



## City of Sanctuary Conference & AGM 2018 15<sup>th</sup> May

10:00	<b>Registration &amp; Exhibition /displays/networking marketplace</b>
10:30	<b>Welcome and housekeeping:</b> Susan Manseray – Compère <b>Opening Remarks from</b> Sabir Zazai, City of Sanctuary Chair, CEO Scottish Refugee Council Sian Summer-Rees – City of Sanctuary Chief Officer
10.40	<b>Joyce McCarty</b> - Deputy Leader of Newcastle City Council – welcome and showcasing the work of Newcastle City of Sanctuary
10:50	<b>Keynote speaker:</b> Marchu Girma Acting Director of Women for Refugee Women plus guests
11:10	<b>Introduction to new Regional Coordinators and England update</b>
11.20	<b>Asylum Matters</b> – Katie McSherry, Estelle Worthington and Joe Allen
11:30	<b>Roundtable: Learning and networking exchange</b> Discussion led by <b>Jonathan Ellis:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• What activities, projects and initiatives (including streams) does your group take part in or aspire to?</li><li>• How do they help to realise the City of Sanctuary vision?</li><li>• How can the new National Advisory Board keep us all connected and stay true to our principles and vision?</li><li>• <b>Tea and coffee - rotating tables</b></li></ul>
12:20	<b>Update from Ireland and Scotland</b> –Tiffany Allen and colleagues <b>Sanctuary in Politics course</b> – Homayoon
12:30	<b>AGM AGENDA (See separate agenda and notices)</b>
13.00	<b>Lunch, networking , stalls, exhibitions</b>
13:55	<b>City of Sanctuary song</b> – Sam Slatcher
14.00	<b>Welcome back</b> <b>Compère</b> – Joseph Chivayo <b>Introduction to afternoon session:</b> Sabir Zazai, City of Sanctuary Chair



14:05	<b>Schools of Sanctuary in Tees Valley</b> Pete Widlinski
14.15	<b>Update from Wales</b> – Rebecca Scott
14.25	<b>Universities of Sanctuary</b> – Nick Gill and Deborah Bazeley
14:35	<b>Information Sharing:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Sanctuary and Health Care</li><li>2. Promoting our Vision through Stories of Sanctuary: Working with the Media</li><li>3. Sanctuary Awards As a Strategic Tool for Movement Building</li><li>4. Safeguarding – Ensuring protection for volunteers and people seeking sanctuary in our network</li></ol>
15:30	<b>Closing Remarks:</b> Sabir Zazai – Chair
15:40	<b>Networking</b> : Opportunity to network, read flipcharts, discuss feedback from roundtables with other participants and facilitators
16:00	<b>Venue be cleared</b>

## ‘Learning and Working Together’

In the foyer – all day –

History of City of Sanctuary interactive timeline

Interactive map of network activities

Network displays, leaflets from groups and partners etc.

Conversation Not Confrontation display from Newcastle CVS