Third Sector Employability Forum

Thursday July 24th 1.30pm

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Chair: Liyan Hmidan (VSGWL)

Note taker: Victoria Isbister (VSGWL)

**Agenda**

1. Welcome, Apologies and Introductions (Alan / Liyan)
2. Previous minutes (29.05) and matters arising (Liyan)
* “Mostly referred through SDS (Self-directed support).” – This should be Skills Development Scotland. Previous note has been amended.
* Gary from the larder emailed 02.06 with an edit: “The academies which are currently running are due to come to an end this month and we are currently bidding for the new contracts that have been released so we are not running these or taking any referrals.” Previous note has been amended.
1. Council update (George Scott)
2. LEP (Alan)
3. Service Delivery (All)
4. AOCB

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| **Forum Meeting** | **LEP Meeting** |
| **06/02/2025 1.30pm** |  13/02/2025 |
| **03/04/2025 1.30pm** | 10/04/2025 |
| **29/05/2025 10am** | 05/06/2025 |
| 24/07/2025 1.30pm | 31/07/2025 |
| 18/09/2025 1.30pm | 25/09/2025 |
| 13/11/2025 1.30pm | 20/11/2025 |
| 08/01/2026 1.30pm | 15/01/2026 |
| 05/03/2026 1.30pm | 12/03/2026 |

\*Hybrid\*

*Please let me know if you are joining online, coming in person or giving apologies.*

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