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Final Program – Carrick Supporting Learning and Teaching at a Distance Forum

University of Southern Queensland (Toowoomba campus)

9 and 10 November 2006

Time	Topic	Presenter/Facilitator	Venue
Thursday, 9 November 2006 (1)			
8.00-10.00am	Bus travel from Brisbane airport to Toowoomba (2)		
9.00-10.00am	Walking tour of USQ campus (for those people who arrived the previous day)		Leaving from Foyer, Harvard Room, Q Block
10-10.30am	Coffee and tea on arrival		Foyer, Harvard Room, Q Block
10:30-10:40am	Introduction and program outline	Professor Bruce Muirhead, Eidos	Harvard Room, Q Block
10:40-11:30am	Welcome, overview and scene setting	Professor Jim Taylor, USQ	Harvard Room, Q Block
11:30am-1.00pm	Synchronous learning and teaching 4x15 min presentations followed by 30 mins discussion	Dr Markus Bucchorn, ANU Ms Bernadette Savage, QUT Dr Richard Caladine, W'gong Dr Geoff Prince, ICE-EM	Harvard Room, Q Block
1:00-2:00pm	Buffet lunch		Refectory, R Block
2:00-3:30pm	Asynchronous learning and teaching 4x15min presentations followed by 30 mins discussion	Assoc Prof Ian Reid, UniSA Assoc Prof Marian Tulloch, Charles Sturt Ms Roisin O'Reilly, UWS Professor Sandra Wills, W'gong	Harvard Room, Q Block
3:30-3:50pm	Afternoon tea		Foyer, Harvard Room, Q Block
3:50-5:30pm	Scenario-based discussions 4 groups of participants	Facilitators to be chosen from participants, once list of participants is known	Breakout rooms, Q and T Blocks
7:00pm	Forum Dinner		Fire and Ice Restaurant, Ruthven St, Toowoomba

Friday, 10 November 2006 (3)			
8.30-9.00am	Coffee and tea on arrival		Foyer, Harvard Room, Q Block
9:00-10:20am	Discussions of shared practice and best practice – small group roundtables Groups will be created based on participant responses to a one page Q and A to be circulated prior to the Forum – refer to <u>Attachment 1: Q and A template</u>	Facilitators to be chosen from participants, once list of participants is known	Breakout rooms, Q and T blocks
10:20-10:40am	Morning tea		Foyer, Harvard Room, Q Block
10:40-11:50am	Bringing it all together	Assoc Prof Alan Smith, USQ	Harvard Room, Q Block
11:50-12noon	Summation	Professor Bruce Muirhead, Eidos	Harvard Room, Q Block
12.15-2.30pm	Bus travel from Toowoomba to Brisbane Airport, including packed lunch.		

- (1) The Thursday sessions have been structured around the use of synchronous and asynchronous technologies, to enable useful discussion of like practices.
- (2) A bus for forum participants will be chartered from Brisbane airport to Toowoomba on the Thursday morning, leaving at 8am. Those that arrive the day before can take a Greyhound or Suncoast Pacific Bus from Brisbane airport to Toowoomba. Departure times from Brisbane airport include 6.40am, 10.20am, 1.20pm, 2.20pm, 3.20pm, 4.15pm. Prices range from \$27 to \$34. Go to www.greyhound.com.au. Please place this information on the forum website.
- (3) The Friday session will be based on information received from participants before the forum, to enable meaningful interaction between practitioners with like interests, backgrounds and foci.