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ISPS for Whites only? - What's next?

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Learning Goal:

Val ran a successful workshop titled **ISPS for Whites only?** at the International conference in Liverpool. despite it being programmed early on Sunday morning. Since then ISPS UK has undergone changes around increasing diversity. This workshop will explore these changes and invite the audience to help develop them further.

Abstract Text:

When Val joined ISPS several years ago she was aware that the committee and the membership did not reflect the community it represents in terms of diversity. A working party was created and we were fortunate to receive a grant from ISPS International that led to several steps being taken towards improving diversity both within the committee and within the membership. The workshop will look at the steps taken since then including an exciting one day workshop entitled 'Psychosis and Institutional Racism' in November last year. The audience will be invited to join discussion groups on what needs to happen next, not only in the UK but internationally.

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