

Board of Management

Learning & Teaching Committee

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1 Recommendation

The Learning and Teaching Committee is asked to discuss the contents of this report.

2 Purpose of Report

The purpose of this report is to provide an update on activity within the faculties at the City of Glasgow College.

3 Education and Humanities

3.1 Social Sciences and Trade Union Education Centre

On the back of a recent trade union education collaboration with the Trades Union of Ireland (TUI), we delivered the first stage of a 'Train the Trainers' course for the TUI. This successful partnership has led to the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) agreement between the Trade Union Education centre, the College and the TUI. The MOU was signed here at the College on 12th June by Principal Paul Little, TUI President Seamus Lahart and the TUI General Secretary John MacGabhann. This will secure the continued growth of TUI course development around union representative training and e-learning development.

Trade union education have been working closely with the Educational Institute of Scotland (EIS) to continue with development of their online union representatives' programme. It was agreed to develop and run a number of bespoke courses.

EIS Mental Health Awareness course in Shetland will cover all aspects of mental health awareness. This is a pilot and the first time anything like this has been delivered in a blended format for the Shetlands.

EIS Diploma in Employment Law, which is an EIS version of the TUC core course over 18 months and an EIS Diploma Union Learning Representatives course, which again is another pilot.

Social sciences staff have been working closely with our supported study transitions team to assist their students to access social science pathways. The team are delighted to report that they welcomed 7 students from transitions onto the Access and NC Social Science programmes, which was supported by the transitions tutor Jacqui George. As a result, 2 students are now on the HNC pathway, 1 student is on the BA course and one is going to Strathclyde this year to do business. This has been a very successful and rewarding achievement for all involved and will continue to be supported and developed moving forward. This approach started in 2015 and the concept of bringing other students into the social science pathways has also seen collaboration between ESOL students and social science students to assist with studies for both student groups.

Social science staff looked at a new initiative this year to undertake a prize giving ceremony to celebrate the work of students who were taking part in the NC pathway programmes. This brought all 3 NC groups together for the prize giving in room C.04.044/5. It was agreed to also invite the Access Level 5 students to let them see the types of work and activity undertaken on a Level 6 course.

Prizes were given out for researched work and production of a poster for the Modern Studies unit, around International Issues, where students produced work related to human rights in China. They also received prizes for both Economics of the Market and UK Economics combined, having completed presentations, quizzes etc. in the class.

This initiative was to try and engage with students on the NC programme and support their progress on the HNC pathway, the feedback from all involved would suggest it has been very well received and is likely to form a normal feature within the social science area.

Business and Legal

One of our HNC Administration & IT Digital Communications students, Lorenzo D'Souza, was successful in Craftex this year, with his New Media: Non-advanced (Trades House Presentation).

The Legal Services team is now using podcasts as a method of delivery for next academic session. The team have been working together closely on the setup, and as this is the first time it is being piloted. A draft paper analysing student success rate and engagement through podcast delivery will be created after the pilot to measure success. This new method of delivery is supported well by our students, who feel this would support many of their busy schedules. The hope is this will enhance the student success rate, by creating additional routes to access learning material.

The Legal Services team is also currently looking to develop PDAs that could be offered to employers, as a means to upskill employees. In particular, the PDAs are being tailored to suit those based in law firms looking to gain a further legal knowledge in a particular area. A firm has already been in contact with the college (Lindsay's Solicitors) and early discussions are taking place about training suited to paralegals, which may result in possible additional income generation.

WorldSkills Forensic Science Competition was held at City of Glasgow College, where numerous legal service students took part in the Forensic Science Competition held. The team are keen to encourage more student participation in this area going forward. In partnership with the Law Society of Scotland we facilitated a Legal Study and Careers Day opened to all HND Legal Service (LSS) students. The event included: career options; hearing from various speakers within the legal profession; legal activities; information on widening access; information from REACH at Glasgow University and a mini session on careers support within COGC. Guests from various other FE colleges were also present to observe the day in action – this is the largest audience LSS have delivered to for this type of event and other colleges were keen to see it in action. A great success, an event we are now doing annually in partnership with the LSS.

A member of the legal team arranged a Client Care Competition which was intended to increase the students' confidence in their legal skills, with a focus on conveyancing. It was judged by leading industry expert, Shona McAllister, Finance Director at Residence Estate Agents. The competition offered three cash prizes and the winner Alisha Macis was published in the Kirkintilloch Herald.

3.2 Accounting, Supply Chain & Retail

The accounting curriculum area have a strong link with French Duncan Chartered Accountants, which resulted in a recruitment event last session. The event was created to invite students to participate in a selection activity, which resulted in 2 students directly recruited to the French Duncan team. The organisation will repeat this event again this session and have also committed to offering work placements to our financial and accounting students.

The completion of the first Financial Services Hub pilot course, Fast Track into Financial Services, has now been delivered and evaluated. This course was developed in conjunction with Skills Development Scotland and a series of financial institutions, with Barclays taking the lead in Scotland.

The course consisted of a 6 week programme of 4 days per week and any successful student to complete the course and graduate, was guaranteed an interview with Barclays. The course completed with 13 students, which to date has resulted in 1 student recruited

from pilot to date, but we hope for more. It has been agreed to run another cohort later this year and there is ongoing discussions around changes to the content etc. based on the evaluation. This programme is likely to be scaled up over the coming months and has now been made visible to the Financial Services Advisory Board (FiSAB) at the Scottish Parliament and has been well received by the First Minister Nicola Sturgeon. The course was shortlisted for the Scottish Financial Enterprise Awards 2019 for the Pioneer award, which will take place on Thursday 24th November 2019 in Edinburgh.
<http://www.sfe.org.uk/awards/>

This is not our only link with Barclays. The Supply Chain curriculum team have close links with various Industry specialists who will often recruit directly from our HND pathway and 1 graduate was also recently recruited by Barclays.

A very warm return awaits our Worldskills competitor from our Retail area, Konnar Doyle, who recently went to Kazan and returned with a place in the top 10 for visual merchandise. An incredible achievement and journey for a young man who started out on an Engineering course at University, then dropped out to enrol with us.

3.3 ESOL & Languages

The annual ESOL Practitioner Conference took place June 2019 and was officially opened this year by the Principal. The conference saw over 80 delegates from across the ESOL sector attend, including many influential managers and practitioners. This year's conference was to identify ways of challenging traditional ESOL approaches and pedagogies. It was a really well attended conference with a really good Social Media pick-up with the nice graphic minutes. www.morethanminutes.com

In June of this year a 6 week course took place in conjunction with Diageo, Springboard and COGC ESOL students, comprising of 4 weeks training and 2 weeks work placement. This was an employment training Opportunity for ESOL Students with Diageo who are a major employer in the Hospitality Industry this training will look great on their CV, increase employability, engage with employers face to face and increase learner confidence gain certificates in Licensing and Food safety. Pam Turnbull has worked with www.Diageo.com and <https://springboard.uk.net/> (hospitality training charity) to pull together this excellent opportunity. In total 11 ESOL students were identified and coached by Pam who went on to successfully complete and pass a training course on Hospitality (Front of House), with 100% attendance and 100% success, which resulted in 2 students in employment.

