

## Engaging Research Users to Demonstrate Impact

Ann Clark, Research Fellow at CRH is Co-Investigator in an ESRC funded research methodology network that will meet four times over the next 12 months to identify innovative ways of engaging non academic audiences with the research process and demonstrating the wider benefits of research to the economy and society. <http://www.ncrm.ac.uk/research/NMI/2011/dancing.php>  
Bringing together three existing practice networks of researchers, a series of three workshops around the UK will explore ways of conceptualising and demonstrating research impact, methods in user engagement in research and how research education can adapt to new demands on researchers to achieve and measure wider benefits to society from their work. The network is keen to involve non academic users of research in its activities. If you would be interested in participating in these events please contact [ann.clark@uhi.ac.uk](mailto:ann.clark@uhi.ac.uk) Click here for a report of the launch event. <http://www.northumbria.ac.uk/sd/academic/sass/about/socscience/solscrees/interdiscnetworks/dancingwithnewpartners/wkssum/>