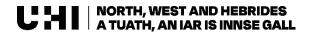


Committee		UHI North, West and Hebrides Board of Management, Learning, Teaching and Research Committee			
Subject	NWH Research and Knowledge Exchange Quarterly Report				
	September 2024 – November 2024				
Action requested	X For information only				
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	☐ For re	ecommendation			
	□ For	endorsement			
	☐ For approval				
Summary of the paper	an upda be comp and dive across th	The NWH Research and Knowledge Exchange Quarterly Report provides an update on Research and KE activity across NWH. It is not intended to be comprehensive; but rather give a representative picture of the range and diversity of research and knowledge exchange being undertaken across the institution while highlighting initiatives, outputs and impacts where appropriate.			
	i.e., to a	The same report is circulated to several groups and interested parties i.e., to act as a 'single point of truth' that can be used and shared with confidence. The report is be circulated to:			
		 NWH Research and Known NWH Communication to NWH Executive NWH Highland Board of UHI Dean of Research and NWH Executive 	Management		
	and miti	This approach has been developed to ensure consistency, transparency and mitigate reporting burden (i.e. avoiding the production of several different reports for different audiences) in a manner that enables robust monitoring of metrics (for NWH, UHI and REF).			
		Certain sections of the report are relevant to Committees of the NWH Highland Board of Management. These are as follows:			
		 Finance and General purposes Committee Activity Reports and Outputs Learning Teaching and Research Committee - Research and KE funding applications 			
	-	The report is produced on a quarterly basis to enable KPIs to be monitored according to the following schedule:			
		Period covered	Circulation		
		September to November	December		
		December – February	March		
		March - May	June		
		June – August	September		



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Resource implications	N/A		
Risk implications	No		
Date paper prepared	Circulated to ELT December 2024		
Date of Board / Committee meeting	Various		
Author	Prof Stuart Gibb and Barbara Bremner with contributions from all NWH Research and KE team		
Link with strategy	Research (and KE) one of the pillars of the NWH strategy		
Please highlight how the paper links to the Strategic Plan			
Island communities	The rural and islands college merger may have an impact on the Western Isles and islands covered by West Highland College that is different to other communities. As part of the merger process, the University will undertake an Island Communities Impact Assessment.		
Status (e.g., confidential, non-confidential)	Non confidential		
Freedom of information	Yes		
Consultation How has consultation with partners been conducted?	ion with partners NWH; with NWH Research and KE Committee and with the Chair of		

Recommendation - For information