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Introduction

An application for the title of Senior Lecturer, Reader or Professor may be made by any full-time or part-time member of RTE academic staff by following the pathways and criteria for promotion presented in this guide. The promotion process is intended to recognise the development of an individual's academic profile and reputation and their contribution to delivering the University's <u>vision</u>, <u>strategy</u> and values:



Successful applications will be based on peer-review of evidence, presented by the candidate, showing how the criteria have been met, as well as future plans and ambitions. The assessment of all application cases against the criteria for the selected pathway, will be **based primarily on the quality of contribution, and not simply on the quantity**. Single pieces of evidence may be used for more than one criterion.



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How to use this guide

The academic career path at Loughborough involves colleagues making an application to the University via the Dean, to be considered for promotion to either Senior Lecturer, Reader or Professor using an agreed set of criteria.

The guide will lead you through the criteria used to assess promotion cases, following one of three pathways:

Pathway 1: General

Pathway 2: Research and Innovation focus

Pathway 3: Education and Student Experience focus

The guide describes the promotion criteria in three areas of academic endeavour: Research and Innovation (RI), Education and Student Experience (ESE), and Citizenship and Leadership (CL)

The guide is interactive and allows you to view the details of

- The Required Criteria which are the same for all pathways, and
- The choice of Options from **Additional Activities** or **Additional** Criteria which relate to your chosen pathway



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Summary of the criteria

SL R	P RESEARCH & INNOVATION	SL	R	Р	EDUCATION & STUDENT EXPERIENCE
o o	RI1 Research Outputs	•	•	•	ESE1 Education Practice
•	Research and Innovation Funding	•	•	•	ESE2 Student Engagement
o o	Research Supervision	•	•	•	ESE3 Curriculum Development
•	Research Esteem and Recognition	•	•	•	ESE4 Employability
0 0	O RI5 Engagement with External Organisations	0	0	0	ESE5 Scholarship of Teaching
0 0	O RI6 Translation and application of knowledge	0	0	0	ESE6 Building Pedagogical Research and Innovation
0	O RI7 Public Understanding	SL	R	P	CITIZENSHIP & LEADERSHIP
0	O RI8 Development of research strategy	•	•	•	CL1 University Leadership
0	O RI9 Building research capacity and leadership	•	•	•	CL2 Leadership in the discipline
⊙ Red	quired Criteria + Additional Activities (pathway specific)	•	•	•	CL3 Collegiality
O Ad	ditional Criteria (pathway specific)	•	•	•	CL4 Contribution to the University

How to use this guide



Select the academic grade are you looking for promotion to



View the details of the Required Criteria and see examples of activities

Select your pathway: 1. General, 2. R&I focus, 3. E&SE focus

Explore the options you have available for your selected pathway

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Which grade are you looking for promotion to?

Senior Lecturer

Reader

Professor



It is important that you have had informal and ongoing discussions with your Dean of School or delegated member of academic staff before proceeding with your application

Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer

Pathways matrix

Pathways matrix for promotion to Senior Lecturer

For Senior Lecturer promotions there are 12 Required Criteria across the three areas shown below. In addition, you should select 2 options for your chosen pathway, from Additional Activity or Additional Criteria to reach a grade are you looking for promotion to.

CRITERIA AREAS ► PATHWAYS ▼	RESEARCH & INNOVATION	EDUCATION & STUDENT EXPERIENCE	CITIZENSHIP & LEADERSHIP	TOTAL CRITERIA
ALL PATHWAYS	Required: RI1-RI4	Required: ESE1-ESE4	Required: CL1-CL4	12
PATHWAY 1 (General) Select 2 options	Option: select from Additional Activities for RI1- RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI7	Option: and / or select from Additional Activities for ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5- ESE6	Option: and / or select from Additional Activities for CL1-CL4	2
PATHWAY 2 (R&I) Select 2 options	Option: select from Additional Activities for RI1- RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5- RI7			2
PATHWAY 3 (E&SE) Select 2 options	Note: For RI2 funding could pertain to pedagogical research	Option: select from Additional Activities for ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6		2

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA

RI1 Research Outputs

A developed record of high-quality research, that is recognised for its originality, significance and rigour. Plans for sustaining/ enhancing a research focus.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

A research profile that is clearly advancing in terms of quality, and visibility of outputs. These will include articles in peer reviewed journals, monographs, creative work or other high quality scholarly activity.

Output quality and visibility should be demonstrated by a range of evidence. Output quality evidence should include formal internal or external peer review which may include published book, creative work or exhibition reviews. Evidence of visibility might take the form of field-weighted citation data, outlet indicators (e.g., SNIP and open access status) or exhibition attendance numbers.

Creative and ambitious plans for the development of further high-quality outputs.

A commitment to EDI in research and/or innovation activities.

Note: for a teaching focused promotion application there is still an expectation of the production of outputs which are discipline leading in terms of their significance, originality and rigour.

RI1 continued ... Peer Review of selected outputs ▶

View other Required Criteria for Senior Lecturer promotions



RI2

RI3

RI4

ESE1

ESE2

ESE3

ESE4

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CL2

CL3

CL4

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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA

RI1 Research Outputs (cont'd)

A developed record of high-quality research, that is recognised for its originality, significance and rigour. Plans for sustaining/ enhancing a research focus.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

Output quality assessment by peer review

Choose up to three outputs that best showcase the quality of your research, published since your appointment or last promotion. For each output, give either the full bibliographic reference or the DOI, and provide a statement which discusses (1) your contribution to the underpinning research and the writing of the paper and (2) the significance, originality and rigour of the research.

View other Required Criteria for Senior Lecturer promotions





RI3



















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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA

RI2 Research and Innovation Funding

Generation of external research and/or innovation income to fund original research that meets or exceeds discipline norms. Research funding applications must demonstrate ambition, trajectory and expansion of the research portfolio.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

Fundable grant applications submitted for competitive external research funds or fellowships since appointment. Income (research and/ or innovation) may include collaborative grants which involve Co-I as well as PI input. May also include competitively funded personal fellowships e.g., Leverhulme or British Academy.

If funding applications were unsuccessful, feedback (quantitative or qualitative) from external funders that the application(s) were of excellent/ fundable quality.

Note: for a teaching focused promotion application the funding could pertain to pedagogical research, as described in ESE5.

























Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
RI3 Research Supervision	Supporting the progression of Doctoral Researchers (not necessarily to completion) and / or Post- Doctoral Research Associates or Assistants (PDRA), resulting in published outcomes, or any other
Successful supervision of researchers	measure that a research project/ supervision is making progress.
leading to the successful delivery of	
projects.	
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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
RI4 Research Esteem and Recognition	Invitations to chair, present, attend, contribute or exhibit work at national/international fora.
Recognition within discipline area.	Take a leading role in the successful dissemination, nationally and internationally of research findings.
Demonstrate influence within and beyond the University, with an emphasis on	Membership and esteem in national research networks and collaborations, and an emerging profile in international research networks and collaborations.
national esteem and recognition.	Invitations to review articles or books for leading journals or publishers and/or review applications for grant funding bodies and charities.

























Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
ESE1 Education Practice	Successful and inclusive pedagogical practice.
Deflection on and development of	Fellowship of the HEA (FHEA) (minimum required for all).
Reflection on, and development of, education practice to ensure active	Rating of 'Meets Expectations' or above from a recent teaching observation.
learning among students.	Continuous professional development of teaching practice. Evidenced by participation in relevant CPD activity.

























Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
ESE2 Student Engagement	Creating a supportive and inclusive learning environment for students.
Engaging students from all backgrounds	Regular authentic engagement with personal tutees.
and contributing toward their personal,	Authentic engagement with student experience initiatives.
academic and professional development.	Ensuring exemplary standards of student support, guidance and supervision are maintained.
	Ensuring teaching content contributes to knowledge and understanding of equity, diversity and inclusion (EDI), climate change and net zero and/or health and wellbeing.



























Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
ESE3 Curriculum Development	Developing or significantly restructuring a module.
Developing our adjugational offering to	Creative translation of advances in the subject area into teaching material/delivery.
Developing our educational offering to provide students with an education that is up-to-date, evidence-based, innovative, inclusive and effective.	Updating teaching materials to improve student inclusivity and teaching quality.

























Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
ESE4 Employability Ensuring our graduates are equipped and	Providing opportunities for students to engage with external organisations via e.g., site visits, mentoring, visiting lecturers, support for dissertations, support for Loughborough Enterprise Network etc.
prepared for their life after tertiary	Ensuring teaching content is linked to potential potential post-qualification positions/ employment.
education.	Embedding the development of skills to be successful in the workplace (employability) into the curriculum.

























Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
CL1 University Leadership	Contributing to the creation of an equitable and inclusive environment for all.
Taking an active role in leading people, with or without formal authority, to facilitate the effective running of the University.	Undertaking Division/ Department/ Subject roles and evidence of positive impact in the role.

























Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
CL2 Leadership in the discipline	Contributing to disciplinary organisations.
Davidania a the discipline within and	Contributing to disciplinary initiatives/ panels at Division/ Department/ Subject/ or School levels.
Developing the discipline within and outside the University through working with others to build relationships and enhance its profile.	Contributing to professional associations, Research Councils and other funding bodies, editorial boards, external examinations, etc.



























Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
CL3 Collegiality	Supporting others to perform to their full potential.
Building Authentic, Responsible and supportive relationships with colleagues to enable them to perform at their best.	

























Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED	CRITERIA
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CL4 Contribution to the University

Taking an Authentic and Responsible role in University activities and initiatives to improve the working environment and create an inclusive culture.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

Contributing to the creation of equality, diversity and inclusion at Loughborough University.

Contributing to the University's aim to affect climate change and to become Net Zero.

Contributing to programmes or interventions which ensure the health, safety and wellbeing of colleagues.

Contributing to student recruitment through activities such as open/offer days.

Contributing to a vibrant community through specific initiatives that bring people together for a clear purpose such as away days.

View other Required Criteria for Senior Lecturer promotions





RI3



















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Promotion to Senior Lecturer

Select one of the pathways below to be guided through the options to add two Additional Criteria and / or Additional Activities to meet the requirements for promotion to Senior Lecturer.

1. General pathway

2. Research and Innovation Focus pathway

3. Education and Student Experience Focus pathway



You should have discussed and agreed which pathway is most appropriate for you with your Dean or delegated member of academic staff before proceeding.

Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI1 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY RI1 Research Outputs A developed record of high-quality research, that is recognised for its originality, significance and rigour. Plans for sustaining/ enhancing a research focus. EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY Awards for research outputs. Strategies that aim to support the inclusion and contribution of underrepresented groups in research and innovation activities. Production of open research outputs, for example, sharing of data and code, materials, technology, exhibitions of work and digital outputs.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

RI2 Research and Innovation Funding

Generation of external research and/or innovation income to fund original research that meets or exceeds discipline norms. Research funding applications must demonstrate ambition, trajectory and expansion of the research portfolio.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

Research income from any source which comes via the University.

Attracting external funding for research students and early career researchers (e.g., Centre for Doctoral Training or Doctoral Training Partnerships or Collaborative Doctoral Awards).

Income from industry partners (e.g., Rolls Royce).

Consultancy income (e.g., Highways Agency).

Income from spin-out companies and patents.

Additional Activity









































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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
RI3 Research Supervision	Activities to support doctoral researchers/ research staff learning and development experiences at the University and/or in other research contexts.
Successful supervision of researchers leading to the successful delivery of projects.	External examining of higher degrees.







































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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
RI4 Research Esteem and Recognition	Recognition demonstrated for example by awards, invitations, positions of responsibility within the external and internal research community.
Recognition within discipline area.	Editor/ member of editorial body of a periodical or journal of excellent standing.
Demonstrate influence within and beyond the University, with an emphasis on	Research advisory role for organisations, national networks, professional bodies, public bodies, parliamentary select committees, or similar.
national esteem and recognition.	Visiting appointments in leading research institutions by invitation.
	Membership or election to fellowship of national academies and professional societies.
	Sustained international collaborations and partnerships as evidenced through joint publications, grant applications, research/ knowledge exchange visits, or other appropriate examples.
	Provision of authentic and responsible advice based on research/ innovation leadership to external agencies.
	Developing and creating significant, responsive, and productive research partnerships/ networks.













































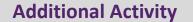
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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE1 Education Practice	Contribution to accreditation or benchmarking strategy within the department/school.
	Senior Fellowship of the HEA (SFHEA).
Reflection on, and development of, education practice to ensure active	Winning a University teaching award e.g. Teaching Innovation Award (TIA), Inclusivity in Teaching TIA, STEMLab TIA, or similar award from another institution.
learning among students.	Successful implementation of innovative teaching practice.









































Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option ESE2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE2 Student Engagement	Active and responsive engagement with students through staff-student liaison committees (SSLCs) or other similar formal and direct means.
Engaging students from all backgrounds	Utilising technology or innovative techniques to enable student engagement.
and contributing toward their personal, academic and professional development.	Collaborating with colleagues to maintain exemplary standards of student support, guidance and supervision.



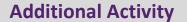
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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE3 Curriculum Development	Contributing to the development of a new programme.
Developing our educational offering to	Innovation through the application of pedagogical research to module/ programme delivery and/ or design.
provide students with an education that is up-to-date, evidence-based, innovative, inclusive and effective.	Collaborating across school/ department on teaching and learning projects and/ or with non-academic partner organisations.
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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE4 Employability	Contributing toward the implementation and development of initiatives that demonstrate impact on student outcomes and employability.
Ensuring our graduates are equipped and prepared for their life after tertiary	Developing initiatives that allow students to improve or broaden their skills to enable them to be successful in the workplace.
education.	Ensuring that the curriculum is informed by sector and industry developments in related fields.



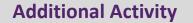
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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
CL1 University Leadership	Involvement and evidence of positive influence within key Division/ Department/ Subject/ School strategic initiatives.
Taking an active role in leading people, with or without formal authority, to facilitate the effective running of the University.	Contributing to the implementation of the University strategy.











































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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

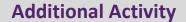
CL2 Leadership in the discipline

Developing the discipline within and outside the University through working with others to build relationships and enhance its profile.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

Developing new formal institutional disciplinary or subject collaborations and partnerships.

Establishing new formal and ongoing collaborations and engagement opportunities between students, staff and external organisations.







































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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY CL3 Collegiality Contribution as a Mental Health First Aider, Wellbeing Champion, First Aider. Contribution in a formal role in a staff or student network or other similar formal group. Building Authentic, Responsible and supportive relationships with colleagues to enable them to perform at their best.



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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
CL4 Contribution to the University	Sustained and impactful contribution to formal equity, diversity and inclusion (EDI) initiatives, working groups and committees at any level within the University.
Taking an Authentic and Responsible role in University activities and initiatives to	Sustained/impactful contribution to formal initiatives which support to health & well-being of the whole University population.
improve the working environment and create an inclusive culture.	Sustained/ impactful contribution to formal initiatives to affect climate change and become net zero.
	Representing the trade unions on behalf of staff, or other similar supportive roles.
	Participating in outreach programmes to support widening participation at the University.











































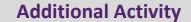
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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY Developing meaningful mutually beneficial partnerships with important and relevant organisations, **RI5 Engagement with External** professions, businesses, alumni and higher education institutions, locally, regionally, nationally and **Organisations** internationally. Engaging with relevant external Working with others to create new products, processes or services. stakeholders to address key issues and challenges facing society. Collaborating with external partners leading to creation of new knowledge, insights, or change. Involving the public, private and/ or third sector in the research process and increasing the relevance of research to society. Contributing to and creating short courses and training for members of a relevant professional institution. Awards, invitations, positions of responsibility within external organisations. Provision of specialist consultancy advice to external agencies. Recruiting and attracting funding for KTPs and similar external enterprise funding.









































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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

RI6 Translation and Application of Knowledge

Creative and adventurous application of knowledge to increase participation and effect change for the benefit of the broader community as appropriate for the discipline.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Impacting on changes to learning, understanding, behaviour or practice in culture, environment, industry, economy, society, government or sport and health.

Contributing to broader economic, social, environmental or cultural prosperity, e.g., through changes to public policy, national/international standards or similar.

Impacting on matters at local, regional, national and international levels e.g., immigration, culture and heritage management, planning debates, climate change and other environmental issues, participation in sport/ physical activity for health improvement, education policy, traffic planning etc.

Contributing to external impact of academic research, e.g., through patents or other intellectual property, the work of spin-out companies, social enterprises, charities, or other examples of innovation as appropriate for the discipline.

Creative activities that demonstrate a commitment to environmental sustainability in research/innovation and net zero omissions (e.g., paperless research, recycling/repurposing equipment).

Being awarded a government policy fellowship.

Additional Activity









































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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY RI7 Public Understanding Delivering engagement through collaboration and co-creation with the wider community. Participating in high social impact activities a green while debates, madio appears

Communicating externally using different media to create relevant opportunities for engagement and collaboration.

Participating in high social-impact activities e.g., exhibitions, public debates, media appearances.



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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

ESE5 Scholarship of Teaching

Engaging in scholarship of the theory and practice of education to develop and/ or implement innovative and evidence-led approaches to teaching.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Contribution to pedagogical research in the discipline.

Publishing textbooks, outputs in pedagogical/education focused journals and similar sources for the discipline, that are recognised for significance. Output quality and visibility should be demonstrated by a range of evidence. Output quality evidence should include formal internal or external peer review which may include published book, creative work or exhibition reviews. Evidence of visibility might take the form of field-weighted citation data, outlet indicators (e.g., SNIP and open access status), exhibition attendance numbers or evidence of use in courses external to Loughborough.

Contribution to educational initiatives or working groups at School or University levels.

Fundable grant applications on pedagogical research submitted since appointment, that if awarded, would bring income to the University. Income (research and/or innovation) may include collaborative grants which involve Co-I as well as PI input. May also include funded visiting fellowships or secondments or similar with a pedagogical focus.

If funding applications were unsuccessful, feedback (quantitative or qualitative) from funders that the application(s) were of excellent/fundable quality.

Invitations to chair and/ or present or exhibit work at national/international fora.

