UHI SHETLAND

<u>Operational Plan, 2022-23 – Professional Services</u>

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Estates:

Vocational Training:

ICT Service:

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Marketing:

Administration:

Library:

Tertiary Education

Outcome (What we want to achieve)	Method/Action (How we will achieve outcomes)	Performance Indicator (How we will measure our performance)	Responsibility	Resources	Timeframe
To offer high quality training in areas workforce.	relevant to Shetland, meeting the needs	s of employers and supporting the skill	s development of yo	ung people and	d Shetland's
To be the training provider of choice, responding flexibly, promptly, and competently to the training needs of local businesses and individuals.	Student Support: To work with Short Courses to support ASIST training in Shetland; will require training for counsellor.	Offering course; uptake on course	Counsellor/Short Courses	Training / Staff	AY 2022-23
	VT: Apprenticeship positions are discussed with employers and vacancies advertised. New and	Apprentice opportunities are advertised.	VTCs VTAA	Website Shetnews	Dec 22
	existing employers approach Vocational Training for apprenticeship opportunities.	VT conduct discuss new apprenticeship opportunities with businesses.	VTC	Employer pack	
	Administration: Review current admin procedures. Ensure written procedures are in place for all processes and are kept up to date. Ensure procedures meet the requirements of awarding bodies. Implement procedures in both campuses, ensuring a consistent approach across the organisation.	Consistent approach across the organisation will mean enquiries dealt with promptly.	Registry Lead	Current policies & procedures	Ongoing
	Increase admin staff flexibility by ensuring full training is given on all admin/reception tasks. This will enable staff to work across the	Tasks and enquiries are completed promptly and competently.	Registry Lead	UHI training tools In house training sessions	Ongoing

	organisation to cover during busy times or for holidays. Assist staff to develop their CPD plan, by learning more about SUHI, courses on offer, where to find term dates etc, resulting in admin staff answering queries rather than forwarding on	Student feedback	Registry Lead		Ongoing
To provide a high quality, up to date curriculum that is relevant to the needs and aspirations of local individuals and businesses, and which will be attractive to students from outside Shetland.	ICT Service: Maintaining up-to-date software for the academic staff to teach with. Making sure software is fit for purpose for supporting teaching.	Ensuring updates are completed within a suitable timeframe	ICT Service and UHI LIS	UHI and bought in products (Adobe, SAGE, CAD)	Ongoing
	Library: Reviewing, updating and developing library collections to meet course, and research, needs. Making sure students have access to stock on reading lists for modules and units as well as providing a range and breadth of resources for research.	Making sure UHI Libraries cross partnership service level agreements met for inter-site loans and "core" reading list items	Librarian / Library Assistants	Time / Staff / Library book and journal budgets	Ongoing
	Administration: Develop a system where new training enquiries/requests from local businesses/individuals are passed onto the relevant HOD, to enable new courses to be developed through the correct channels, to meet industry needs	New courses developed.	Head of Registry / Depute Principal / Business and Projects Officer	Customer feedback	Ongoing

To provide clear pathways for					
students to follow to employment.					
To work in partnership to expand our	work-based learning courses, internation	onal delivery, and network contribution	s within the UHI pa	rtnership.	
To meet apprenticeship, short course, and other training needs of local employers.	VT: Respond to enquiries from local businesses for apprenticeships in new areas	New businesses take on apprentices as well as repeat customers.	VTCs	VT team	Mar 23
		Contract numbers are filled.	All		
	Administration: Monitor short course waiting list & liaise with HOD to ensure adequate training courses are set throughout the year to meet industry needs	More Short Courses delivered to meet demand.	Registry/Tertiary	Course Booking System (CBS)	Ongoing
To increase the number of students from outside Shetland that study with us.	ICT Service / Marketing: Ensure course directory is up-to-date and concise.	Click throughs on the site; accessibility of applications	ICT Service and UHI LIS	Training / Time	End of AY
	Marketing: Digital marketing leaflets to create a suite of downloadable marketing collateral to focus on targeted specialisms	Downloads and engagement with the targeted marketing leaflets.	Marketing / Curriculum Teams	Time / staff resources	Dec 2022
To increase the number of international and off island students choosing to study at Shetland UHI.	Estates: Port Arthur House renovation underway and supported/project managed by staff	Completion of Port Arthur House renovation	Estates / Vice Principal	Money / Time / Suppliers availability	End of 2022
To expand our range of remote and networked delivery, making training and courses available to students	ICT Service: Staff training and/or facilitating on remote delivery and making sure we have the correct	Student Feedback IT training on semi-annual development days	ICT Service and UHI LIS Brightspace Training	Bespoke training,	Ongoing

