This SIG promotes an agenda of inquiry and professionalism through practitioner research. Our network involves educational practitioners in reflective practice and in sharing research generated knowledge. Most importantly, through our network, we build a discourse of critical engagement with both practice and policy knowledge.

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Objectives
We have five main objectives:

- To contribute to a national agenda of enhanced professionalism for educational practitioners, through a research-informed voice, building knowledge through supported Practitioner Research and the ongoing development of a research-based discourse through the sharing of that research;
- To build links with other professions involved in Practitioner Research, to establish synergies in ways of working and addressing issues of mutual interest;
- To establish a research network for BERA Practitioner Research SIG members, to share existing research and to explore new research opportunities;
- To contribute to the generation of theory, knowledge and expertise about Practitioner Research and to explore different purposes and conceptualisations of ‘Practitioner Research’;
- To prepare a compendium of existing research that could support practitioners to research their own professional practice;
- To welcome case studies that exemplify the principles above.

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