

Twinning Conference: Agenda

28 June 2022

Please note:

- There are TWO separate joining links for the two parts of the event.
- Due to the nature of the event and the speakers involved, the agenda and timings are subject to change. This is an indicative agenda only.
- All timings are in UK time BST.

Part one: Opening ceremony - 2:00pm – 3:00pm

Joining link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYkd-2sqjksGt00ogKXs9rQQ3nDtmstF0I3>

2:00pm	Opening remarks	Professor Dame Janet Beer Vice-Chancellor, University of Liverpool and International Policy Lead, Universities UK Board
2:05pm	Address	Melinda Simmons British Ambassador to Ukraine
2:10pm	Address	Vadym Prystaiko Ukrainian Ambassador to the UK
2:15pm	Address	President Volodymyr Zelensky President of Ukraine <i>To be confirmed</i>
2:30pm	New partnership signings	25 new twinning partnerships will be signed and announced
2:40pm	Case study	Sheffield Hallam University and Kyiv National University of Technologies and Design Professor Chris Wigginton Pro-Vice-Chancellor for Global Engagement & Academic Partnerships, Sheffield Hallam University James Richardson Director of Global Development & Partnerships, Sheffield Hallam University

		Oleg Shevchenko Director of the KNUTD Institute for Internationalization of Higher Education and Science, Kyiv National University of Technologies and Design
2:50pm	Closing remarks	Professor Dame Janet Beer Vice-Chancellor, University of Liverpool and International Policy Lead, Universities UK Board

Part two: Best practice sharing for UK higher education institutions - 3:30pm – 5:30pm

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3:30pm	Welcome back	Professor Dame Janet Beer Vice-Chancellor, University of Liverpool and International Policy Lead, Universities UK Board
3:35pm	Remarks	Professor Charlotte Watts FCDO Chief Scientific Adviser and Director for Research and Evidence
3:40pm	Remarks	Charles Cormack Chairman, Cormack Consultancy Group Vivienne Stern MBE Director, Universities UK International Stephen Wordsworth Executive Director, Council for At-Risk Academics (CARA) Susanna Carmody Principal Consultant – Higher Education and Science, Education and Society, British Council Sir Andrew Hopper

		Treasurer and Vice-President, The Royal Society
4:05pm	Case study and Q&A	<p>University of Glasgow and National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy</p> <p>Rachel Sandison Deputy Vice Chancellor - External Engagement, External Relations, University of Glasgow</p>
4:20pm	Case study and Q&A	<p>University of Liverpool and Sumy State University</p> <p>Gavin Brown Pro-Vice-Chancellor for Education, University of Liverpool</p> <p>Konstantin Kyrychenko Rector's Assistant for International Relations, Head of International Office, Sumy State University</p> <p>Kateryna Zhuk 6th year student of Medical Institute, Sumy State University</p>
4:35pm	Case study and Q&A	<p>University of Kent and Kherson State University</p> <p>Professor Ben Cosh Director of the Division of Computing, Engineering & Mathematical Sciences, University of Kent</p>
4:50pm	Case study and Q&A	<p>University of Birmingham and Ivan Franko National University of Lviv</p> <p>Professor Robin Mason ORB Pro-Vice-Chancellor (International), Chair of the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission in the United Kingdom, University of Birmingham</p>

		<p>Serhiy Riznyk Vice-rector for Scientific and Pedagogical Work and International Cooperation, Ivan Franko National University of Lviv</p>
5:05pm	Case study and Q&A	<p>Wrexham Glyndwr University and Chernihiv National University of Technology</p> <p>Professor Aulay Mackenzie Pro Vice-Chancellor (Partnerships), Wrexham Glyndwr University</p> <p>Kate Cleaver Partnerships Project Manager, Wrexham Glyndwr University</p>
5:20pm	Closing remarks	<p>Professor Dame Janet Beer Vice-Chancellor, University of Liverpool and International Policy Lead, Universities UK Board</p>