Energising successful studentship schemes

More cohesion? The Issues and opportunities Peter Redman

### History and other constraints

- Charity objectives and strategy
- Classical 'closed' supplier/client relationship
- Established practices
- More people involved!

# Awareness and understanding of potential benefits

- Shared (delegated) administration and management
- Opportunity to contribute to larger, more effective(?) projects
- More direct link to industry strategies
- Easier for 'service providers' and fund seekers to team up.

#### Awareness of opportunities

- Multiple announcements and time tables
- Single point of access to 'calling notices'

## Compatibility of processes

- Applications
- Evaluation
- Approvals
- Schedules
- Monitoring
- Reporting

### Key stages for coordination

- ideally with common dates
- Announcement
- Concept proposal/submission
- Concept 'exchange clearance'
- Collaboration in place
- Project approved (contract in place)

# Components of primary application

- Title
- The project
  - The problem/issue
  - Relevance to industry
  - Aim of project
  - Key objectives
  - Outline of activities
  - Key outcomes
  - Knowledge transfer

- Lead applicant
- Host institution(s)
- Project duration
- Proposed start date
- Total cost
- Potential co-funding /collaboration

# Is there need for a 'partnership' clearing house?

Making coordination work in 2012!

## Should it be done? How?

# Does this approach apply to the FE sector?

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