



# BIRMINGHAM NEU PRESENTS -

## SUPPORTING TRANS AND NON-BINARY EDUCATORS AND STUDENTS

6TH MAY 2021 - 5.30PM TO 7PM VIA ZOOM

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The aim is to raise awareness of issues facing trans and non-binary people, and specifically those in education settings. This includes discrimination and harassment, but also the ways they continue to be marginalised.

The keynote speakers will outline problems as well as the ways trans and non-binary people can be supported so that we all, actively and collaboratively, discover how to eradicate transphobia from schools and colleges.

**Chaired by Birmingham NEU President - Rebecca Sheffield**

**Speakers include: Ayla Holdom and Kacey de Groot**

**Ayla Holdom** - After serving in the RAF for 13 years, Ayla now flies helicopters for the National Police Air Service. Ayla came out as transgender around 2010. Since 2012 she has been an advisor and volunteer for the charity All About Trans and is also a proud patriot for Mermaids, the UK charity supporting gender diverse young people. Ayla is also a Stonewall trustee.

**Kacey de Groot** - Kacey is current NEU National Executive Committee LGBT+ seat holder and is a trans woman and a queer woman. Most of her own lived experience of oppression has centred around her transness. Kacey is a teacher at a Coventry school and is committed to campaigning for trans rights.