

## Day 1: Monday 3rd July 2012

<b>9.30am</b>	Arrive/Coffee/Registration
<b>10.00am</b>	Welcome Messages: Andy McMahon
<b>10.10am</b>	<p><b>Alternative approaches to alt formats</b> Keynote: Alistair McNaught (TechDis)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Alternative ways of providing alternative formats</li> <li>2. Why dyslexic students are underrepresented with alternative format requests</li> <li>3. Accessible formats ebooks/publishers</li> </ol>
<b>10.50</b>	<p><b>Active tablet</b> Emma Strong (Care Innovations, sponsor)</p>
<b>11.30</b>	Coffee
<b>11.45</b>	<p><b>ATANET &amp; ECU publication on current practice on providing alternative formats</b> Highlight the process of bidding and writing a national publication. Project HEIs: Andy McMahon, Darren Matheson, Paresh Raval, Carol Howieson</p>
<b>12.30</b>	Lunch
<b>1.30</b>	<p><b>Readit Wand</b> Concept Northern (Sponsor)</p>
<b>2.10</b>	<p><b>The role of assistive technologists in terms of advocacy and procurement</b> Alistair McNaught (TechDis)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Effective reading software and hardware - Show 'n' tell.</li> <li>2. Looking at recommended specifications for an ebook reader</li> <li>3. Ipads versus eReaders versus eBooks</li> </ol>
<b>2.50</b>	Coffee
<b>3.10</b>	<p><b>Disabled Students use of their DSA Funded equipment and human support</b> (Report from a Survey) E.A. Draffen (Southampton University)</p>
<b>4.00</b>	<p><b>Q &amp; A panel and open discussions on AT for reading</b> Andy McMahon (University of Dundee)</p>
<b>4.45</b>	Finish - meal/social

## Day 2: Tuesday 3rd July 2012

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<b>10.00</b>	Welcome Messages
<b>10.10</b>	<b>Demonstration of new app on iOS for Visual impairment</b> Sight and Sound Technology (Sponsor)
<b>11.00</b>	<b>CaputraTalk4Android</b> Abi James (Iansyst) An introduction to reading and note-taking support app for Android phones and tablets. Incorporating OCR, text-to-speech and e-book reading, CputuraTalk4Android provides a wide range of tools to support those with print impairments. This presentation will also touch on feedback on how this app and Android tablets is being used in Education. See <a href="http://www.capturataalk.com">www.capturataalk.com</a> for further details.
<b>11:45</b>	Coffee
<b>12:00</b>	<b>The impact of tablet computers on students with disabilities in a Higher Education setting.</b> Chris Gibson & Kirsty Henderson (University of Strathclyde)
<b>12:30</b>	Lunch
<b>1:30</b>	<b>MyDocStore: using cloud by technology to create accessible formats</b> Abi James in partnership with University of Southampton The MyDocStore Project is a technology innovative project to address the missing link in creating and transferring accessible files between platforms. The MyDocStore Projects aims to develop technology to quickly and easily transfer files between devices whilst simultaneously converting them into the user's preferred format - whether text, audio or a combination of both. This presentation will introduce phase 1 and 2 of the MyDocStore project, funded by JISC Techdis, BIS and the Technology Strategy Board and demonstrate the web and iOS based service in development and the opportunities to use the service. The session will contain a discussion on how this technology can be moved forward and the areas where technology needs to be improved for creating accessible formats.
<b>2:15</b>	Coffee
<b>2:30</b>	<b>Reading difficulties - a dyslexia tutor's perspective</b> Lynne Criggie
<b>3:00</b>	<b>ATANET AGM</b> <b>Development Discussion</b> Carol Howieson, Andy McMahon, Bruce Darby
<b>3:30</b>	<b>Overview of the ICCHP conference on access to Maths Science for visually impaired and blind learners</b> Carol Howieson (Chairman, ATANET)
<b>4:00</b>	Finish

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