#### The University of Dublin

#### **Trinity College**

There will be a meeting of the Board on Wednesday 29 June 2011 at 9 a.m. in the Board Room.

#### **AGENDA**

**Apologies** 

#### Section A

#### A.1 Minutes

Meeting of 1 June 2011.

#### A.2 Matters Arising from the Minutes

#### A.3 Provost's Report

#### A.4 Planning Group Report No 5

Memorandum from the Provost, dated 21 June 2011. *Circulated for Board members only* 

#### A.5 Employment Issues

#### (i) Academic Contract

Memorandum from the Staff Secretary and the Vice-Provost/Chief Academic Officer to Council, dated 8 June 2011;

#### (ii) Employment Control Framework

•Staff Secretary to attend for this item

#### A.6 Trinity Health - Future and Governance in the Faculty

Memorandum from the Provost, dated 22 June 2011. *Circulated for Board members only* 

#### A.7 Communications Strategy

Memorandum from the Provost, dated 21 June 2011.

•Communications Officer to attend for this item

#### A.8 eStrategy Update

Memorandum from the Chief Operating Officer, dated 22 June 2011.

#### A.9 Risk Register - Quarterly Update

Memorandum from the Chief Operating Officer, dated 22 June 2011.

#### A.10 Capital Projects Report

Issue 13, dated May 2011.

•Director of Buildings to attend for this item.

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#### A.11 Marino Institute of Education - Co-Trusteeship

Memorandum from the Registrar and the Director of Strategic Initiatives, dated 23 June 2011.

•Director of Strategic Initiatives to attend for this item. Circulated for Board members only

#### A.12 Statutes - Schedule to give effect to new Academic Titles

Memorandum from the Registrar, dated 21 June 2011.

•Dr Eoin O'Dell to attend for this item.

#### A.13 Response to Audit Committee Report

Memorandum from Vice-Provost/Chief Academic Officer on behalf of Executive Officers, dated 21 June 2011.

#### A.14 Scholarship - Additional Recommendation

- (i) Memorandum from the Senior Lecturer;
- (ii) Statutory Declaration.

#### A.15 University Council

Draft Acta of meeting of 15 June 2011.

#### A.16 Any Other Urgent Business

#### A.17 Declaration by Provost-elect

#### Section B

#### B.1 Audit Committee

Draft Minutes of meeting of 18 May 2011.

#### B.2 Coiste na Gaeilge

- (i) Draft Minutes of meeting of 7 April 2011;
- (ii) Decision taken under written procedure, dated 22 June 2011.

#### B.3 College Safety Committee

Draft Minutes of meeting of 24 February 2011.

#### B.4 Equality Committee

- (i) Draft Minutes of meeting of 24 May 2011;
- (ii) Equality Monitoring Annual Report, 2010-2011 (Minute Eqal/10-11/38 refers).

#### B.5 Estates Committee

Draft Minutes of meeting of 30 May 2011.

#### B.6 Finance Committee

- (i) Draft Minutes of meeting of 25 May 2011;
- (ii) Draft Minutes of meeting of 14 June 2011, incorporating:
  - (a) Approval of Provost's Expenses (FN/10 11/80 refers)
  - (b) Adoption of 'regularised' policy position to underpin broader participation in funded research (FN/10 11/81 refers)

#### B.7 Finance Committee/Estates Committee

Draft Minutes of joint meetings of:

- (i) 14 June 2011;
- (ii) 21 June 2011.

### B.8 Human Resources Committee (considered by Council on 15 June 2011)

Draft Minutes of meeting of 19 May 2011, together with the following:

- (i) Garda Vetting Policy;
- (ii) Approval of Increments Process
  - Paper from Staff Secretary

Links to the following policies are available at: http://www.tcd.ie/Staff\_Office/procedures/leave/draft.php

- (iii) Revised Leave of Absence Policy;
- (iv) Revised Recruitment Procedures;
- (v) Administrative, Library and Technical Staff Retention Policy;
- (vi) Policy on Accredited Academic Courses Leave and Funding Arrangements.

#### B.9 Library and Information Policy Committee

Draft Minutes of meeting of 20 May 2011.

#### B.10 Student Services Committee

Draft Minutes of meeting of 19 April 2011.

Board members are asked to inform the Secretary if they wish discussion on any of the following items in Section C and D. If not, the Provost will propose that they be noted and, where appropriate, that action proposed or reported be approved as presented.

