

<b>Committee</b>	Board of Management		
<b>Date paper prepared</b>	06/05/2022	<b>Date of committee meeting</b>	11/05/2022
<b>Subject</b>	Code of Conduct		
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<b>Action requested</b>	For Endorsement and Approval		
<b>Purpose of the paper</b>	To endorse and approve the use of the latest code of conduct modelled on the 2021 template Code of Conduct for public bodies released by the Standards Commission for Scotland.		
<b>Brief summary of the paper</b>	The paper is the latest version of the code of conduct being adopted by all public bodies, in line with the latest release from the Standards Commission for Scotland. Versions of it have already been approved by other academic partners at UHI. The board as a whole is requested to endorse the paper and approve it for use at Shetland UHI. Each board member will be asked to approve it individually after the meeting as a matter of housekeeping.		
<b>Consultation</b>	N/A		
<b>Resource implications</b>	None		
<b>Risk implications</b>	Severe reputational risks in not having an updated Code of Conduct. Shetland UHI cannot receive assigned status without the Board's endorsement and approval.		

<b>Link with strategy</b>	Governance
<a href="#">Equality, Diversity and Inclusion</a>	N/A
<b>Island Community Impact</b>	Summarise how any actual or potential (positive or negative) impacts on island communities have been considered in the development of the paper.
<b>Paper status</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Open</b> – The paper may be circulated to non-members of the committee and published online without restriction. <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Restricted</b> – The paper must not be circulated to non-members or published online until after the committee meeting. <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Confidential</b> - The paper must not be circulated beyond the committee members and should not be published online. [Please note papers may still be subject to Freedom of Information requests – see below].
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