

Dates for your 2018 diary

West Midlands OD community, a cross sector network of OD practitioners and others, has confirmed the dates for its 2018 quarterly meetings. These are open to all who have an interest in organisational development (OD) and related topics and issues.

The meetings will be held on the following dates at a central Birmingham venue. The first meeting being at the offices of the law firm Mills & Reeve (<http://bit.ly/2z3Ph0X>). Members offer to host these sessions, and we are awaiting confirmation of venues for dates later in the year.

- **Wednesday 10 January**
Mills & Reeve - 78-84 Colmore Row, B3 2AB
- **Wednesday 18 April**
To be confirmed
- **Wednesday 18 July**
To be confirmed
- **Wednesday 10 October**
To be confirmed

Sessions during 2017 have looked at wellbeing through an OD lens, as well as the thinking, working and doing around 'systems'.

Other topics have included how the network can organise to meet the needs of its members and the variety of organisations they work for. The strength of the network has been building through 2017 by sharing insights, knowledge and know how, beyond organisation and sector boundaries.



The format for the 2018 sessions is to have a morning session that might feature a guest speaker or a topic led by a network member or ad hoc sub group. The themes and content for sessions come from network members themselves, meeting their needs and those of the organisations they work for.

It is hoped the afternoon sessions might be a 'deeper dive' into the issues aired during the morning or a pop up workshop or consideration of a case study around organisation change or challenges for practitioners individually.

Our current membership spans public and private sectors, as well as independent practitioners and academics. To keep in touch with us, visit the dedicated Linked In page here - www.linkedin.com/groups/8635484

This West Midlands OD community is part of ODN Europe, the European Chapter of the Organization Development Network, an international professional association of organisationdevelopment practitioners.

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