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Research interests and expertise	Research interests: Localism/ neighbourhood governance, local government including the role of councillors; regeneration and renewal; community and partnership; practitioner learning in regeneration, renewal, sustainability; historical perspectives. In addition to current projects, work at UWE has included work on - implementation of the Compact between government and the voluntary sector; learning for regeneration and renewal in the south west; New Deal for Communities; Local Area Agreements, initial phases; Renewal.Net; project appraisal - distance learning programme.
Consultancy work	Project appraisal development /training – Southampton and Bristol city councils
Funded projects <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Project title/area of work • Funding source • Start/end dates • Key partners 	<p>Assessing the practice and potential of situated social learning in the work of building sustainable communities' for the ESRC/ Academy for Sustainable Communities; (2007-2008); partners RTP1 and creating:excellence. Project aim, to establish how professionals working in multi-disciplinary teams in regeneration and renewal learn and adapt their ways of working</p> <p>Urban Matrix European Commission funded project (2006 – 2009); Partners: EUROCITIES (lead) GHK Consulting, European cities, Supporting knowledge exchange - charts knowledge demand through project surveys (UWE lead) and delivers project workshops.</p> <p>Local Area Agreements / Local Strategic Partnerships - 2007-2010. Evaluation for CLG of LAAs/LSPs. Partners, OPM, LJM, SQW, Warwick. Main responsibility, local authority case study work</p>
Languages	Written French – basic (very)
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