

HARPER ADAMS UNIVERSITY

Board of Governors

Summary Report on the Business of Academic Board

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the new guidance from the Office for Students (OfS) indicated that there was no fundamental change for 2019-20, although there was a planned reform for 2020-21 onwards, to be determined in the latter part of 2018.

The Board noted that the Access Agreement would be replaced by an Access and Participation Plan for 2019-20 onwards. A condition of OfS registration and access to both the teaching grant and designation of annual course monitoring.

The Board noted that the Quality and Standards Committee had re Adams University and its partners, and that quality of learning opportunit and that academic standards set at the appropriate level.

The Board noted that the Learning, Teaching and Student Experience difference in academic achievement between male and female studen cause had as yet been identified to explain the under-performance se

5. The Board received and approved the annual monitoring report for Re

The Board noted that the drop in student registrations was a conce

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6. The Board received the action plan for taught postgraduate provision.

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7. The Board received a snapshot of the live Learning, Teaching and Student Experience Strategy spreadsheet which tracks performance against agreed indicators.

The Board agreed that a schedule would be developed by the LTSEC to outline the steps, including

The Board endorsed the recommendation of PAC at its meeting held on 2nd March 2018 to grant full Development Approval to deliver the following proposed postgraduate programmes from September 2018:

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The Board noted that there was a query regarding the start date of the courses listed above which may be delayed beyond September 2018. This would be confirmed at the next meeting of the University Executive [post-meeting note: was delayed to September 2019].

The Board noted and endorsed the approval granted by PAC at its meeting held on 16th January 2018 of revisions to Year 2 and Year 3 (both undertaken at Harper Adams) of the BSc/BSc (Hons) International Agri-food Marketing and Supply Chain Management (with Huazhong Agricultural University), for implementation