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Conference Series

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2014 Annual 'Taking Stock' Conference The Mental Health and Mental Capacity Acts in Practice

17th October 2014 Royal Northern College of Music Manchester *

9.30am Registration

9.50am Welcome

10.00am Key Note Speaker
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10.30am Professor Alison Yung
Early Intervention in Psychosis - Evidence and Evidence Gaps

11.10am Questions

11.20am Coffee

11.40am Professor Phil Fennell
The Myth of Consent in Psychiatry

12.15pm Yogi Amin
Benevolence - How does this fit in to the Test for Liberty?

12.45pm Discussion & questions

1.00pm Lunch

2.15pm Camilla Parker
The Mental Health Care of Children and Young People - A minor concern?

2.45pm Neil Allen
Thoughts on the New Code

3.15pm Panel discussion and questions

4.00pm Close

Speakers ~

Key Note Speaker

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Neil Allen

is a Barrister at 39 Essex Street Chambers (Manchester, London and Singapore) and a Lecturer of Manchester University. With particular interests in human rights, mental health and incapacity law, he teaches undergraduate and postgraduate students, trains health, social care and legal professionals, practises mainly in the Court of Protection and regularly publishes in legal books and journals.

Yogi Amin

is a partner at Irwin Mitchell Solicitors LLP and deals with general human rights and public law issues. He specialises in judicial review, community care, healthcare, mental capacity and adult welfare, giving advice to individuals, public sector and charitable organisations. He has particular expertise in welfare applications to the Court of Protection and is also well-known for bringing challenges to healthcare decisions.

Phil Fennell

is a Professor of Law in Cardiff University Law School. He was the specialist legal adviser to the Joint-Parliamentary Scrutiny Committee on the Draft Mental Health Bill 2004, and to the Parliamentary Joint Committee on Human Rights for the Committee's scrutiny of the 2006 Bill. He has written widely including *Treatment without Consent* (Routledge) *Mental Health: the New Law* (Jordans) and co-editor of *Principles of Mental Health Law* (OUP - 2010).

Camilla Parker

specialises in mental health, disability and human rights law and policy and is a partner of Just Equality, a human rights and equality consultancy. Camilla has a particular interest in the human rights of young people in need of mental health care, which is the subject of her (part-time) doctoral research at Cardiff Law School. She is a member of the Law Society's Mental Health and Disability Committee.

Alison Yung

is Professor of Psychiatry at the University of Manchester and Honorary Consultant Psychiatrist at Greater Manchester West Mental Health NHS Foundation Trust. Prior to moving to the UK, she was Professor and Psychiatrist at the University of Melbourne. Alison has been interested in early intervention for psychosis since her trainee days, in the latter half of the previous millennium. She is a board member of the Schizophrenia International Research Society and the International Early Psychosis Association, is on the Executive Committee of the International Congress for Schizophrenia Research. She received the Lilly Oration Award for prominence in research in 2009, and the Wyatt Award in 2010 for contributions to early intervention.

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Speakers

Although the listed speakers have confirmed their intention to contribute to the Conference, their attendance cannot be guaranteed.

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