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**Virtual Worlds in GEES Teaching –**

**Games or Reality?**

*Tuesday 14th June 2016*

**Provisional programme**

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| **Time** | **Session** | **Location** |
|  | PRESENTATIONS **Chair**: tba | *Seminar room* |
| 9:50 –10:00 | Welcome and introduction*Tom Argles, Jacqui Houghton* |  |
| 10:00 –10:20 | Virtual worlds for geological mapping*Jacqui Houghton, Annabeth Robinson, Geoff Lloyd* | *Leeds University* |
| 10:20 –10:40 | Fieldscapes: creating and hosting virtual worlds*David Burden, Steve Tilling, Tom Argles* | *Daden Ltd,with FSC, OU* |
| 10:40 –11:00 | The role of virtual reality in GEES teaching*Shailey Minocha, Steve Tilling* | *Open University/Field Studies Council* |
| 11:00 –11:20 | COFFEE |  |
|  | HANDS-ON EXPERIENCE **Chair**: tba | *Visualisation lab* |
| 11:20 –12:50 | A chance to try the virtual worlds and authoring tools out for yourself:1. Virtual landscapes for geological mapping training *(Leeds)*2. Fieldscapes VR: Cardingmill Valley *(Daden Ltd)*3. Forensic geoscience CSI *(Keele)*4. Google Expeditions – Virtual Reality *(OU/FSC/Google)* |  |
| 12:50 –13:30 | LUNCH |  |
|  | DISCUSSION | *Seminar room* |
| 13:30 –14:10 | Ideas for future content: landscapes and learning materials | **Chair**: tba |
| 14:10 –14:50 | How should we deliver/host virtual worlds for teaching? | **Chair**: tba |
| 14:50 –15:30 | Potential users, stakeholders, funders | **Chair**: tba |
| 15:30 –15:50 | TEA |  |
| 15:50 – 16:15 | Plenary and closing discussion*Tom Argles, Jacqui Houghton* |  |