Shereen Benjamin



Shereen holds a BEd (Hons) in Primary Education and Music, an MA in Women's Studies and Education, and a PhD from the University of London Institute of Education, awarded in 2002 for her work in inclusive education.

After many years' experience of teaching in schools in London, Shereen joined the University's Moray House School of Education (now Moray House School of Education and Sport) in 2005 as a Lecturer in primary education, and was promoted to Senior Lecturer in 2007. Her principal research and public engagement interests are in gender, social class and disability in primary and secondary schooling.

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She was Director of Quality for Moray House School of Education and Sport from 2012-2016, and Associate Dean of Quality Assurance in the College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences from 2016-2019. She is a member of the Edinburgh Academics for Academic Freedom steering group.

Register of Interests

Committee Memberships

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