

Continuing Professional Development Assessors

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Performance Appraisal

Further to Council's approval of the Partner Appraisal System, the internal implementation process has been agreed and posted on to HPC's Management System. To date, seven Visitors have been sent the paper work for appraisal during May and June 2006.

During the reappointments process, the Performance Appraisal system was temporarily suspended. The Performance Appraisal system has now restarted and to date a total of 10 visitors have been sent the Performance

Assessors

Partner Conference 2006

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Each department that is taking part in the conference has submitted a brief outline of their break out session. This information has been placed on the Partners' Conference invitations. All break out session presentations have been submitted by each individual department. These presentations will be placed in the Partner Conference packs. Furthermore, those Partners who have indicated that they are not able to attend the Partner Conference will be sent out a Conference pack after the event.

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A briefing pack for the Partner Conference has been developed internally. The pack comprises of possible issues that may arise at the Partner Conference for example Partner Usage and Partner Reappointments Process 2007.

Partner Reappointments Process 2007

Over the next couple of months, I will be holding meetings with relevant Department Heads to develop the reappointments paperwork. Those Partners whose Partner Agreements expire in January/February 2007 will be sent out a letter to extend their Partner Agreement up until July 2007. This will allow all Partner Agreements to expire in 2007 at the same time.

Drama Therapist Recruitment

A vacancy has arisen for a Registration Assessor (Drama Therapist). An advert has been placed with

The British Association of Drama Therapists in their quarterly newsletter in addition to being placed on the IPC's website. The closing date for receipt of all applications is 24th of November 2006. A date is still to be confirmed for interviews.

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