

Beyond the policy: what LLE readiness means in practice

An online event offered by AHEP Consulting in conjunction with the Academic Registrars' Council

Date: 25 March 2026

Programme: internal timings are indicative, start & end times are confirmed

10:00	Introduction & welcome	AHEP consulting
10:05	What is this thing called LLE? presentation with questions/discussion from Student Loans Company and Department for Education	Steve Jones, Stakeholder Engagement Manager, Partner Services, Student Loans Company Laura Barclay, Head of LLE Market Stimulation, Higher Education Oversight
10:35	A sector perspective on LLE: opportunities and challenges Panel discussion facilitated by Dr Ailsa Crum, Lead Consultant, AHEP Consulting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor Harriet Dunbar-Morris, Provost and Pro Vice-Chancellor Academic at the University of Buckingham – currently Visiting Fellow at the University of Oxford, with a focus on lifelong learning • Rachel Cowie, Deputy Academic Registrar, UWE • Nichola Connolly, student with the OU
11:05	Are you LLE ready? Opportunity for delegates to share views and experiences	Rachel Reeds and Ailsa Crum, Lead Consultants, AHEP Consulting
11:20	AHEP Consulting: here to help	Amanda Owen-Meehan, Managing Consultant, AHEP Consulting
11:30	Close	