Submissions to national and/or international awards and prizes for teaching practice or scholarship of teaching.

Additional Activity









































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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

ESE6 Building Pedagogical Research/ Innovation Capacity, Policy and Leadership

Evidence of pedagogical research and innovation and leadership in education and student experience in the University and leadership in national and/or international education agendas and policy.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Contributing to a pedagogical research group/ centre/ network or other pedagogy-focused multi-researcher enterprise.

Providing intellectual leadership to build pedagogic research capacity and collaborations, both internally and externally.

Contributing to School/ University pedagogical research or education and student experience committees and working groups and demonstrating impact within these groups.

Contributing to national or international educational initiatives.

Collaboration with national or international bodies on education (e.g., AdvanceHE, Education Sector Advisory Group, HEFCE/ TEF, government consultation committees).

Additional Activity





































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Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI7.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
RI1 Research Outputs	Awards for research outputs.
A developed record of high-quality	Strategies that aim to support the inclusion and contribution of underrepresented groups in research and innovation activities.
research, that is recognised for its originality, significance and rigour. Plans for sustaining/ enhancing a research focus.	Production of open research outputs, for example, sharing of data and code, materials, technology, exhibitions of work and digital outputs.

Additional Activity















Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI7.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

RI2 Research and Innovation Funding

Generation of external research and/or innovation income to fund original research that meets or exceeds discipline norms. Research funding applications must demonstrate ambition, trajectory and expansion of the research portfolio.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

Research income from any source which comes via the University.

Attracting external funding for research students and early career researchers (e.g., Centre for Doctoral Training or Doctoral Training Partnerships or Collaborative Doctoral Awards).

Income from industry partners (e.g., Rolls Royce).

Consultancy income (e.g., Highways Agency).

Income from spin-out companies and patents.

Additional Activity

RI2 ▶

RI3 ▶

RI4 ▶

RI5

RI6

Additional Criteria

RI7 ▶

Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI3 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI7.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
Activities to support doctoral researchers/ research staff learning and development experiences at the University and/or in other research contexts.
External examining of higher degrees.

Additional Activity

Additional Criteria



RI2 ▶

RI3 ▶

RI4 ▶

RI5

RI6

RI7 ▶

Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI4 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI7.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
RI4 Research Esteem and Recognition	Recognition demonstrated for example by awards, invitations, positions of responsibility within the external and internal research community.
Recognition within discipline area.	Editor/ member of editorial body of a periodical or journal of excellent standing.
Demonstrate influence within and beyond the University, with an emphasis on	Research advisory role for organisations, national networks, professional bodies, public bodies, parliamentary select committees, or similar.
national esteem and recognition.	Visiting appointments in leading research institutions by invitation.
	Membership or election to fellowship of national academies and professional societies.
	Sustained international collaborations and partnerships as evidenced through joint publications, grant applications, research/ knowledge exchange visits, or other appropriate examples.
	Provision of authentic and responsible advice based on research/innovation leadership to external agencies.
	Developing and creating significant, responsive, and productive research partnerships/ networks.
Additional Activity	Additional Criteria
RI1 ▶ RI2 ▶ RI3 ▶ RI4 ▶	RI5 ▶ RI6 ▶ RI7 ▶

Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI5 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI7.

RI5

RI6

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA	EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY
RI5 Engagement with External Organisations Engaging with relevant external	Developing meaningful mutually beneficial partnerships with important and relevant organisations, professions, businesses, alumni and higher education institutions, locally, regionally, nationally and internationally.
stakeholders to address key issues and	Working with others to create new products, processes or services.
challenges facing society.	Collaborating with external partners leading to creation of new knowledge, insights, or change.
	Involving the public, private and/ or third sector in the research process and increasing the relevance of research to society.
	Contributing to and creating short courses and training for members of a relevant professional institution.
	Awards, invitations, positions of responsibility within external organisations.
	Provision of specialist consultancy advice to external agencies.
	Recruiting and attracting funding for KTPs and similar external enterprise funding.
Additional Activity	Additional Criteria

Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI6 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI7.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

RI6 Translation and Application of Knowledge

Creative and adventurous application of knowledge to increase participation and effect change for the benefit of the broader community as appropriate for the discipline.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Impacting on changes to learning, understanding, behaviour or practice in culture, environment, industry, economy, society, government or sport and health.

Contributing to broader economic, social, environmental or cultural prosperity, e.g., through changes to public policy, national/international standards or similar.

Impacting on matters at local, regional, national and international levels e.g., immigration, culture and heritage management, planning debates, climate change and other environmental issues, participation in sport/ physical activity for health improvement, education policy, traffic planning etc.

Contributing to external impact of academic research, e.g., through patents or other intellectual property, the work of spin-out companies, social enterprises, charities, or other examples of innovation as appropriate for the discipline.

Creative activities that demonstrate a commitment to environmental sustainability in research/innovation and net zero omissions (e.g., paperless research, recycling/ repurposing equipment).

Being awarded a government policy fellowship.

Additional Activity

► RI2 ►

RI3 ▶

RI4 ▶

RI5

RI6 ▶

Additional Criteria

RI7 ▶

Academic Promotion > <u>Grade</u> > Senior Lecturer > <u>Choose your pathway</u> > Pathway 2 > Option RI7 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI7.

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rough collaboration and co-creation with the wider community.
-impact activities e.g., exhibitions, public debates, media appearances.

Additional Activity

Additional Criteria

RI1

RI2 ▶

RI3 ▶

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RI7 ▶

Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE1 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select two options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE1 Education Practice	Contribution to accreditation or benchmarking strategy within the department/school.
	Senior Fellowship of the HEA (SFHEA).
Reflection on, and development of, education practice to ensure active learning among students.	Winning a University teaching award e.g. Teaching Innovation Award (TIA), Inclusivity in Teaching TIA, STEMLab TIA, or similar award from another institution.
	Successful implementation of innovative teaching practice.

Additional Activity















Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select two options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE2 Student Engagement	Active and responsive engagement with students through staff-student liaison committees (SSLCs) or other similar formal and direct means.
Engaging students from all backgrounds	Utilising technology or innovative techniques to enable student engagement.
and contributing toward their personal, academic and professional development.	Collaborating with colleagues to maintain exemplary standards of student support, guidance and supervision.

Additional Activity















Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE3 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select two options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE3 Curriculum Development	Contributing to the development of a new programme.
Developing our educational offering to	Innovation through the application of pedagogical research to module/ programme delivery and/ or design.
provide students with an education that is up-to-date, evidence-based, innovative, inclusive and effective.	Collaborating across school/ department on teaching and learning projects and/ or with non-academic partner organisations.

Additional Activity













Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE4 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select two options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE4 Employability	Contributing toward the implementation and development of initiatives that demonstrate impact on student outcomes and employability.
Ensuring our graduates are equipped and prepared for their life after tertiary	Developing initiatives that allow students to improve or broaden their skills to enable them to be successful in the workplace.
education.	Ensuring that the curriculum is informed by sector and industry developments in related fields.

Additional Activity















Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE5 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select two options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

ESE5 Scholarship of Teaching

Engaging in scholarship of the theory and practice of education to develop and/or implement innovative and evidence-led approaches to teaching.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Contribution to pedagogical research in the discipline.

Publishing textbooks, outputs in pedagogical/ education focused journals and similar sources for the discipline, that are recognised for significance. Output quality and visibility should be demonstrated by a range of evidence. Output quality evidence should include formal internal or external peer review which may include published book, creative work or exhibition reviews. Evidence of visibility might take the form of field-weighted citation data, outlet indicators (e.g., SNIP and open access status), exhibition attendance numbers or evidence of use in courses external to Loughborough.

Contribution to educational initiatives or working groups at School or University levels.

Fundable grant applications on pedagogical research submitted since appointment, that if awarded, would bring income to the University. Income (research and/or innovation) may include collaborative grants which involve Co-I as well as PI input. May also include funded visiting fellowships or secondments or similar with a pedagogical focus.

If funding applications were unsuccessful, feedback (quantitative or qualitative) from funders that the application(s) were of excellent/fundable quality.

Invitations to chair and/ or present or exhibit work at national/international fora.

Submissions to national and/or international awards and prizes for teaching practice or scholarship of teaching.

Additional Activity















Academic Promotion > Grade > Senior Lecturer > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE6 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Senior Lecturer Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select two options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

ESE6 Building Pedagogical Research/ Innovation Capacity, Policy and Leadership

Evidence of pedagogical research and innovation and leadership in education and student experience in the University and leadership in national and/or international education agendas and policy.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Contributing to a pedagogical research group/ centre/ network or other pedagogy-focused multi-researcher enterprise.

Providing intellectual leadership to build pedagogic research capacity and collaborations, both internally and externally.

Contributing to School/ University pedagogical research or education and student experience committees and working groups and demonstrating impact within these groups.

Contributing to national or international educational initiatives.

Collaboration with national or international bodies on education (e.g., AdvanceHE, Education Sector Advisory Group, HEFCE/ TEF, government consultation committees).

