

DRAFT AGENDA
International Symposium on Employability and the Learner Profile (ISELP)
Thursday October 3, 2019
Hosted by Microsoft – Paris
39 Quai du Président Roosevelt, 92130 Issy-les-Moulineaux, France

8:30 – 9:00	<i>Coffee/tea and light pastries</i>
9:00 – 10:00	<p><i>Introductions, welcome, setting the stage</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Russel Mills: Secretary General, <i>Business at OECD</i> • Charles Fadel: Greetings and setting the stage, Chair, <i>Business at OECD</i> Education Committee • Microsoft: The importance of conversation with business (name tbc) • Employability in the age of Artificial Intelligence (Charles Fadel, <i>Business at OECD</i>) • Importance to OECD countries (Andreas Schleicher, Director Directorate for Education and Skills, OECD)
10:00 – 11:00	<p>Panel 1: Global comparisons of university entrance systems and views from leading-edge employers</p> <p>Panellist 1: Dirk Van Damme, Senior Counsellor, Directorate for Education and Skills, OECD</p> <p>Panellist 2: Riikka Heikinheimo, Director, Confederation of Finnish Industries</p>
11:00-11:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>
11:30 – 12:45	<p>Panel 2: The need for sorting in Higher Ed admissions offices: how do we expand the Learner Profile without “breaking the bank”?</p> <p>Panellist 1: TBD National Association for College Admission Counselling (NACAC)</p> <p>Panellist 2: Stacy Caldwell, Executive Director, Mastery Transcript Consortium (MTC)</p> <p>Panellist 3: Sarah Maddison, Professor and Pro Vice-Chancellor (Academic Innovation & Change) Swinburne University</p> <p>Moderator: Charles Fadel, <i>Business at OECD</i></p>
12:45 - 13:45	<i>Lunch On-Site</i>



13:45 – 14:45	<p>Panel 3: Changing the Assessments to change the behavior, and focusing on qualifications</p> <p>Panellist 1: Andrea Gray, Deputy Chief Executive Officer, New Zealand Qualifications Authority, NZQA</p> <p>Panellist 2: Yuri Belfali, Head of Division, Early Childhood and Schools/ PISA, OECD</p>
Break 20 minutes	<i>Coffee/tea</i>
15:05 – 16:15	<p>Panel 4: Could Accreditations provide the higher leverage?</p> <p>Panellist 1: Tala Khudairi, Executive Director, Babson Global</p> <p>Panellist 2: Bradley Shrimpton, Head of Research, International Baccalaureate</p> <p>Panellist 3: Rick Miller, Professor of Mechanical Engineering and President Olin College</p> <p>Moderator: Charles Fadel, <i>Business at OECD</i></p>
16:15 – 17:15	<p>Panel 5: Double Bypass’ strategy: should technology firms provide alternative strategies that accelerates change?</p> <p>Panellist 1: Maria Langworthy, Principal Program Manager, Education, Microsoft</p> <p>Panellist 2: Ulrik Christensen, Chief Executive Officer, Area9 Lyceum</p> <p>Moderator: Charles Fadel, <i>Business at OECD</i></p>
17:15 – 17:30	<p>Final Comments & next steps; audience polling: Charles Fadel and Tony Mackay</p> <p>* All panels format is moderator + panellists; each panellist will present 3 slides maximum, then join panel; audience will interact for Q&A throughout.</p>