



Working with older people's organisations

Seminar on Thursday, 12 May 2011, 10.00–3.30 at
The Open University in London 1-11 Hawley Crescent
Camden Town London NW1 8NP

Fee: £35 (£30 for registered students) including lunch

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The aim of this seminar is to explore methodological and practical issues when user involvement has been achieved through existing older people's organisations and groups. Speakers will address issues such as:

- Why undertake research with existing organisations
- Initiating joint projects
- The benefits and challenges of working with older people's organisations
- Practical and methodological lessons learnt

The speakers will offer diverse perspectives on involvement based on their practical experience of planning and undertaking research. Seminar participants will be invited to share their views and experiences throughout the day. The seminar will be of relevance to practitioners, policy makers, academics and students as well as researchers and older people's organisations.

10.00	Registration + coffee
10.30	Introductions and welcomes Josie Tetley (Morning Chair)
10.45	Drawing on local expertise and experience: Working with volunteer researchers. Julia Johnson (Visiting Senior Research Fellow, The Open University)
11.25	Questions and discussion
11.35	The RoAD to everywhere: undertaking a national study of age discrimination in collaboration with local groups. Bill Bytheway (Visiting Senior Research Fellow, The Open University)
12.15	Questions and discussion
12.25-1.30	Lunch

Afternoon programme and booking details overleaf

Afternoon - Chair Jill Reynolds

- 1.30pm** **Senior Voices – working with local and academic communities**
Stephanie Warren and Joan Walker (Senior Voice/Age UK Milton Keynes)
Josie Tetley (Senior Lecturer, The Open University)
- 2.15** **‘Don’t talk about us without us’: experiences of the London Borough of Enfield over-50s forum.**
Jackie Watts (Senior Lecturer, The Open University) Tony Watts (Secretary, London Borough of Enfield's Over 50s Forum)
- 15.00-15.30** **Questions and discussion and concluding remarks**

CABS at the Open University and the Centre for Policy on Ageing ‘Working with older people’s organisations’ seminar on 12 May 2011

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