

Life After University

16 November 2016

10am – 3.30pm

London South Bank University

A **FREE** event for care leaver students currently studying in Higher Education. This event will focus on supporting care experienced students at university as they begin to consider life after graduation.

Programme

10.00 am	Registration and refreshments
10.15 am	Welcome and Introduction <i>Lucia Byrne, St Mary's University Twickenham</i>
10.30 am	Ice breaker Drive Forward Foundation
10.40 am	Keynote speaker <i>Carrie Harrop, National Care Leavers' Association</i>
11.00 am	Rights and entitlements – resource <i>Lauren Hedges, AccessHE and Chris Colson, University of Greenwich</i>
11.10 am	Leaving care <i>Matthew Blood, Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea</i>
11.30 am	World of work <i>Amba Nkundo and Haydn Scott, Working Chance</i>
11.50 am	Postgraduate study <i>Simon Rogg, St Mary's University, Twickenham</i>
12.10 pm	Panel (<i>Liz Taylor, Squire Patton Boggs; Pamela Bwona, J Walter Thompson; Caroline Modest, Hackney Ways into Work; Zach Stouchbury-White, Drive Forward Foundation</i>)
12.45 pm	Lunch and time to talk to other students
1.30 pm	Workshop 1 - Money Skills <i>Barclays Life Skills</i>
2.15 pm	Workshop 2 - Mental health and wellbeing <i>Peter Eldrid, Brunel University London Counselling Service</i>
3.00 pm	Summary and final thoughts
3.10 pm	Networking opportunity
3.30 pm	Close - Individual drop in sessions available



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