

Terms of Reference of the UoR Development Research Steering Group

Purpose:

To oversee the development and delivery of the UoR Institutional Strategy for Development Research.

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- 1. Support the research community in the university to engage effectively with development-related research funding opportunities, with an emphasis on UKRI's Global Challenge Research Fund (GCRF) and other major ODA-related funding streams.
- 2. For large funding opportunities, provide guidance and oversight in the development of proposals, including facilitation of research collaboration and internal review of proposals.
- 3. Facilitate UoR's strategic engagement with the major funders of development-related research (e.g. UKRI, DFID/FCO, Wellcome Trust).
- 4. Oversee the investment, management, and evaluation of UoR's Research England GCRF strategic funding.
- 5. Monitor the delivery of UoR's Institutional Strategy for Development Research.
- 6. Develop the UoR Institutional Strategy for Development Research.

Meeting termly

Membership

Research Dean (Chair) - Phil Newton (Research Dean, Environment)

External member – Alan Thorpe

Research Dean – Adrian Bell (Research Dean, Prosperity & Resilience)

Research Division Leader, Global Development - Alex Arnall (SAPD)

Senior Research Development Manager – Charlotte Johnson

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Heritage & Creativity perspective – Tony Capstick (English Language and Applied Linguistics)

Food & Health perspective – Al Edwards (Pharmacy)

SAPD perspective - Liz Robinson (SAPD)

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