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Workshop trialling early research project findings...

Project SW0703:

*Models of good practice in
recruitment, initial assessment,
induction and ongoing support for ITE
trainees [from L&S sector]*

Summary

Workshop will present and trial early findings of current research project (Nov 07-Nov 08) into models of good practice in recruitment, initial assessment, induction and ongoing support for trainees across a range of ITE progs in the L&S Sector. The project (SW0703) is one of several funded by SWitch CETT in its first year

Project SW0703: An overview

- Ongoing – further trialling Sept, report Nov
- 20+ providers approached, 12 participated, covering 18 discrete courses
- Courses involved were different awards covering NQF levels 2 to 7, including f/t and p/t pre-service, and p/t in-service progs
- They included those validated by both NABs and HEIs in SW region

Outline of project

- Research tools developed inc interview schedules and tabulated forms for recording answers
- 18 courses reviewed, mainly from CETT partners, key individuals interviewed
- Documentation gathered and good practice identified
- Egs of good practice identified discussed here
- You'll contribute to further refinement and development of findings
- Process repeated at later focus group ('action research?')

Settings and validating body for participating courses

X	FE	HE	Specialist college	A&CL	'3rd sector'
NAB course	7	0	1	1	1
HE course	5	3	0	0	0

The practical 'workshop' bit:

Over to Jo...

Concluding remarks

- Thank you to SWitch CETT for funding
- Thanks to you for participating
- We hope you will participate further in September's focus groups
- Contact us for more details:

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