



# ABS Events 2009/10

## LEAN MANAGEMENT WORKSHOPS:

Wednesday 25 November 2009

**Lean Immersion Day**

Ford Jaguar Plant, Halewood (12 delegates max.)

Friday 15 January 2010

**Lean Management in Business Schools**

Warwick Business School (30 delegates max.)

Tuesday 23 March 2010

**Annual Research Conference: The Impact of Business and Management Research**

British Library, with a pre-conference dinner

Wednesday 12 May 2010

**DBA Conference: Developing the Impact of the DBA**

Cranfield School of Management, with a pre-conference dinner

Wednesday & Thursday 16-17 June 2010

**Finance Development Event**

ABS, 2 days

Friday 2 July 2010

**Senior Managers' Network Conference: Managing Business School Accreditation Processes**

Strathclyde Business School, Glasgow, with a pre-conference dinner

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## COMING SOON

**PR Seminar, Alumni Managers Network Event, Strategic Development Event, Work Load Models Event, Series of 3rd Stream Events (including marketing)**

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# Development Programmes 2010/11

## International Deans' Programme (IDP)

"The programme gave me unique access and understanding about the operations and individual characters of top schools in the world in a very short space of time. IDP also gave an understanding of what other international deans were thinking about and a network of friendly deans, as well as EFMD and ABS colleagues to talk to when I need some help."

**Professor Baback Yazdani, Dean, Nottingham Business School**



## ABS Development Programme for Top Teams (TDP)

"The TDP gave us a great opportunity to take time out in our busy lives. We're quite an established team and we get on well but we did need time to bond. As a result of the sessions with ABS, we've completely revamped our taught programmes. The panel session in the final workshop was hugely helpful."

**Jerry Forrester, Deputy Dean, University of Hertfordshire Business School**

## ABS Development Programme for Marketers (DPMAR)

"Overall the course has been an excellent opportunity to develop myself in my role as a marketing officer for Glamorgan Business School. The ability to have talks from some of the leading people in their fields who relate the concepts discussed to practical implications has meant that I have been able to take back excellent ideas for immediate use. Also the ability to mix with colleagues from a wide range of different institutions has allowed me to understand how other institutions have overcome problems and has provided me with many examples of best practice."

**Simon Browning, Marketing Department, Glamorgan Business School**



## ABS Development Programme for Directors of Learning & Teaching (DPDLT)

"The DPDLT sessions provided an excellent opportunity to share experiences and learn from each other, as well as various experts in teaching and learning."

**Previous participant**

## ABS Development Programme for Senior Managers (DPSM)

"Great experience and the opportunity to bounce ideas and share good practice regarding senior administration. Getting a different perspective of what we do and how we manage similar situations. Together with gaining new friends and team building both at the session and during the evening when we are out and about. Would highly recommend to senior managers to join, well worth the trip to London."

**Previous participant**

## ABS Development Programme for Heads of Department (DPHOD)

"I found the ABS DPHOD Training Programme truly rewarding. The sessions were extremely well facilitated and the topics covered highly relevant. A high level of trust was quickly established within the group and this meant that any issue could be discussed with honesty in a supportive environment."

**Head of Department**

## ABS Deans and Directors Development Programme (3DP)

"The 3DP creates time out to think and to test ideas in a challenging and confidential environment over 12 months. It's been invaluable. I've no doubt the benefits will persist long beyond the end of the programme."

**Previous participant**

## Development Programme for Directors of Research (DPDOR with BAM)

"I would thoroughly recommend DPDOR to colleagues either currently responsible for managing research in their business schools (including those involved in leading significant research groupings) or those who expect to have such roles in the future. The format of the programme provides for both high quality input from experienced experts, who uniformly spoke with great authority and openness about key issues, and for the development of relationships with people in similar positions with which to discuss the issues raised in more informal ways."

**Rick Delbridge, Chair in Organizational Analysis and Senior Fellow of the ESRC/EPSC Advanced Institute of Management Research**



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