

# Welfare Conditionality: Principles, Practices and Perspectives

26 – 28 June 2018  
Ron Cooke Hub, University of York

## Day 1: Tuesday 26 June

Lecture Theatre, Ron Cooke Hub

11:00 – 11.30	Arrival and refreshments
11:30 – 11:45	Welcome Prof. Alan Deacon
11:45 – 12:30	Presentation of project findings Prof. Peter Dwyer and team members
12:30 – 13:00	Questions
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 15:15	Response from International Expert Panel
15:15 – 15:45	Refreshments
15:45 – 17:00	Discussion
17:00	Buses to York city centre  Drinks reception, Castle Museum Drinks reception and launch of new book in the Routledge Key Ideas series on 'Welfare Conditionality', with authors Dr Beth Watts and Professor Suzanne Fitzpatrick (I-SPHERE, Heriot-Watt University) and discussants Chris Goulden (Joseph Rowntree Foundation) and Professor Alan Deacon, chaired by Professor John Hudson (University of York).
18:30 – 20:00	

## Day 2: Wednesday 27 June

09:00 – 10:30

Paper Session 1

Stream A: Conditionality in Europe  
Lecture Theatre

Stream B: UK Welfare Reform  
Lakehouse

Stream C: Resisting Conditionality: Street  
Level Experiences  
RCH/204

Stream D: Disabled People and  
Conditionality  
RCH/103

Stream E: Housing  
RCH/017

Stream F: Conditional Cash Transfers  
RCH/004

10:30 – 11:00

Refreshments

11:00 – 12:30

Paper Session 2

Stream A: Welfare Conditionality:  
International Case Studies  
Lecture Theatre

Stream B: Benefit Sanctions: Historical  
Perspectives  
Lakehouse

Stream C: Street Level Bureaucracy I  
RCH/204

Stream D: Mental Health and Conditionality  
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RCH/103

Stream E: Minimum Income and  
Conditionality  
RCH/017

Stream F: Participatory Workshop with  
Welfare Service Users  
RCH/004

12:30 – 13:30

Lunch

13:30 – 14:15

Plenary

**‘From policy to practice: a street-level perspective of welfare-to-work’**

Prof. Rik van Berkel  
Universiteit Utrecht

14:15 – 14:45

Questions

14:45 – 15:30

Refreshments

15:30 – 17:00

Paper Session 3

Stream A: Conditionality in Scandinavia

Stream B: Welfare to Work? Labour  
Market Outcomes

**Lecture Theatre**

**Lakehouse**

Stream C: Welfare Conditionality: Ethical  
Debates

Stream D: Migrants and Conditionality

**RCH/204**

**RCH/103**

Stream E: Homelessness and  
Conditionality

Stream F: Book Panel: Social Justice and  
Welfare to Work Policies

**RCH/017**

**RCH/004**

17:00

Buses to York city centre

19:30 – 22:30

Conference dinner, King's Manor

Day 3: Thursday 28 June

09:00 – 10:30 Paper Session 4

Stream A: Universal Credit  
Lecture Theatre

Stream B: Street Level Bureaucracy II  
Lakehouse

Stream C: Lone Parents and  
Conditionality  
RCH/204

Stream D: Ethics and Rights  
RCH/103

10:30 – 11:00 Refreshments

11:00 – 12:30 Paper Session 5

Stream A: Regional International Case  
Studies  
Lecture Theatre

Stream B: Social Security in the UK  
Lakehouse

Stream C: Service User Viewpoints  
RCH/204

Stream D: Mental Health and  
Conditionality II  
RCH/103

Stream E: Law and Human Rights  
RCH/017

Stream F: Offending  
RCH/004

12:30 – 13:15 Lunch

13:15 – 14:00 Plenary

**‘Women, work and welfare: how does conditionality change choice?’**

Prof. Jane Millar  
University of Bath

14:00 – 14:30 Questions

14:30 – 15:00 Refreshments

15:00 Close

