

LTC14D104

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Issue

QAA are launching a consultation into the qualifications characteristics of Foundation Degrees, Master's Degrees, Doctoral Degrees, and Qualifications awarded by two or more degree-awarding bodies.

The closing date of the consultation is 23 March 2015

Recommendation

That a small group Chaired by the ADTP, Dr Adam Longcroft be charged with developing the University's response

Resource Implications

N/A

Risk Implications

N/A

Equality and Diversity

The report has no E & D implications

Timing of decisions

The Group would need to meet in February to ensure the construction of a detailed response by the consultation deadline

Further Information

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Consultation Announcement

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To: Jon Sharp (LTS)
Subject: Qualification Characteristic statements: next consultation 19/12/2014 – 23/03/2015

Dear colleague,

Please find attached a circular letter announcing the consultations on three draft Qualification Characteristics statements: Foundation Degrees, Master's Degrees, Doctoral Degrees, and one new Qualification Characteristics Statement: Qualifications awarded by two or more degree-awarding bodies.

The consultation is open until 23 March 2015 and we would appreciate your support in forwarding this information to any organisations or colleagues who you think might be interested in responding.

More information can be found at: www.qaa.ac.uk/newsroom/consultations/consultation-on-four-qualification-characteristic-statements

Consultation responses should be submitted using the following forms:

For Foundation, Master's or Doctoral degrees
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/FouMasDocChar>

For Qualifications awarded by two or more degree-awarding bodies
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/QCSMTODAB>

Should you have any queries please contact enquiries@qaa.ac.uk

Kind regards,
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