registrars

Empowering futures, shaping academia: The journey to Academic Registrar Excellence



Speakers

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Schedule	Session Details	Facilitator(s)
09:15	Registration opens	
09:45 – 10:00	Welcome	Matt
	Introductions, housekeeping and overview of the day	
10:00 – 10:45	1. What is an Academic Registrar?	Matt
	Mapping out a senior role in registry services can be challenging	
	when the terms and scopes of the roles are so different. Better	
	understand some of the core skills and areas of responsibility	
	involved	Matt, Rebecca
	Career Journeys	and Zak
10:45 – 11:15	Refreshments and Networking Bingo	Matt, Rebecca
		and Zak
11:15 - 12:15	Aptitude and Competency Mapping	Matt
	What skills and behaviours might you need to progress a career	
	in registry? Start exploring these skills and understanding where	
	you might need to focus for improvement.	
12:15 - 13:00	Lunch and Networking	
13:00 – 14:00	3. Leading the Expertise of Others	Zak
	A key challenge for any Academic Registrar is managing expert	
	or specialist teams, often when you have no direct experience of	
	that specialism. This session will give some insight into how to	
	approach the challenges.	
14:00 – 15:00	4. Creating your Network	Rebecca
	How to make the most of working in a sector that shares by	
	being able to confidently engage with new colleagues and how	
	to nurture existing relationships.	
15:00 - 15:15	Coffee & Comfort Break	
15:15 – 15:45	5. Next Steps for Career Development	Matt
	Defining yourself and managing your niche expertise and	
	character with information, advice and guidance on how to	
	engage with higher education recruiters.	
15:45 – 16:00	Round Up & Close	Matt, Rebecca
	Opportunity for any further questions.	and Zak