Another successful year saw the completion of the Edusport students from France and beyond, graduate from our ESOL programmes. This year's intake is higher than last years, which will provide a commercial income of around £64,000 for just over 80 students attending. This year's programme has sport students from football, basketball, rugby and dance, with most students in-filling into our ESOL programmes in the morning, with some participating in afternoon classes and the dancers using the ESOL evening classes. A new additional piece of ESOL Learning software was purchased this year, Kilk-2-Learn Journey to English product, which will also support our Edusport students as they can now study and practice with feedback online.

As outlined in a previous report, earlier in 2019, SDS teamed up with City of Glasgow College and Arnold Clark's training organisation, GTG Training Ltd, to deliver a pre-apprenticeship programme for refugees.

The programme was open to individuals attending the college's ESOL classes and completion could lead to an automotive Modern Apprenticeship with Arnold Clark.

Participants were taught using workbooks relating to mechanics, to help build knowledge and skills relevant to the job.

Maryam Zeitoon, who passed the initial two-day workshop on teamwork and practical numeracy and literacy skills, has since taken a course with Prince's Trust to build on her skills. She has now started a 6 week 'Get into Cars' course with GTG in advance of starting her Modern Apprenticeship, which received recognition of a section within the Apprenticeship Equality Action Plan Annual Report 2019.

<http://www.skillsdevelopmentscotland.co.uk/media/45850/apprenticeship-equality-action-plan-annual-report-2019.pdf>

We are currently in the process of appointing a new British Sign Languages (BSL) tutor to continue with the building of our commercial portfolio in this area. It will also continue to support the ongoing staff development side for the College and aligns itself with the College's BSL PAn (Graeme Brewster).

3.4 Health, Care, Early Years and Widening Access

The annual Erasmus trip to Finland saw 22 students and 8 staff members continue to build on our existing partnerships with colleges and professionals in Tampere.

This year shadowing placements were included for students to experience a day with care workers across various fields in Tampere.

The team were delighted to support student Dylan Duff who is now the Student President. Dylan completed his NC Child, Health and Social Care level 5, NC Health and Social Care Level 6 and HNC Social Services within our Faculty. Dylan is also a care experienced young person who is actively involved with the Scottish Government Care Review so this is quite an achievement for him and the Faculty team are also delighted with his achievements. The Faculty team continue to build on our partnership working with University of Strathclyde, Glasgow Caledonian University, Autism Network Scotland and Glasgow City Council Supported employment Team (and Project SEARCH)

The project resulted in a one week work placement in DELL for one of the interns with intention of looking at whether or not it would be possible to arrange for a Modern Apprenticeship for the young person. The week placement went well, however the young person took ill and was unable to start the MA. The team will continue to develop links with DELL this coming year. Other employers such as Balfour Beatty provided support to our students by offering review their CVs and coming to talk to them regarding what would be expected of them when they start a job.

In June of this year we celebrated the graduation event at the University of Strathclyde of Project SEARCH. Overall 5 out of final 9 students are in jobs or due to start jobs soon (of remaining 4 - 1 went back to college, 1 is ill and the remaining 2 are working with job coaches from Glasgow Supported Employment team to help them find a job)

Our College garden projects lead by Jackie McMaster within Supported Education has provided real work experience placements for our learners. This resulted in 216 kg of produce last session, most of which is delivered to Student Bistro and Scholars restaurant. There were new garden projects planned last session and they will be up and running this year, such as a beehive, a frog and dragonfly habitat and mushroom growing.

4. Creative Industries

4.1 Construction Technologies & Services

Built Environment

McTaggart Construction: January saw the launch of a pilot scheme; our first co recruitment and delivery partnership with McTaggart Construction. Our City & Guilds entry level 3 multi-trade programme was changed to incorporate a compulsory work experience element delivered in partnership with McTaggart's. In an attempt to increase retention and improve positive next steps for students, staff at McTaggart's and the college worked together to co-promote the course, recruit candidates and provide pastoral care and support throughout the programme. In addition to on-site work experience McTaggart's will provide interview preparation and a guaranteed interview to all candidates who successfully complete the course. We have worked with McTaggart's, a company with a proven track record of recruitment, for over a decade providing site visits and work placements throughout the central belt.

Update: overall a success, the program should resume for a second session in January. McTaggart is up for an award for Inspiring Glasgow Awards, partly based on our partnership.

Bell Group Academy: The creation of an industry partnership academy centred on Painting & Decorating to deliver a community of shared knowledge benefiting both staff and students. The partnership will guarantee work experience, interviews and access to current industry practitioners for current level 4/5 pre-app groups. The City of Glasgow College will also gain exclusivity and first option on any apprenticeship opportunities that arise within the Bell Group over the period of the agreement.

Update: now we have a structure of 10 planned events over the academic year. We will have the official launch event on the 11th of September, the Principal should be in attendance.

CIRIA: On February we became the first college in Scotland to take membership of the prestigious Construction Industry Research and Information Association (CIRIA). CIRIA is a neutral, independent not-for-profit body, linking organisations with common interests and facilitating a range of collaborative activities to help improve the industry. We have already shared research and information around drone surveying and have had representation at the organisation's council.

Update: Dirk Vennix, CEO of CIRIA has provided a keynote at our summit event in April 2019.

Domestic EV Charging: in collaboration with the STEM & Innovation team we have now concluded an Innovation Voucher supported project which sought to improve public awareness and uptake of electric vehicles. In collaboration with Brite Technical Services we carried out a feasibility study based on pilot installation (house builders' perspective) – including planning, design, installation, cost/benefit analysis and maintenance scheduling. We also carried out product development and the production of 3D printed branded polymer housings for the ELV charging panels.

Update: The voucher has now been completed.

Construction Gender Equality: We are currently engaged in a national project led by CSIC, supported by Sir Robert McAlpine (SRM) and Equate Scotland. The project aims to

uncover the variety of barriers that contribute to the low participation of women in the construction industry by the delivery of a best practice framework, the collation of case studies relating to gender equality in the construction industry and the delivery of a prototype self-assessment toolkit.

Update: We are now user testing for the platform.

Improving Skills for Off-Site Construction: The College is a key partner in a CITB funded project to simplify skills in off-site manufacture and pre-fabrication. The *Offsite Ready* project will create a unified training source for offsite construction across the UK to significantly improve the quality and consistency of training delivery to learners of all levels. The project is a nationwide collaboration led by the CSIC and will have contributions from Napier University, the Welsh Innovation Centre, MOBIE and Class of Your Own.

Update: follow up on the project

We have just completed our first work package. The success from this has played a large part in the success of European wide project on similar themes on European scale.

