HEC19 June 2024 Research Showcase: Student Experiences during and beyond COVID-19.

Online, Wednesday 5 June 2024, 1200-1400

The SRHE <u>Higher Education And The COVID-19 Pandemic (HEC19)</u> Network brings together researchers and practitioners from a range of theoretical, disciplinary and national backgrounds who are engaged in critical studies of the experience, impact and longer-term implications of the COVID-19 pandemic on the global higher education sector.

The HEC19 Research Showcases are spaces for sharing new research and practice and an opportunity to connect with others working in these areas. Our June 2024 Showcase will focus on **student experiences of the COVID-19 pandemic.** We are interested in research on and experiences of practice addressing topics including but not limited to:

- What have been the experiences of university students during and post-Covid-19 in relation to career prospects, mental health and wellbeing?
- How Covid-19 has influenced students' learning experiences?
- How has COVID-19 impacted student engagement and attainment in the shorterand longer-term?
- Which student inequalities in higher education has COVID-19 made more prominent? How can we mitigate them?
- What organisational approaches and practices do we need to review/introduce as a result of COVID-19 to make HE more inclusive for students?

We are looking to schedule three or four **20 minute presentations**. The event format will also include time for Q&A and debate. To express your interest in participating, please email network co-convenors Dr Kate Carruthers Thomas, Birmingham City University (kate.thomas@bcu.ac.uk) and Dr Charikleia Charoula Tzanakou, Oxford Brookes University (ctzanakou@brookes.ac.uk) by **30 April 2024** with:

- your full name and affiliation
- a brief overview of your intended contribution (150-250 words)

We will confirm details of the session as soon as possible thereafter.