outside of Shetland and	equipment to support remote			LinkedIn	
internationally.	delivery			Learning	
				UHI	
				Brightspace	
				User Satisfaction Survey	
	Library: Working with UHI EO (Library staff) and Academic Partner Library staff to provide cross-partnership access to libraries' stock (via intersite and postal loans) and online resources (via EO purchase) to ensure that students, and staff, can access library resources from wherever they are based.	Making sure cross partnership service level agreements met for inter-site loans and "core" reading list items.	Librarian / Library Assistants	Time / Staff / UHI Shetland Library book and journal budgets	Ongoing
	Library: Manage SCONUL Access membership, for UHI Shetland, enabling students, and staff, to access other HEI libraries to support their learning and research.	Manage UHI Shetland students/staff SCONUL Access membership accounts and access arrangements.	Librarian	Time / Staff / UHI SCONUL membership	Ongoing

To be a Destination of Choice, offering the best possible experience for all students in a range of inspiring learning environments.

To provide a vibrant campus that meets the needs of, and inspires, both staff and students.	ICT Service: Review digital signage	Positive staff and student feedback	ICT Service / Marketing	UHI rebrand	End of AY 2022-23
Sour stain and students.	Library: Provide a library at each campus with access to resources and study spaces that inspires and supports academic study and research. Each library provides a range of services and spaces to meet different learning styles and with suitable opening hours to meet demand. Promote services and spaces available during inductions, via the library website etc.	Student / staff feedback	Librarian / Library Assistants	Time / Staff / UHI Shetland Library book and journal budgets	Ongoing
	Estates: Maintaining a well-kept facility	Is the building still in good condition; calendar of maintenance throughout the year to ensure campus is fit for purpose No losses under insurance Vibrant: making sure noticeboards up to date Welcoming arrival & new signage Coffee area/relaxed seating in Briggistanes	Estates team to develop a calendar of maintenance	Maintenance System	Continued 1 year review of calendar maintenance
	Cleaning: Keep campus clean and attractive	Visual; positive student and staff feedback	Cleaning staff	Cleaning equipment	Ongoing for AY

	Canteen: Development of new menu items and offering a wide range of food	More students using Briggistanes, increasing breakfast sales	Canteen staff	Time for planning	AY 2022-23
	Administration: Ensure the reception area, as the first point of contact is inviting with displays of relevant information such as Shetland UHI course information, SQA information and accreditations.	Relevant Shetland UHI & SQA brochures on display Accreditations framed and displayed on wall	Registry	Shetland UHI brochures SQA info	Ongoing
To improve the reputation and awareness of Shetland UHI across a range of student activities.	VT: Vocational training to provide nominations for case studies for successful candidates. Apprentice stories and events are shared to promote interest. Businesses are encouraged to take	Case studies to appear on the website. Nominations for awards to be submitted for appropriate students.	All VTCs		July 23
	part in events such as MA for the Day.	SMEs involved in events and/or willing to have a profile for our marketing.	VTM VTCs		
	Marketing: Programme of Events planned into the calendar to highlight UHI Shetland in a variety of events such as Apprentice Week	Case studies / events / profiles / promotional events	Marketing and Communications Officer	Information about students / alumni	AY 2022-23
	Administration: Ensure a consistent process to monitor student feedback forms that ensures that any issues/problems are identified promptly and highlight to HOD	Positive student feedback forms	Head of Registry	Evaluation forms	Ongoing
To enhance the blended learning experience for students.	ICT Service: Local IT support that complements the UHI IT support.	Positive staff and student feedback	Head of Facilities / VP	ICT Service	Annually / Ongoing

