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Issue

Attached at [Appendix 1](#) is a report from the meeting of the University Campus Suffolk Joint Academic Committee held on 6 March 2013.

Recommendation

The Learning and Teaching Committee is invited to approve the recommendations from the meeting of the University Campus Suffolk Joint Academic Committee held on 6 March 2013:

ITEMS FOR DECISION

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3 COURSE SUSPENSION

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that the following courses be suspended for 2013/14:

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4 COURSE DISCONTINUATION

Recommended to the Senates of both Universities:

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- Cert HE Health Sciences (Mammography)
- Cert HE Health Sciences Diagnostic Imaging)
- FdSc Health Sciences (Diagnostic Imaging)
- Cert HE Health Sciences (Radiotherapy and Oncology)
- FdSc Health Sciences (Radiotherapy and Oncology)

UCS Lowestoft

- FdA Sports Development and Coaching (with Football Specialism)

UCS Great Yarmouth

- FdA Hospitality and Event Management

Resource Implications

None identified.

Risk Implications

None identified.

Equality and Diversity

Not applicable.

Further Information

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Attachments

[Appendix 1](#) - report from the meeting of the University Campus Suffolk Joint Academic Committee held on 6 March 2013.

University of East Anglia and University of Essex

UNIVERSITY CAMPUS SUFFOLK JOINT ACADEMIC COMMITTEE

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ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

1 UCS ANNUAL ACADEMIC REPORT 2011/12

Noted Members received the UCS Annual Academic report for 2011/12, which was a culmination of the annual Self-Assessment, Review and Evaluation (SARE) process, and provided a summary of the outcomes from the quality processes conducted at UCS throughout the year.

Members acknowledged that the process had involvement from across all areas of UCS and noted the progress that had been made in meeting the 2011/12 action plan.

2 INTEGRATED QUALITY AND ENHANCEMENT REVIEW (IQER): GREAT YARMOUTH ACTION PLAN UPDATE

Noted The first follow-up meeting by the Quality Assurance Agency (QAA) had taken place at Great Yarmouth College in January 2013. It was acknowledged that UCS Great Yarmouth had put in a considerable amount of work in developing the action plan and that good progress was being made towards achieving the targets. UCS Ipswich and the Universities had been involved in the QAA meeting and would continue to support the QAA follow-up and ongoing training and development needs.

The QAA confirmed that the next two update meetings would be conducted by telephone conference and no further visits would be required. The maximum period for the QAA monitoring to be completed would be 18 months, but it could conclude sooner than this.

3 PROFESSIONAL OR STATUTORY REGULATORY BODY (PSRB) ACTIVITY

Noted The receipt of the Nursing and Midwifery Council Annual Monitoring report 2012.

Noted The College of Radiographers confirmation of receipt and acceptance of the report for re-approval of BSc (Hons) Radiography and Oncology and BSc (Hons) Diagnostic Radiography by the Approval and Accreditation Board.

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