

International Conference on the Employability of Science Graduates in the Developing World

Date 14th February 9:30am to 5pm & 15th February 9:30am to 1.30pm

Venue Room Ns06/07, Newton Building, Canterbury Christ Church University

PROGRAMME

Day 1: Monday 14 February

- 9.30** **Welcome** – Professor Robin Baker, Vice-Chancellor, Canterbury Christ Church University
- 10:00** **The project** – Dr David Andrews, Department of Geographical and Life Sciences, Canterbury Christ Church University
- 10:30** **The Department of Geographical and Life Sciences** – Professor Peter Vujakovic, Head of Department
- 11:00** **Coffee**
- 11:15** **Research in the Department of Geographical and Life Sciences** – Dr Simon Harvey, Department of Geographical and Life Sciences, Canterbury Christ Church University
- 11:45** **Science Employment in Tanzania and the Dar es Salaam Workshop** – James Mdoe and Cuthbert Nahonyo, University of Dar es Salaam, Dar es Salaam, Tanzania
- 12:30** **Employability of Science Graduates in the UK** – Rebecca Douglas, Student Support and Guidance, Canterbury Christ Church University
- 13:00** **Lunch**
- 14:30** **Setting up a Science Company in the UK** – Stuart Jones, Laserchrom HPLC Laboratories Ltd
- 15:00** **Science Employment in Zambia and the Lusaka Workshop** – Dr Habatwa Mweene and Dr Boniface Mbewe, University of Zambia, Lusaka, Zambia
- 15:45** **Tea**
- 16:00** **Graduate Experience after Canterbury Christ Church University** – Philip Rogers, Amec plc
- 16:30** **Extra-curricular Opportunities to Develop Enterprise Skills** – Nicola Burr, Centre for Enterprise and Business Development, Canterbury Christ Church University
- 17:00** **End**

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Day 2: Tuesday 15 February

- 9:30** **The Versatility of Science Graduates** – Dr Denis Osborne, Elham, Canterbury
- 10:00** **Science Employment in Malawi and Zomba workshop** – Dr Jonas Mwatseteza and Timothy Biswick, Chancellor College, University of Zambia, Zomba, Malawi
- 10:45** **Employment of Science Graduates in UK** – Suzanne Taylor-Warren, Chief Operating Officer, Deabadh Group, London
- 11:15** **Tea**
- 11:30** **Employability of Science Graduates in Jamaica** – Dr Rena Boothe, Hadlow College, Hadlow, Kent
- 12:00** **Employability of Science Graduates in Brazil** – Adriana Consorte-McCrea, Department of Geographical and Life Sciences, Canterbury Christ Church University
- 12:30** **Closing Remarks** – David Andrews
- 12:45** **Lunch**
- 13:30** **End**