Construction Summit: On the 30th April we hosted a day of discussion and collaboration focused around the future of work and education in the construction industry. The summit included presentations, panel discussions and demonstrations from key industry influencers around the themes of innovation, skills and sustainability. The summit considered the range of challenges and opportunities associated with the realisation of an increasingly competitive and technologically disrupted industry and focused on unlocking potential through innovative collaborations between industry, academic and civic partners.

Nearly 200 delegates attended, over a 100 for the skill built joined an existing 120 visitors to the college for construction related activities on the same day. Ewe gathered an amazing social media coverage and the impact has been tremendously well received.

Skills Excellence: WorldSkills representation; following a series of gruelling selection competitions Wall and Floor Tiling student Mark Scott has represented the UK, City of Glasgow College and his employer at the WorldSkills international competition in Kazan, Russia in August and brought back a Medallion of Excellence for Wall and Floor Tiling.

4.2 Design

At the CRAFTX awards this year, we have received 32 awards. We have received the most prestigious ones, presented to Geraldine McSparran for the Deacon Convener's Design prize, for Jolanta Mariola Wiankowska with the Gold Medal winner and to Scott Grier, presented with the QC Award for excellence and innovation.

Harvey Nicks in Edinburgh is looking to increase the offer of work placements for HND Display Design. We have welcomed their representant in our End-of-Year show who has confirmed their global interest in the program and are looking for future collaboration.

HND2 Commercial interior design students has won placement with the Alpha Group Scotland. The City of Glasgow HND Interior design department was tasked in a live event to redesign Alpha's Scotland new showroom in Finnieston Glasgow. Paul Black, Alpha's CEO, visited the College to review each student's proposal and selected the top five student's work who then presented their work to Alpha design team – two winning candidates were chosen to complete a one-month summer internship- Marie Scott and Darta Vitola. Alpha Group will be doing this next year and are willing to develop a mentorship program and a formalised work placement agreement.

This 2nd of September 2019, the Royal Infirmary in Glasgow will see the unveiling of the incorporation of Masons Stained glass window on which our applied arts and crafts team members have been collaborating.

New BA design practice has been validated over the summer, done in partnership with UWS. The students are starting on the 10th of September.

4.3 Visual Communication

Student trips and visits - NQ Graphic Arts, HND Graphic Design and HND Illustration students undertook a student trip to the degree show at Duncan of Jordanstone College of Art & Design and V&A Dundee at the end of session. 3D Animation students were invited to attend an information session at Fore Digital's new studios to hear about their work and the opportunities available within the Architectural Visualisation sector. Graphic design staff took students to Edinburgh to visit the Bridget Riley exhibition at the National Galleries of Scotland also to the 'Cut and Paste: 400 years of Collage' exhibition at the National Gallery of Modern Art. Illustration students also visited Edinburgh, visiting the National Museum and Scotland and The National Portrait Gallery.

Projects – In a project supported by West Dunbartonshire Council and Historic & Environmental Scotland, 3D Animation students took part in a project to make and colour 3D models of the distance stones on the historic Antonine Wall. Digital Technologies students took part in Project Mobius <https://www.sublime.cc/projectmobius> and two students undertook successful summer internships with Sublime as a result.

Engagement with external stakeholders – Membership has been established with Glasgow Connected Arts Network <https://glasgowcan.org/> and staff from Glasgow CAN visited the faculty in August with plans to involve our students in CAN's youth engagement projects and events. A successful discussion was had with Ish Ramjanm, VP User Experience and Design, at JP Morgan with plans for Ish to come and speak to students and an openness to develop a possible UX/UI/Design intern or apprenticeship path. Jason Hilier from Serious Facilities <https://www.seriousfacilities.co.uk/> recently visited the team for an initial discussion on the potential to recruit from our student pool within Animation and Digital Media and plans are afoot for students to visit them at Film City Glasgow later this session. A new and flourishing relationship has been established with Waracle <https://waracle.com/> who have been working with us to offer iOS training opportunities as part of their recruitment pipeline – they are now offering a free course in Swift at the college with staff and students participating in an evening course as well as external students. The Dell StemAspire programme continues to be very successful, with a graduation and launch event taking place at the Dell Offices on Wednesday 23rd October.

World Skills – 4 students competing and 2 moving forward to UK squad entry for 3D Computer Game Art and 1 student moving forward to the national finals for Web Design. An article featuring the World Skills and other successes was featured in the Herald STEM supplement in April promoting **the successes of Digital Technologies students**.

Staff development – Steph Toms and Steven Aitken attended the CAMP Festival conference in Calgary, Canada from 6-10th October where they had the opportunity to hear from leading speakers in the field of design and technology. Visual Communications staff also visited Creative Industries staff at Edinburgh College for an initial fact finding about UAL qualifications.

Session 19/20 - We will be hosting Graphic Design Festival Scotland between 23rd and 26th November for a range of workshops, live projects and events. <https://graphicdesignfestivalscotland.com/2019/> A number of student trips have been planned to enhance the curriculum including a Digital Arts student field trip to Uist and a

Graphic Design visit to the Bridget Riley exhibition at the National Galleries of Scotland. In collaboration with the Business Development team, we will be delivering an Introduction to Infographics session to staff from SportScotland in November.

4.4 Media

Media & Journalism

David McKinney successfully appointed an Associate Assessor for Media.

HND Journalism and the Scottish Premier League/Football Reporting...

Students attending matches to report on Hamilton Accies, Kilmarnock, St Mirren and Partick Thistle games for the student website. Agreement in process with Albion Rovers and Queen's Park FC.

Two second year Journalism students are interns with Hamilton Academical FC, working three days a week on Accies TV.

A student is a regular contributor/feature writer to the Hamilton Accies match day programme with his own byline. Producing a fortnightly podcast for Hamilton Accies.

Students reporting on Newmains United Junior side reporting directly to Scottish Sun journalist Gareth Law.

Glasgow Film Theatre & Vue Cinema support and allow students access to free screenings to review films for City Live

<https://www.cityliveglasgow.com/>

Guest speaker Abir Mukherjee spoke to HNC Professional Writing students on Wednesday 23rd October. His first three novels have been on the Sunday Times best seller list and have been Waterstone's book of the month.

HND Journalism student provides video gaming content for the Geekaboo website.

Filmed/ reported the 'Hug a Dug' event on Wednesday 23rd August.

Ongoing: Go Radio

City Radio to resume its broadcasting with new set up, new programmes and an emphasis on podcast productions.

Direct school campaign competition to target specific school and enhance recruitment, in widening the reach to larger audio media opportunities.

