

Newsletter – December 2013

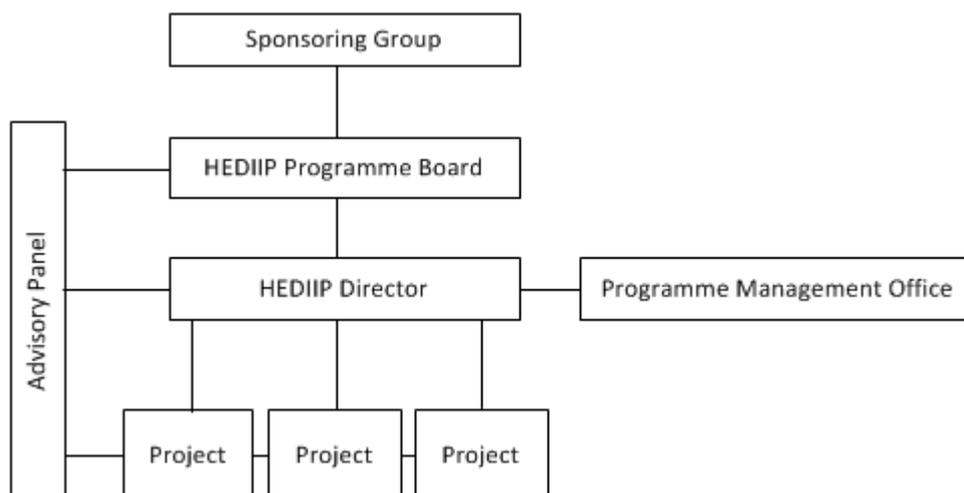
Establishing the programme

The HEDIIP Programme Board met on the 29th of November to take forward the establishment of the programme structure and governance and to consider a draft of the HEDIIP Programme Plan.

Programme structure

The HEDIIP programme structure is based on the Managing Successful Programmes¹ model but with the addition of an Advisory Panel who will advise the Programme board on technical and logistical issues and who will oversee the portfolio of HEDIIP projects.

HEDIIP Programme Structure



Mike Glover, Academic Registrar at Warwick University, has been appointed as Chair of the Advisory Panel and panel members from across the information landscape are being nominated. A full list of Advisory Panel members will be published on the HEDIIP web site soon.

Planning the programme

With much progress now made on the funding and governance of HEDIIP, attention is turning to creating a plan of activities that will move the sector towards the goals of better and timelier information from a system that reduces the burden of data collection on individual HE providers. The HEDIIP Programme Board has reviewed a draft programme plan for the period up to 31 July 2015.

The plan will be presented to the Regulatory Partnership Group² in January and published on the HEDIIP web site shortly afterwards.

¹ <http://www.msp-officialsite.com/>

² <http://www.hefce.ac.uk/about/intro/wip/rpg/>

HEDIIP web site makeover

The HEDIIP web site has been redesigned to improve accessibility, usability and performance across the range of different platforms and devices that are now used to access the internet. This replaces the temporary design that has been in place since last summer. We would welcome any feedback or suggestions on the new design.

The HEDIIP web site can be found at www.hediip.ac.uk.

New faces in the HEDIIP Programme Management Office

We are delighted to welcome Paul Baron and Jenni Cockram to the HEDIIP Programme Management Office in Cheltenham. Paul has been appointed as HEDIIP Programme Manager and will be ensuring that the programme and project management activities are conducted in line with best practise. Jenni has been appointed as HEDIIP Programme Officer to support a range of activities in the office.

Keeping in touch

You can follow [@HEDIIP](https://twitter.com/HEDIIP) on Twitter or contribute to the debate on the [HEDIIP Jiscmail list](#).

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