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Dear Nicole,

I am writing to you full of excitement to share with you the latest developments within and across the Practice As Research network:

Over the past few weeks and months [Dr Sara Young](#) has worked up a proposal for a **Practice As Research Conference** to be held during the academic year 2023/24, with several members from the PAR network being involved. The aim of the conference is to explore the ethical challenges of conducting Practice As Research across a range of subject areas to foster interdisciplinary discussion. Watch this space for more news!

The **Poetry As Research** group received notification that the poems produced as part of the collective poetic inquiry will be included in a poetry anthology. More details will follow as we have them. But if you're interested to find out more about the group and/or to join, please [email Áine McAllister](#).

The first meeting of the **Social Fiction Writing** group took place earlier this month, and I am truly looking forward to more. The dates for our online meetings for this academic year are the 22 February, 29 March, 10 May and 21 June. If you're interested to find out more and/or to join, please [email Nicole Brown](#).

Our next **Practice As Research Seminar** will be on the 1 February 2023 from 2 to 3 pm UK time. [Federica Manfredi](#) will be presenting on ethical considerations in relation to research into body suspension. Please, [register on Eventbrite](#) for the joining details.

#### **Future seminars:**

- 1 March 2023 at 2pm: Prof Sarah Banks.
- 22 March 2023 at 2pm: Prof Jenny Parkes.
- 26 April 2023 at 2pm: Dr Estelle Evrard.
- 3 May 2023 at 2pm: Dr Alison Fox.
- 17 May 2023 at 2pm: Prof John Potter and Dr Michelle Cannon.
- 7 June 2023 at 2pm: Dr Kay Sidebottom.

#### **Recent recordings:**

- [Dr Sonia York-Price](#)'s presentation about ethics in dance research.

As always if you are interested in finding out more about the plans of the Practice As Research network, if you would like to share your ideas, and/or you would like to get

involved in any other way, please, [email Nicole Brown](#), I am always excited to hear from members.

If you missed a previous session, please, check out [the PAR YouTube channel](#) or [the PAR Buzzsprout channel](#) for the recordings.

Wishing you a very good week ahead, and looking forward to connecting soon...

Nicole

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