

APPENDIX TO MINUTE 122

Institutional Principles

Recruitment, Retention and Access

The University of Aberdeen aims to maintain and increase recruitment and retention of students of the highest calibre at both undergraduate and postgraduate level, through development of courses that take account of market demands, through provision of excellent student support and facilities, and by providing increasing choice and flexibility in delivery to offer further opportunities for wider access.

Teaching and Learning

The University will maintain and continue to develop approaches to delivering high quality teaching and learning which embrace the diversity of requirements and needs of the student population, including developing income generating training programmes for external customers.

Research Excellence and Commercialisation

The University will continue to develop excellence in research, by investing in internationally successful staff and promoting a research culture where excellence is supported. The University will fully exploit its research and thereby contribute to the knowledge economy to both the local and national advantage.

Effective Governance

The University will continue to strive to be a well-managed institution ensuring compliance with published good practice benchmarks.

Organisation and Management

The University will continue to improve the use of its resources to achieve its strategic objectives as efficiently and effectively as possible, through developing management systems which are both flexible and transparent, and operating within a financial framework appropriate to a financially well-managed institution.

Developing Links with the Community

The University will seek to enhance its position as the major institution of higher education in the North of Scotland and to develop its role as a local, regional and national cultural centre to benefit both the academic and the local and regional communities.

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RESOLUTION NO 219 OF 2000 [CREATION OF A FACULTY OF EDUCATION]

After consultation with the Senatus Academicus, the University Court, at its meeting on 8 February 2000 passed the following Resolution:

1. There shall be in addition to the four faculties specified in University Court Resolution No. 178 of 1995 a fifth Faculty, viz; the Faculty of Education. The composition and structure of this Faculty shall be the same as those set out in the University Court Resolution 129 of 1988, as amended by Resolution 195 of 1996.
2. This Resolution shall come into force from and after the date on which the Aberdeen campus of Northern College is vested in the University of Aberdeen.