



Senate

Paper Title	Partnerships Board – Executive Summary
Outcome requested	Senate is asked to note the PB Executive Summary
Points for Senate members to note and further information	This paper summarises the business of Partnerships Board from 28 January 2025 to 12 May 2025.
Questions for Senate to consider	N/A
Regulatory/statutory reference points	The Partnerships Board oversees QMUL’s partnership activity on behalf of Senate.
Strategy and risk	Partnerships Board’s role is to assess and monitor the risks of QMUL partnership arrangements, approve partnerships as necessary and to consider relevant policies and procedures.
Reporting/consideration route for the paper	This paper is a report to Senate.
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PARTNERSHIPS BOARD

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This summary covers the Partnership Board meetings held on 19 March 2025 and 12 May 2025. The next meeting of Partnerships Board will be held on the 23 June 2025.

Consideration of new partnership proposals and renewals

1. Under the low-risk partnerships approval process, Faculties are responsible for considering and approving low-risk Faculty-level partnership proposals and renewals with both UK and international partners. A report of these low-risk approved proposals and renewals is then submitted to Partnerships Board for noting. During the reporting period, Partnerships Board has received notification of the following low-risk partnership proposals and renewals approved by Faculties and Professional Services.
2. Faculty of Science and Engineering
 - Nanchang University (NCU), China
 - Northwestern Polytechnical University (NPU) (QMES), China
3. Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences
 - None reported.
4. Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry
 - None reported.
5. Professional Services (including Global Partnerships Office)
 - Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, India
 - University of Almería, Spain
 - Renmin University of China, China
 - Shenzhen University, China
 - Chennai Institute of Technology, India
 - VIT Bhopal, India
 - University of Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, China
 - South China University of Technology, China
6. At the 19 March 2025 meeting the Board approved the following proposals:
 - Funding Sponsorship agreement with the Center for International Programs, BOLASHAK
7. At the 12 May 2025 meeting the Board approved the following proposals:
 - Funding Sponsorship agreement with The Agency for Meteorology, Climatology, and Geophysics of the Republic of Indonesia (BMKG)

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8. None.

Meetings in 2024/25

9. The Board confirmed the meeting dates for 2024/25 as follows:

Monday 23 September 2024

Monday 25 November 2024

Monday 27 January 2025

Wednesday 19 March 2025

Monday 12 May 2025

Monday 23 June 2025