

Knowledge and Network 2023



The National Conference for
Sexual Violence Liaison Officers (SVLOs)

Thursday 9 November
Edgbaston Park Hotel
and Conference Centre

Programme

9.00 Registration

9.30 **Chair's welcome and conference opening**

Professor Susan Lea, LimeCulture Board Member

9.50 **SESSION 1**

Setting the scene: considering the changing sector landscape

Sarah Bevan, Policy Manager, Universities UK

Jill Stevenson, Chair, AMOSSHE – the Student Services Organisation

10.40 **SESSION 2**

Launch of the new SVLO Guidance

Stephanie Reardon, Chief Executive, LimeCulture

11.05 Networking and refreshment break

11.30

SESSION 3

A perfect storm? Safeguarding, sexual violence and sport

Sam Whyte, Director – Sexual Violence and Education, LimeCulture

11.50

SESSION 4

Action planning: achieving sector expectations

Table discussion to consider:

- Emerging themes and challenges for SVLO services
- Insights and experience from operational practice
- Opportunities for development

12.50

Lunch

13.50

SESSION 5

Knowledge exchange: the Practice Roadshow

University of Law – Victoria Reese, Senior Wellbeing Adviser

University of Greenwich – Marco Venturi, Senior Student Outreach, Participation and Advice Services Manager

University of Manchester – Emily Barratt, Advice and Response Manager and Fedra Mardani, Caseworker – Advice and Response Team

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15.10

Networking and refreshment break

15.30

The LimeLight Awards

Presented by the Conference Chair Professor Susan Lea

With remarks from Philip Jones, the uncle of Saskia Jones, who will also present the Saskia Jones Award for Outstanding Achievement by an SVLO

15.55

Chair's closing remarks

16.15

Close of Conference