

Summary of the University Committee for Research and Innovation meeting (UCRI) held on 20 May 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:

- Considered and commented on the DTS Digital Strategy, acknowledging that the fast pace of the sector required an agile process. We noted the urgency for clear guidance on AI. Next steps will include consideration of the accountability process and how this will operate.
- Discussed options to support sustainability and climate change research and decided that our preference was to use investment funds to establish a flagship interdisciplinary entity.

In other news we:

- Approved the proposed adjustments to the HBS Research Division targets 2022 to 2027, following the recent reshaping.
- Reviewed completed RDF Open Call projects which highlighted some impressive achievements, interesting work and good outputs.