

# SEDA Seminar

## Professional Standards and CPD for Academic Staff: challenges, issues and ideas



Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2007 10am – 4pm  
University of Manchester

The Higher Education Academy has published the results of the consultation on professional standards, and in staff and educational development units many of us are working on our 'Supporting Professional Standards' plans. The 2005 SEDA conference on professional standards highlighted some of the challenges people are facing in working with a wide range of university staff on CPD routes and also shared some of the exciting and innovative work people have been doing in this area. In response to requests at the conference, one day seminars such as this are providing an opportunity to examine further the implications of the standards and some of the work in the sector which has come out of the SPS funding. We will be looking at:

- Incentives for engagement with CPD
- building on PG Cert's in Learning and Teaching for a wider range of staff, including those in CETLs
- strategic approaches to supporting professional standards
- possible tensions between standards, development and academic roles
- building links and bridges across institutions for effective CPD

Our exploration and sharing of examples will be informed by both research and experience. Previous seminars on this topic have been praised for being highly interactive and useful. Discussions will be led in the morning by **Liz Shrives**, Independent Consultant and **Liz Warr**, Writtle College who have both been involved in developing innovative structures for CPD.

### Workshop Facilitator

Liz Shrives is a member of the SEDA Executive Committee and a member of the HE Academy Accreditation team. She is an Educational Development consultant and until recently was Director for Learning and Teaching Development at Roehampton University. Liz's own specialist area is strategic educational development and she has written and provided consultancy widely on developing organisational structures for learning and teaching development.

The fee is **£60** per person (to include refreshments and lunch). To register please complete the form overleaf and return it to the SEDA Office.

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