

Summary of the University Committee for Research and Innovation meeting (UCRI) held on 22 April 25

Please see below a brief summary of the main topics of discussion at the recent meeting of UCRI:

Main topics of interest:

At this meeting we:

- Approved a request for 3 years of RDF funding to support an Impact Development Officer for REF 2029.
- Considered and approved a proposal to streamline the research committee structure by reducing the number of committees and moving strategic projects and business-as-usual into working groups or time limited activity. The new structure will take effect as of September 2025.

In other news we:

- Discussed the structure for a research cost recovery session which will be delivered at the RDL/IDRC meeting in May.