



Concordia Learning Alliance Conference Day

COURAGEOUS LEADERSHIP IN A COMPLEX WORLD

Friday 22nd September 2023
9.00-1.30p.m.

At The Kent Spitfire Cricket Ground

There has never been a more important
or necessary time for courageous leadership.
Find the courageous leader in you.

We would like to invite you to our upcoming
leadership conference, targeted for leaders at
all levels and working within different sectors.

Throughout the morning you will have the
opportunity to listen and learn from a diverse
range of speakers who understand what is
needed to emerge as a courageous leader.

Book your place now

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Ticket costs

£70 per person early bird (*booking
before end of July*)

£85 per person *from August*

Overview of the Day

9.00-9.30a.m.	Arrival and refreshments
9.30-9.45a.m.	Introduction to Concordia
9.45-10.45a.m.	<p>Key Note Speaker 1 – Chris Hallam Brave New Leaders – Leading in a Complex World</p> <p>Sharing the very latest thinking in leadership, this will take you from the foundation of self-awareness (how our brains actually work), through mental resilience (where your strength comes from) and onwards to the best models out there on Leadership and Followership in a modern context.</p> <p>Be prepared to unleash the power of Storytelling, tackle the VUCA world, find your Shangri la and get off your Elephant!!</p>
10.45-11.00a.m.	Break
11.00-11.45p.m.	<p>Key Note Speaker 2 – Nick Stace Leadership at the top – adapting different leadership styles for the individual, team, organisation and sector.</p> <p>Leadership across sectors may vary in a variety of ways, but there are themes and common threads which run through.</p> <p>Is the charity sector that much different to the financial services sector? What does working with a Prince and a Prime Minister teach you about leadership?</p> <p>Together, we will explore the various nuances, similarities and challenges we face as leaders within these different settings and institutions, and we will reflect on the ways in which we can support each other in our leadership of a complex and ever-changing world.</p>
11.45-12.30p.m.	<p>Key Note Speaker 3 – Dr Andrew Catto Compassionate and inclusive leadership – what can education learn from the NHS experience?</p> <p>At a time when national solutions in health and education are not working as effectively as they might, local compassionate leadership can be a more nuanced solution to addressing the day-to-day challenges of life as a public servant under pressure.</p> <p>Delegates will understand what compassionate leadership isn't and how to put compassionate leadership into practice.</p> <p>Delegates will also explore related concepts such as inclusive leadership and developing psychologically safe spaces.</p>
12.30-1.30p.m.	Lunch and network

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'About the Speakers'



Key Note Speaker 1 – Chris Hallam

Chris Hallam is a sought-after transformational change and behaviour coach, corporate board advisor, NED, CEO and executive mentor. Alongside advising his clients and partners on topics including global change, strategic risk management, innovation leadership and disruptive thinking, he works as a partner with Raise the Bar supporting their clients.

He has personally worked for Lloyds Banking group, Carillion, Fortune Brands, Walgreens and Boots.

Chris can offer clients a wealth of knowledge and proactive problem-solving experience. He calls upon his passions for innovation & staff development, as well as his exceptional leadership, motivational and root-cause analysis skills, when coaching, advising and mentoring talented individuals within highly successful teams.

As an internationally qualified Professional Behavioural Change Coach, Chris also uses his significant knowledge and experience of coaching in high performance sport settings, such as GB Basketball, to effectively advise clients and motivate individuals across all industries and sectors. He coached Team GB in several championships including the World Transplant Games in 2019 and is currently a mentor to our elite coaches.

Today Chris is focussed on influence on a wider scale. To that end he holds three Non-Executive Director / Trustee Positions; Trustee and NED at Elvaston Castle & Gardens Trust, Chair of Derbyshire Community Transport, a charity that provides transport solutions to disadvantaged and remote communities and NED in a large Multi Academy Trust comprising 10 large secondary schools.

He has recently been appointed as CEO of High Green Development Trust - a Charity in the north of Sheffield (his home patch) responsible for community development. He is currently mentoring 5 charity CEOs.



Key Note Speaker 2 – Nick Stace

Nick is Head of Sustainability and Social Purpose for Barclays UK, serving on the Barclays UK Executive Committee. He is the chair of the Conduit Club and trustee of the National Trust, founder of three youth-based charities and advisor to Rewired Earth. Nick was formerly CEO of The Prince's Trust, a board member of the FCA and CEO of consumer businesses including Saga and Choice (Which? of Australia).



Key Note Speaker 3 – Dr Andrew Catto

Dr Andrew Catto is a medically qualified Chief Executive with over 34 years of NHS experience: he trained as a consultant physician, practising stroke medicine and was Senior Lecturer in Medicine at the University of Leeds, obtaining a PhD in molecular genetics.

He is an experienced executive medical director and Consultant Physician in both high-performing and challenged NHS Foundation Trusts in West Yorkshire and the West Midlands.

He has a passionate interest in leveraging clinical leadership to deliver the best outcomes for the patients he serves through teams of highly engaged and motivated colleagues.

Presently, Andrew is CEO with Integrated Care 24, a not-for-profit primary care social enterprise and a non-executive director with East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust.

With a partner in secondary education leadership and two 18-year-old boys, Andrew has a keen interest in the parallels between health and education leadership and what each sector can learn from the other.

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