



Hope Bulletin

News from your Internal Communications team

Academic Framework Project: an update for colleagues

Student communications

Regular updates have been included in the student bulletin to keep students informed about changes to our academic framework. Feedback from colleagues indicates that the project has been well received. If students have any questions, please continue to encourage them to speak with the Gateway team.

The Induction Planning Group has met and is currently agreeing plans for Week 1 teaching and induction week in September 2025.

Staff communications

[The project webpage](#) is fully up to date with all meetings minutes and papers which have been discussed at the project board. As a result of feedback from colleagues, the board will continue to meet throughout the summer period to monitor project progress.

You can continue to submit your questions on the project webpage, where the FAQs will be monitored and updated regularly.

Foundation Year

The approvals event for the new foundation year took place on Friday 23 May. The event was positive and plans are moving forward. The definitive documents have been designed and colleagues are now able to use these.

Definitive documents

The definitive document templates for both the foundation year and undergraduate programmes are accessible on the project webpage. If you have any questions, [please contact Ursula Boote](#).

International arrangements

The Global Centre has begun contacting Schools to request their information on international arrangements. [Please contact Wendy Bignold](#) if you have any questions at this stage.

Documentation Update for Level C

Current progress is as follows:

Form	Status	Return Date
A	All form As have now been received.	n/a
B	All form Bs have now been received.	n/a



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C	The School of Creative and Performing Arts and the Business School have completed the form as a draft, and feedback was provided at the Board meeting. It was agreed that Student Administration will share the form this week, along with a populated example, to assist colleagues in populating the form.	15 July
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Regulations / assessment

Thank you to those colleagues who provided feedback to the Registrar on matters concerning Regulations and Assessments. All documents have now gone onto Academic Committee and will now go to University Senate.

Next deadline

Form C is to be returned to Student Admin by 15 July 2025.

Colleagues are also asked to look ahead and consider the process for gathering information for Levels I and H. It was noted at the Board that many colleagues would prefer to complete Levels I and H at the same time. Please share any feedback with your UEM on this matter.

You may also submit your thoughts using the feedback mechanism available on the project webpage.