ASSURING QUALITY IN APPRENTICESHIPS: A TRANSATLANTIC DIALOGUE

Tuesday, November 13, 2018

8:30 a.m.  Check-in and breakfast

9:00 a.m.  Welcome and overview

- Robert Lerman, Institute Fellow, Urban Institute @boblerman
- Tom Bewick, President, Transatlantic Apprenticeship Exchange Forum; Chief Executive, Federation of Awarding Bodies @TomBewick

9:20 a.m.  UK Keynote Speaker

- Sir Gerry Berragan, Chief Executive, Institute for Apprenticeships @IFAtched (participating virtually)

9:30 a.m.  US Keynote Speaker

- Jim Rosapepe, State Senator, Maryland @SenRosapepe

9:45 a.m.  Architecture of the New English Apprenticeship Model - End-Point Assessment

- Thomas Burton, Head of Assessment, NOCN Group @NOCN1

10:00 a.m.  What Does Quality Mean for Apprenticeships?

- Simon Ashworth, Chief Policy Officer, Association of Employment and Learning Providers @sashworth80
- John Ladd, Administrator, Office of Apprenticeship, US Department of Labor @USDOL
- Mardy Leathers, Director, Missouri Division of Workforce Development @MardyLeathers
- Sarah Watts-Rynard, Chief Executive Officer, Polytechnics Canada; former Executive Director, Canadian Apprenticeship Forum @SarahWRynard
- Susanna Lawson, Cofounder and Director, OneFile @SusannaOneFile (moderator)

10:45 a.m.  Break
11:00 a.m.  How Are the Theoretical Models of Occupational Frameworks and Assessment of Trainers and Apprentices Working?

- Thomas Burton, Head of Assessment, NOCN @NOCN1
- Simon Marti, Head of the Office of Science, Technology and Higher Education, Embassy of Switzerland @SwissEmbassyUSA
- Spenser Villwock, Chief Executive Officer, Independent Electrical Contractors @SpenserVillwock
- Katie Spiker, Senior Federal Policy Analyst, National Skills Coalition @Katie_SpikerNSC (moderator)

11:45 a.m.  Lessons for the Future

- Thomas Bewick, President, Transatlantic Apprenticeship Exchange Forum; Chief Executive, Federation of Awarding Bodies @TomBewick
- Robert Lerman, Institute Fellow, Urban Institute @boblerman

12:00 p.m.  Event concludes