	Fit for purpose VC / seminar spaces.			UHI Unified Comms User Satisfaction Survey	VC review in September / October
	Library: Working with UHI EO (Library staff) and Academic Partner Library staff to provide cross-partnership access to libraries' stock (via intersite and postal loans) and online resources (via EO purchase) to ensure that students can access library resources from wherever they are based.	Making sure cross partnership service level agreements met for inter-site loans and "core" reading list items.	Librarian / Library Assistants	Time / Staff / UHI Shetland Library book and journal budgets	Ongoing
	Library: Maintain Subject Network Librarian role within UHI Shetland	Provide library assistant support to cover backfill hours to enable UHI Shetland librarian to undertake Subject Network Librarian role	Librarian / Library Assistants	UHI funding / time / staff	Ongoing
	Administration: Ensure all admin staff can issue student logins as soon as they enrol	Student/staff feedback	Registry		Ongoing
To offer diverse learning journeys with	h opportunities for progression to help a	 all students to achieve their goals and p	otential.		
To design a curriculum that is sustainable, dynamic and provides a range of progression routes, ensuring	Student Support: Flagging system implemented on registers, so all relevant staff are aware of Priority	Engagement with group from staff and student.	Student Support / Learning Support	Time/Staff	AY 2022-23
all our students realise their potential	groups to allow early intervention	Staff and student feedback			

and to progress on to positive destinations.	and personalised training plans to be followed. UHI Single Policy: Support for Study Procedures Student Support: Defined and systematic exit interview process	Student engagement with intervention and personalised plans Adherence to the Single Policy; procedure to be followed when student's health, wellbeing and/or behaviour is significantly impacting on their ability to progress academically and/or function effectively. Student feedback and student engagement with exit process	Engagement with teaching teams for students who are exiting		AY 2022-23
To expand our range of FE and HE courses where appropriate.	Library: Liaise with academic staff to ensure that UHI Shetland library collections meet the needs of new or developing courses	Student / staff feedback	Librarian / Library Assistants	Time / Staff / UHI Shetland Library book and journal budgets	Ongoing
To engage with alumni as ambassadors of Shetland UHI and as potential future students or staff members.	Library: Continue to provide, and promote, access to UHI Shetland libraries via the UHI Shetland Library's external access membership and UHI Alumni access to online library resources	Monitor external membership numbers.	Librarian / Library Assistants	Time / staff	Ongoing

Research and Knowledge Exchange

governance, and creative practice.

Outcome (What we want to achieve)	Method/Action (How we will achieve outcomes)	Performance Indicator (How we will measure our performance)	Responsibility	Resources	Timeframe
To create a vibrant research environn	nent which builds on our collective stren	gths, supports innovation, and creates	opportunities for	inter-disciplina	ry activity.
To develop a research culture that supports confident and productive research students and staff.	Library: Provide a library at each campus with access to resources and study spaces that inspire and support academic study and research. Each library provides a range of services and spaces to meet different learning styles and with suitable opening hours to meet demand. Promote services and spaces available during inductions, via the library website etc.	Student / staff feedback	Librarian / Library Assistants	Time / Staff / UHI Shetland Library book and journal budgets	Ongoing
To assist students and staff in achieving high quality research outputs and having impactful career pathways.	Library: Promote UHI Shetland Library resources and UHI Online Collections to students and staff via tailored group sessions and one-to- one sessions. Library: Review UHI Online Resource provision via the UHI Libraries' ANARE group meetings.	Feedback; online resource statistics	Librarian	Time / Staff	Ongoing
To strengthen and expand relevant networks.					

To increase income from research				
and knowledge exchange including				
greater engagement in REF.				
To enhance our profile and				
engagement, locally, nationally, and				
internationally.				
To build recognition of the				
knowledge production and creative				
work taking place within Shetland as				
being of international quality and				
relevance.				
To conduct research activity that is				
responsive to industry needs and				
outward looking, and that draws				
from our unique context and culture.				
To develop our postgraduate provision in m	arine and environmental science,	arts, culture and the creative economy,	and heritage.	
To have a wider range and greater				
opportunity for postgraduate training				
and research within Shetland.				
To promote Shetland as an ideal				
centre in which to engage in	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
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To ensure effective communication			
of research and knowledge exchange			
to a wide range of stakeholders.			

