

### SCiP Alliance Conference 2021

## Workshops

Delegates will have the opportunity to attend two workshops during the day. Selections will be made on the day during registration.

- Workshop 1 13.15-14.15
- Workshop 2 14.30-15.30

	Innovate	Develop	Imagine
1315	Innovate  Workshop A  Leading together post-16  Louisa Dobson, Programme Manager, FutureHY Uni Connect  Polly Harrow, Assistant Principal, Kirklees College and Chair of NAMSS  Kath Lawrence, SCiP Alliance Head of Operations  This workshop will explore recent research around working with post-16 institutions, launch the SCiP Alliance's briefing (Young People from Armed Forces Families: Post-16  Education and Training) and hear the view from colleges.  In this workshop you will:  1.Explore recent research characterising the context for young people from military families post-16  2.Understand the diverse views	Porces Children Scotland: Co-Production with our Young People  Chris Paul, Children and Family Services Manager, Forces Children Scotland  Cara Pleym, Digital Worker, Forces Children Scotland  This workshop will look at our co-production model and have a focus on our Your Mind Matters programme. We will discuss how we have been able to work alongside young people and the positive aspect of this type of support while looking at some of the challenges along the way. We will share the voices of our young people and how they have felt in the process.  In this workshop you will learn about:  The benefits and challenges of co-production with children and young-people	<ul> <li>Workshop C</li> <li>Educational Experiences of Service Children: Mobility, Separation, Deployment</li> <li>Rebecca Lovell, Naval Families Federation</li> <li>Anna Hutchinson, Army Families Federation</li> <li>Alexandra Stokes, RAF Families Federation</li> <li>This workshop will help you understand life in Armed Forces families:</li> <li>1. Challenges and opportunities that Service children might face in education and how Service children and young people are not a homogenous group</li> <li>2. The role of the Families Federations</li> <li>3. How those involved in education can support the challenges and opportunities service children may encounter.</li> </ul>
	from the college sector	What our young people tell us and why it is important	



- 3.Explore together how you might work with colleges to support young people from military families' educational progression
- 4. Identify key messages for researchers, policy makers and practitioners.
- 3. How the Your Mind Matters project will support the mental health of young people from military families

#### 1430 | Workshop D

#### Listening to Service children: Using research findings to reflect on practice

- Dr Georgina Normile, Senior Lecturer in Primary Education, Bath Spa University
- Dr Claire Lee, Research Fellow, Oxford Brookes University

Georgina and Claire will share insights gained from their extensive research with Service children and offer delegates opportunities for reflection and discussion. Practitioners working with Service children of all ages, especially younger children, will be challenged to extend their thinking about children's voice and take away ideas to further develop their practice in their own settings.

In this workshop you will:

- 1.Gain insight from recent research with Service children in the UK context
- 2. Find space to reflect on and extend thinking about children's voice within your own practice

#### Workshop E

# Creative Forces Day Events - A shared experience: How we worked collaboratively to plan and deliver

- Jessica Darnell, Strategic Projects Manager, LiNCHigher Uni Connect
- Louisa Dobson, Programme Manager, FutureHY Uni Connect
- Izzy Tooke, Communications Officer, FutureHY Uni Connect

Three Uni Connect hubs collaborated to bring students from primary and secondary schools together in an online, interactive Creative Forces Day.

In this workshop you will learn:

- 1. Logistical planning hear how we planned and organised the events from inception to delivery.
- 2. Collaborative working we will share best practice on working together to develop new activity.
- 3. Learner voice we will share what we learned from the young people who participated in our events to help inform future practice.

#### Workshop F

# What schools tell us about Service children's education

- Millie Taylor, SSCE Cymru Programme Manager, Welsh Local Government Association
- Steph Fawdry, Headteacher, RAF Benson Community Primary School and Chair of Service Children in State Schools National Executive Advisory Committee (SCISS NEAC)

Find out how SCISS, through the 'Voice of school project' and SSCE Cymru, through the 'Cymru stakeholder consultation project', have listened to schools in England and Wales, and responded to what they have told us.

In this workshop you will learn:

- 1. What schools have told us about their Service children's experiences
- 2.What schools have found challenging in supporting Service children
- 3. What schools have identified as good practice in supporting Service children.





