University of Oxford Research Staff Conference
Thursday 11 July 2013, Examination Schools

10.00  Registration and coffee
10.30  Welcome from the Vice-Chancellor, Professor Andrew Hamilton
10.45  Introduction to the day

Connecting with...the public
11.00 Communicating research beyond your peers
   Professor Frances Ashcroft

11.30 Breakout discussion

Connecting with... funders and users of research
12.15 Linking with the wider world: panel discussion
   Chair: Dr Glenn Swafford
   Panellists: Professor Patrick Grant; Professor Valpy Fitzgerald; Professor Shearer West; Dr Vishvarani Wanigasekera

1.00 LUNCH AND INFORMATION FAIR

Connecting with...each other
2.00  Parallel workshops
   Workshop 1: Effective communication in the workplace
   Workshop 2: Managing it all
   Workshop 3: Networking
   Workshop 4: The ten steps to planning your career
   Workshop 5: Starting on the supervision ladder - from informal supervision and mentoring to co-supervision and management
   Workshop 6: Athena SWAN: what's in it for me?

3.00 BREAK

Connecting with...other disciplines
3.30  Panel discussion
   Chair: Professor Alex Halliday
   Panellists: Professor Michael Keith; Professor Alison Noble; Dr Hugh Doherty; Professor Richard McManus

4.15 Breakout discussion

4.45-6.00 DRINKS RECEPTION and re-launch of Oxford Research Staff Society
   Introduced by Dr Stephen Goss, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Personnel and Equality