

The Professional Development Framework provides recognition for higher education institutions, accreditation for their professional development programmes and recognition for the individuals who complete those programmes. Through a range of named awards we accredit different types of professional development. All named awards share a common set of values and core development outcomes and each named award has its own set of specialist outcomes. Appropriate PDF awards have been aligned with their relevant UK professional development frameworks: the UK Professional Standards Framework (UKPSF) and Vitae's Researcher Development Framework (RDF) . The awards are flexible, level free and provide great opportunities for CPD for all staff in all institutions from research intensive to new universities in the UK and beyond. We also work in partnership with related organisation's such as CRA and JISC/CAN Network and can tailor provision to your needs

This brief session will provide

- Overview of the benefits and opportunities
- Breadth of awards on offer
- Overview of the process
- Brief case study on why one institution uses SEDA PDF as a main component of their CPD offer