Engagement

Outcome (What we want to achieve)	Method/Action (How we will achieve outcomes)	Performance Indicator (How we will measure our performance)	Responsibility	Resources	Timeframe
To sit at the centre of the Shetlar	d community and build on our positiv	e relationships with local schools, bu	sinesses, and the com	munity.	
To proactively manage engagement with local organisations, enhancing and expanding partnership programmes with key	Library: Maintain links with the Shetland Library service and attend the Shetland Information Forum.	Staff / student feedback	Librarian	Staff / Time	Ongoing
stakeholders including schools and other agencies throughout Shetland.	VT: Engage with Partner Bodies DYW, Junior High/ Schools and parents, Careers Service, Through	Meetings/presentations take place with each of the groups identified.	VTM, VTCs	Shared presentations, marketing	Feb 23
	Care After Care, SIC, Bridges Service, Moving On, Project Search and groups representing minorities	Staff from the services/Individuals from groups are more aware of apprenticeship routes.	VTM, VTCs	resources	
	Promote apprenticeships for all message	Where appropriate, clients from the groups are encouraged to apply for apprenticeship opportunities.	All		
		MA for the Day event organised to promote apprenticeships and gender diversity	VTM	SDS Equalities Team	Dec 22
	Administration: Be first point of contact for schools re SFW & Academy programmes, answering their queries, and passing onto relevant HOD where necessary to	Feedback from school staff	Registry / Tertiary		Ongoing

	continue building good relationships				
To increase the two-way flow of knowledge and insight between Shetland UHI and the wider community and communicate consistently to raise local awareness of the work carried out within Shetland UHI.	Library: Continue to develop the UHI Shetland Library web guide (Libguide) to promote services and resources available. Liaise with Marketing team, where appropriate, to promote library services and resources via social media	Staff / student feedback	Librarian / Library Assistants	Staff / Time	Ongoing
	VT: Effective and consistent marketing of the service using social media/website and local press to engage new employers/apprentices. Improve the visibility of Vocational Service and ensure that apprentices and employers know how to find us.	Frequent and regular communications regarding apprenticeships appear on Shetland UHI social media. Number of enquiries via phone and e-mail increase post-merger.	VTM VTCs VTA VTA to monitor	Marketing team Website Providing content and GDPR approved success stories with Communications	July 23
To actively involve the community in our research activity and seek for that activity to generate benefit for Shetland.					
To increase community access and use of the Shetland UHI facilities.	ICT Service: Guest PC access and Wi-Fi availability	Usage of wifi	ICT	Time and training availability	AY 2022-23

	Library: Continue to provide, and promote, continued access to UHI Shetland libraries via external access membership and UHI Alumni access to online library resources Estates: Post Covid – hold more events for the public to see the College in person. In conjunction with marketing Regular review of insurance and shared booking and price list Training required for front facing staff (reception/marketing) to	Monitor external membership numbers. Increasing number of events and hires Compliance and risk assessments for events Completion of training for staff	Librarian / Library Assistants Vice Principal / Head of Facilities / Head of Registry / Head of Student Experience	Staff / Time Time	Ongoing AY 2022-23
To have accessible, equitable and To build on our existing student support systems to offer excellent tailored support for any student who needs it.	inclusive opportunities for students, ICT Service: Continued access to local ICT support with clear channels of communication and feedback (making sure students know how to get support locally)	with excellent resources and support Student feedback Staff feedback	available to assist stud	Connecting with HISA Digital signage Social medias Induction User Satisfaction Survey	Continuous with emphasis on new starts (Aug/Sept/Feb)

