

UNIVERSITY OF ULSTER
ACADEMIC PLANNING ADVISORY GROUP

The function of the Advisory Group is, in the context of the University's Strategic Plan and associated strategies and the Academic Plan, to advise the Academic Standards and Quality Enhancement Committee on the matters identified below.

TERMS OF REFERENCE

- 1 To consider outline proposals from faculties and external institutions for new programmes of study and to make recommendations regarding the approval of planning and evaluation.
- 2 To note programme withdrawals and consider proposed revisions to programmes affecting the Academic Plan [course title, location, including outcentre, mode of delivery or attendance] or with implications for central resources, and to make recommendations as appropriate.
- 3 To keep under review the University's Admissions Policy and to consider proposed amendments to published offer standards in undergraduate programmes.
- 4 To report to the Academic Standards and Quality Enhancement Committee and to communicate with, and make reports to, other University committees or bodies in relation to any of the above matters.

In reaching decisions the Advisory Group will have due regard to their impact on, and implications for the University's commitment to ensuring equality of opportunity and good relations as outlined in its Equality Scheme, and associated policies, and where possible and practicable to ensure that the actions of the Advisory Group are proactive in this respect.

MEMBERSHIP

Interim Dean of Academic Business Development (Chair)	Professor B Murphy
Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic)	To be appointed
One Executive Dean	Professor P Seawright

One representative from each of the following administrative sections:

Academic Office	Mr A G Faulkner
Library Services	Mrs J Peden
Strategy, Planning and Performance	Dr S Crothers
Employability	Mrs A Scanlon
Marketing and Communications	Ms R McCart
Central Admissions	Mr R Cullen
Global Engagement	Ms C McCarthy
Finance Department	Mr S McFarland

Secretariat

Academic Office	Mrs A Garland
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