ACODE 76 and Business Meeting

Dates: 5 & 6 April 2018

Venue: University of Otago, Dunedin, NZ

Location: Commerce Building, 60 Clyde Street, Dunedin, Room 1.17

Turning Strategy into Reality: Student Mobility Infrastructure

The drive for students to be 'connected anywhere, anytime' is often founded on genuine interests in supporting and promoting the very best and latest quality learning and study environments in our institutions. Jargonistic promulgation of the wonders of technological advancements in information and communication technologies such as BYOD, can generate unreal expectations about what may be possible. The ability to create 'connected anywhere, anytime' learning environments requires balance between vision and practical reality.

The focus of this workshop is on operationalising policy and strategy that targets provision of high quality technologically-supported infrastructure. The presentations in the workshop will provide examples of how unreal expectations about student mobility infrastructure have been moderated, through recognition and acknowledgement of the demands of context, including various issues such as those related to equity, cost, privacy, sustainability, usability and the capacity of the technologies themselves.

Day 1: 5 April

8:30 – 9:00	Registration; tea & coffee
9:00 – 9:20	Welcome & Introduction
9:20 – 10:20	**Operationalising whole-of-institution priorities** Mike Harte, Director of IT Services, University of Otago
10:20 – 10:45	Morning Tea
10:45 – 12:00	**Challenges related to technology adoption by staff and students** Irena White, PhD student, Flinders University (via Zoom) Qian Liu, PhD student, University of Auckland
12:00 – 12:30	**Small Group Discussion:** Managing and meeting expectations - staff and student technology adoption in your institution
12:30 – 13:15	Lunch
13:15 – 14:00	**The pragmatic realities of all-pervasive technology use** Dr Thomas Cochrane, Centre for Learning & Teaching, AUT University (via Zoom)
14:00 – 14:45	**High (stakes) demands & expectations: A current, large scale student mobility project** Emerson Pratt, ICT Project Manager: Dental School Redevelopment, University of Otago
14:45 – 15:15	**Small Group Discussion:** Managing and meeting expectations - the technologies in your institution
15:15 – 15:40	Afternoon Tea
15:40 – 16:00	Wrap-up and evaluation
18:00	Workshop dinner: University of Otago Staff Club

Day 2: 6 April

Day two: Business & Networking Meeting	
Timing	Description
8.30	Tea, coffee registration
9.00	B&N Meeting commences
9.00-10.20	Business items discussed
10.20-10.45	Morning Tea
10.45-11.45	Business / Hot topics
11.45-12.45	Business / Hot topics
12.45	Light lunch (if meeting is continuing)
13.15-14.00	Networking activity (optional)
14.00	Close