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Viv Ellis and Jane McNicholl argue that teacher education needs to be transformed to be able to take advantage of the unique structural connections that exist between schools and universities in countries like England (represented by the notion of 'partnership') and the USA (with the example of professional development schools) by capitalising on the networks of expertise within and between these different organisations to produce powerful new forms of knowledge. They offer suggestions for future designs for teacher education, drawing not only on the latest research in teacher learning and development but from across the social sciences.

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