### Section C - Matters for Noting and Approval

(Electronic Circulation only)

#### C.1 Callover of Board decisions

to note schedule from the Secretary to the College.

#### C.2 Development Plan 2010

to note memorandum from the Director of Buildings, dated 21 June 2011 and 2010 Development plan which is available at: <a href="https://www.tcd.ie/buildings/developmentplan">www.tcd.ie/buildings/developmentplan</a>

#### C.3 Review of Policy on Good Research Practice

to note and approved memorandum from the Dean of Research, dated 31 May 2011.

#### C.4 Higher Degrees

to note Higher Degrees, approved by the sub-committee of Board and Council on 15 June 2011, together with amendments to the 18 May 2011 list.

#### C.5 Proctors' Lists for Summer Commencements

to note that the Proctors' Lists were approved by the subcommittee of Board and Council on 21 June 2011.

#### C.6 New Degree Titles

Memorandum from the Registrar, dated 22 June 2011.

# C.7 Associated Colleges - Marino Institute of Education/Church of Ireland College of Education - Inter-institutional Agreements Memorandum from the Registrar, dated 23 June 2011.

#### C.8 Heads of Agreement - Loyola Institute

Memorandum from the Registrar and Director of Strategic Initiatives, dated 23 June 2011.

#### C.9 Annual Reports 2009-2010

to note annual reports 2009-2010 as follows:

(i) Secretary's Office

http://www.tcd.ie/Secretary/assets/pdf/2009-2010CompositeSecretarysOfficeAnnualReport.pdf

(ii) Staff Office

http://www.tcd.ie/Staff\_Office/assets/pdf/A3.4\_A.pdf

## C.10 IRIS Document Delivery Services Ltd - Report and Financial Statements - y/e 30 June 2010

for noting (FN/10-11/75 of 25.05.2011 refers).

#### C.11 Almanack 2011-2012

for noting.

#### C.12 Sealings

for noting.

#### C.13 Prizes and Other Awards

(i) Postgraduate Travelling Scholarship in Medicine - amendment to Calendar entry

to note and approve memorandum from the Head of the School of Medicine, dated 19 May 2011;

(ii) Jackie Akerele Fund

to note and approve the award of the Jackie Akerele Fund to Ms M Joyce (04781805) (value €700);

(iii) Prizes in the Faculty of Engineering, Mathematics and Science

to note and approve memorandum from the Treasurer, dated 3 June 2011;

(iv) Eda Sagarra Prize

to note and approve memorandum from the Treasurer, dated 21 June 2011.

#### C.14 Tutorship

to note and approve memorandum from the Senior Tutor, dated 20 June 2001.

### C.15 Heads of Schools in Engineering, Mathematics and Science, 2011-2014

to note and approve the following nominations:

- (i) School of Biochemistry and Immunology: Dr G Davey;
- (ii) School of Computer Science and Statistics: Dr J Jones
- (iii) School of Physics: Professor J Lunney.

#### C.16 Committees

(i) Principal and Compliance Committees: Membership 2011/2012

to note and approve memorandum from the Registrar, dated 21 June 2011;

(i) Academic Appeals Committee

to note that Dr J P Spears (Pharmacology and Therapeutics) replaces Ms A-M Malone (School of Nursing and Midwifery)

(ii) Financial Assistance Committee

to note that the Student Support Officer would replace Ms G Conroy as Secretary to this committee.

(iii) Grounds and Gardens Advisory Committee to note the nomination of Professor J A N Parnell, as Chair of the Committee, with effect from 1 January 2012.

#### C.17 Directorship of College Botanic Gardens

to note the nomination of Professor J A N Parnell as Director of the College Botanic Gardens with effect from 1 October 2011.

#### C.18 Trinity Long Room Hub

(i) Board of Governance

to note and approve the nomination of Ms Marie Wallace to the Board of Governance of the Trinity Long Room Hub for four years until 1 July 2015.

(ii) Strategic Plan 2011-2014

to note and approve the Trinity Long Room Strategic Plan 2011-2014.

#### C.19 College Art Collections

to note memoranda from the Curator, College Art Collections dated 21 June 2011, as follows:

- (i) Portrait Commission of Provost John Hegarty;
- (ii) Donations and Benefactions to end June 2011.
- C.20 Administrative Arrangements 3 July to 28 August 2011 to note that matters of routine College business will be dealt with by the Provost from 2 July to 28 August 2011.

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