

The sigma Network

**New Centres Funding
briefing day**

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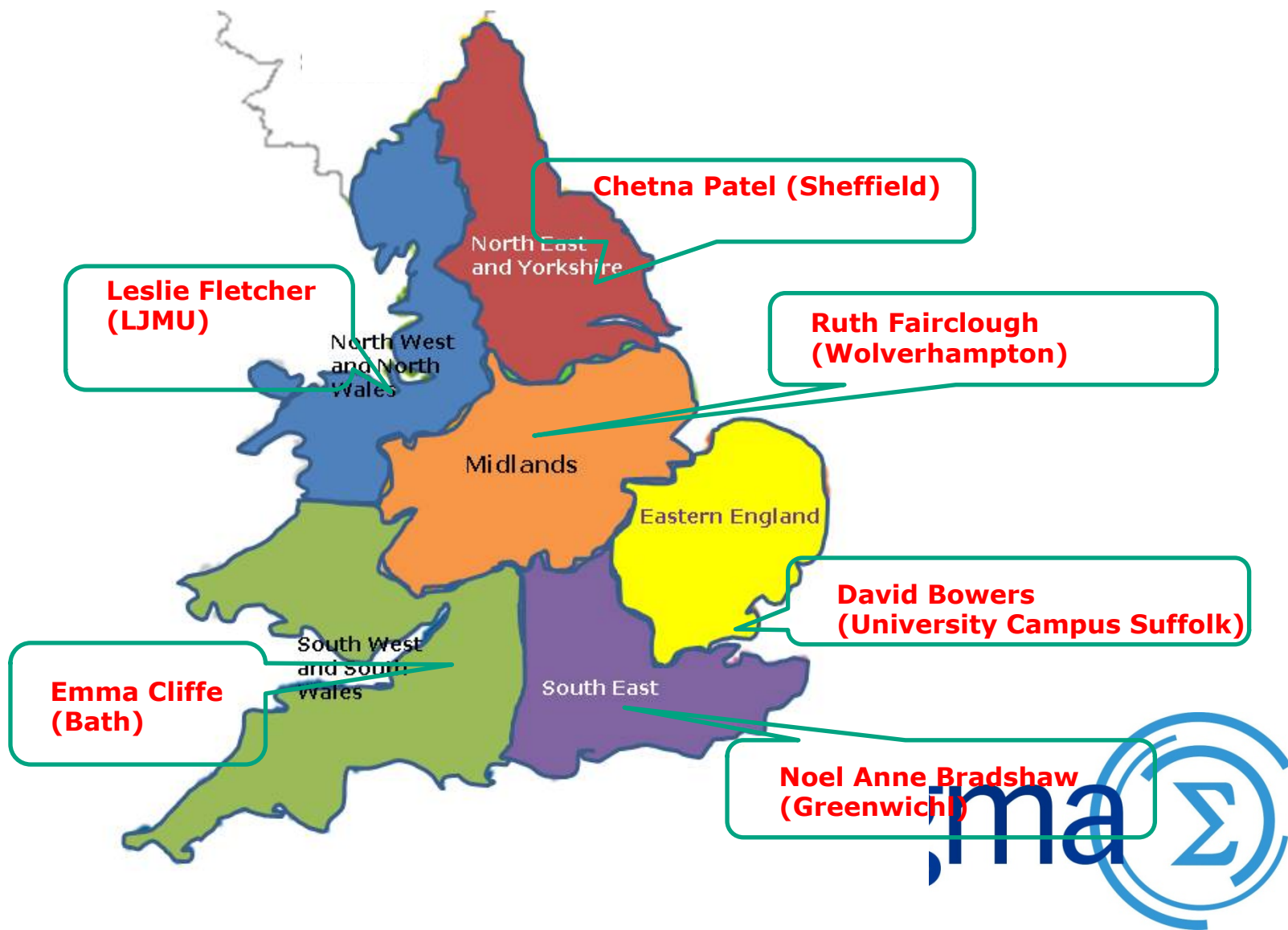


The sigma network

- What is the **sigma** network?
- What can the **sigma** network hubs offer you?
- What can you offer the hubs?

Network of practitioners

- There is an established community of mathematics support practitioners
- www.sigma-network.ac.uk
- JISCmail list sigma-network
- Quarterly newsletter
- One of the most open, friendly and welcoming academic communities you will experience



How it works

- **sigma** Network chaired by David Bowers (USC)
- 6 regional hubs covering all of England and Wales
- Each hub runs at least 2 events per year
- Travel expenses covered
- Opportunity to bid for student summer internship

What's in it for you?

- Access to central information, support and advice
- Access to resources
- Opportunity to access support and events “locally”
- Links with other universities and networks across the world

sigma central

- The **sigma** core team consists of:
Tony Croft, Director (Loughborough)
Duncan Lawson, Director (Newman)
Trevor Hawkes, Director (Coventry)
Moira Petrie, Assistant Director
(Loughborough)

Keep in touch

- Join the JISCmail list
- Subscribe to **sigma** newsletter
- Attend CETL-MSOR conference 8/9 September 2014, Cardiff
- Take advantage of **mathcentre** community project for resource sharing

And finally ...

**Belong:
you'll get out more
than you put in**