

# LeadLincs Conference 2020

Free for all LeadLincs alumni, Lincolnshire NPQH graduates  
& Aspiring Heads

*Time and date*

**Monday 10th February 2020**

**10am to 3pm**

**The Showroom, Tritton Road, Lincoln, LN6 7QY**

Lincolnshire County Council, Lincolnshire Learning Partnership and Lincolnshire Teaching Schools Together are working in partnership to secure excellent progression for Lincolnshire school leaders. We want to reconnect with our recent LeadLincs graduates, as well as all of our Lincolnshire NPQH graduates from the last 3 years.

The conference is designed to equip you and prepare for your leadership in 2020, with national speakers sharing their expertise and supporting you prepare for headship

**If you are an aspiring Headteacher, or early in your Headship journey, then this conference is for you.**

**Book now to avoid disappointment # Leadlincs2020**

**Keynote speakers:**

**Laura McInerney**

Education journalist & Co-founder  
of Teacher Tapp



What teachers REALLY want and  
need to stay in their jobs.

**Liz Robinson**

Co-founder of Big Education & SLE



What leading a high quality  
curriculum requires of school  
leaders.

**Toby Ealden**

Artistic Director of Zest Theatre



Creating a Youthquake -  
unlocking the voices of Gen Z

Please see reverse of flyer for more information about the key note speakers.

## Laura McInerney - @miss\_mcinerney

She started her career in east London comprehensives and taught for six years before being taken to court by Michael Gove for asking a difficult question about free schools. (She won, eventually).

Following this, Laura became a journalist, writing a monthly column in The Guardian and editing Schools Week, where her team won national awards for their hard-hitting scoops. She is now the co-founder of Teacher Tapp, an app revealing previously unknown insights about teachers' lives.



**What teachers REALLY want and need to stay in their jobs** –Almost 40% of teachers leave within the first five years of the career, and experienced teachers are leaving at the highest rates ever. But, why? Using data from new app Teacher Tapp, which surveys 2,500 teachers every day, we are finally learning the surprising truth about what teachers think, want, and need, in order to stay in their jobs. But can you handle the truth?

## Liz Robinson - @LizzieRobinson3

Liz is working to 'change the story' about how education is delivered in England. As head teacher of Surrey Square in Southwark for 13 years, Liz used values as a key driver to redefine the purpose of the school and radically reshape the teaching approaches. The school was judged Outstanding by Ofsted and is widely celebrated for its work, serving a highly challenged community.

Working as an NLE, Liz developed practice and raised standards in many schools. She co-founded the International Academy of Greenwich, motivated to be part of creating a forward thinking secondary school, delivering an IB (International Baccalaureate) education.

Liz has a particular interest in developing values-led leadership, and has worked extensively as a speaker, trainer and coach. Passionate about asking bigger questions about what school can or should be about, she finds new ways of working.



**What leading a high quality curriculum requires of school leaders.**

## Toby Ealden - @toby\_ealden

Toby Ealden is Artistic Director of Zest Theatre, a national touring theatre company specialising in work for young people. Established in 2007, Zest tours to theatres, festivals, outdoor spaces and schools with award winning work described as 'unpretentious' (The Stage) and 'invigorating' (The British Theatre Guide). Zest's interactive, immersive and site-specific productions actively place the audience right at the heart of the story. Zest's work reaches around 20,000 young people across the country every year! Each production is inspired by the needs, lives and imaginations of those aged under 25.



**Creating a Youthquake - unlocking the voices of Gen Z** - Toby will share findings from Zest's recent research with over 800 young people across the UK. By sharing audio of young people across the country, this session will allow delegates to hear the voices of a generation too often left unheard.

Closing remarks from Heather Sandy -Chief Officer for Learning at Lincolnshire County Council (@heather\_sandy)