

LANGUAGE FOR LEARNING AND VOICE BRADFORD PRESENT THE TALKING SCHOOL CONFERENCE 2017

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Venue: The Midland Hotel, Bradford

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Alan Howe: 'Making Talk Work: using talk to learn; learning to use talk'

Former Director of the Wiltshire Oracy Project and National Oracy Project, Alan was part of the first significant movement in the UK to establish oracy as a major educational initiative. Alan now works as an independent consultant, and has recently returned from a period of advising the Ministry of Education in Brunei Darassalam on the establishment of a large-scale literacy reform programme. He is part of the management team of 'OracyCambridge' with Neil Mercer.

Beccy Earnshaw: 'Voice 21: Get Talking in Class!'

Beccy is Director of Voice 21, which campaigns for the teaching of speaking skills in all state schools, and provides support to educators on all things oracy, based on the work of School 21. Beccy was previously Director of Schools NorthEast (a network of 1,200 schools in the North East). Before she entered the education sector, Beccy worked for The Children's Commissioner for England, The Electoral Commission, The Hansard Society and BBC Parliament.

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