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## Postgraduate researchers in veterinary education- (re)building a community of practice

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# VetEd 2022

## Programme



Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July - Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July



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# Welcome to VetEd 2022

Dear Colleagues,

I am pleased to welcome you to the 12th VetEd conference, and the second such conference to be held at the School of Veterinary Medicine and Science, University of Nottingham.

I am sure that you will enjoy the programme which spans a wide range of topics relevant to educational specialists and those with an interest in promoting excellence in veterinary education.

I am sure that the sessions will engage and inform the audience, as well as setting new directions for enhancing teaching and assessment.

This conference is the result of a significant amount of work from the School's VetEd team, who have worked tirelessly to create the event. They in turn would like to thank the Vet Schools Council and organisers of the 2021 conference for their assistance during planning.

I look forward to an excellent conference and I wish you a very pleasant stay in Nottingham.



Professor Gary England



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# Workshops

## Postgraduate researchers in veterinary education – (re)building a community of practice

### Details

This workshop is designed to bring together current, past, and prospective PhD, Master's, Diploma and PGCert students in veterinary education research. A similar workshop has been successfully run four times at previous VetEd symposia (2014-2017) and the current workshop will provide a mechanism to (re)build a community of practice. There are plenty of new faces in the field who, because of the pandemic, have not had a chance to get together and share their experiences yet.

The facilitators of the workshop are current PhD students in veterinary education who are keen to discuss their journeys so far, and to hear from others who are currently facing similar challenges and successes too. We would also welcome anyone who has completed research in education to come and share their wisdom. Equally, we would suggest that current PhD/Master's supervisors should attend to open conversations about the challenges and joys of supervising research in this field. During the workshop we will invite attendees to discuss their current projects or potential ideas and share tips with peers. This workshop can therefore act as an arena for networking, finding collaborators or mentors. We hope to encourage new researchers to join the community and we would welcome anyone interested to attend.

This will be a friendly, relaxed, and flexible workshop, largely directed by the attendees. It can include break out groups to discuss different research degree levels or simply be a broader discussion of the trials, tribulations, and triumphs of postgraduate research in veterinary education.

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