Broadcasting

Five students across HN and BA Television have had their projects selected in a Scottish Parliament pitching 1 min films Competition in conjunction with the Creative Media Network. On the occasion of the 20th anniversary of the Scottish Parliament, our students and our lecturer Kate Cotter have been invited to celebrate the anniversary with the Queen and the entire Scottish government in attendance. The students have been asked to create 1-minute films about one law or legislation that had changed the society over the last 20 years. They chose to talk about mainly societal subjects and their films are now on the Scottish Parliament website for everyone to see.

Jo-Jo Murray and Zane Aspite, BA television students have received the award for the College's annual Embracing Diversity Competition with their creation "Sannah Hussain: inside Fighter". Sannah is a Scottish Muslim boxer with albinism and a muscle weakening

condition. Their programme explored the world of inclusive sports in Scotland showing how people with a disability can be more active. Following the College competition, they also won the regional competition held at Kelvin College.

Over 20 students were recently invited to the BBC Scotland building at Pacific Quay to meet with professionals from the BBC and outwith the national channel. They got a chance to showcase their end-of-year productions and works and were invited to network with the industry people to explore future work opportunities.

The celebration of the end-of-year awards this June saw the presence of many of our professional partners and friends, from the BBC network, to Sky and other outlets. The awards have been set up as a real-life award ceremony and fully arranged, produced and anchored by students. It was a tremendous success as the audience was utterly ravished by the format of the event.

In September 2019, short films from students to showcase at the Glasgow Youth Film Festival. At the same event, members of staff will be presenting the College course offerings and career opportunities to the global audience.

TV industry Advisory Board Meeting:

Curriculum guidance meeting event with industry representatives such as, Lion TV, STV, Arteus & freelance reps

Panel of industry partners meet with teaching team to advise on skills gaps for graduates and developing technology requirements in production and post

BA and HN2 TV: Holyrood Short Film Winners

Four student groups work recognised in a national competition for their submissions to the 20th anniversary Scottish parliament event attended by HM the Queen at Holyrood. Staff/students attended parliament celebrations after receiving advice and support on their successful entries to video competition. CoGC had the highest number of entries

Launch of Vimeo Channel in August to showcase student's work to employers/industry

New Vimeo channel provides improved visibility for student work and room for further development

HN1 Students progress to UK finals in World Skills in video production

Glasgow Youth Film Festival

Glasgow Film Theatre/SDS/Broadcasting, Entertainment, Communications and Theatre Union (BECTU)

TV staff present CoGC opportunities in broadcasting to an audience of over 100 film enthusiast pupils from Glasgow Schools

CV Workshop with IWC for HN2 TV "Work Placement" unit

Talent Manager Laura MacKay from IWC holds CV workshop for HN2 Classes
Direct application advice from Talent Manager from one of Glasgow's biggest independent production companies.

Guest Speaker/Master Class with successful BBC/Freelance ex- student to HNTV & BA

Award winning camera/DoP Fraser Rice

Improved industry knowledge, expert advice from award winning DoP and inspiration what recent graduate can reach

Pitching Sessions

BBC – “Entertainment Production” unit

BA4 students pitch entertainment idea to BBC Scotland Commissioner Gavin Smith
Outcome; Feedback from BBC Entertainment Commissioner Helps decide which student programme proposals go into production. Great insight into development and commissioning at BBC Scotland.

Pitching Session

Matchlight

BA3 - Unit(s); Factual Research & Factual Production

BA3 students pitch factual ideas to Jacqui Haydn, Development Director at Matchlight
Outcome; Feedback from development exec focusses class work. Great insight into development in independent sector. 2 student ideas taken back to Matchlight for further development

Work placement offer

Our Football Club - HN 2 TV - Unit(s); work placement

Description; David Brown & Roy Campbell, media team from Our Football Team, Caledonian Braves, invite work placements from HN2 class

Outcome; work placement opportunity taken up by 5 students

Camera masterclass – BBC Pacific Quay

BBC - BA4, BA3 TV and HNC TV

Whole HN class (1C) visit to BBC PQ

Outcome; Informed look behind the scenes at BBC including studios and post production areas

October 2019

Masterclass - BBC - BA4

Unit(s); Entertainment Production

Description; Full day studio sound workshop with Jim Hunter (BBC sound specialist)

Outcome; Expert advice on advanced studio ops especially in relation to sound

Scottish Audio and Acoustic Network Lecture/Event in TV Studios

Varied including BBC – listing of contacts secured via audience & speakers

Course/Classes; BA4

Unit(s); Entertainment Production

Description; Class covers & films the event in the TV studio for respected industry body

Outcome; Realistic experience of production led by industry experts

Work placement offer

Friends of Victoria Park with HN 2 TV

Unit(s); work placement

Description; Elizabeth Smith and Richard East invite TV students to pitch for video production gig

Outcome; Work placement op taken up by 4 students

STV bursary scheme

BA & previous HNs

4 of the 10 students who receive support in new STV/RTS scheme have previously studied at City of Glasgow College including current BA4 student Kara Devlin. Highly competitive placement secured.

Outcome; Mentoring and support provided for BA4 student from Scottish Broadcaster

Assistant Producer - IWC

Course/Classes; HN2

Unit(s); work placement

Description; AP Grant Andersons offer careers advice

Outcome; industry understanding from recent HN graduate who has made first steps into employment

Mod Partnership

Organisation; BBC/Mod

Course/Classes; BA3&4

Description; 8 BA students work across national cultural I event producing online video content

Outcome; work placement in for 8 students in live broadcast environment

Name/Tile; NFTS partnership

Organisation; National Film and Television School

Description; NFTS host prestigious art of multi camera directing course in City of Glasgow College studios

Outcome; essential development of studio facilities highlighted in professional relationship with NFTS and BBC

Digital Skills Training

Organisation; Young Enterprise Scotland and Facebook

Course/Classes; HN2

Unit(s); Enterprise Activity

Description; External provider session on enterprise and using social networks for self-promotion

Outcome; Students receive up to date advice on use of social networks and enterprise

Screenskills accreditation submitted by TV team.

DOORS OPEN EVENT- Tours of TV studios and Media course information delivered to visiting public for city wide event

4.5 Marketing & PR

Nil by mouth (NBM) winners of pitch perfect advertising campaign- 'it's not in your blood'

HND advertising & PR students win national award and launch outdoor digital (bus shelters) & social media campaign for client.

The campaign received a lot of positive cover (the Scottish Sun, Daily Record, The Herald, The Scotsman amongst many) including the lead story on Radio Clyde One's breakfast show Opportunity to discuss and present this campaign along with marketing & PR curriculum's effective industry engagement strategies to Richard Lohead, MSP, Minister for Further and Higher Education and a committee with Geoff Leask & Brian McEwan from yes/Bridge2 Business

Staff/ students attending business in parliament event "aligning our future talent with the future skills needs of industry"

The advertising: planning a local campaign unit has launched with the another nil by mouth brief for this session with campaign director, Dave Scott. All students attend live brief pitch and workshops.