Additional Activity

► ESE2 ►

ESE3

ESE4

ESE5 ▶

ESE6

Additional Criteria

■ Review the Required Criteria for all pathways

Or select your pathway to see the options

Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader

Pathways matrix

Pathways matrix for promotion to Reader

For Reader promotions there are 12 Required Criteria across the three areas shown below. In addition, you should select 2 options for your chosen pathway, from Additional Activity or Additional Criteria to reach a total of 14.

CRITERIA AREAS ► PATHWAYS ▼	RESEARCH & INNOVATION	EDUCATION & STUDENT EXPERIENCE	CITIZENSHIP & LEADERSHIP	TOTAL CRITERIA
ALL PATHWAYS	Required: RI1-RI4	Required: ESE1-ESE4	Required: CL1-CL4	12
PATHWAY 1 (General) Select 2 options	Option: select from Additional Activities for RI1- RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI9	Option: and / or select from Additional Activities for ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5- ESE6	Option: and / or select from Additional Activities for CL1-CL4	2
PATHWAY 2 (R&I) Select 2 options	Option: select from Additional Activities for RI1- RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5- RI9			2
PATHWAY 3 (E&SE) Select 2 options	Note: For RI2 funding could pertain to pedagogical research	Option: select from Additional Activities for ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6		2

Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Required Criteria > RI1

Pathways matrix

Reader Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA

RI1 Research Outputs

A sustained record of high-quality research and continuing trajectory of outputs, that is recognised internationally for its, originality, significance and rigour and visibility. Clear forward plans for sustaining/ enhancing programmes of research.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

A research profile that clearly demonstrates a strong progressive trajectory in terms of both quality, and visibility of outputs. These will include articles in peer reviewed journals, monographs, creative work, or other high quality scholarly activity.

Output quality and visibility should be demonstrated by a range of evidence. Output quality evidence should include formal internal or external peer review which may include published book, creative work, or exhibition reviews. Evidence of visibility might take the form of field-weighted citation data, outlet indicators (e.g., SNIP and open access status) or exhibition attendance numbers.

A significant and ambitious plan for the publication of further high-quality outputs.

A commitment to EDI in research and/ or innovation.

Note: for a teaching focused promotion application there is still an expectation of the production of outputs which are discipline leading in terms of their significance, originality and rigour.

RI1 continued ... Peer Review of selected outputs ▶

























Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Required Criteria > RI1

Pathways matrix

Reader Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA

RI1 Research Outputs (cont'd)

A developed record of high-quality research, that is recognised for its originality, significance and rigour. Plans for sustaining/enhancing a research focus.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

Output quality assessment by peer review

Choose up to three outputs that best showcase the quality of your research, published since your appointment or last promotion. For each output, give either the full bibliographic reference or the DOI, and provide a statement which discusses (1) your contribution to the underpinning research and the writing of the paper and (2) the significance, originality and rigour of the research.

View other Required Criteria for Reader promotions





RI3

RI4

















Pathways matrix

Reader Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA

RI2 Research and Innovation Funding

Generation of external research and/or innovation income to fund original research that meets or exceeds discipline norms. Record of successfully delivering research projects with support from external funding.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

Research income awarded by an external body through a competitive process which funds research and innovation activities.

Research income should meet or exceed norms for the discipline. Grant income may include collaborative grants which involve Co-I as well as PI input. May also include competitively awarded personal fellowships or fellowships of significant prestige awarded 'by invitation' for projects of significant scale and/ or ambition.

Grant applications submitted since the last promotion demonstrating ambition, adventurousness, trajectory and expansion of research portfolio.

Note: for a teaching focused promotion application the funding could pertain to pedagogical research, as described in ESE5.

























Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Required Criteria > RI3

Pathways matrix

Reader Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY	
RI3 Research Supervision	Supervision of several PhD theses to successful completion including as primary supervisor and commensurate experience of developing others in research context in line with disciplinary norms.	
Successful supervision of researchers leading to the successful delivery of projects.	Internal and external examining of higher degrees.	

























Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Required Criteria > RI4

Pathways matrix

Reader Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA

RI4 Research Esteem and Recognition

Significant recognition within discipline area. Demonstrate substantial influence within and beyond the University, with an emphasis on international esteem and recognition.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

Substantial reputation in research as demonstrated for example by prestigious awards, invitations, positions of responsibility within the external and internal research community.

Invitations to chair, present, attend, contribute or exhibit work at national/international fora.

Invitations to deliver keynote lectures or similar, with a focus on international invitations.

Invitations to review articles or books for leading journals or publishers and/ or review applications for grant funding bodies and charities.

Consolidated and ongoing international collaborations and partnerships.



























Pathways matrix

Reader Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
ESE1 Education Practice	Provision of successful and inclusive student learning.
	Fellowship of the HEA (FHEA) (minimum required for all).
Reflection on, and development of, education practice to ensure active learning among students.	Ensuring teaching content which contributes to knowledge and understanding of equity, diversity and inclusion (EDI), climate change and net zero or health and wellbeing.
	Rating of 'Meets expectations' or above from a recent teaching observation.
	Continuous professional development of teaching practice. Evidenced by participation in relevant CPD activity.

























Pathways matrix

Reader Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
ESE2 Student Engagement	Evidence of a responsible, supportive and inclusive pedagogical approach.
Engaging students from all backgrounds and contributing toward their personal, academic and professional development.	Regular authentic engagement with personal tutees.
	Authentic engagement with student experience initiatives.
	Ensuring exemplary standards of student support, guidance and supervision are maintained.

























Pathways matrix

Reader Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
ESE3 Curriculum Development	Creative translation of advances in the subject area into teaching material/ delivery.
Developing our educational offering to	Continual and consistent improvement of teaching materials ensuring student inclusivity and quality.
provide students with an education that is up-to-date, evidence-based, innovative, inclusive and effective.	Ensuring teaching content is linked to potential post-qualification positions/ employment.

























Pathways matrix

Reader Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
ESE4 Employability Ensuring our graduates are equipped and prepared for their life after tertiary	Providing opportunities for students to engage with external organisations via e.g., site visits, mentoring, visiting lecturers, support for dissertations, support for Loughborough Enterprise Network etc.
	Ensuring teaching content is linked to potential post-qualification positions/ employment.
education.	Embedding the development of skills to be successful in the workplace (employability) into the curriculum.

























Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Required Criteria > CL1

Pathways matrix

Reader Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
CL1 University Leadership	Undertaking Division/ Department/ Subject/ School/ University leadership roles and evidence of positive contribution in role.
Taking an active role in leading people,	Managing others to perform to their full potential (e.g., staff and students).
with or without formal authority, to	Taking responsibility for creating an equitable and inclusive working environment for all.
facilitate the effective running of the University.	Contributing to the implementation of the University strategy.

View other Required Criteria for Reader promotions





RI3

RI4

















Pathways matrix

Reader Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
CL2 Leadership in the discipline	Contributing to Division/ Department/ Subject/ School/ University initiatives that relate to the discipline, including selection committees.
Developing the discipline within and outside the University through working with others to build relationships and enhance its profile.	Contributing to professional and disciplinary associations, Research Councils and other funding bodies, editorial boards, external examinations, etc.

























Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Required Criteria > CL3

Pathways matrix

Reader Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
CL3 Collegiality	Supporting the career development of others through e.g., coaching or mentoring others either as part of a formal scheme or more informally with colleagues
Building Authentic, Responsible and	Supporting others to perform to their full potential.
supportive relationships with colleagues to enable them to perform at their best.	Contributing to activities which support the wellbeing of others in the workplace.

























Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Required Criteria > CL4

Pathways matrix

Reader Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
CL4 Contribution to the University	Contributing to the creation of an equitable and inclusive environment for all.
	Contributing to the University's aim to affect climate change and to become Net Zero.
Taking an Authentic and Responsible role in University activities and initiatives to improve the working environment and create an inclusive culture.	Contributing to programmes or interventions which ensure the health, safety and wellbeing of colleagues.
	Contributing to annual Division/ School/ University events, such as open/ offer days, Graduation, etc.
	Contributing to a vibrant community through specific initiatives that bring people together for a clear purpose such as away days.

























Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway

Pathways matrix

Promotion to Reader

Select one of the pathways below to be guided through the options to add two Additional Criteria and / or Additional Activities to meet the requirements for promotion to Reader.

1. General pathway

2. Research and Innovation Focus pathway

3. Education and Student Experience Focus pathway



You should have discussed and agreed which pathway is most appropriate for you with your Dean or delegated member of academic staff before proceeding.

Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI1 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

RI1 Research Outputs A sustained record of high-quality research and continuing trajectory of outputs, that is recognised internationally for its, originality, significance and rigour and visibility. Clear forward plans for sustaining/ enhancing programmes of research. EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY Awards for research outputs. Strategies that aim to support the inclusion and contribution of underrepresented groups in research and innovation activities. Leading the production of open research outputs, for example, sharing of data and code, materials, technology, exhibitions of work and digital outputs.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

RI2 Research and Innovation Funding

Generation of external research and/or innovation income to fund original research that meets or exceeds discipline norms. Record of successfully delivering research projects with support from external funding.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

Recruiting and attracting funding from external sources for research students and early career researchers (e.g., Centre for Doctoral Training or Doctoral Training Partnerships).

