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Dear Graeme

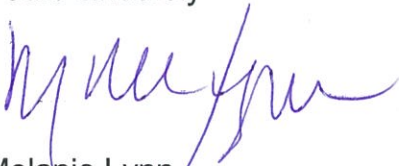
Innovation and Participation Advisory Group (IPAG) work on equal and open access

Thank you for your letter dated 26 January 2018. I am writing in response as the acting IPAG chairperson following Lindsay Cowley's recent resignation.

At its most recent meeting on 8 February 2018, the IPAG considered your letter and noted your interest in its work on the *Equal access* project. I particularly appreciated the ENA's efforts in highlighting the connections between various ENA workstreams and the *Equal access* project.

The IPAG also appreciates the ENA's offers of assistance and support as the group progresses its work on the project. The IPAG will take you up on these offers at an appropriate stage, and looks forward to engaging with the ENA, along with all other interested parties, as we consider the issues relating to equal access.

Yours sincerely



Melanie Lynn
Acting Chairperson