

Developing the new Education Strategy: Participation and inclusion in the collegiate University

A discussion meeting for Directors of Teaching and Senior Tutors

Thursday 20 September 2018, Newnham College

Context for the meeting

The new Education Strategy will set directions for the next five years for undergraduate and postgraduate education and for the broader student experience. There will be areas of continuity between the current Learning and Teaching Strategy and the new Education Strategy. However, significant Government policy developments, changes within the Collegiate University, and changing aspirations and pressures affecting current prospective students, mean that it is timely to reflect on the broad ambitions of education at Cambridge and what these mean for Cambridge's students, staff and educational environments.

A major priority for the collegiate University will be considering how to address questions concerning 'participation' and 'inclusion'. This discussion meeting represents an opportunity to consider the meanings of these terms from a range of perspectives and to reflect on implications for teaching, learning, assessment and broader student experiences and concerns.

The afternoon begins with short presentations followed by a panel discussion which is chaired by the Senior Pro-Vice-Chancellor for Education. Directors of Teaching and Senior Tutors then have time to discuss questions and priorities in small groups and to identify salient themes and concerns for discussion with the Senior Pro-Vice-Chancellor for Education and, where appropriate, for further attention within the collegiate University.

Programme

- 2.00 Senior Pro-Vice-Chancellor for Education: introduction
- 2.10 Presentations
- 3.10 Panel Q&A
- 3.40 Small-group discussions: delegates' experiences, questions, priorities
(refreshments available)
- 4.00 Feedback from groups; questions and discussion (Chair: Senior Pro-Vice-Chancellor for Education)
- 4.30 Close