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The Association for  
Education & Ageing

**Association for Education and Ageing (AEA) Conference**  
***Celebrating Informal Learning and Well-Being in Later Life***  
**Michael Young Building, Rooms 1 and 2, The Open University, Walton Hall, Milton Keynes,**  
**MK7 6AA**  
**Thursday, 5th September 2013**

**Programme**

- 09.30 - 10.00 Registration (tea / coffee available)
- 10.00 – 10.15 Welcome  
From Dr Astrid Wissenberg, Director Research, Scholarship and Quality, The Open University, and from the Association for Education and Ageing
- 10.15 – 11.00 Keynote Address: *'Learning and health in later life: Bridging research and policy'*  
Dr Marvin Formosa, University of Malta  
Introduced by Professor Keith Percy
- 11.00 – 11.15 Tea / Coffee
- 11.15 – 12.15 Workshop session 1: *'Economic engagement, workforce development and wellbeing'*  
Strand Leader: Dr Jane Watts, National Institute of Adult Continuing Education (NIACE)
- 12.15 – 13.15 Workshop session 2: *'Active retirement and well-being'*  
Strand Leader: Lynne Wealleans, Beth Johnson Foundation
- 13.15 – 14.15 Lunch (during which the AEA AGM will take place)
- 14.15 – 15.15 Workshop session 3: *'Supported living and well-being'*  
Strand Leader: Professor Josie Tetley, The Open University/Manchester Metropolitan University
- 15.15 – 15.45 Plenary discussion  
Panel: Marvin Formosa and Strand Leaders. Chaired by Jonathan Hughes, AEA Chair.
- 15.45 – 16.00 Tea / Coffee
- 16.00 – 16.45 Frank Glendenning Memorial Lecture: *'Older People and the Health Literacy Imperative'*  
Dr Malcolm J. Fisk, CoDirector of the Age Research Centre, Coventry University
- 16.45 End of conference