D8 Creative Agency & LGBTI Youth (their Client)

- CPHNDADVPR/F192A & CPHNDMARKT/F192A & CPHNDMARKT/F192B
- Advertising and PR: Developing a Digital Advertising and Public Relations Campaign
- D8 & LGBTI Project - speaker event - delivering the LIVE brief
- **REAL CLIENT CAMPAIGN** – Double block project with panel /judges from companies to pick winner and offer student work experience.

Brewgooder & Brewdog

(James Hughes & Henry Lenard- MRKTG)

- all year 1 HND ADPR & HNC MRKCM and HND MARKT classes, 6 classes in total
- unit: public relations principles and practice
- delivered client brief for block 1 PR campaign project
- industry experience with client interaction - FEEDBACK

Glasgow Caledonian University – CUSP Meetings

- (Cara O'Connell & Iain Muego)
- all year 2 HND ADPR and MARKT classes
- new articulation opportunity into fashion market/ industry
- delivered talk about entry course to GCU including fashion marketing & media communications & international marketing

Cathy Jamieson Labour MP & Minister For Justice & Jilly Ballantyne Digital Media Manager

- care vision children's services
- CPHNDADVPR/F192A
- public relations strategic analysis and application – double credit
- work experience unit
- delivering client brief for block 1 project – students to pitch to judging panel from client charity

John Mather Trust Enterprise Competition (Media & College Wide)

£10,000 grant funding and a series of entrepreneurial workshops, training & events with external partners and supporters throughout session. Partnered with Young Enterprise Scotland (YES) and bridge 2 business. Supporting and growing student businesses and self employment.

Digital Skills Workshops From Facebook – Delivered, Assessed & Certified By Facebook

120 students attending interactive workshops tracking progress through the future workforce model. Skills for digital economy through units in innovation, a.i., cyber security, marketing, web and data decision making.

Networking European Citizenship Education (NECE)

Hosting meeting for German delegates visiting this year's conference in Glasgow,

“Confronting Inequalities - The Role of Citizenship Education.”

John Mather Trust

Five students at the City of Glasgow College have been recognised for their creativity and entrepreneurship at this year’s John Mather Trust Enterprise Awards. James Rusk, Mariam Chaudry, Alistair Lee, Megan Held and Pawel Kmiec each received a share of £10,000 following the innovation and enterprise competition which challenges students to submit a stand-out creative idea or business proposal.

John Mather Trust has just confirmed the renewal of the project for next year.

Digital Marketing For Practitioners – New Commercial Course Pilot

This NEW online digital course is a vehicle that supplies high level content that supports effective CPD with the opportunity to continue onto CIM accreditation. By successfully completing the programme and the MCQs candidates will receive certification from City of Glasgow College. Those going through the process will gain the ability and importantly the confidence to engage with registering and submitting for the CIM. Support will be put in place for those articulating with this pathway. This would be a feeder course for CIM and will support our objectives of widening access and opportunity for the CIM here and ultimately a far wider targeted geographic reach.

ERASMUS Visitors

Curriculum Meetings and tours with EMCS, Malta and University Sassari, Italy

Schools development

Media Team Taster Sessions, Workshops and presentations to SDS, Schools (Kirkintilloch High, Jordanhill, Knightswood, Gaelic School...teachers, advisors, pupils to promote courses/ opportunities at CoGC.

4.6 Photography/Art

Photography

On the 26th to 28th of June, more than 10 students from all courses in Photography participated in London Free Range Photography festival. 4 of them got a distinction for their work and Martin Parr, one of the greatest Artist photographer of the UK was in attendance and personally congratulated the students and the members of staff for their work.

National Competition - **Portrait of Britain shortlist – Robbie Boyd** HND2 Photography student – 2nd year running photography student makes it to final 200 from 13,000 entries. Published in Hoxton mini press book for final 200.

<https://www.portraitofbritain.uk/>

Futureproof Exhibition – National showcase selected from all photography degree course graduates across Scotland. Rachel Jamieson, BA photography graduate selected.

<http://www.streetlevelphotoworks.org/event/futureproof-2019>

Rachel Jamieson’s work also featured in local press

<https://www.falkirkherald.co.uk/news/people/falkirk-s-high-flats-residents-in-winning-photos-1-4996558>

Dominika Kreft – won Best in Category at National Competition AOP student awards – winner in People category.

Also 7 further student images made the shortlist in this highly competitive competition. Martin Gibbs image used as cover image for exhibition.

<https://www.the-aop.org/awards/awards-archive/the-student-awards>

Martin Gibb winner of the Scottish Nature Photography Awards

https://scottishnaturephotographyawards.com/2018_winners/

Simona Ciocarlan – shortlisted and winner of Format Festival Shutter Hub Portfolio 2019. Very successful graduate and whose work we have in our collection.

Students worked with world renowned photographer Fabrizio Gianni on International Fashion project – students/college to be credited in magazine. Coming out in November 2019.

Photography Students assisted on Herald Fashion shoot alongside Display Design Students.

Successful collaboration with GCC continues with students working at their awards event and receiving funds to support their national photography showcase in London.

Caledonian University/City of Glasgow College Fashion retail collaboration. Students working with Cal Uni students on an industry brief for Top Shop – great opportunity to create fashion team and produce booklet.

Photography Dept Instagram has reached over 1000 followers! a great resource linking industry and Alumni with current students.

Most of this good news appears there - [photographycgc](#)

Staff trained sport and leisure staff from GCC in photoshop skills.

Running course to train teachers who teach higher photography in photo theory and preparation for students submitting their Higher Photography portfolios.

Students at CoGC continue great links with schools going out on work experience to support teachers from primary to high school in photography techniques and use of new media.

HND 2 Staff continue to link with industry through talks, a further week of talks is planned every year in January.

Jonathan Pryce – of Garçon Style inspirational talk to students (and left a signed copy of his book)

Simona Ciocarlan – Motivational talk from our very successful graduate of class 2018.

Robert Henderson – City of Glasgow College Alumni gave a talk to a group of current students about his exhibition at Street Level.

Alamy – International picture library – gave talk and advice to our students on how to submit and manage online sales.

Martin Parr – attended and talked with some of our students at Free Range London this year. Martin Parr is an internationally recognised photographer and member of Magnum.

Staff development and conference attendances planned for later this year including UnConference London.

Fine Art

Kate Elliot, HND2 Student has shown an external exhibition entitled “don’t cover up your scars” in June 2019. The title of the exhibition came from lyrics to a song called Scars by the band Witness. Prints shown in the display included drypoints and screen prints. Drypoints allow the artist to work with accuracy in a detail otherwise thought as unachievable.

As to value more collaboration within the College, Mark Stagg, Dean for Nautical and Elodie Nowinski, Dean for Creative Industries have agreed on a large-scale project to redecorate the staircases walls at Riverside Campus. The project will be launched during block one and will span over till the end of the academic year. Students will be offered the opportunity to propose a visual creation to be displayed or done on the walls. The competition will offer 7 different walls to be covered and the themes will be presented by members of staff from Riverside campus and will be in connection with the 50th anniversary of the maritime College. An ad-hoc jury will be composed and will award the students to complete their work onsite.

