



Shaun Dellenty is an independent education trainer & inspirational keynote/after dinner speaker who has been working to positively prevent LGBT+ and identity-based prejudice in the UK education system and communities since 2009. Shaun is a nationally recognised lead on LGBT+ inclusion in schools in the UK, with experience in preventing homophobic bullying.

Shaun has trained teachers, school governors, school leadership teams and non-teaching staff in hundreds of primary & secondary schools around the UK during the last nine years, leading to his designation as a 'Point of Light' by Prime Minister David Cameron in 2016. Shaun has worked in schools in a wide range of rural, urban and faith contexts since 1996, when he graduated from Leicester University. Shaun has worked as a class-teacher, Deputy Head-teacher, Acting Headteacher and Local Authority Education Consultant in Primary and Middle School contexts. Shaun's vision is to ensure that our education systems are safe and inclusive places for all young people regardless of their perceived or actual LGBT+ identity or gender identity.

Shaun entered the professional education system in 1996, himself a survivor of the childhood homophobic bullying that nearly caused him to take his own life at the age of 16. After identifying similar endemic homophobic bullying within his own London school in 2009, Shaun devised a highly celebrated teacher training strategy 'Inclusion For All' (IFA) personally delivering to over 10,000 education professionals in the UK alone; in undertaking such ground-breaking work Shaun attracted national interest and acclaim and played a fundamental role in changing the UK education system (particularly at primary level) in order to become more open to positive LGBT+ inclusion from the point of entry to formal education. Shaun has been called to advise on government education policy on several occasions as a result and has spoken at Westminster and House of Commons/ Lords briefings.

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