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On Saturday, 16 November 2013, HistoryUK held its annual Plenary at the Institute of Historical Research in London. Sessions were held on Information Data (KIS, NSS) & The Student Experience, and Virtual Learning Environments & E-Learning. Over fifty History department representatives were able to engage with the speakers, including Sarbani Banerjee (HEFCE Lead, NSS & Unistats), who welcomes feedback on NSS methodology, as part of an early 2014 review. Dr Pat Cullum (University of Huddersfield), spoke about her personal experience of how data like that gathered for the NSS has shaped departmental teaching and university priorities. Professor Arthur Burns (Kings College, London) and Dr Jamie Wood (University of Lincoln) both discussed their personal experiences securing grants and implementing innovative e-learning programmes within their respective departments, whilst avoiding MOOKS.