

# BSA / TIOB Annual Boarding Conference ~ *Fresh perspectives*

06-07  
JUNE 2023  
10:30-17:30

**CONFERENCE CHAIR**

HOSTED BY JUDITH FREMONT BARNES, HEAD, MILTON ABBEY SCHOOL

**AUDIENCE**

DEPUTY HEADS, HEADS OF BOARDING, BOARDING HOUSE STAFF

**VENUE**

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**PRICE**

£495 MEMBER DELEGATE RATE

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# Day 1

## Tuesday 06 June:

- 10:30 Registration and refreshments**
- 11:30 Welcome**
- Robin Fletcher, CEO, BSA and BSA Group
- 11:35 Fresh perspectives**
- Judith Fremont-Barnes, Conference Chair and Headmistress, Milton Abbey
- 11:50 BSA Foundation**
- Dr Helen Wright, Founding Trustee, BSA Foundation, Former BSA Head, International Executive Search Consultant and Leadership Coach
- 12:00 Working with LGBT+ pupils in boarding**
- Jonathan Charlesworth, Executive Director, EACH
- 12:45 Lunch**
- 13:30 Seeing your mental health in a fresh light**
- McKenzie Cerri, Co-founder, Graydin
- 14:15 Fresh perspectives on the mental health of children aged 8-18 in education settings**
- Hannah Kinsey, Head of Training & Service Design, YoungMinds
- 15:00 Fresh perspectives: the future of boarding**
- Grant Muirhead, Deputy Headmaster and Director of Boarding, Whanganui Collegiate School
  - Marie West, Head of Boarding, St George's International School, Switzerland
  - Paddy Rockett, Head of Middle School Boarding, Reed's School
- 15:45 Refreshments**
- 16:15 Fresh perspectives: scenario management**
- Judith Fremont-Barnes, Conference Chair and Headmistress, Milton Abbey
- 17:00 BSA Research Fellowship winners**
- Emma Millo, Housemistress, Haileybury College
  - Simon Porter, Head of Boarding, Clayesmore Prep School
- 17:30 Close of day one**
- 19:00 Drinks reception among exhibitors**
- 19:30 Annual conference dinner**
- After dinner speaker: Chris Wheeler, Chair, TIOB and Principal, Monkton Combe School

# Day 2

## Wednesday 07 June:

- 09:15 The boarding in-tray**
- Robin Fletcher, CEO, BSA and BSA Group
- 09:45 Boarding staff survey findings**
- Chris Wheeler, Chair, TIOB and Principal, Monkton Combe School
  - Gaelle Sullivan, Director, TIOB and Research and Inclusion Director, BSA Group
- 10:15 Refreshments**
- 10:45 Representation matters: a fresh perspective on race in boarding**
- Aisha Thomas, Director, Representation Matters Ltd
- 11:30 Managing affluent neglect in boarding**
- Prof. Claudia Bernard, Professor of Social Work and Head of Postgraduate Research in the Department of Social, Therapeutic and Community Studies, Goldsmiths, University of London
- 12:30 Lunch**
- 13:30 Compliance update: where are we now with safeguarding, standards and immigration**
- Kate Hollyer, Legal and Public Affairs Director, BSA Group and Director, BSA Group Legal
  - Dale Wilkins, Senior Director, BSA Group
- 14:15 In their own words: supporting neuro-diverse students in boarding**
- Augusta Faulkner, Head of Boarding, Dragon School
  - William Ogilvie-Jones, Assistant Head, Pupil Support, Merchiston Castle School
  - Henry Stoot, Head of Boarding and Compliance, Bedales School
- 15:00 Refreshments**
- 15:30 Breakout sessions**
1. AIMING FOR HEADSHIP
    - Robin Fletcher, CEO, BSA and BSA Group
    - Chris Wheeler, Chair, TIOB and Principal, Monkton Combe School
  2. BOARDING HR LEGAL UPDATE:
    - Krissy Scott, Head of Education and Charities Sector, Harrison Clark Rickerbys
  3. STATE BOARDING
    - Dale Wilkins, Senior Director, BSA Group
    - Will Chuter, Head, Cranbrook
  4. PREP BOARDING: A BRIGHT FUTURE:
    - Emilie Darwin, Director of Membership Services, IAPS
- 16:15 A fresh perspective for student wellbeing, via data led insights**
- Jonathan Bentley, CMO & Board Director, Govox
- 17:00 Close of conference**
- Judith Fremont-Barnes, Conference Chair and Headmistress, Milton Abbey



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CEO  
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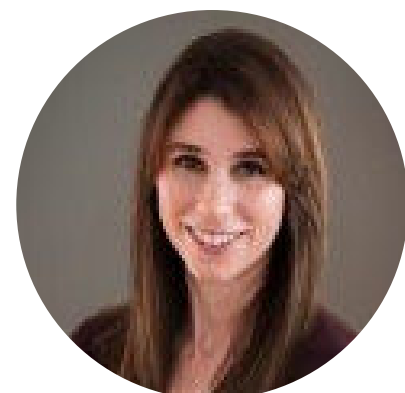
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# Day 2

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