Staff attended as guests, the Venice Biennale Scottish Pavillion and met with those involved in the Scottish Art World. Student Emma Blackhall was selected as student to be exhibition assistant and discuss with visitors the work of Scottish representative Charlotte Prodiger.

Fine Art students from NQ – BA have started the year with trips to exhibitions in Edinburgh including Talbot Rice Gallery, Ingleby Gallery to see a range of international work to inspire and support their research for the start of the New Year.

BA CAP student – selected to exhibit her work at Scottish Parliament – one hundred stories of Scotland’s experience of WW1, told through the work of 100 young artists.

Printmaking students involved in Scottish Commemorations Panel – Mapping Memories, using printmaking techniques to re-interpret stories.

Fine Art students exhibited at venues across the city from Cassart to wasps studios.

HNC Contemporary Art Practice students created a series of posters to celebrate women in Engineering which were displayed at Riverside Campus.

HND Creative Printmaking students had a successful exhibition at Strathclyde students union.

5. Nautical Science and STEM

5.1 Electrical, Electronic, Automation and Digital Technology

STEM Advanced Manufacturing Centre: The College established and commissioned an automated advanced manufacture line within the Riverside STEM Centre. The line is now operational and will be part of the HNC/D Mechatronics course that is currently being developed by staff. No other Scottish college is combining the engineering and digital areas and supporting this with such significant investment. Cyber Security and Software Development staff are contributing to the new Mechatronics engineering HNC at Riverside campus (HN Units: Computer Programming J0HA 34 and Data Security J0H9 34). It is planned to teach these at City Campus, with students travelling from Riverside Campus. This unites four curriculum areas and provides engineering students with digital skills that can be used on site. This was promoted in The Herald newspaper: https://www.heraldscotland.com/business_hq/stem/17469300.stem-gearing-up-for-seismic-change-at-city-of-glasgow-college/

The faculty has engaged with Broadridge, a multi-national financial software company with a base in Edinburgh. This partnership will include a software hub based at CoGC that will serve as a focal point for:

- Broadridge providing students with “real life” projects to work on.
- Broadridge recruiting students for employment from CoGC.
- Broadridge employees giving guest lectures/lessons at CoGC.
- CoGC lecturers receiving professional development at Broadridge.
- Broadridge contributing financially to set-up cost of software hub.

Once established, we will seek to attract more companies to engage with the college. This project has already resulted in City of Glasgow College students successfully graduating into employment with Broadridge.

The software development area the team have created a Cyber Security Club, this offers students the chance to explore areas of cyber security outside the normal curriculum. Industry expert Andy Gill who specialises in penetration tests is collaborating with the club.

The faculty have successfully completed an Innovation Voucher in partnership with Beyonder, a Glasgow-based company who specialise in prototyping, sampling, small batch and bespoke manufacturing. This is for independent product design engineers, fashion designers and other end users of high-quality textile-based items. We have led the development of a prototype of the autonomous control and navigation systems that will sit at the heart of a Cordless Modular Workstation. The autonomous support vehicle, or ‘rover’, has been developed initially for a sewing machine factory, where it can locate and travel to different locations. The rover uses IR beacons, whilst employing object detection to avoid collisions. The rover can be programmed using different wireless technologies and commands can be given through an Android app. This featured in The Herald in late September: https://www.heraldscotland.com/business_hq/17931893.wheel-bright-sparks-city-glasgow-college/

5.2 Mechanical Engineering

Glasgow University Engineering Academy: A full cohort of students are articulated from an HNC programme that will to year 2 of an engineering degree.

The faculty is now running to further two cohorts to articulate to both Glasgow and Strathclyde Universities.

Ratings programme: Another programme of Engine and Deck ratings is now underway and the college has been invited to join CalMac at the National Transport Awards dinner in London on October 31st, where they have been nominated for this apprenticeship scheme.

The workshop utilisation with access courses has remained constant however the number of infill spaces being taken up by apprentices and schools is forecast to rise considerably over the coming months due to a sustained campaign of engagement with schools and employers.

Students are to pick up workplace experience working at both the Tall Ship Glenlee and the SS Waverly.

5.3 Nautical Science and Cadet programmes:

The faculty has seen a reduction of 10% in the number of cadets enrolling this year. It should be noted that, against a national decline in cadet numbers of 30%, the college has performed well against the sector.

D'Ahoy Project

Staff and students from Nautical Science have continued to benefit from their involvement in the ERASMUS project D'Ahoy. The project involves a number of colleges and universities across Europe working collaboratively to share best practises of how to embed decision making skills into a STEM curriculum. Last year 15 students and 6 staff took part in three mobilities which based in France and Iceland. Students took part in sailing with IMT Atlantique; leadership tasks at the Ecole Naval (the French Naval Academy), and a simulated disaster week at Reykavik University.

The intellectual output from these mobilities have been embedded into City of Glasgow Colleges Leadership, Excellence and Development week, creating a bespoke and innovative induction programme for all cadets who study in Glasgow. This innovative programme is a unique course that helps to embed meta-skills into the cadet training programme.

Awards

Amanda Mackie who in summer completed her SPD Marine Engineering cadetship through Clyde Marine Training won the Lady Hamlyn Award from the institute of marine engineering science and technology. The award is given to apprentices who have demonstrated an outstanding commitment to their professional development in the maritime sector.

Bryan Flanagan (Curriculum Head Nautical Science), has been shortlisted for the New Service Leaver of the Year award for the 2019 Scottish Ex-forces in Business Awards. The awards recognise the achievements of ex-military who are excelling in civilian life.

New Partnerships

Last year saw the signing of two new partnerships for cadet training with Stream Marine Training and also Shell.

The first intake of Shell cadets saw a number of students who had previously studied with City of Glasgow College come onto the SPD Marine Engineering Cadet programme, and the cadets have flourished in both their college and sea phases.

The new partnership with stream marine will see a marked improvement in student experience for cadets and their short course training provision. Additionally stream will be running free courses for pre-cadets as part of their corporate and social responsibility. The new agree also means that there will be guaranteed cadetship opportunities for access students into a funded cadetship.

Alumni Achievements

Jevon Chan, a HNC Marine Engineering Cadet who graduated in 2016, who continued to study with us and achieve his HND Marine Engineering, has now achieve a BEng (Hons) in Marine Technology with Marine Engineering from Newcastle University and has been accepted onto a PhD programme in Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering.

5.4 Other Highlights

In September the faculty hosted the UK Chamber of Shipping Safety Culture conference. This one day event had more than 50 representatives from the shipping world present and included a Q&A where the panel was entirely composed of cadets drawn from the college. The Chair Sir Michael Bibby commented highly on the calibre and maturity of the cadets that he saw as worthy ambassadors for the future of ships officers.

