

The 'Getting Things Changed' Flagship

Experts by Experience



We are students and ex-students from the University of Bristol who have led the research about disabled students in the 'Getting Things Changed' project (2015-18).

This is a time of challenge for the university in terms of supporting disabled students and there is a pressing need to meet the increasing health issues of students in effective and responsive ways. Things need to change, and as 'experts by experience' we can help the university lead the way.

Experts by Experience are people who have insider knowledge. We have our own stories, some of which you can read in our 'zine'.

Our legacy to the university could be this:

- Strengthening the network of disabled students, so that they can support each other
- Bristol to lead the way in listening to the voice of disabled students
- An expert group of students who will lead by training staff about disability, mental health issues and the student experience. This could improve support for current students and help the university with widening access for the future.

What will it take?

Show that this is a caring university – we can help you, with some support and resources to help us plan the future.

**We are confident, proud to be disabled:
we want to give this confidence to others.**

For more information about the project:
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