

## **Academies Conference October 9<sup>th</sup> 2011**

On October 9th we ran a very successful Conference on the subject of “Academies”. We were fortunate enough to attract five speakers at our Saturday morning event, three of whom had travelled up from London to speak to us.

The intention behind the Conference was to furnish local governors with as much information as possible about the option of becoming an Academy whilst remaining as neutral overall as possible. The speakers were very helpful indeed and responded not only to questions raised during the morning but also to those sent to them after the event had taken place. All questions and answers are included in the Proceedings.

We have now completed the Proceedings of that Conference and we would invite you to read them by clicking on the first of the links given below. In addition we have included all four of the Powerpoint presentations used by the speakers, again viewable by clicking on the appropriate link below. It is recommended that the Proceedings be read first and then the Powerpoint presentations in order to appreciate the full extent of each of the contributions, in context.

### **[Conference Proceedings](http://www.dagb.org.uk/pdfcontent/academies_conference_report.pdf)** -

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### **[David Jeffrey's Presentation](http://www.dagb.org.uk/pdfcontent/DofE_presentation_09_10_2010.pdf)** -

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### **[Emma Knight's Presentation](http://www.dagb.org.uk/pdfcontent/NGA_presentation_09_10_2010.pdf)** -

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### **[Richard Hatcher's Presentation](http://www.dagb.org.uk/pdfcontent/NUT_presentation_09_10_2010.pdf)** -

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