

LTC13D087 – Appendix iv

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Issue

In accordance with the Implementation Plan for the QAA Quality Code, the Part A Implementation Group have now completed the mapping process for Part A. The document below provides the relevant links to University documentation that evidences the Expectations contained within Part A and indicates where further work remains to be completed.

The Group is confident that the University is fully compliant with the requirements of Part A as expressed through the 'Expectations' delineated in the body of Part A and its appendices. To the extent that work remains to be done within the group, it relates to the further collation of existing documentation. The document indicates which member of the group is responsible for taking the further work forward.

In addition to the consideration of compliance with the requirements of Part A, the Implementation Group has also looked at possible areas of enhancement. These have focused on the structure of the programme specification template, which is currently under review. The finalised programme specification, expected to be completed by October 2014, will more explicitly evidence how both QAA Subject Benchmark Statements and the FHEQ (currently the subject of a national consultation regarding amendments to its structure and content) have informed the design of programmes. Should the University determine that it wishes to introduce a standardised Module Outline this would also provide an opportunity for additional enhancement in relation to the areas covered by Part A.

Recommendation

Members are invited to consider and approve the enclosed mapping document

Resource Implications

There are no resource implications

Risk Implications

There are no material risks to the University associated with the approval of this document

Equality and Diversity

There are no Equality and Diversity implications within the enclosed document

Timing of decisions

Approval by LTC at its June meeting would allow the Part A Implementation Group to continue with their implementation work

Further Information

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