

Terms of Reference

University Executive Team

Delegated Authority and Purpose	To be the executive body with ultimate decision-making authority for the University in the areas of responsibility assigned to the Vice-Chancellor under articles 4.2 (a-f) in the Articles of Government for Bournemouth University.			
Main Responsibilities	 To develop the strategy for the University and assure the Board of its delivery. To set the boundaries for strategic development and the framework for operational delivery. To set the agenda for the University. To determine process, priorities and cultural tone. To monitor progress and manage performance. To manage risk and undertake horizon-scanning, considering the wider context for the University's strategy, and overseeing and ensuring compliance with regulatory requirements. To approve the use of contingency funding and significant material variations to the in-cycle budget. To represent the University externally, taking the lead on external engagement across BU to support the strategy 			
Engagement and Participation	 Subject to considerations of confidentiality and, where appropriate, approval of communications plans by ULT: It is the responsibility of the Committee to consider and plan for appropriate communication of its work, working with M&C where appropriate. It is the responsibility of the Committee and its members to ensure engagement with stakeholders from across BU to support the responsibilities of the Committee and in particular with ULT, Senate and Faculty committees as appropriate. 			
Duration	Permanent			
Chair	Vice-Chancellor			
Deputy Chair	Deputy Vice-Chancellor			
Support	OVC			
Membership	 Vice-Chancellor Deputy Vice-Chancellor Chief Operating Officer Finance Director No substitutes are permitted. The Chair may invite others to attend as appropriate. 			
Quorum	50% plus 1, either in person or by distance communication			
Frequency	Usually weekly			
Reporting Line	N/A			
Records of meetings	Minutes will be prepared and will be available here https://newintranetsp.bournemouth.ac.uk/Committees/default.aspx			

Sub-committees	University Leadership Team
Publication of papers	Meeting papers are not routinely published
Notes	ToR and membership will be reviewed annually

Committee use only:

UET approval date:	11 th November 2019	Notes:	
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