

The Future of Scholarly Scientific Communication Part 1

20–21 April 2015

DAY 1 : Monday 20 April				DAY 2 : Tuesday 21 April			
'The future of scholarly scientific communication' Chair: Professor Geoffrey Boulton FRS		'Peering at review' Chair: Dame Wendy Hall FRS		'What's the best model for assuring quality in science?' Chair: Robert Kiley (Wellcome Trust)		'Measuring science – how should research and impact be assessed?' Chair: Professor Dave Garner FRS	
09.00	Welcome from the President, Sir Paul Nurse						
09.25	What are the issues? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deborah Shorley (formerly Imperial College London) • Dr Robert Parker (RSC) • Dr Gary Evoniuk (GSK) 	14.00	Debate: Is peer review fit for purpose? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor Georgina Mace CBE FRS • Dr Richard Smith (formerly BMJ) 	09.30	Roundtable break-out sessions: Introduction from Robert Kiley	14.00	Why do we need to measure research quality? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor Richard Jones FRS • Dr Marion Boland (SFI)
09.55	Discussion	14.30	Floor debate	09.40	Analysing suggested reforms of peer review in small groups	14.30	Discussion
10.45	Break	15.30	Break	11.00	Break	15.00	Break
11.15	How might the future develop? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sir Nigel Shadbolt (Open Data Institute) • David Lambert (Internet2) • Dr Ritu Dhand (Nature) 	16.00	Future developments, evolution and alternatives <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Richard Sever (CSHP) • Elizabeth Marincola (CEO, PLOS) • Jan Velterop 	11.30	Feedback from breakout groups	15.30	How is research best evaluated? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Steven Hill (HEFCE) • Dr Bernd Pulverer (Editor, EMBO J) • Dr Ewan Birney FRS (EBI)
11.45	Discussion	16.45	Discussion			16.00	Discussion
		17.30	Refreshments				
12.30	LUNCH	18.00	Dinner*	12.30	LUNCH	16.20	Closing remarks
		20.00	CLOSE			16.30	CLOSE

*Dinner is kindly sponsored by the Wellcome Trust and is hosted by Professor Alex Halliday FRS. After dinner speaker: Dr Randy Schekman ForMemRS.