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Enhancing learning through technology

The Higher Education Academy supports the UK higher education sector in providing the best possible learning experience for all students. A key area of the Academy's work is enhancing learning through technology, and delegates at this year's Online Educa Berlin conference will have the opportunity to learn more about its services at the Academy's exhibition stand, which can be found in the Potsdam II hall, stand number A29.

Launched in June 2009, the Academy's EvidenceNet will be available for delegates to experience first-hand at the conference. This is a web-based service which brings together current evidence relating to teaching and learning in higher education.

Lawrence Hamburg, Assistant Director at the Academy, said: "We'll be encouraging delegates to find out how EvidenceNet can support them in their work, whether by exploring resources such as journals and case studies which may enhance their teaching, or finding events and workshops where they can share their ideas with others."

He added: "This year's conference, with the theme innovate, share, succeed, is the ideal place for us to highlight our work in enhancing learning through technology. Delegates will be able to find out about our broad range of work including e-learning in the disciplines, and supporting institutions to implement a technology-related programme of change to support the student learning experience."

The Academy's enhancing learning through technology (ELT) programme works with the UK higher education sector to unearth, promote, and support innovative and effective practices. This knowledge and expertise is then shared through supported networks and facilitated special interest groups.

Notes to editors

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The Higher Education Academy supports the sector in providing the best possible learning experience for all students in the UK. It does this by: providing national leadership in developing and disseminating evidence-informed practice about enhancing the student learning experience; enabling expertise to be shared across institutions and subject areas; and working at multiple levels, with individual academics, subject communities, departments, faculties and institutions.

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