On the 3rd and 4th of October the Faculty hosted and the Dean facilitated a two day symposium on the Skills Challenges facing the Maritime Sector.

Delegates from across the shipping sector and from the wider maritime sector in both the UK and overseas debated and worked on insightful solutions to the key challenges facing an area employing over 960,000 people in the UK. This included a broad spectrum of speakers from Ports and Harbours, technology providers, the MCA , Skills Development Scotland, the Maritime Skills Alliance and from the State University of New York.

The Principal in his opening address spoke of the need for collective leadership and this theme was picked up and became evident throughout the two days.

The 4th culminated in the Maritime 50 Celebrating Gala Dinner at Glasgow Civic Hall hosted by the Lord Provost of Glasgow.

6 Hospitality & Leisure

6.1 Tourism

- The DWP have been in to interview, all HN 1st year T&T classes for their Preparation for Employment Unit.
- Presentation in April from TSB, about fraud prevention, with money, including social media for all Level 5 T&T students including Cabin crew.
- A member of Bank staff – Suzanne Lynch has spent 2 weeks initial training with Jet 2 at the airport, exam Thursday in Passenger Service Agent – (Ground Crew).
- TUI training staff spent 1 full day, mock recruitment day, in the student Association, providing a student assessment and also the opportunity of being talent spotted for a Full time job! Easy jet BA also came to do this earlier in the year.
- NQ Travel and Tourism have been out for educational visits to a number of venues, Loch Lomond and the Trossachs, a guided experience for the students.
- HN Tourism students are on a Guided Tour to Stirling, a walking tour including the Helix Park with the Kelpies. This will help to consolidate Learning for several Units.
- HN Tourism are planning a Tourism study trip to Berlin, over 40 students have signed up, all year 1 HN students with 2 staff.
- Erasmus Tourism Mobility, trip planned for Malta, in May – it is a cross Faculty project with Interior design, (2 staff will accompany the group).
- Guest presenters have been in from DWP explaining the value of PT employment, while studying at college to HN students.
- A group of senior phase school pupils from Dalziel High have had a tour of our college facilities.
- Group HR manager from Dakota been speaking to all HN about the Dakota group, and opportunities of work with the company.
- The 30th April, a fully structured trip for the SQA Unit, which includes assessments.

6.2 Hospitality

Great success in competitions,

- 2 HND Hospitality Management students are part of the team of 4 who went through to the final of the Brakes Student Challenge and won the Front of House category.

- Also in the final of the College Restaurant of the year competition, a heat took place in Scholars on the 2nd May from this heat a team got through to the final in Sheffield where they received a 'Highly Commended' from the judges with a prize of a trip to Holland with Koppertcress.
- Delighted that Anne Miller was shortlisted for lecturer of the year, in the Scottish women in Tourism awards.
- Gordon McIntyre, AD was shortlisted for the Education and training award at the CATEYS, the Oscars of the industry.
- CAL MAC partnership won the Beacon award at the TES Awards in London last month, great reward for the team who deliver this challenging course.
- The CIS awards held May where COGC's Hospitality lecturer Allison Kennedy won the Education Award. The college's partnership with CAL MAC won the retention and Training category.
- Up in the Air / On the ground school pupils, celebration event, where pupils' parents and staff from school are invited to board the aircraft and enjoy hospitality.
- HND Events students have been volunteering at many events to gain their hour for the work experience unit, supporting many good causes.
- Presentations for Kiltwalk, and Piping Live will be taking place over the next few weeks to recruit from our HN Events course.
- HN and NQ Events students have supported several events including the HITs Industry dinner, HITs charity football match and Worldskills Team selection in March at the college.
- Several are also supporting the Barbara Dickson event, which is a fundraiser for the TS Queen Mary.
- Selection for Worldskills, Inclusive skills, restaurant service has taken place with our Access in association with Natspec and AOC.

Awards & Competitions

- G McIntyre was recognised with a Commended award at the Inspiring City Awards in the Education category
- G McIntyre was awarded the Ambassador to the Industry award at the UK Caterer.com People awards on London in September
- Simona Federova, HND Hospitality year 2 student is being coached for UK / Worldskills in Professional Restaurant service.
- The cook and serve competition with the Royal Navy was a great collaborative event with the professional Cookery team. 3 HND Hospitality Management students were teamed with the Professional cookery students, the winning team had Alex ****, a first year student who has gained experience at Gleneagles.

Events & Hospitality

- Over 100 HN Events students and 4 staff attended an educational day to EICC Edinburgh, hosted by Marshall Dallass the CEO of the EICC
- Students have been out to visit industry and have had educational tours of The Golden Jubilee hotel, the TIC at Strathclyde University, Prenoptica, City Halls & Fruitmarket.
- Work placement opportunity, Place in the Sun, Glasgow Life, Maggies, STA
- A London trip is being organised for over 45 HND Events students, in February, They will visit Convex and other iconic London venues
- Intro to Food Service Skills class went on a visit to The Willow Tearooms, Afternoon tea experience gave them a real life opportunity to have a customer's view
- HND Hospitality Management year 1 students have been out to visit a newly opened student hall of residence in the City.
- A Spirit masterclass was provided by a past student David Allen, who now works for the Edrington Group.

6.3 Culinary Arts

Students from HN Culinary Arts worked with Royal Navy Chefs at HMNB Clyde to prepare the food service for The Gambit Dinner – the anniversary for the 'Silent Service'

HMS Defender

Culinary Arts Students were invited for a tour of HMS Defender when she was in dock at King George V in March. This allowed them to experience the reality of the galleys in a warship.

Commando Chef

Culinary Arts students were welcomed to a Live Cooking Demo with Q&A with Sergeant Mike Beaton aka 'Commando Chef'. This was a lively and very entertaining demo and enjoyed by all.



The College team has been selected as one of the Finalists and hosting UK Young Restaurant Team of the Year.

Students from HND Professional Cookery - Sky Rose Gough and Hannah George, this will take place in Scholars on the 2nd of May - Robbie Phillips is mentoring.

