

ISPA



Manchester: 2017

International School Psychology Association

39th Annual Conference, Manchester, UK

Supporting Vulnerable Children and Young People in an Uncertain World 19 – 22 July 2017

Hosted by Manchester Metropolitan University and the University of Manchester

Keynote speakers:

Professor Neil Humphrey

Director Manchester University Institute of Education
and Professor of Psychology of Education

Professor Shane R. Jimerson

Professor of School Psychology, University of
California, Santa Barbara and President of the
International School Psychology Association

Professor Cynthia Leung

Programme Director of the Master of Educational
and Child Psychology at The Hong Kong Polytechnic
University and Vice President of the Hong Kong
Psychological Society



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Conference theme and topics:

The conference theme reflects the many challenges facing parents, teachers and communities in the ever-changing and complex world in which we all live. In addition to the keynote speakers, there will be paper presentations, workshops, symposia and round table discussions that will enable participants to share their knowledge and expertise and learn from each other.

Key members of the local organising committee include:

Conference Chair Dr Janet Muscutt

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Chair of the Scientific Programme Professor Peter Farrell

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Topics addressed during the conference will include:

- Working with children who experience mental health issues
- Supporting schools, families and children in times of crisis
- Developing strategies to combat academic underachievement
- Helping schools to become safe and effective learning environments
- Promoting inclusivity in diverse communities
- Training psychologists and other professionals to become effective practitioners

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Lonely Planet 2016