



## **SLN Events 2008 Update**

This is a special edition of the SLN newsletter to update you on three key events from the SLN for 2008.

### **“Curriculum, Curriculum, Curriculum!” - 18 April 2008**

#### **Annual Foundation Degree Symposium**

Sussex Down College, Lewes - 9.30 am to 3.45 pm

Over 24 presenters from across Sussex will look at how they have tackled some of the issues in developing the Foundation degree curriculum across the full range of subjects.

The day will provide an excellent opportunity for those planning, teaching or advising students to find out what goes on in building a higher education qualification that is designed to make an impact on those in and entering the workforce.

Online booking will be open on 18 February.

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### **The challenge for admissions - 21 May 2008**

#### **Progression to HE from vocational courses**

Bramber House Conference Centre, Falmer, Brighton - 12.15 to 3.30 pm

We will:

- set the context of local progression agreements by providing information on barriers to the admission of vocational learners to HE
- raise awareness of progression agreements in Sussex
- provide information about Sussex routes, the new online progression tool for applicants and staff
- provide a forum for action planning to overcome barriers.

To book a place, contact Moira Monk – [m.monk@brighton.ac.uk](mailto:m.monk@brighton.ac.uk), 01273 876766.

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### **THREE BY THE SEA - 24/25/26 June 2008**

#### **SLN Annual Conference**

3 years on and still learning - 3 conferences over 3 days  
Bramber House Conference Centre, Falmer, Brighton

- **Day 1**     **Learning from 14 to 19: the challenges of the new diplomas**  
(jointly organised with Aimhigher Sussex and the Sussex Sixth Forms Colleges Consortium)
- **Day 2**     **Learning from research**  
(jointly organised with the Learning and Skills Research Network in the South East)
- **Day 3**     **Learning from Practice**  
(a critical review of the SLN's achievements and our plans for the challenges ahead)

Please note the dates in your diary. We will be open for online bookings in April. In the meantime you can contact Moira Monk for more information – [m.monk@brighton.ac.uk](mailto:m.monk@brighton.ac.uk), 01273 876766.

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