



The Legal Education and Training Review - 5 Years on Call for Papers

Leeds Law School and its Applied Legal Education Research Group are hosting a one day conference marking 5 years since the publication of the Legal Education and Training Review (LETR) on the 25th June 2018. The conference will be an opportunity to reflect on the last 5 years and to discuss the future(s) of legal education. We will hear from the LETR research team as well as the professional bodies who commissioned the report and will be able to consider the extent to which recommendations have been followed, predictions have held true and new paths have been taken.

We now invite submission of abstracts for papers which explore any aspect of the LETR and subsequent developments. Topics might include but are not limited to

- Who are tomorrow's lawyers and who should be educating/training them?
- What are Law Degrees for?
- Routes to qualification for solicitors, barristers and legal executives
- Education and training for paralegals
- The value of a liberal legal education
- The impact of LETR and subsequent developments on specific substantive areas
- Impact of the LETR and subsequent developments on Law Schools
- International comparisons
- The Futures of Legal Education and Training
- ...

Please submit your abstract of no more than 500 words to Dr Jessica Guth by email (j.guth@leedsbeckett.ac.uk) stating 3-5 keywords which will help us group related papers together. The deadline for submission is 5pm on Monday 29th January 2018. We will make decisions on the abstracts and put together a preliminary programme by Friday 9th February.