#### THE UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN

### **Trinity College**

## **University Council**

There will be a meeting of the University Council on Wednesday 16 April 2014 at 11.15 am in the Board Room.

#### **AGENDA**

Apologies Statement of Interest

#### Section A

#### A.1 Minutes

Meeting of 12 March 2013.

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

## A.3 Provost's Report

## A.4 INTEGER Baseline Data Report

Professor Eileen Drew, Director, WISER, will attend

## A.5 Strategic Plan 2014-2019: Preliminary Analysis of Aspects of External Environment

Memorandum from the Vice-Provost/Chief Academic Officer, dated 7 April 2014.

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## A.6 Update on 2012 College Alcohol Policy

Memorandum from the Dean of Students, dated 3 April 2014.

#### A.7 International Student Barometer

Memorandum from the Vice President for Global Relations, dated 31 March 2014.

#### A.8 Quality

- (i) Review report for School of Social Work & Social Policy;
- (ii) Review report for BioResources;
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- (iii) Implementation Plan for the School of Engineering.

#### A.9 Any Other Urgent Business

#### Section B

## **B.1** Undergraduate Studies Committee

Draft minutes of meeting of 25 March 2014.

#### **B.2** Graduate Studies Committee

Draft Minutes of:

- (i) 20 February 2014 (revised);
- (ii) 27 March 2014.

#### **B.3** Quality Committee

Draft minutes of meeting of 20 March 2014.

#### **B.4** Research Committee

Draft minutes of meeting of 4 March 2014.

Items in Sections C and D are, in the opinion of the Senior Lecturer/Dean of Undergraduate Studies, of a routine nature and he will propose that they be taken as read and approved on the basis stated. If any member of Council wishes discussion on a particular item, the Senior Lecturer/Dean of Undergraduate Studies asks that his office or the Secretary's office be informed before 5.00 pm on Tuesday.

# Section C (Electronic circulation only)

## C.1 Council Membership 2014-2015

#### (i) Students' Union

to note that the following Faculty representatives had been elected and would serve as members of the University Council in 2014-2015:

- (a) Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences: Ms S Baker;
- (b) Faculty of Engineering, Mathematics and Science:Ms M Kenny;
- (c) Faculty of Health Sciences: Mr A Miller.

#### (ii) Observers - Secretary to the Scholars

to note that Ms A P Worrall had been re-elected as Secretary to the Scholars and would attend Council as an observer in 2014-2015.

## C.2 Higher Degrees—Reports of Examiners

to note and approve the reports of examiners on candidates for higher degrees, approved by the sub-committee of Board and Council on 12 March 2014 and noted by Board on 26 March 2014.

## C.3 Admissions Requirements - Entry Requirements for Dental Science Programme

to note and approve memorandum from Dean of Dental Affairs, dated 1 April 2014.

#### C.4 Head of School of Nursing and Midwifery

to note that the Board had approved the nomination of Professor C Comiskey, Professor in Health Care Research, to the headship of the School of Nursing and Midwifery, 2014-2017. C.5 Head of Discipline - Clinical Speech and Language Studies to note and approve the nomination of Professor I Walsh as Head of Discipline, 2014-2017.

#### C.6 Directors in Schools

to note and approve the following nominations:

- (i) Linguistic, Speech and Communication Sciences
  - (a) Director of Teaching and Learning (Postgraduate): Dr C E Gobl, 2014-2016;
  - (b) Director of Research: Professor L Leeson, 2014-2016.
- (ii) Histories and Humanities
  - (a) Director of Teaching and Learning (Undergraduate):Professor R Moss, 2014-2015;
  - (b) Director of Teaching and Learning (Postgraduate): Professor M Cuypers, 2014-2015;
  - (c) Director of Research: Professor M Ó Siochrú, 2014-2016.
- C.7 Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences Academic Director of the Philosophy, Political Science, Economics and Sociology (PPES) Programme

to note that Professor W Phelan has been nominated to the above post for three years from 1 July 2014.

## C.8 School of Dental Science - Appointments

to note and approve memorandum from the Dean of Dental Affairs, dated 1 April 2014 in respect of Directors and Heads of Divisions.

#### C.9 Concurrent Awards - Ordinary BA

to note and approve memorandum from the Registrar, dated 7 April 2014.

## C.10 Senior Academic Promotions Committee 2013/2014 and Personal Chairs Sub-Committee - Membership

to note and approve memorandum from the Acting Secretary of the Senior Academic Promotions Committee, dated 31 March 2014.

# C.11 Senior Academic Promotions Committee 2013/2014 and Faculty Shortlisting Committees

to note and approve memorandum from the Acting Secretary of the Senior Academic Promotions Committee, dated 31 March 2014.