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FAO: Chair, Concordat Strategy Group

Dear Chair of Concordat Strategy Group

Letter of Commitment to the Concordat to Support the Career Development of Researchers

I, Prof Susan Lea, Vice-Chancellor of the University of Hull, confirm the University's commitment to the Concordat to Support the Career Development of Researchers.

The University of Hull supports fully the Principles of the revised Concordat and intends to uphold its obligations and responsibilities as a signatory.

The University of Hull views the Concordat to Support the Career Development of Researchers as an integral part of the framework of principles and standards of good practice to ensure a high quality of research and research environment. The Principles of the Concordat underpin its vision to be an outstanding research university by supporting and empowering its researchers and their aspirations.

The University agrees to work collectively and engage with initiatives to address systemic challenges in progressing towards a UK research system, where researchers work in healthy and supportive environments. It agrees that researchers should be recognised and valued for their contributions in research and beyond, supported in their professional and career development and equipped and empowered to succeed in their chosen careers.

Yours faithfully

Professor Susan J Lea
Vice-Chancellor