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Student Partnership

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TQEF Principles



Excellence in learning,
teaching & assessment



Enhancement & Quality Culture

Supporting student
success



Students at
the heart



Externality



Student engagement
& partnership



Data & evidence



Feature of Good Practice (1)



Response to the 2023 cyber-attack demonstrated a highly student-led and strategically coordinated approach to crisis management.

The strategic and data-informed approach to portfolio sustainability and responsiveness is relevant, aligned with industry, and meets students' and societal needs.

The consistent and embedded approach to work-related learning results in satisfied students who recognise its relevance, applicability, and role in developing essential employability skills.

Feature of Good Practice (2)



The strategically embedded and impactful culture of professional development for teaching and student-facing staff enhances practice service delivery and evidences a commitment to continuous enhancement of the student experience.

The systematic and collaborative approach to supporting student success delivering early intervention for students at risk and informing curriculum development to improve retention

The strategic and effective approach to the use of data for enhancement impactfully informs assurance and enhancements of learning, teaching, assessment and the wider student experience.

Recommendations for Action



The University should review its approach to student communication ensuring that there is a consistent and coordinated approach across academic programmes, professional services and the institution as a whole to ensure clear, effective, and consistent messaging to students.

The University, in partnership with the Students' Union, should continue to work to enhance the engagement and support for student representatives, including improved uptake of student representative training, and enhancing representation at Divisional level

The University, in partnership with the Students' Union should, building upon a clearly effective and strong foundation of student voice, continue to champion a culture of partnership working with students at all levels of the University.