

## Edge Hill University Religious Education Subject Network

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Dear RE colleague,

You are invited to attend the launch of the **Edge Hill University Religious Education Subject Network on 5<sup>th</sup> July 2012.**

The event is **free**, including lunch and provides:

- *professional development through exciting and innovatory training in engaging, **interactive experiential RE** lead by Sue Philips in her **demonstration of the Theatre of Learning***
- *professional up-dating and sharing good practice in RE by partnership mentors- to include presentations by colleagues working on **Farmington fellowships** (possible topics include Holocaust education and RE; effective assessment of RE; and developing a Philosophy club)*
- *Edge Hill Professional Development colleagues will talk to you about how you can **achieve accreditation for your RE practice**, either as a classroom teacher or as a mentor, through engagement with a 30 academic credit module which can count towards an MA pathway in Education.*

## ***Agenda for the RE Network launch event:***

- 9.00-9.30: *Arrivals and refreshments, Ormskirk Campus, room B002*
- 9.30-9.45: *Welcome- the aims of the RE Subject Network*
- 9.45-10.45: *Theatre of Learning- experiential RE*
- 10.45-11.00: *refreshment break*
- 11.00-12.00: *Theatre of Learning- experiential RE*
- 12.00-12.15: *Professional development opportunities in RE, discussion and plenary*
- 12.15-1.15: *Lunch*
- 1.15-2.15: *Sharing good RE practice- presentations by partnership colleagues*
- 2.15-2.30: *refreshment break*
- 2.30-3.00: *The next step- setting an agenda for the RE Subject Network 2012/2013*

### **How do I book my place?**

If you intend to join us please e-mail Francis Farrell, RE PGCE Course Leader on [farrellf@edgehill.ac.uk](mailto:farrellf@edgehill.ac.uk) and your name will be added to the list of delegates.

### **Please provide your phone number as well as your e-mail address.**

Francis can be contacted by phone on 01695 584220

Places are limited and will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

The Edge Hill RE team and partnership colleagues look forward to welcoming you and supporting the RE community through the creation of a forum to share best practice and strengthen RE. Best wishes,

Francis Farrell, Paul Smalley, Mike Ashton and Maggie Webster