Income from spin-out companies and patents.















































Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI3 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
RI3 Research Supervision	Activities to support doctoral researchers/ research staff learning and development experiences at the University and/ or in other research contexts.
Successful supervision of researchers leading to the successful delivery of	Activities that seek to foster a collaborative team spirit and create a strong sense of community within a doctoral community.
projects.	Mentor and/or manage postdoctoral research researchers and other research related colleagues including supporting their employability.
	Providing and leading opportunities for unrepresented individuals to take up research and/or innovation posts at the University.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI4 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY Lead the successful dissemination, nationally and internationally, of research findings. **RI4 Research Esteem and Recognition** Provision of authentic and responsible advice based on research/innovation leadership to external agencies. Significant recognition within discipline Research reports, grant applications, research outputs and knowledge exchange visits that involve area. Demonstrate substantial influence international collaborations and partnerships. within and beyond the University, with an Production of open research outputs, for example, sharing data and code, materials, technology, exhibitions of work and digital outputs. emphasis on international esteem and recognition. Planning and leading participation in knowledge exchange activities, and in shaping the delivery of research outreach activities. Editor/ member of editorial body of a periodical or journal of some standing. Invited membership of grant funding panels. Research advisory role for organisations, national networks, professional bodies, public bodies, parliamentary select committees, or similar and evidence of impact of contribution. Membership or election to fellowship of national academies and professional societies.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option ESE1 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY Senior or Principal Fellowship of the HEA (SFHEA or PFHEA) required for Pathway 3 (Education and Student Experience). **ESE1 Education Practice** Leading the implementation of processes or policies for moderation, benchmarking, and quality control of teaching Reflection on, and within the school/ department. development of, Being a University Assessor. External examiner for other universities' programmes. education practice to Winning a University teaching award e.g. Teaching Innovation Award (TIA), Inclusivity in Teaching TIA, STEMLab TIA, or ensure active learning similar award from another institution. among students. Development and leading the successful implementation of innovative teaching practice into a course. Leading accreditation or benchmarking strategy within the department/ school. Developing and leading adventurous and creative initiatives which ensure inclusive teaching practice within the department/school. An excellent standard of teaching performance at different levels (e.g., undergraduate, postgraduate, CPD) which may involve use of innovative learning and assessment methods and delivery.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option ESE2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE2 Student Engagement	Leading initiatives for active and responsive engagement with students through staff-student liaison committees (SSLCs) or other similar formal and direct means.
Engaging students from all backgrounds and contributing toward their personal, academic and professional development.	Developing and implementing innovative and creative techniques, policy or processes to enable student engagement and inclusion.
	Leading School or University activities related to student wellbeing and/ or widening participation.
	Involvement in national or international activities related to student experience, progression and/or widening participation or similar.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option ESE3 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ESE3 Curriculum Development Developing our educational offering to provide students with an education that is up-to-date, evidence-based, innovative, inclusive and effective. EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY Leading the development of a new/ restructured programme. Engaging with external stakeholders in programme/ module delivery/ development. Developing collaborative links with other universities, including setting up joint degree programmes. Contributing to cross-University multi-disciplinary teaching and learning initiatives. Collaborating with external peers on significant teaching and learning projects, including with non-academic partner organisations.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option ESE4 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE4 Employability	Contributing toward the implementation and development of initiatives that demonstrate impact on student outcomes and employability.
Ensuring our graduates are equipped and prepared for their life after tertiary	Developing initiatives that allow students to improve or broaden their skills to enable them to be successful in the workplace.
education.	Ensuring that the curriculum is informed by sector and industry developments in related fields.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option CL1 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
CL1 University Leadership	Contribution to the work of formal committees at School or University level.
Taking an active role in leading people, with or without formal authority, to	Leading significant Division/ Department/ Subject/ School/ University governance processes and strategic initiatives with a positive/ impactful outcome.
	Leading School/ Division/ Department/ Subject/ University decision making and policy.
facilitate the effective running of the University.	Contributing to key University special projects groups.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option CL2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

CL2 Leadership in the discipline

Developing the discipline within and outside the University through working with others to build relationships and enhance its profile.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

Developing new formal institutional disciplinary or subject collaborations and partnerships.

Establishing new formal and ongoing collaborations and engagement opportunities between students, staff and external organisations.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option CL1 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY CL3 Collegiality Making a significant contribution in a leadership capacity in a formal role in a staff or student network or other similar formal group. Building Authentic, Responsible and supportive relationships with colleagues to enable them to perform at their best.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option CL4 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
Sustained and impactful contribution to formal equity, diversity and inclusion (EDI) initiatives, working groups and committees at any level within the University.
Sustained and impactful contribution to formal initiatives which support to health & well-being of the whole University population.
Sustained and impactful contribution to formal initiatives to affect climate change and become net zero.
Sustained and impactful contribution to trade union work, or other similar supportive roles.
Participating in outreach programmes to support widening participation at the University.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI5 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY Developing meaningful mutually beneficial partnerships with important and relevant organisations, **RI5 Engagement with External** professions, businesses, alumni and higher education institutions, locally, regionally, nationally and **Organisations** internationally. Collaborating with relevant external Collaborating with external partners to create new knowledge, products, processes, stakeholders to address key issues and services, insights or change. challenges facing society. Recruiting and attracting funding for KTPs and similar external enterprise funding. Membership of industry, school or governmental (local or national) advisory boards to facilitate responsible exchange of knowledge from academia into society. Collaborating with the public, private and/ or third sector in the research process and increasing the relevance of research to society. Contributing to and creating short courses and training for members of a relevant professional institution. Awards, invitations, positions of responsibility within external organisations. **Additional Activity Additional Criteria** RI5

Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI6 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

RI6 Translation and application of knowledge

Creative and adventurous application of knowledge to increase participation and effect change for the benefit of the broader community.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Impacting on changes to learning, understanding, behaviour or practice in culture, environment, industry, economy, society, government or sport and health.

Impacting on matters at local, regional, national and international levels e.g., immigration, culture and heritage management, planning debates, climate change and other environmental issues, participation in sport/ physical activity for health improvement, education policy, traffic planning etc.

Contributing to external impact of academic research, e.g., through patents or other intellectual property, the work of spin-out companies, social enterprises, charities, or other examples of innovation as appropriate for the discipline.

Creative activities that demonstrate a commitment to environmental sustainability in research /innovation and net zero omissions (e.g., paperless research, recycling/repurposing equipment).

Being awarded a government policy fellowship.

















































Academic Promotion > <u>Grade</u> > Reader > <u>Choose your pathway</u> > Pathway 1 > Option RI7 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA	EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY
RI7 Public Understanding	Delivering engagement through collaboration and co-creation with the wider community.
	Participating in high social-impact activities e.g., exhibitions, public debates, media appearances.
Communicating externally using different media to create relevant opportunities for engagement and collaboration.	Leading impactful and/ or high-profile public outreach activities.



Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA	EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY
RI8 Development of research strategy	A significant role leading research initiatives within the University, and which align with the University strategy and values.
Contributions to strategy setting. Contribute to ensuring the continued	A significant contribution or input into the leadership of a University research centre, group or institute.
success of a research community (e.g., centre, group, institute) at the University.	Leading internal and external activities that further develop the University strategy.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI9 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

RI9 Building research capacity and leadership

Building research capacity and reputation within the University, to ensure long-term research prospects of a discipline area. Supporting early career researchers to thrive and become autonomous researchers. Making a positive contribution to the research development of others.

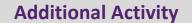
EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Providing leadership to build research capacity and research collaborations, both internally and externally.

Impactful contribution to a research group/ centre/ network or other multi-researcher enterprise (e.g., team science).

Sustained participation and impact in research consortia and networks within or across disciplines and/or institutions.

Authentic and responsible mentoring and/ or managing postdoctoral research assistants/ associates and other colleagues.











































Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option ESE5 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

ESE5 Scholarship of Teaching

Engaging in scholarship of the theory and practice of education to develop and/or implement innovative and evidence-led approaches to teaching

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Publishing textbooks, outputs in pedagogical/education focused journals and similar sources for the discipline, that are recognised for significance. Output quality and visibility should be demonstrated by a range of evidence. Output quality evidence should include formal internal or external peer review which may include published book, creative work or exhibition reviews. Evidence of visibility might take the form of field-weighted citation data, outlet indicators (e.g., SNIP and open access status), exhibition attendance numbers or evidence of use in courses external to Loughborough.

Research income for pedagogical research awarded via the University. Income (research and/or innovation) may include collaborative grants which involve Co-I as well as PI input. May include external competitively awarded or prestigious 'by invitation' fellowships, secondments and similar with a pedagogical focus.

Esteem in national pedagogical research networks and collaborations.

National and/or international awards and prizes for teaching practice or scholarship of teaching.

Additional Activity













































Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option ESE6 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select two options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

ESE6 Building Pedagogical Research/Innovation Capacity, Policy and Leadership

Evidence of building pedagogical research and innovation and leadership in education and student experience in the University and leadership in national and/ or international education agendas and policy.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Contributing to a pedagogical research group/centre/ network or other pedagogy-focused multiresearcher enterprise.

