INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES ON UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH AND INQUIRY: A SCHOLARLY DISCUSSION

Guidance for plenary speakers:

Expanding on the Format

The seminar will emphasise enquiry / investigation / discussion in small international groups. Participants will be allocated by Alan and Mick to groups of 6-8 and each group will have an international mix of participants. These groups will operate right through the day. There will also be times both formally, e.g. the poster sessions, and informally, e.g. refreshment breaks, for participants to meet outside these groups.

We think such an enquiry format is appropriate to the focus of the seminar. We assume all participants bring to the seminar / discussions particular expertise and questions that can best be explored through guided discussion. To express this differently this seminar will *not* be the, perhaps, usual formal lectures with the odd question!

The role of the final plenary and your contribution is for this international gathering to discuss / propose ways of taking forward the seminar agenda at an international level / and through national organisations. It will be chaired by Alan and Mick – with each of you having a maximum of 5 minutes to present your perspective