

Working with Black Young People

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Programme

- 9.30 Arrival/registration
**Chair of the morning Malcolm Payne
(Head of Youth and Community Division)**
- 10.00 Welcome remarks (Carlton Howson,
Senior Lecturer)
- 10:10 Dean's opening Remarks
(Professor Gillian Grant)
- 10.30 First Keynote Speech (Colin Prescod,
Chair, Institute of Race Relations)
- 11:15 Discussion
- 11:30 Break – refreshments
- 11:45 Parallel Workshops/Discussion Groups
- 12:30 Plenary
- 12:45 Lunch

Chair of the Afternoon Session, Marcia Stewart (Associate Head of Applied Social Sciences)

- 1:45 Second Keynote speech (Professor Ravinder
Barn, University of London Royal Holloway)
- 2:30 Discussion
- 2:45 Break – refreshments
- 3:00 Parallel Workshops/Discussion Groups
- 3:45 Plenary
- 4:00 Evaluation
- 4:15 Closing Remarks (Professor Dave Ward,
Head of School of Applied Social Sciences)
- 4:30 Network opportunities
- 5.00 End

Programme subject to change

Cost

£170 including vat.

The fee for the conference includes a book *Working with Black Young People*, refreshments and buffet lunch.

A limited number of subsidised fees are available (Students, young people and members of small voluntary organisations). These are available on a first come first serve basis, if you would like to apply for a subsidised fee please state so on the booking form.

Further Information

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A One Day CONFERENCE



Working with Black Young People

Friday 30th June 2006
De Montfort University, Leicester

The aim of the **Working with Black Young People** conference is to enable delegates to gain a deeper appreciation of issues that confront black young people and to consider strategies for change. It will precede the launch of a publication *Working with Black Young People* to be edited by Momodou Sallah and Carlton Howson, which will be issued to all conference participants in the spring of 2007.

We use black in its political context to cover people of Indian, Pakistani, Bangladeshi, African and African Caribbean origins, and there is ample evidence to show that a lot of black young people hold a different concept of reality to the mainly dominant Eurocentric one and this needs to be given greater attention by all who work with black young people.

Objectives

The conference is designed to enable black and white communities, practitioners and academics to come together:

- To share experiences and the realities of working with black young people
- To explore relevant issues in relation to policy and practice for community and youth work, education, criminal justice, social work and other relevant fields in the social sciences, with practical strategies for change
- To provide information about the launch of the publication and other initiatives to support those working with black young people.

Keynote Speakers and Workshops

Two keynote inputs from Colin Prescod, Chair, Institute of Race Relations and Professor Ravinder Barn, University of London Royal Holloway complemented by inputs from contributors to the book on the specific themes that they have explored/written about. It is intended that there will be an open format enabling discussion amongst practitioners/participants.

Participants will be able to attend two workshops, one from each session from the list below.

Morning Workshops

1. **Shahid Ashrif** – Working with Young Black People (Explores young people in relation to Muslim identity and islamophobia)

2. **Tony Graham** – Young Black People Matter: Universal Differentiated Services for Young Black People
3. **Raksha Pandya** – Routz Project: The Drug and Alcohol Research by Refugees and Asylum Seekers on Refugees and Asylum Seekers – Participatory Action Research Model
4. **Momodou Sallah** – Black Young People and the Construction of Social Reality
5. **Carlton Howson** – The Contribution and Significance of Black People in Britain
6. **Dawn Summers** – Anti-Opressive Work in an Oppressive State

Afternoon Workshops

7. **Leona White-Simmonds** and **Richard Kennedy** – The Impact of Formal Education on African-Caribbean Young People
8. **Darren Johnson** – Black Young People and the Criminal Justice System
9. **Ann-Marie Lawson** – Can White Youth Workers Effectively Meet the Needs of Black Young People?
10. **Rod Dacombe, Adam Whitworth** and **Manuel Souto** – The Voluntary Sector and Young Black People
11. **Mohammad Dhalech** – Muslim Youth Work the Challenges
12. **Chester Morrison** – Black Young People and the Youth Service
13. **Bharat Chauhan** – The Challenge of Black Perspectives for the Modern Health and Social Care Practitioner

Who is the conference is for

The conference focuses on theory, practice and policy; it aims to address the needs and interests of both black and white community workers, youth workers and activists, probation officers, social workers, academic, management of voluntary organisations, community development, community enterprise, Connexions, Youth Offending Teams, and all those who are currently involved in relevant work with young people.

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