

**ARC KSS Research Symposium**  
**Friday 12 September 2025, 9.30-4.00pm**  
**University of Sussex, Falmer Campus, Brighton, BN1 9PH**  
**Bramber House Conference space**

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Programme		
Time	Session	Lead
09.30-10.00	<b>Registration and refreshments</b>	
10.00-10.15	<b>Welcome</b> Setting the stage for a day of learning and collaboration	<b>Dr Julie MacInnes</b> ARC KSS Research Capacity Lead
10.15-11:00	<b>Keynote speaker</b> Discussing experiences from the research journey	<b>Professor Clara Stauss</b> ARC KSS Co-Director, School of Psychology and Consultant Clinical Psychologist, Sussex Partnership NHS Foundation Trust
<b>11.00 Refreshments</b>		
11.15-12.00	<b>Developing creative approaches in research</b> Practical workshop on using creative methods to enhance research design and engagement	<b>Dr Kate Gee</b> ARC KSS Research Fellow, CHSS University of Kent
12:00 - 12:45	<b>Knowledge Mobilisation Fellows</b> Hear from our first knowledge mobilisation fellows about their projects and partnerships they've built to translate research into practice	<b>Sarah Weterbeek</b> <b>Ruth Germaine</b> <b>Sheniz White</b>
<b>12.45-14:00 Lunch and Networking</b>		
14:00-14:45	<b>Practical session - Professional Practice Pillars</b> Guiding a session on strengthening professional practice process	<b>Claire Pegg</b> Health and Care Director - RRDN SE
14.45 - 15:15	<b>Communications workshop - Dissemination and Engagement</b> Facilitating a workshop on strategies for effective research dissemination and engagement to maximise impact	<b>Ana Moreno</b> ARC KSS Communications Manager
<b>15.15-15.30 Refreshments</b>		
15.30-15.45	<b>Research Poster Competition</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Winners Announced</li> <li>• ViPER Winners Announced</li> </ul>	<b>Dr Julie MacInnes</b> ARC KSS Research Capacity Lead
15.45-16.00	<b>Round up and close</b>	<b>Beth Flowers</b> ARC KSS Academy Manager