

Supporting Professional Development in Higher Education

To colleagues across our partnership

Updates from our meeting held at the University of Nottingham Thursday 05 July 2018

Rory's Story Cubes (find them on Amazon)



Great for reflection and coaching, ask your recipient to select from the cubes (approx. 3) something about how they are feeling or describes a situation they are in etc.

Most of our day we were absorbed in the power of reflective practice

- "Having reflected yesterday evening(!!!) I really took a lot away from this shared learning opportunity". Rie Lane, Loughborough
- "It was great to be with you all and I got a lot from the day. You put a lot of effort into making it a very engaging day". Kate Crane, Birmingham.
- "I've been reflecting a lot since the session and I cannot wait for my words dice to arrive!" Beth Lloyd Aston
- "It was lovely to meet you all and I got a lot from the discussions about reflection" Matt Dix, Birmingham.
- "I haven't been to MSDP for some years and it was so refreshing to experience the difference in approach. I had my DPR today so having the reflective space was very welcome. So thanks Carol and Christine." Bev Millinchip, Derby.

The slides from our day can be found here MSDP, Exploring reflection and reflective practice

Announcing the MSDP Constellation Group

To ensure the continued longevity of the MSDP this volunteer group comprising **Kate Crane:** Birmingham, **Carol Steed:** Nottingham, **Gillian Slater:** Worcester, **Joy Leversley:** Wolverhampton, **Beth Lloyd:** Aston and **Ian Whiting: Oxford Brookes** will

- Ensure the MSDP fulfils its <u>Articles of Association</u> to act as a channel of communication and co-operation on staff and organisational development.
- Provides logistical support to enable effective communication (in all its forms) within the region.
- Administer the financial reserves of the partnership to support MSDP activities

Kate Crane and Carol Steed are becoming signatories to our Santander account. Beth Lloyd and Carol Steed have also volunteered web and Jisc mail support.from their teams



Round robin of passing it on (by members for members)

Attached is a couple of snippets of from our round robin sharing from recent publications. I also attach an article by Dan Cable in the 1st issue of the London Business School Review, Listen, Learn, Liberate

Next meeting: 05 December 2018. (University of Birmingham).

Afternoon session:

Communicating with Impact:

Dr Paul Gentle from Invisible Grail