

Special Education & Policy Change: A Study of Six Jurisdictions

Symposium & Review Meeting, 22-24 April 2013
Ambulatorium, Room 68; Grote Rozenstraat 38
University of Groningen, The Netherlands

| Monday 22 April | | Tuesday 23 April Presentation of findings from key informant interviews | | Wednesday 24 April | |
|-----------------|---|---|--|--------------------|--|
| 10.00 – 10.15 | Welcome, Introduction of participants <i>Sip Jan Pijl</i> | 09.30 – 10.15 | Sheila Riddell & Elisabet Weedon | 09.30 – 10.15 | Linda Graham |
| 10.15 – 11.00 | The irresistible rise of the SEN industry <i>Sally Tomlinson</i> | 10.15 – 11.00 | Eva Hjörne | 10.15 – 11.00 | Overarching analysis of key informant interviews |
| 11.00 – 11.30 | Tea & coffee | 11.00 – 11.30 | Tea & coffee | 11.00 – 11.30 | Tea & coffee |
| 11.30 – 12.15 | Policy developments in the Netherlands <i>Jules Peschar</i> | 11.30 – 12.30 | Sip Jan Pijl | 11.30 – 12.15 | What we have achieved so far & publication plans, including special issue of Discourse |
| 12.15 – 13.00 | Leave the kids alone <i>Laura Batstra</i> | 12.30 – 13.30 | Lunch | 12.15 – 13.00 | |
| 13.00 – 14.00 | Lunch | 13.30 – 14.30 | Scot Danforth | 13.00 – 14.00 | Lunch |
| 14.00 – 14.45 | Implementing special needs education in Groningen <i>Jan Houwing / Erik de Graaf</i> | 14.30 | Guided tour — Optional visit to Groningen museum | 14.00 – 14.45 | Next steps and plans for final conference |
| 14.45 – 15.30 | Looking over the border <i>Sip Jan Pijl</i> | | | 14.45 – 15.30 | |
| 15.30 – 16.00 | Tea & coffee | | | 15.30 – 16.00 | Tea & coffee |
| 16.00 – 17.00 | Discussions and summing up <i>Sheila Riddell</i> | | | 16.00 – 17.00 | |