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# National Lifelong Career Development Strategies: Parting Reflections from Tony Watts

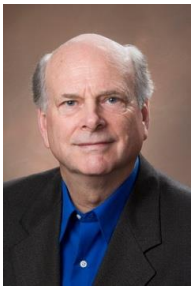


<b>Presenter</b>	Professor Tony Watts
<b>Respondents</b>	Lynne Bezanson, Canada John McCarthy, ICCDPP
<b>Moderators</b>	Raimo Vuorinen, Finland Phil Jarvis, Canada



**Moderator: Raimo Vuorinen**

An IAEVG Board member, Raimo is the ELGPN Coordinator at the Finnish Institute for Educational Research at the University of Jyvaskyla, Finland



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## **PRESENTER: Professor Tony Watts**

Tony is a NICEC Founding Fellow and Life President. He was a co-founder of CRAC, and was Director of NICEC from 1975 to 2001. He is Visiting Professor at the University of Derby and at Canterbury Christ Church University. His work covers theory, policy and practice in all sectors of career education and guidance, including schools, further and higher education, and adult guidance. In recent years his main interests have been in policy-related studies both nationally and internationally, and in evaluations of innovative practice. He has been consultant to a number of international organisations, and worked for OECD in 2001-02 on its Career Guidance Policy Review. He has subsequently been involved in extending this review, through the World Bank, the European Commission and the European Training Foundation, to cover 55 countries. He has also been a consultant to the European Lifelong Guidance Policy Network, and a Board member of the International Centre for Career Development and Public Policy.



## **Respondent: Lynne Bezanson**

*Lynne Bezanson* is Executive Director of the Canadian Career Development Foundation (CCDF). She organized the first two International Symposia on Career Development and Public Policy which were held in Canada and she has collaborated on the organization and implementation of all subsequent Symposia. In 2003, she organized the inaugural pan-Canadian Symposium on Career Development, Lifelong Learning and Workforce Development. She is a founding member of the International Centre for Career Development and Public Policy. She participated in the OECD 14 country review of Career Information, Guidance and Counselling Policies. She is the recipient of the Public Service Award of Excellence and the Stu Conger Gold Medal for Leadership in Career Development.



## **Respondent: John McCarthy**

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Questions from the  
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## Concluding Comments



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## **Farewell Tony**

The lifelong guidance world  
salutes you with immense  
admiration and gratitude!