



Dual Sensory Conference: Changing Perceptions

Vision & Hearing Research Centre
Anglia Ruskin University (Cambridge Campus)
17th April 2024

Wifi PIN - 785363

Registration link [here](#)

9am-9:45am	Registration and coffee
9:45am-10:00am	Welcome and opening comments
10:00am-11:20am	<p>Session 1:</p> <p>10am-10:30 - Steve Rose, Vision Australia – <i>Exploring tactile language and cognition in congenitally deafblind children and young people.</i></p> <p>10:30-10:50: Clare Strongman, Anglia Ruskin University - <i>'Sometimes I feel like dancing afterwards': Exploring experiences of Pilates as a 'return to sport' intervention after the COVID-19 lockdown in UK adults with visual impairment.</i></p> <p>10:50am-11:10: Raisa Ahmed, Addenbrookes Hospital, Cambridge – <i>DigiVis Remote consultation – A service evaluation.</i></p>

11:20am- 11:50am	Coffee break
11:50am- 12:50pm	<p>Session 2:</p> <p>11:50-12:10: Tina Kemp, Brimsdown School, London – <i>BSL and the Curriculum in mainstream schools</i></p> <p>12:10-12:30: Clare Manford, Anglia Ruskin University - <i>Exploring the challenges facing deafblind students, and the challenges of engaging them in research: Insights from focus group studies.</i></p> <p>12:30-12:50: Elena Sakkalou, Anglia Ruskin University – <i>Understanding and addressing the needs of children with congenital visual impairment.</i></p> <p>12:50 – Close of morning session</p>
1:00pm- 2:00pm	Lunch
2:00pm- 4:00pm	Interactive workshops, demonstrations, and research networking.
4:00pm – 4:30pm	Closing comments



Afternoon Workshop schedule

2:00-2:30 pm	Laraine Locklin - Guide Dogs UK <i>The role of a Guide Dog</i>	Chloe Bedford - Brimsdown School <i>BSL in mainstream school and workplaces workshop</i>	Coffee and refreshments
2:30-3:00 pm	Laraine Locklin - Guide Dogs UK <i>The role of a Guide Dog</i>	Waheeda Pagarkar - Great Ormond Street Hospital, Dual Sensory Clinic <i>Talk: GOSH dual sensory clinic</i>	Networking Sponsor demonstrations
3:00-3:30 pm	Angela Saunders and Dory - Hearing Dogs for the Deaf <i>The role of hearing dogs in supporting deaf people</i>	Chloe Bedford - Brimsdown School <i>BSL in mainstream school and workplaces workshop</i>	Take part in ARU research!
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