

Members of the Centre with Tim Fenton, whose teaches BA Multimedia Journalism in our Department of Literature, Film, and Theatre Studies, alongside other journalism staff, political and media development professionals discussed the potential impact of different qualities of parliamentary reporting and whether they could be measured.

We wanted to decide whether it was both desirable and possible to measure the impact of parliamentary reporting and, if it was, to begin to describe the next step in a research proposal. We agreed it would be desirable to establish a link between quality of media coverage and effectiveness of a parliament and how we could design an experiment to establish the link. Further work is planned.