- Students from HN Culinary Arts worked with Royal Navy Chefs at HMNB Clyde to prepare the food service for The Perisher's Breakfast (Black Tie Dinner).
- HND Professional Cookery Ance Kristone Finalist for 2019 Young Pastry Chef of the Year the David Lyell Scholarship - Ance won second place at this competition.
- HND Professional Cookery student, Ance Kristone also represented the College at Lausanne Hotel school trip in February, this is an honour to be chosen to go. An opportunity to spend time with other students of the same calibre, learning and taking in the upmarket school of Hospitality.
- Scothot March 2019, students entered a variety of competitions inclusive of Cake Craft, Live Theatre Larder Chef, Sugarwork, Chocolate work; we brought home the Gold for the second year running for Country Range Chef Student competition.
- Greeneking Bar/restaurant company - We hosted their Head Chef training and in return we have gained work experience placements for students.
- Marys Wheels - the department and hosted the World Porridge photoshoot with Gary and HND yr 2 students.
- Paddy Oyster Shucker gave an afternoon demonstration sponsored by Seafish Scotland to level 6 chefs.
- KoppertCress - Franck, an afternoon demo to Professional Cookery Students - micro herbs etc.
- Cruiselineer Job Fair at the Marriot hotel.
- Meallmore Plush homes - we hosted their annual head chef competition and in return we have gained work experience placements for students.
- Hospitality and Leisure Job Fair - 18 companies across the Industry were present to offer job interviews to our students.
- 1000 crested biscuits created for MacGregor McDuff for their stand at major wedding fair.
- Ajmal Mushtaq - Afternoon lecture on creating your own business - Professional Cookery, Events and hospitality students.
- Urban Veg Competition - judged by Gary McLean.
- Seafish Week - fantastic demo and presentation from Seafish UK who also provided fish for our students to prepare and present.
- Scottish Tourism Alliance Conference - attended by May and Gordon, networking and discussions on our industry.
- Royal Navy/COFGC Cook to Serve competition - 1st Place COGC!

- Scottish Italian Awards - two competitions running back to back, (May one of the judges)
- We are hosting the Sosa Demo for students and industry partners - <https://www.sosa.cat/?lang=en>



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6.4 Sport and Fitness

- Students were invited to participate in a Royal Marines' Fitness session here at COGC where the fittest of our Sports and Fitness students were challenged to be put through the paces of a Royal Marine.
- Commando Chef – students were welcomed to a short lecture on the impact of nutrition on fitness.
- Sports Therapy Lecturer is being inducted by Scottish Athletics into the Para Olympians Hall of Fame for his multiple world and Olympic records and for representing the country at three Para Olympic Games.
- Fitness Students have been working with MikiLee dale from our near neighbours at Clydesdale Rowing at the West Boat house on the clyde. We have been working on rowing fitness and technique with the plans to get a COGC rowing team started.



- Second Year Fitness student Andrew Harte will represent the College at the World Skills Show IN Birmingham competing in the Personal Fitness trainer Competition at World Skills Competition.
- Sports Students continue to support the development and participation of the Rainbow Glasgaroos who meet weekly to allow members of the LGBT community to come and play recreational basketball on City Campus. The club from small beginnings regularly attracts over 20 participants.
- Sports Coaching Students have been taking part in sports competition with students from our sister college at Glasgow Clyde. Basketball and Volleyball events have been hosted at City Campus and at Glasgow Clyde and have been a great success.



- 10 Students and Staff undertook three days of intense support at the UK Asian Football championship. For the past 15 years City of Glasgow College have worked in partnership with SEMSA and the Championships and provide Physios and First-Aid to the event. The teams who participate in the Championships travel from all across the UK to compete for the title. They have played in many tournaments but regard this as the ultimate experience. Especially with the Final being held at either Ibrox Stadium or Celtic Park. Their experience is enhanced by the presence and participation of the students from City of Glasgow College. Who get invaluable hands on experience of developing their own skills and contributing to local community events. Not only do they work in public facilities such as Glasgow Green but also at two of the biggest football grounds in Europe. Without their support, the event would be just another Football Tournament. Especially with the Students and Staff participating on a voluntary basis in their own time.



6.5 Hair and Beauty

- HND Year 2; Charity event as part of employment experience throughout block 3 in amethyst commercial salon beauty treatment rooms. Offering a range of beauty treatments providing students with real life work experience, hone their practical skills and client care.
- Charity chosen by students is Time and Space; a small local charity based in Shettleston, Glasgow. The charity has provided a lot of support for students of CoGC with mental health difficulties in particular self-harming and inner voice hearers, the total raised so far for this charity is £1,200.
- HND Year 1 Make-up Artist student, Jasmyn Sinclair gained gold at the Association of Hairdressers and Therapists, Scottish finals competition in face painting.
- NC Level 6 student, Jessica Martin gained Bronze at the Association of Hairdressers and Therapists, Scottish finals in the Ladies Evening Hair.
- Level 6 Barbering Student Kerry Mulgrew won first place in Scotland in the Men's Hairdressing federation competition for students. Kerry prize has been a photo shoot in London and photographs will be published in Men's Hair Magazine. (currently unable to promote until publication).
- Level 5 Barbering student Danny White-Howe gained gold medal at Association of Hairdressers and Therapists, Scottish finals in the men's hairdressing competition.
- 3 students are through to the Scottish finals in Wella Exposure. This competition has traditionally been for ladies hairdressing and CoGC decided to enter men's looks to show diversity and equality in these competitions.
- Hairdressing, Make-up Artistry Beauty, Complementary Therapy and barbering students supported Fresher's in City Campus and Barbering supported Riverside Campus. Students provided a range of services including; Gents Haircuts, Seated massage, Lifestyle Advice, Hairstyling and Face –painting. Students also promoted treatments and services they provide throughout the academic year.
- HB – Eve Taylor training – NC and HND students undertook 3 days of training from our skin product supplier Eve Taylor. This enabled students to understand the latest advances in skin care product knowledge and facial massage techniques.
- HNC Hairdressing and HND Make-up Artistry Students attended Glasgow Art Galleries. Students undertook an Art History scavenger hunt. The visit supported their studies in make-up and hairstyling practices from ancient civilizations right through to the 20th century promoting fun engagement in learning and arts and gained inspiration to support them in design concepts.
- Level 6 and HNC Fashion Make-up students attended Masterclasses delivered externally by Major make-up Brands Iglot.

- HND Year 2 students undertook a seminar class in the Horrible History of Make-up underpinning the unit History of Hair and Make-up.
- Students from Year 2 are providing Hair and Make-up for an independent Scottish Fashion Label collection video and photoshoot in collaboration with the Scottish ballet.
- Students from HND Year 2 makeup artistry supported one of our Alumni students by providing a Special effects tutoring workshop youth group to Parkhead Youth Project a charity that aims to support young people to overcome the negative effects of poverty and social exclusion.
- HD – barbering students undertook their monthly Pop up Barber Shops in both City and Riverside Campus – Free Haircuts supporting students in developing skills for industry.
- Hairdressing and barbering students will be undertaking a seminar delivered by Toni and Guys on their product range Label M. The seminar will take place in the city campus on Thursday 31st October and Friday 1st November.
- All HE students and Modern Apprentice students at SVQ Level 3 across Hair and Beauty, will receive career talks in working on cruise liners (dates; 29th, 30th & 31st October). This will be delivered over 3 days by Steiner who are the recruiting and training company for Hairdressing and Beauty services on board cruise liners. This will enable students to look at other potential career paths once achieving their qualifications.

7 Finance and Resource Implications

There are no financial or resource implications associated with this report.

8 Risks to the College

There are no additional risk implications associated with this report.