Providing intellectual leadership to build pedagogic research capacity and collaborations, both internally and externally.

Contributing to School/ University pedagogical research or education and student experience committees and working groups and demonstrating impact within these groups.

Contributing to national or international educational initiatives.

Collaboration with national or international bodies on education (e.g., AdvanceHE, Education Sector Advisory Group, HEFCE/TEF, government consultation committees).

Additional Activity











































Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI1 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activities for RI1- RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5- RI9.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

RI1 Research Outputs

A sustained record of high-quality research and continuing trajectory of outputs, that is recognised internationally for its, originality, significance and rigour and visibility. Clear forward plans for sustaining/ enhancing programmes of research.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

Awards for research outputs.

Strategies that aim to support the inclusion and contribution of underrepresented groups in research and innovation activities.

Leading the production of open research outputs, for example, sharing of data and code, materials, technology, exhibitions of work and digital outputs.

Additional Activity

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Additional Criteria

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Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activities for RI1- RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5- RI9.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

RI2 Research and Innovation Funding

Generation of external research and/or innovation income to fund original research that meets or exceeds discipline norms. Record of successfully delivering research projects with support from external funding.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

Recruiting and attracting funding from external sources for research students and early career researchers (e.g., Centre for Doctoral Training or Doctoral Training Partnerships).

Income from spin-out companies and patents.

Additional Activity

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Additional Criteria

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Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI3 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activities for RI1- RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5- RI9.

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Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI4 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activities for RI1- RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5- RI9.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY Lead the successful dissemination, nationally and internationally, of research findings. **RI4 Research Esteem and Recognition** Provision of authentic and responsible advice based on research/innovation leadership to external agencies. Significant recognition within discipline Research reports, grant applications, research outputs and knowledge exchange visits that involve area. Demonstrate substantial influence international collaborations and partnerships. within and beyond the University, with an Production of open research outputs, for example, sharing data and code, materials, technology, exhibitions of work and digital outputs. emphasis on international esteem and recognition. Planning and leading participation in knowledge exchange activities, and in shaping the delivery of research outreach activities. Editor/ member of editorial body of a periodical or journal of some standing. Invited membership of grant funding panels. Research advisory role for organisations, national networks, professional bodies, public bodies, parliamentary select committees, or similar and evidence of impact of contribution. Membership or election to fellowship of national academies and professional societies.

Additional Criteria

Additional Activity



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI5 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activities for RI1- RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5- RI9.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY ADDITIONAL CRITERIA Developing meaningful mutually beneficial partnerships with important and relevant organisations, **RI5 Engagement with External** professions, businesses, alumni and higher education institutions, locally, regionally, nationally and **Organisations** internationally. Collaborating with relevant external Collaborating with external partners to create new knowledge, products, processes, stakeholders to address key issues and services, insights or change. challenges facing society. Recruiting and attracting funding for KTPs and similar external enterprise funding. Membership of industry, school or governmental (local or national) advisory boards to facilitate responsible exchange of knowledge from academia into society. Collaborating with the public, private and/ or third sector in the research process and increasing the relevance of research to society. Contributing to and creating short courses and training for members of a relevant professional institution. Awards, invitations, positions of responsibility within external organisations. **Additional Activity Additional Criteria** RI5 RI9 Review the Required Criteria for all pathways Or select your pathway to see the options



Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI6 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activities for RI1- RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5- RI9.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

RI6 Translation and application of knowledge

Creative and adventurous application of knowledge to increase participation and effect change for the benefit of the broader community.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Impacting on changes to learning, understanding, behaviour or practice in culture, environment, industry, economy, society, government or sport and health.

Impacting on matters at local, regional, national and international levels e.g., immigration, culture and heritage management, planning debates, climate change and other environmental issues, participation in sport/ physical activity for health improvement, education policy, traffic planning etc.

Contributing to external impact of academic research, e.g., through patents or other intellectual property, the work of spin-out companies, social enterprises, charities, or other examples of innovation as appropriate for the discipline.

Creative activities that demonstrate a commitment to environmental sustainability in research /innovation and net zero omissions (e.g., paperless research, recycling/repurposing equipment).

Being awarded a government policy fellowship.

Additional Activity

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Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI7 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activities for RI1- RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5- RI9.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA	EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY
RI7 Public Understanding	Delivering engagement through collaboration and co-creation with the wider community.
	Participating in high social-impact activities e.g., exhibitions, public debates, media appearances.
Communicating externally using different media to create relevant opportunities for engagement and collaboration.	Leading impactful and/ or high-profile public outreach activities.



■ Review the Required Criteria for all pathways

Or select your pathway to see the options

Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI8 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activities for RI1- RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5- RI9.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA	EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY
RI8 Development of research strategy	A significant role leading research initiatives within the University, and which align with the University strategy and values.
Contributions to strategy setting. Contribute to ensuring the continued	A significant contribution or input into the leadership of a University research centre, group or institute.
success of a research community (e.g., centre, group, institute) at the University.	Leading internal and external activities that further develop the University strategy.

Additional Activity

Additional Criteria



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Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI9 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two options from Additional Activities for RI1- RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5- RI9.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

RI9 Building research capacity and leadership

Building research capacity and reputation within the University, to ensure long-term research prospects of a discipline area. Supporting early career researchers to thrive and become autonomous researchers. Making a positive contribution to the research development of others.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Providing leadership to build research capacity and research collaborations, both internally and externally.

Impactful contribution to a research group/ centre/ network or other multi-researcher enterprise (e.g., team science).

Sustained participation and impact in research consortia and networks within or across disciplines and/or institutions.

Authentic and responsible mentoring and/ or managing postdoctoral research assistants/ associates and other colleagues.

Additional Activity

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Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE1 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select two options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE1 Education Practice	Senior or Principal Fellowship of the HEA (SFHEA or PFHEA) required for Pathway 3 (Education and Student Experience).
Reflection on, and development	Leading the implementation of processes or policies for moderation, benchmarking, and quality control of teaching within the school/department.
of, education practice to ensure	Being a University Assessor.
active learning among students.	External examiner for other universities' programmes.
	Winning a University teaching award e.g. Teaching Innovation Award (TIA), Inclusivity in Teaching TIA, STEMLab TIA, or similar award from another institution.
	Development and leading the successful implementation of innovative teaching practice into a course.
	Leading accreditation or benchmarking strategy within the department/ school.
	Developing and leading adventurous and creative initiatives which ensure inclusive teaching practice within the department/school.
	An excellent standard of teaching performance at different levels (e.g., undergraduate, postgraduate, CPD) which may involve use of innovative learning and assessment methods and delivery.

Additional Activity















Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select two options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE2 Student Engagement	Leading initiatives for active and responsive engagement with students through staff-student liaison committees (SSLCs) or other similar formal and direct means.
Engaging students from all backgrounds and contributing toward their personal, academic and professional development.	Developing and implementing innovative and creative techniques, policy or processes to enable student engagement and inclusion.
	Leading School or University activities related to student wellbeing and/ or widening participation.
	Involvement in national or international activities related to student experience, progression and/or widening participation or similar.

Additional Activity















Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE3 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select two options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE3 Curriculum Development	Leading the development of a new/ restructured programme.
Developing our educational offering to provide students with an education that is up-to-date, evidence-based, innovative, inclusive and effective.	Engaging with external stakeholders in programme/ module delivery/ development.
	Developing collaborative links with other universities, including setting up joint degree programmes.
	Contributing to cross-University multi-disciplinary teaching and learning initiatives.
	Collaborating with external peers on significant teaching and learning projects, including with non-academic partner organisations.

Additional Activity















Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE4 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select two options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE4 Employability	Contributing toward the implementation and development of initiatives that demonstrate impact on student outcomes and employability.
Ensuring our graduates are equipped and prepared for their life after tertiary	Developing initiatives that allow students to improve or broaden their skills to enable them to be successful in the workplace.
education.	Ensuring that the curriculum is informed by sector and industry developments in related fields.

Additional Activity















Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE5 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select two options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

ESE5 Scholarship of Teaching

Engaging in scholarship of the theory and practice of education to develop and/or implement innovative and evidence-led approaches to teaching

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Publishing textbooks, outputs in pedagogical/ education focused journals and similar sources for the discipline, that are recognised for significance. Output quality and visibility should be demonstrated by a range of evidence. Output quality evidence should include formal internal or external peer review which may include published book, creative work or exhibition reviews. Evidence of visibility might take the form of field-weighted citation data, outlet indicators (e.g., SNIP and open access status), exhibition attendance numbers or evidence of use in courses external to Loughborough.

Research income for pedagogical research awarded via the University. Income (research and/or innovation) may include collaborative grants which involve Co-I as well as PI input. May include external competitively awarded or prestigious 'by invitation' fellowships, secondments and similar with a pedagogical focus.

Esteem in national pedagogical research networks and collaborations.

National and/or international awards and prizes for teaching practice or scholarship of teaching.

Additional Activity

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Academic Promotion > Grade > Reader > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE6 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Reader Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select two options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

ESE6 Building Pedagogical Research/Innovation Capacity, Policy and Leadership

Evidence of building pedagogical research and innovation and leadership in education and student experience in the University and leadership in national and/or international education agendas and policy.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Contributing to a pedagogical research group/ centre/ network or other pedagogy-focused multi-researcher enterprise.

