

## Learning and Skills update

The government has introduced a number of significant skills reforms which will have a direct impact on the workforce and employers' resources. This event will provide an overview of the proposals and highlight the opportunities and challenges to developing high quality skills which benefit the workforce and organisation.

The event will promote a range of materials that will help union representatives and employers improve their apprenticeship programmes and English and Maths provision.

10:15am	Registration and refreshments
10:30am	Welcome and introduction from Reg Sec/REO
10:40am	Regional skills challenges (SSC? LEP? UKCES regional office? Academic?)
11:00am	TUC Apprenticeship policy update
11:30am	Best practice apprenticeships (guest speakers – rep, employer, apprentice)
11:50am	Trade union tools to support union engagement in apprenticeships Interactive workshop, to be planned with UL colleagues.
12:30pm	Feedback
12:45pm	Lunch
13:30pm	What is happening around English and maths policy?
14.00pm	Case study live: a union example of English and/or maths engagement
14.15pm	Try out tools and share good practice from others
15.20pm	Closing remarks
15.30pm	Have a safe journey home!