Minutes of Meeting

BOARD OF STUDIES FOR THE FACULTY OF SCIENCE

Place: Council Chamber
Date: Wednesday 21 May 2014 at 14:15

Present
Professor D M Bird  Dean of Science (Chair)
Professor S J Bending  Head of Department of Physics
Mr S Burfiend  Students’ Union (SU) Sabbatical Officer (Activities)
Dr H R Corradi  Department of Biology and Biochemistry
Professor A Dooley  Deputy Head of Department of Mathematical Sciences
(alternate for Professor I G Graham)
Dr J Doughty  Department of Biology and Biochemistry
Dr G Mathlin  Department of Physics
Professor E O’Neill  Head of Department of Computer Science
Dr J Power  Department of Computer Science
Dr S J Roser  Chair of the Natural Sciences Programmes Committee
Dr H Schvetlick  Department of Mathematical Sciences
Dr D A Taylor  Department of Pharmacy and Pharmacology (alternate for
Professor S G Ward)
Dr N B J Vollaard  Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences
Professor S G Ward  Head of Department of Pharmacy and Pharmacology
Professor I Williams  Department of Chemistry (alternate for Dr A D Burrows)
Professor S Wonnacott  Associate Dean (Graduate Studies)

In attendance
Mrs M Hallett  Faculty of Science (Secretary)
Ms A L Harper  Faculty of Science (Observer)

Apologies
Mr D J Bence  School of Management
Professor C Bowen  Faculty of Engineering and Design
Dr A D Burrows  Department of Chemistry
Ms S Chordekar  Postgraduate taught student representative
Ms E Cradduck  Postgraduate research student representative
Professor M G Davidson  Head of Department of Chemistry
Dr M A Freitag  Department of Mathematical Sciences
Professor I G Graham  Head of Department of Mathematical Sciences
Mr A Hayes  Associate Dean (Learning and Teaching), Department of
Computer Science
Professor R S G Jones  Department of Pharmacy and Pharmacology
Professor J C Knight  Associate Dean (Research)
Miss R McMahon  Department of Computer Science (undergraduate student
representative)
Professor R J Scott  Head of Department of Biology and Biochemistry
Ms M Woodward  Learning Partnerships Office

5756 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING
The Board approved the minutes of the meeting held on 16 April 2014 (Paper 218) and
there were no matters arising.

5757  **CHAIR’S BUSINESS**

The Chair brought to the attention of the Board the following matters:

1. University teaching awards 2014:
   - Dr Christine Edmead, Department of Pharmacy and Pharmacology, won the Mary Tasker Award to recognise excellence in teaching.
   - Dr Peter Mosley, Department of Physics, won the John Willis Award to recognise accomplishment in research combined with a significant contribution to teaching including pastoral support for students and PhD supervision.
   - Dr Jane White, Department of Mathematical Sciences, won the Leadership in Learning and Teaching Award.

2. Excellence in Doctoral Supervision Prize 2014:
   - Professor Michael Danson, Department of Biology and Biochemistry, won the University’s Excellence in Doctoral Supervision Prize 2014.

3. Ede and Ravenscroft Prize 2014:
   - Ed Carter (PhD student), Department of Pharmacy and Pharmacology, won the Ede and Ravenscroft Prize 2014 to recognise the University’s best research student. The Board noted that one of the other four finalists for this award was from the Faculty (Department of Biology and Biochemistry).

4. Chancellor's Prize 2014:
   - Cristina Dumitru, Department of Pharmacy and Pharmacology, won the Chancellor’s Prize 2014 for the best undergraduate student.

5. Bath BP Centurion Award 2014:
   - Jodi Walsh (Department of Physics) and Eleanor Mitchell (Department of Computer Science) won the Bath BP Centurion Award 2014 for academic excellence and contribution to the life, academic reputation and general work of the University.