Providing intellectual leadership to build pedagogic research capacity and collaborations, both internally and externally.

Contributing to School/ University pedagogical research or education and student experience committees and working groups and demonstrating impact within these groups.

Contributing to national or international educational initiatives.

Collaboration with national or international bodies on education (e.g., AdvanceHE, Education Sector Advisory Group, HEFCE/ TEF, government consultation committees).

Additional Activity



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Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor

Pathways matrix

Pathways matrix for promotion to Professor

For Professor promotions there are 12 Required Criteria across the three areas shown below. In addition, you should select options for your chosen pathway, from Additional Activity or Additional Criteria to reach a total of 15.

CRITERIA AREAS ► PATHWAYS ▼	RESEARCH & INNOVATION	EDUCATION & STUDENT EXPERIENCE	CITIZENSHIP & LEADERSHIP	TOTAL CRITERIA
ALL PATHWAYS	Required: RI1-RI4	Required: ESE1-ESE4	Required: CL1-CL4	12
PATHWAY 1 (General) Select 3 options	Option: select from Additional Activities for RI1-RI4 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI9	Option: and / or select from Additional Activities for ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5- ESE6	Option: and / or select from Additional Activities for CL1-CL4	3
PATHWAY 2 (R&I)	Required: RI9			
Additional requirement and select 2 options	Option: select from Additional Activities for RI1-4 and RI9 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI8			3
PATHWAY 3 (E&SE) Select 3 options	Note: For RI2 funding could pertain to pedagogical research	Option: select from Additional Activity for ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6		3

Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Required Criteria > RI1

Pathways matrix

Professor Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA

RI1 Research Outputs

Evidence of a sustained and continuing record of high-quality research, that is recognised internationally for its originality, significance and rigour. Clear forward plans for sustaining/ enhancing programmes of research.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

A research profile that clearly demonstrates strong trajectory in terms of quality and visibility of outputs. These will include articles in peer reviewed journals, monographs, creative work or other high quality scholarly activity.

Output quality and visibility should be demonstrated by a range of evidence. Output quality evidence should include formal internal or external peer review which may include published book, creative work or exhibition reviews. Evidence of visibility might take the form of field-weighted citation data, outlet indicators (e.g., SNIP and open access status) or exhibition attendance numbers.

Leadership as an author within co-authored research outputs.

A commitment to EDI in research and/or innovation activities.

Note: for a teaching focused promotion application there is still an expectation of the production of outputs which are discipline leading in terms of their significance, originality and rigour.

RI1 continued ... Peer Review of selected outputs

View other Required Criteria for Professor promotions



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Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Required Criteria > RI1

Pathways matrix

Professor Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA

RI1 Research Outputs (cont'd)

A developed record of high-quality research, that is recognised for its originality, significance and rigour. Plans for sustaining/enhancing a research focus.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

Output quality assessment by peer review

Choose up to three outputs that best showcase the quality of your research, published since your appointment or last promotion. For each output, give either the full bibliographic reference or the DOI, and provide a statement which discusses (1) your contribution to the underpinning research and the writing of the paper and (2) the significance, originality and rigour of the research.

View other Required Criteria for Professor promotions





RI3

RI4

















Academic Promotion > <u>Grade</u> > Professor > <u>Required Criteria</u> > RI2

Pathways matrix

Professor Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA

RI2 Research and Innovation Funding

Generate external research and/or innovation income to fund original research that meets or exceeds the discipline norms. Record of successfully delivering research projects with support from external funding.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

Research income awarded by an external body through a competitive process which funds research and innovation activities.

Research income should meet or exceed norms for the discipline. Grant income may include collaborative grants which involve Co-I as well as PI input. May also include competitively awarded personal fellowships or fellowships of significant prestige awarded 'by invitation' for projects of significant scale and/ or ambition.

Funded projects to demonstrate substantial ambition, trajectory and an expansive research portfolio.

Grant income may include collaborative grants which involve Co-I as well as PI input.

Note: for a teaching focused promotion application the funding could pertain to pedagogical research, as described in ESE5.



























Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Required Criteria > RI3

Pathways matrix

Professor Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY	
RI3 Research Supervision Successful supervision of researchers	Supervision of several PhD theses to successful completion, with an emphasis on completions as the primary supervisor, and commensurate experience of developing others in research contexts in line with disciplinary norms.	
leading to the successful delivery of projects.	Internal and external examining of higher degrees.	



























Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Required Criteria > RI4

Pathways matrix

Professor Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA

RI4 Research and Innovation Esteem and Recognition

Significant recognition and influence within discipline area. Demonstrate significant and substantial influence within and beyond the University, with a strong focus on international esteem and recognition.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

Evidence of a strong recognition within chosen field.

Invitations to make presentations or exhibit work at national/international fora.

Invitations to deliver keynote lectures or similar, with a focus on international invitations.

Established involvement as an editor/ member of editorial body of a periodical or journal of some standing.

Significant and well-established international collaborations and partnerships as evidenced through reports, grant applications, research/ knowledge exchange visits etc.

View other Required Criteria for Professor promotions





RI3



















Academic Promotion > <u>Grade</u> > Professor > <u>Required Criteria</u> > ESE1

Pathways matrix

Professor Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
ESE1 Education Practice	Evidence of providing successful and inclusive student learning.
	Fellowship of the HEA (FHEA) (minimum required for all).
Reflection on, and development of, education practice to ensure active	Ensuring teaching content contributes to knowledge and understanding of equity, diversity and inclusion (EDI), climate change and net zero or health and wellbeing.
learning among students.	Utilising a range of creative delivery and learning techniques (lectures, seminars, example sessions, etc.).
	Rating of 'Meets expectations' or above from a recent teaching observation.
	Continuous professional development of teaching practice. Evidenced by participation in relevant CPD activity.

























Academic Promotion > <u>Grade</u> > Professor > <u>Required Criteria</u> > ESE2

Pathways matrix

Professor Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
ESE2 Student Engagement	Evidence of a responsible supportive and inclusive pedagogical approach.
	Authentic with student experience initiatives.
Engaging students from all backgrounds and contributing toward their personal, academic and professional development.	Ensuring exemplary standards of student support, guidance and supervision are maintained.

























Academic Promotion > <u>Grade</u> > Professor > <u>Required Criteria</u> > ESE3

Pathways matrix

Professor Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
ESE3 Curriculum Development	Creative translation of advances in the subject area into teaching material/ delivery.
Developing our educational offering to	Continual and consistent improvement of teaching materials ensuring student inclusivity and quality.
provide students with an education that is up-to-date, evidence-based, innovative, inclusive and effective.	Ensuring teaching content is linked to potential post-qualification positions/ employment.

























Academic Promotion > <u>Grade</u> > Professor > <u>Required Criteria</u> > ESE4

Pathways matrix

Professor Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
ESE4 Employability Ensuring our graduates are equipped and prepared for their life after tertiary	Providing opportunities for students to engage with external organisations via e.g., site visits, mentoring, visiting lecturers, support for dissertations, support for Loughborough Enterprise Network etc.
	Ensuring teaching content is linked to potential post-qualification positions/ employment.
education.	Embedding the development of skills to be successful in the workplace (employability) into the curriculum.

























Academic Promotion > <u>Grade</u> > Professor > <u>Required Criteria</u> > CL1

Pathways matrix

Professor Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
CL1 University Leadership	Undertaking Division/ Department/ Subject/ School/ University leadership roles and evidence of positive impact in role.
Taking an active role in leading people,	Managing others to perform to their full potential (e.g., staff and students).
with or without formal authority, to	Taking responsibility for creating an equitable and inclusive environment for all.
facilitate the effective running of the University.	Making an active and specific contribution to the implementation of the University strategy.

























Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Required Criteria > CL2

Pathways matrix

Professor Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
CL2 Leadership in the discipline	Impact on Division/ Department/ Subject/ School/ University initiatives that relate to the discipline, including selection committees.
Developing the discipline within and outside the University through working with others to build relationships and enhance its profile.	Significant role in professional associations, Research Councils and other funding bodies, editorial boards, external examinations, etc.



























Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Required Criteria > CL3

Pathways matrix

Professor Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY
CL3 Collegiality	Active and supportive reviewer through the Performance and Development Review process.
Building Authentic, Responsible and supportive relationships with colleagues	Coaching or Mentoring others either as part of a formal scheme or more informally with colleagues.
	Supporting others to perform to their full potential.
to enable them to perform at their best.	Contributing to activities which support the wellbeing of others in the workplace.

























Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Required Criteria > CL4

Pathways matrix

Professor Required Criteria

For all pathways, candidates should build a case to show how they meet the Required Criteria.

REQUIRED CRITERIA	REQ	UIRED	CRIT	ERIA
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CL4 Contribution to the University

Taking an Authentic and Responsible role in University activities and initiatives to improve the working environment and create an inclusive culture.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

Contributing to the creation of equality, diversity and inclusion at Loughborough University.

Contributing to the University's aim to affect climate change and to become Net Zero.

