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How to motivate (demotivated) 14-16 year olds, with special reference to work related education and training

Seminar 2 Comparative Perspectives

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The seminar series is co-ordinated by Howard Gospel (Kings College London and CEP), Hilary Steedman (CEP), and Sheila Stoney (NFER).

Venue: Conference Room, Centre for Economic Performance, London School of Economics, Houghton Street, Aldwych.

Schedule

10.30 Coffee

11.00-12.00 Andreas Schleicher (OECD) ‘PISA, engagement and motivation, precursors for performance and destinations’

12.00-1.00 Cathy Stasz (Rand Europe) ‘Motivating (demotivated) 14-16 year olds: scope for the work-related curriculum: A US perspective’

1.00-2.00 Lunch – to be held in the CEP Social Space

2.00-3.00 Julia Whitburn, ‘Perspectives on Switzerland, based on NIESR research’

3.00-3.30 General Discussion

3.30- Tea