	Library: Promote UHI Shetland Library resources and UHI Online Resources to students and staff via tailored group sessions and one- to-one sessions.	Feedback	Librarian	Time / Staff	Ongoing
	Student Support: Longitudinal Induction to support and engage with students in a weekly session to flesh out induction themes and underline the support available.	Increased engagement with students over a longer period to support them with a wide variety of community and college support and issues	Student Support Team	Staffing / Timetabling	Dec 2022
	VT: Raise awareness of support available to apprentices	Apprentices have access to support services through UHI, including a Shetland UHI account.	VTM	Registry, Student Support, ICT	Oct 22
	Provide information on counselling support and student services available	Apprentices are made aware of support including counselling and remote support. VTCs refer apprentices to services as appropriate.	VTCs	Student services	Jan 23
	HR&OD: To embed our wellbeing strategy with opportunities for staff training, awareness raising, and resilience training to ensure our staff are able to support students and colleagues appropriately and confidently.	Training attendance numbers; staff survey engagement, stress indicators.	HR&OD Lead, Vice Principal	Training budget, staff time	June 2023
To ensure that our student journey from enquiry to course	Library: Promote accessibility features of UHI Online Resources	Feedback	Librarian	Time / Staff	Ongoing

completion is accessible and inclusive.	to students and staff via tailored group sessions and one-to-one sessions. Student Support: Opportunity to meet with all applicants prior to enrolment to ensure any measures that need to be in place prior to the course starting are confirmed.	Engagement with group from staff and student. Staff and student feedback	Student Support/ BC	Time / Staff / Training on Target Connect	AY 2022-23
	Have planned sessions during and post-induction to meet with all classes and provide links to relevant information on website. Encourage contact at any time, open door policy when possible. Implement secure data management system (i.e. Target Connect) to allow better sharing of information with relevant staff. This will streamline the existing systems and allow quicker responses. Continue to provide all relevant training opportunities identified by staff. Staff membership of all relevant UHI and other student groups is essential for information sharing, advice and support.	Student engagement with intervention and personalised plans Adherence to the Single Policy; procedure to be followed when student's health, wellbeing and/or behaviour is significantly impacting on their ability to progress academically and/or function effectively. Student feedback and student engagement with exit process	Engagement with teaching teams for students who are exiting		

	VT: Gather information on apprentices learning needs at the initial interview /induction stage Apprentices encouraged to declare if care experienced at induction	ILPs or Referrals to appropriate support in place for students facing barriers.	VTM, VTCs	Student support officer, external agencies (e.g. Moving On)	Mar 23
	Marketing: Customer relations action plan incorporating 'keeping warm' at point of enquiry	Increasing conversion from enquiry to student/enrolment	Marketing and Communications Officer / Vice Principal / Head of Student Experience / Curriculum Teams / Student Support	Time / engagement in a timely manner	AY 2022-23
	Administration: SITS training for all admin staff to ensure the software is utilised, and using all features practically to maximise time management, resulting in a better journey for students	Student/staff feedback & Team meetings	Registry	Training from UHI	Ongoing
	Review and update application and enrolment procedure to ensure this is straightforward for students	Students starting at SFW level and continuing through all programmes until their education is complete & returning students	Registry/Student support/Tertiary	Paperless/SITS	Ongoing
To celebrate individual and organisational achievements and foster a sense of institutional pride.	Library: Promote accessibility features of UHI Online Resources to students and staff via tailored group sessions and one-to-one sessions.	Feedback	Librarian	Time / Staff	Ongoing

	Marketing Annual Graduation Ceremonies. Annual Prizegiving Ceremonies. Student Support staff will encourage students to attend at every opportunity including induction. Utilise the expertise of the UHI Marketing and Comms Team and the UHI Graduation Group.	Good communication via website, press releases and social media with consistent "house style" professionally prepared and widely distributed. Encourage staff to share social media posts. Encourage staff who are on LinkedIn to share relevant information.	Marketing / Curriculum Teams / Student Support	Staff time / money for event	August 2023
To provide opportunities for our s	tudents to grow academically and pe	rsonally, and to acquire skills and kno	wledge.		,
To work closely with HISA and other student groups to provide engagement, activities and support that suit the requirements of the Shetland UHI learners.	Library: Help promote HISA activities and opportunities, in the Library, as appropriate.		Librarian / Library Assistants	Time / staff	Ongoing
To promote and enable cross curriculum learning and development.	Library: Promote UHI Shetland Library resources and UHI Online Collections to students and staff via tailored group sessions and one-to-one sessions.	Feedback	Librarian	Time / Staff	Ongoing
To value, encourage and invest in	our staff; support their professional (development; and promote collabora	tive working with inte	rnal and external co	lleagues.
To provide opportunities for learning and reflection and support for continuing professional development and training.	ICT Service: Training offered on development days for ICT. Support for new staff.	Staff feedback	ICT Service	ICT Service User Satisfaction Survey	Ongoing Reviewed annually

