

**LTC14D124**

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**Issue**

An update on Partnerships Office activity from December 2014 to January 2015.

**Recommendation**

The Learning and Teaching Committee is asked to note the Partnerships Office activity from December 2014 to January 2015.

**Resource Implications**

Not applicable.

**Equality and Diversity**

Not applicable.

**Further Information**

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**Background**

The Learning and Teaching Committee receives a report at every meeting providing an update on Partnerships Office activity.

## Discussion

### 1. **INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS**

1.1 The International Executive has met twice in the 2014/15 academic year, on 26 September and 4 December 2014 and the Vice-Chancellor has taken over from the Director of Internationalisation as the Chair. Discussions during these meetings have focused on:

- plans for the development of an Internationalisation Strategy;
- informing the Internationalisation section of the new Corporate Plan; and
- the role and expansion of Country Dialogue Groups which are focused on the five identified key countries for UEA's international agenda: North America, China, India, Malaysia and Japan.

1.2 The following international partnership agreements have been added to the database since the start of the 2014/15 academic year:

<b>Institution</b>	<b>Country</b>	<b>Agreement Type</b>
Ocean University	China	Cooperation of Agreement to form Strategic Alliance in Integrative Ocean Science
Kobe University	Japan	Collaboration on masters students recruitment to School of Environmental Sciences
Brickfields Asia College	Malaysia	Memorandum of Cooperation to Promote Admissions to the School of Law

### 2. **UNIVERSITY CAMPUS SUFFOLK**

#### 2.1. Joint Academic Committee

The minutes meeting of the Committee held on 5 November 2014 are available to view at:

[https://intranet.uea.ac.uk/partnerships/committeepapers/ucsccommittees/Joint+Academic+Committee+\(JAC\)/2014-15/JAC+unapproved+Minutes+05-11-2014+updated](https://intranet.uea.ac.uk/partnerships/committeepapers/ucsccommittees/Joint+Academic+Committee+(JAC)/2014-15/JAC+unapproved+Minutes+05-11-2014+updated)

#### 2.2 QAA Higher Education Review

University Campus Suffolk's Higher Education Review took place week commencing 10 November. Initial feedback is that UCS has met UK expectations in all four areas covered by the review. The final report will be published in February and will be available for the next meeting.

### **CITY COLLEGE NORWICH**

#### **3.1 Joint Board of Study**

The minutes of the meeting of the Board held on 21 November 2014 are available to view at:

<https://intranet.uea.ac.uk/partnerships/committeepapers/ccn/2014-15/CCNJBOS14M001+Minutes>

#### **3.2 QAA Higher Education Review**

City College Norwich's Higher Education Review took place week commencing 8 December 2014. The final report is expected to be published in February and will be available for a future meeting.

### **EASTON&OTLEY COLLEGE**

#### **4.1 Joint Board of Study**

The minutes of the meeting of the Board held on 12 November 2014 are available to view at:

<https://intranet.uea.ac.uk/partnerships/committeepapers/eastoncollege/2014-15/ECJBOS14M001+++FINAL>

### **MOUNTVIEW ACADEMY OF THEATRE ARTS**

#### **5.1 Joint Board of Study**

The minutes of the meeting of the Board held on 14 November 2014 are available to view at:

[https://intranet.uea.ac.uk/partnerships/committeepapers/mountview/2014-15/MTVJBOS14M001+Minutes+\(draft\)](https://intranet.uea.ac.uk/partnerships/committeepapers/mountview/2014-15/MTVJBOS14M001+Minutes+(draft))

### **INTO UEA NORWICH**

#### **6.1 Joint Board of Study**

The minutes of the meeting of the Board held on 19 November 2014 are available to view at:

<https://intranet.uea.ac.uk/partnerships/committeepapers/intouea/2014-15/INTOJBOS14M001+-+Minutes+-+FINAL>

### **INTO UEA LONDON**

#### **7.1 London Academy of Diplomacy Joint Board of Study**

The minutes of the meeting of the Board held on 20 November are available to view at:

<https://intranet.uea.ac.uk/partnerships/committeepapers/London+Academy+of+Diplomacy/2014-15/LADJBOS14M001-+Minutes+FINAL>

8. **INSTITUTE OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE STUDIES, GUERNSEY**

8.1 Joint Committee

The minutes of the meeting of the Joint Committee held on 5 December are available to view at:

<https://intranet.uea.ac.uk/partnerships/committeepapers/guernsey/2014-15/IHSCSJC14M001+-+Minutes+-+FINAL+with+hyperlinks>