

RCUK Assurance Programme

- Currently being reviewed
 - Current areas: Grants and Fellowships; Studentships; TRAC
 - Revised process: Annual Statement (all major recipients of RC funding) plus “risk based” review
 - Policy areas likely to be covered:
 - E&D,
 - Researcher/Career Development,
 - Public Engagement,
 - Research Integrity

2013 Monitoring of changes to Researcher Development

- Statement of expectations/letter on changes
- Invite to this event included some questions
- Survey will provide benchmark/initial position
- Review will include evidence from HR excellence and existing Assurance reports
- Survey questions and future assurance questions to be aligned
- Policy Forum Workshops will discuss questions, evidence and critical issues:
 - A1 Postgraduate A2 Research Staff