Library: Working with UHI EO (Library staff) and Academic Partner Library staff to provide cross-partnership access to libraries' stock (via inter-site and	Making sure cross partnership service level agreements met for inter-site loans and "core" reading list items.	Librarian / Library Assistants	Post-training feedback Time / Staff / UHI Shetland Library book and journal budgets	Ongoing
postal loans) and online resources (via EO purchase) to ensure that students, and staff, can access library resources from wherever they are based. Library: Manage SCONUL Access membership, for UHI Shetland, enabling students, and staff, to access other HEI libraries to support their learning and research.	Manage UHI Shetland students/staff SCONUL Access membership accounts and access arrangements.	Librarian	Time / Staff / UHI SCONUL membership	Ongoing
Estates: Training offered (as part of Development Days and beyond) on GDPR, Peninsula training, DSE training and Manual Handling through Peninsula. H&S training or other also through Peninsula. GDPR Refresher Training	Staff completing the training	AS HR / OD	Peninsula/ UHI Training	AY 2022-23
VT: Annual PRD Meetings with Line Manager -Personal	All PRD sessions completed.			

Development Plan set for year	Training requests are submitted,	VTM		Mar 23
highlighting training and	staff attend appropriate		HR, Shetland	
development needs	development courses.	VTM, all staff	UHI forms	
Staff encouraged to attend				
development sessions and record	Staff development sessions			
the training.	recorded by staff and as part of			
Support and Supervision sessions	PRD.	All staff		
with Line Manager				
Regular online Staff Training				
encouraged e.g. Entlearn				
HR&OD: To continue to support	Through qualitative feedback on			
line managers to use our PDR	Through qualitative feedback on PRD process and collating training	HR&OD Lead, SMG,	Staff time,	
process effectively and	events our staff engage in	Line Managers,	Access to	(ongoing)
successfully with focus on staff	centrally, and reporting on	Cross College Lead	training budget	(6868)
development, and create a cross	engagement.		0 11 0 1	
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development to ensure we deliver				
on our requirements				
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HR&OD: to enhance our existing	Employee Data System.	UDS OD Land CMC	Davidania	Luca 2022
Employee Data System to capture key information centrally, enabling	Employee Butu System.	HR&OD Lead, SMG, Research colleagues,	Development	June 2023
Shetland UHI to be agile in		business	time, potential software	
responding to business needs		development	development	
through maximising and/or		colleagues	costs (Breathe	
enhancing skills of existing staff		concagaes	HR licence)	
and to ensure this information				
corelates and is accessible to				
Business Development activity.				
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HR&OD: Research and develop a	sessions with managers to get their	LIDO OD Land CMC	Development	January 2022
line manager development	input and identify needs and	HR&OD Lead, SMG,	time, potential	January 2023
programme to ensure line	<u>'</u>	Line managers	trainer costs	

