

Capturing Data and Evidence through Qualitative Methodologies for Scholarship and Research within the STEM Disciplines

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Qualitative methodologies form an important means of capturing data and evidence within evaluation and pedagogic research. While such methodologies and approaches are well established within, for example, the social sciences, adopting a qualitative approach to educational enquiry can prove initially challenging to those from the Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics disciplines. This free one-day workshop, organised in conjunction with the Higher Education Academy, will provide an accessible introduction to qualitative research and in particular methodologies for collecting qualitative research data.

Outline Programme

0945	Registration and Tea/Coffee
1015	Welcome, introductions and setting the scene <i>Joe Kyle (University of Birmingham)</i>
1025	Qualitative Research Approaches and Designing a Study <i>Lou Comerford Boyes (University of Bradford)</i>
1115	Workshop: Collecting Data from Individual Respondents <i>Helen Mackenzie (Freelance Educational Researcher)</i>
1215	Lunch
1300	Workshop: Group Methods for Data Collection <i>Harry Tolley (University of Nottingham)</i>
1400	Workshop: Using Video Methodologies <i>David Greatbatch (Durham University)</i>
1500	Tea/Coffee
1520	Ethics and Quality Control <i>Lou Comerford Boyes (University of Bradford)</i>
1600	Supporting Scholarship in Higher Education: The Higher Education Academy
1615	Discussion Session: Sharing Advice & Planning the Next Stages
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