



2nd INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON

Realist Evaluation & Synthesis: Advancing Principles, Strengthening Practice

Pre-Conference: Sunday, October 2nd 2016
 Post-Conference: Thursday, October 6th, 2016
 University of Liverpool,
 London Campus - 33 Finsbury Square, London

Main Conference: MON. OCTOBER 3rd to WED. OCTOBER 5th, 2016
BARBICAN CONFERENCE CENTRE, SILK ST. LONDON

Late Breaking Poster Abstract Submission

Deadline: June 1st, 2016

Submit a poster or 15 minute oral presentation* abstract
 Works-in-progress are welcome

Submit at: cares2016.exordo.com. (Decisions by June 30th, 2016)

*short oral format will be considered if oral presentation is a requirement for conference travel funding

The 2nd International CARES Conference is an invaluable opportunity for knowledge sharing, debate and training in the burgeoning areas of realist evaluation and synthesis.

The conference will provide:

- An energizing forum for networking amongst realist evaluators, researchers, and practitioners;
- Advanced training on realist methodology and concepts in the philosophy of Realism;
- Plenary talks, oral and poster presentation and informal space for participant-led dialogue and topic exploration.

CONFIRMED SPEAKERS INCLUDE:

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