

annual conference

ADCS The Association of Directors of Children's Services
The Midland Hotel Manchester July 2017



Draft Programme Outline Updated: 4 May 2017

Wednesday 5 July - DCS Only Sessions

Time	Session
12noon	Registration and lunch
1:30pm – 1:45pm	President's welcome
1:45pm – 6:00pm	DCS only sessions. Theme: <i>A country that works for children</i>

Thursday 6 July - DCS Only Sessions

Time	Session
8:45am – 10:15am	DCS only sessions. Theme: <i>A self-improving system</i>
10:15am	Refreshment break and close of DCS only sessions

Thursday 6 July - All members Sessions

Time	Session
8:00am	Registration opens
11:00am – 12:30pm	Session: <i>Cumulative impact of welfare reform – ADCS members only</i>
12:30pm	Networking lunch
1:45pm – 2:15pm	President's address
2:15pm – 3:45pm	Sessions TBC
4:00pm – 6:00pm	Workshops
7:30pm	Drinks reception
8:15pm	Dinner

Friday 7 July - All members Sessions

Time	Session
8:00am	Registration opens
8:45am – 9:30am	Ofsted – HMCI, Amanda Spielman
9:30am – 10:45am	EEF - Sir Kevan Collins
10:45am	Refreshment break
11:15am – 11:45am	<i>A country that works for children: a young person's perspective</i>
11:45am – 12noon	President's conclusions
12noon – 2:45pm	Workshops - including lunch
2:45pm	Close of conference

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