

Putting Social Research in the Spotlight

SRA Annual Conference

Tuesday 6th December 2011

10.30 to 5:00pm, at the British Library, London
Lunch, refreshments and drinks reception provided

Speakers

Pat Sturgis, National Centre for Research Methods *On causes and effects: current perspectives on causal inference in social research*

William O'Connor, NatCen *New developments in qualitative social research*

Darren Bhattachary, TNS-BMRB *New developments in research on behaviour change*

Lorraine Dearden, Institute for Fiscal Studies and Institute of Education *The role of evaluation in social research: current perspectives and new developments*

Workshops

<p>Quantitative studies (1) Sally McManus, Natcen <i>Mental Health and Wellbeing – two birds with one stone?</i></p> <p>Andrea Finney, PFRC, Bristol University <i>Dimensions of the fuel hardship experience</i></p>	<p>Qualitative studies Caroline Turley, NatCen <i>Evaluation of the Victim's Support Homicide Service</i></p> <p>Becky Seale, TNS-BMRB <i>Caring about social care: blending qualitative methods to bring the issue home</i></p>
<p>Innovative methodologies Jackie Beckhelling, CRSP, University of Loughborough <i>Social network analysis</i></p>	<p>Developments in the use of administrative data Chris Dibben, ADLS, St Andrews University <i>The use of administrative data in social research – opportunities now and in the future</i></p>

<p>Catherine Shaw, National Children’s Bureau <i>Work in progress: Challenges and successes in researching young disabled people’s participation in service development</i></p>	<p>Gareth Piggott, Greater London Authority <i>Toolkit for measuring well-being at the local level</i></p>
<p>Behaviour change Helen Angle, TNS-BMRB <i>Using social media to change behaviour – how can social research make it more effective?</i></p>	<p>Quantitative studies (2) Bridget Williams, GfK NOP <i>Using conjoint analysis to develop a new online system for benefits delivery</i></p> <p>Sami Benyahia, Ipsos MORI <i>Achieving and maintaining high quality data for the National Student Survey</i></p>
<p>Evaluation studies Sara Davies, PFRC, Bristol University <i>The Child Trust Fund: Measuring Early Impacts</i></p> <p>Susan Purdon, Bryson Purdon Social Research <i>Evaluating the Separated Parents Information Programme –a quasi-experiment at breakneck speed</i></p>	<p>Longitudinal research Matt Barnes, NatCen <i>Understanding vulnerable young people: An exploration of multiple disadvantage</i></p> <p>Heather Laurie, ISER, University of Essex <i>Understanding Society Innovation Panel: using experiments to inform survey design</i></p>

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