	managers have the tools required to manage their teams and the changes faced as part of our restructure	expectations. Research delivery options, explore UHI support			
	Marketing: Offer a programme of 'Lunch and Learn' for board and staff about marketing and promotion alongside the Communications Guide	Engagement with staff; increased engagement with marketing	Marketing and Communications Officer/ Vice Principal	Staff time	January 2023
	Administration: Training for all admin staff on all admin processes to maintain a consistent approach which will ensure good customer service	Staff/student feedback	Head of Registry		Ongoing
To encourage staff to engage in networking activities and engagement with external	Vocational Training: Training opportunities with SDS undertaken	Staff to complete appropriate modules on Entlearn	All staff	Training resources	July 23
organisations such as regulatory, professional and awarding bodies.	Staff to engage with UHI training such as staff development conferences.	Staff participate in UHI training such as annual Development Days and other mandatory training via UHI/Breathe/Peninsula	All staff	Ent Learn	
		Training sessions recorded by staff.	All staff		
To actively encourage staff to engage with their external and internal colleagues.	ICT Service: Promotion of Teams / Yammer hubs for internal (UHI- wide) chat and knowledge sharing	Increased use of SharePoint and Teams with useful documents accessible by all	ICT / Registry / HR staff	Time / Staff	December 2022
	ICT Service: Revamped SharePoint for Shetland UHI				

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	VT: Staff can take the	Staff represented in Shetland UHI	VTM	Shetland UHI	July 23
	opportunities to be involved in	committees and training/events.		teams	
	work involving different				
	departments across the	Liaison meetings occur with	VTM		
	organisation including	different sections. Non VT staff			
	committees, training and events	invited to attend team meetings.			
	such as graduation.				
	Liaison to occur with members	Staff represented on	VTM		
	from different staff groups to	committees/groups involving			
	improve relationships and	external stakeholders.			
	awareness, e.g. regular assessor				
	meetings, non VT staff to attend				
	staff meetings.				
	Staff are involved in committees				
	and working groups involving				
	internal and external partners.				
	HR&OD: Support staff to access				
	networking opportunities both	Through centrally logging	HR&OD Lead, SMG.	Staff time to	(Ongoing)
	virtual and in-person, that	events/opportunities attended by	,	attend events,	, , ,
	promote collaborative working	our staff.		training budget	
	and learning opportunities.			0 11 0 1	
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To create formal and informal	Library: Provide a library at each	Student / staff feedback	Librarian / Library	Time / Staff /	Ongoing
structures that support	campus with access to resources		Assistants	UHI Shetland	
scholarship for staff and students	and study spaces that inspire and			Library book and	
and promote collaboration.	support academic study and			journal budgets	
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	range of services and spaces to				
	meet different learning styles and				
	with suitable opening hours to				
	meet demand. Promote services				
	and spaces available during				
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inductions, via the library website		
etc.		

Enterprise

Outcome (What we want to achieve)	Method/Action (How we will achieve outcomes)	Performance Indicator (How we will measure our performance)	Responsibility	Resources	Timeframe
To be financially sustainable and dem	onstrate financial growth.				
To consistently practice sound financial management.	ICT Service: Make use of framework suppliers	Engagement with framework suppliers for any new equipment purchases	ICT / Head of Facilities	Costs	AY 2022-23
	Canteen: Expansion of hot roll orders for local companies; engage with Marketing to email local companies to make them aware of this service	Increased sales	Canteen staff	Staff time	AY 2022-23
To be commercially aware considering the potential in the work that is carried out to maximise	ICT Service: Guest PC access and Wi- Fi availability	Increased logins and usage	ICT Staff	Staff / Training	AY 2022-23
income from new and existing activities, and increased use of college facilities.	VT: Vocational will use Shetland UHI first for the training part of apprenticeships.	Review to see what training opportunities can be delivered internally.	VTCs, VTM		July 23
	Apprenticeships are considered in relation to cost and benefit to Shetland. Employers are made aware of any financial contributions before they are undertaken.	New apprenticeship opportunities need to be costed and presented to QIC.	VTM, VTCs		
	An admin fee is charged to employers for the service.	A review of the admin fee that is charged is undertaken to ensure consistency across the organisation.	VTM, VTA		
	Cleaning & Estates: Port Arthur House will require cleaning on a	Regular cleaning schedule and deep cleaning when required	Cleaning staff / Head of	Staff	

	regular basis when students are in residence		Facilities / Head of Student Experience		AY 2022-23 / Opening of PAH
	Administration: All admin staff to submit invoice requests (where relevant) as soon as expenditure is committed	Feedback from finance & cashflow	Registry/Finance		Ongoing
To encourage and facilitate staff and student engagement in financial sustainability.					
To minimise expenditure and increase our annual turnover.	ICT Service: Make use of framework suppliers and UHI-wide licencing models, where appropriate. Make effective use of the ICT Infrastructure and ensure it meets the needs of the organisation.	Engagement with framework suppliers for any new equipment purchases. Engage with UHI-wide licencing for economies of scale	ICT/ UHI ICT	Timing/Money	AY 2022-23
	Estates: Creation of shared equipment list which staff can use in repairs and general maintenance	Reduction in costs for equipment purchased across the campuses	Estates & Facilities Technicians / Head of Facilities	Staff	AY 2022-23
	Estates: Engagement with Business and Projects Officer for major capital expenditure i.e. new flashings and windows for Lerwick Campus, with a priority for meeting Net Zero aims	Upkeep of the estates; ageing windows and flashings and sidings at end of life.	Vice Principal / Head of Facilities / Business and Projects Officer	Availability of capital spending / tradespeople to undertake the work required	AY 2022-23

	Cleaning: Options appraisal for costs of cleaning with staff versus external cleaning staff as there are both services in operation across the campuses.	Options appraisal based on costings and responsibilities for cost savings when cleaning the campus	Vice Principal / Head of Finance	Staffing / Money	Easter 2023
	Administration: Establish a process to monitor minimum numbers on short courses & limit the number of staff attending. Do not run if minimum number is not met with external students, unless necessary for operational purposes (i.e., staff First Aid Certificate expired)	No courses going ahead where min number not met	Registry	CBS	Ongoing
To carry out research to inform, facili	tate and support Enterprise.				
To carry out research to inform public policy on Shetland's economy and industries, and to support local businesses.					
To inspire, encourage, and support st Enterprise.	udents, staff, and businesses to develop	o the knowledge, skills, and motivation	they need to realis	e their potential	through
To embed Enterprise in the curriculum and offer Enterprise-related training.					
To support staff and students in identifying and developing business opportunities.	Library: Promote UHI Shetland Library resources and UHI Online Collections to students and staff via tailored group sessions and one-to- one sessions.	Feedback	Librarian	Time / Staff	Ongoing
To encourage enterprise related use of Shetland UHI facilities.	ICT Service: Guest PC access and Wi- Fi availability	Increased logins and usage	ICT Staff	Staff / Training	AY 2022-23

To minimise the environmental impact of Shetland UHI activities.	ICT Service: Ensure ICT facilities are energy efficient and use device policies to minimise carbon footprint	Reduction in energy use as per CCCPB	ICT Service Sustainability /		Ongoing
			Estates		
	Library: Work with external organisations / charities, such as Better World, to ensure that withdrawn print resources are reused or recycled.	Increased number of resources sent for re-use.	Librarian / Library Assistants	Time / Staff	Ongoing
	Estates: To investigate district heating supply for the Lerwick Campus	Information about district heating and whether it is possible to make the move.	Estates Technician / Head of Facilities / BH	Funding / Capacity	AY 2022-23
	Canteen: Reduction in food waste via cook to order items, and greater use of the vending machines for fresh	Reduction in food waste	Canteen staff	Staff planning / engagement with students	AY 2022-23
	and popular items (such as salad boxes) Canteen: Increased use of Celcat to plan catering need in a particular week (short courses / increased students on campus)	Reduction in food waste	Canteen staff	Staff training with ICT on how to use Celcat	October 2022
	Administration: To develop new admin procedures to cut down on unnecessary printing and look at paperless systems where practical	Less paper ordered and used	Registry		Ongoing

To ensure that United Nations Sustainable Development Goals are addressed within curricula and extracurricular activities.					
To expand the range of education and research opportunities that we offer to support sustainable and environmentally conscious industries.	Library: Reviewing, updating and developing library collections to meet course, and research, needs. Making sure students have access to stock on reading lists for modules and units as well as providing a range and breadth of resources for research.	Making sure UHI Libraries cross partnership service level agreements met for inter-site loans and "core" reading list items	Librarian / Library Assistants	Time / Staff / Library book and journal budgets	Ongoing