Contributing to programmes or interventions which ensure the health, safety and wellbeing of colleagues.

Contributing to student recruitment through activities such as open/offer days.

Contributing to a vibrant community through specific initiatives that bring people together for a clear purpose such as away days.

























Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway

Pathways matrix

Promotion to Professor

Select one of the pathways below to be guided through the options to add two Additional Criteria and / or Additional Activities to meet the requirements for promotion to Professor.

1. General pathway

2. Research and Innovation Focus pathway

3. Education and Student Experience Focus pathway



You should have discussed and agreed which pathway is most appropriate for you with your Dean or delegated member of academic staff before proceeding.

Academic Promotion > <u>Grade</u> > Professor > <u>Choose your pathway</u> > Pathway 1 > Option RI1 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
RI1 Research Outputs	Leading the development and production of open research outputs, for example, sharing data and code, sharing materials, technology, exhibitions of work and sharing digital outputs.
Evidence of a sustained and continuing	Awards for research outputs.
record of high-quality research, that is recognised internationally for its	Leading strategies that aim to support the inclusion and contribution of underrepresented groups in research and innovation activities.
originality, significance and rigour. Clear forward plans for sustaining/enhancing programmes of research.	Leading opportunities for unrepresented individuals to take up research and/or innovation posts at the University.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select three options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

RI2 Research and Innovation Funding

Generate external research and/ or innovation income to fund original research that meets or exceeds the discipline norms. Record of successfully delivering research projects with support from external funding.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

Helping others submit successful research funding applications (e.g., fellowship awards or assisting with grant submissions for early and mid-career researchers).

Significant contributions towards recruiting and attracting external funding for doctoral researchers and early career researchers (e.g., Centre for Doctoral Training or Doctoral Training Partnerships or Collaborative Doctoral Award).

Income from spin-out companies, innovation activities and/ or patents.













































Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI3 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
RI3 Research Supervision	Leading activities to support doctoral researchers/ research staff learning and development experiences at the University and/ or in other research contexts.
Successful supervision of researchers leading to the successful delivery of	Activities that seek to foster a collaborative team spirit and create a strong sense of community within a doctoral community.
projects.	Mentor and/ or manage postdoctoral research researchers and other research related colleagues including supporting their employability.
	Providing and leading opportunities for unrepresented individuals to take up research and/or innovation posts at the University.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI4 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select three options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

RI4 Research and Innovation Esteem and Recognition

Significant recognition and influence within discipline area. Demonstrate significant and substantial influence within and beyond the University, with a strong focus on international esteem and recognition.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

Chair or by invitation membership of grant funding panels.

Chair or research advisory role for organisations, national networks, professional bodies, public bodies, parliamentary select committees, or similar.

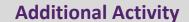
Prestigious awards, invitations, positions of responsibility within the external and internal research community.

Leading the successful dissemination, nationally and internationally, of research findings.

Invited visiting appointments in leading international institutions related to research and/or innovation activities.

Election to fellowship of national academies and professional societies.

Provision of authentic and responsible advice based on research/innovation leadership to external agencies.

















































Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option ESE1 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select three options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
Principal Fellowship of the HEA (PFHEA) required for Pathway 3 (Education and Student Experience)
Leading the implementation of processes or policies for moderation, benchmarking, and quality control of teaching within the school/ department.
Being a University Assessor.
Winning a University teaching award e.g. Teaching Innovation Award (TIA), Inclusivity in Teaching TIA, STEMLab TIA, or similar award from another institution.
Developing and leading innovative teaching practice in a national or international context.
Developing and leading adventurous and creative inclusive teaching practice in a national or international context.
Contributing to accreditation or benchmarking strategy nationally or internationally.
External examiner for other universities' programmes.
An excellent standard of teaching performance at different levels (e.g. undergraduate, postgraduate, CPD) which may involve use of innovative learning and assessment methods and delivery.

Additional Activity

Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option ESE2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE2 Student Engagement	Leading initiatives for active and responsive engagement with students through staff-student liaison committees (SSLCs) or other similar formal and direct means.
Engaging students from all backgrounds and contributing toward their personal,	Developing and implementing innovative and creative techniques, policy or processes for student engagement and tutoring.
academic and professional development.	Leading national or international activities related to student experience, progression and/or widening participation or similar.
	Leading collaborative education projects, either nationally or with international partners focused on student inclusion and/or widening participation.
	A strategic leading role in enhancing student learning and leading the development of academic standards in institutional, and/or (inter)national settings.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option ESE3 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE3 Curriculum Development	Leading the development of a new/restructured programme or degree and demonstrating significant impact and innovation.
Developing our educational offering to provide students with an education that is	Being a role model for using the latest pedagogical research to inform module/ programme design and encouraging/ supporting colleagues in this.
up-to-date, evidence-based, innovative, inclusive and effective.	Leading engagement with external stakeholders in programme/ module development.
	Leading collaborative links with other universities, including setting up joint degree programmes.
	Taking a consistent and strategic leading role in cross-University multi-disciplinary teaching and learning initiatives.
	Leading strategic curriculum and/ or policy development within the university.



Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE4 Employability	Leading the implementation and development of initiatives that demonstrate impact on student outcomes and employability.
Ensuring our graduates are equipped and prepared for their life after tertiary	Developing and implementing initiatives that allow students to improve or broaden their skills to enable them to be successful in the workplace.
education.	Leading initiatives that demonstrate impact on student outcomes/ employability strategy and initiatives across university, or which change policy or practice.



Academic Promotion > <u>Grade</u> > Professor > <u>Choose your pathway</u> > Pathway 1 > Option CL1 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
Leading the work of formal committees or working groups at School or University level with a positive/impactful outcome.
Leading School or University governance processes and strategic initiatives with a positive/impactful outcome.
Leading School and/ or University decision making and policy.
A distinctive and sustained positive contribution to key University special projects groups.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option CL2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
CL2 Leadership in the discipline	Developing new formal and ongoing institutional disciplinary or subject collaborations and partnerships
Developing the discipline within and	Strengthening national and/ or international educational or research partnerships
outside the University through working with others to build relationships and enhance its profile.	Establishing new formal and ongoing collaborations and engagement opportunities between students, staff and external organisations.



supportive relationships with colleagues to enable them to perform at their best.

Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option CL3 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select three options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY CL3 Collegiality Making a significant contribution in a leadership capacity in a formal role in a staff or student network or other similar formal group. Building Authentic, Responsible and



Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option CL4 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

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ing formal equity, diversity and inclusion (EDI) working groups and committees at any level in the University.
ling formal initiatives which contribute to health & well-being of the whole University ulation.
ling formal initiatives which contribute to environmental sustainability and/or the University's to be net zero.
ling trade union work, or other similar supportive roles and making a positive and distinctive ribution in those roles
ing School or University outreach programmes to support widening participation.
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Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI5 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select three options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY Developing meaningful mutually beneficial partnerships with important and relevant organisations, **RI5 Engagement with External** professions, businesses, alumni and higher education institutions, locally, regionally, nationally and **Organisations** internationally. Collaborating with relevant external Working creatively with others to create new knowledge, products, processes or services. stakeholders to address key issues and challenges facing society. Recruiting and attracting funding for KTPs and similar external enterprise funding. Membership of industry, school or governmental (local or national) advisory boards to facilitate responsible exchange of knowledge from academia into society. Collaborating with external partners leading to creation of new knowledge, insights, or change. Leading the involvement of the public, private and/ or third sector in the research process and increasing the relevance of research to society. Contributing to and creating short courses and training for members of a relevant professional institution. Awards, invitations, positions of responsibility within external organisations. **Additional Criteria Additional Activity** RI5 Or select your pathway to see the options

Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI6 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select three options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

RI6 Translation and Application of Knowledge

Creative and adventurous application of knowledge to increase participation and effect change for the benefit of the broader community.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Impacting on changes to learning, understanding, behaviour or practice in culture, environment, industry, economy, society, government or sport and health.

Impacting on matters at local, regional, national and international levels e.g., immigration, culture and heritage management, planning debates, climate change and other environmental issues, participation in sport/physical activity for health improvement, education policy, traffic planning etc.

Contributing to external impact of academic research, e.g., through patents or other intellectual property, charities, or other examples of innovation as appropriate for the discipline.

Setting up and running a spin-out company or social enterprise.

Creative activities that demonstrate a commitment to environmental sustainability in research /innovation and net zero omissions (e.g., paperless research, recycling/repurposing equipment).

Being awarded a government policy fellowship.

Additional Activity

















































Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI7 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA	EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY
RI7 Public Understanding	Delivering engagement through collaboration and co-creation with the wider community.
	Participating in high social-impact activities e.g., exhibitions, public debates, media appearances.
Communicating externally using different media to create relevant opportunities for engagement and collaboration.	Leading impactful and/ or high-profile public outreach activities.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI8 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select three options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

RI8 Development of Research Strategy

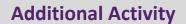
Substantial contributions to strategy setting, internally and/or externally. Contributions to ensuring the sustainability and continued success of a research community (e.g., centre, group, institute) within the University. A sustained record of making a positive contribution to the research development of others.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Leading research initiatives within the University, and which align with the University strategy.

Leading a University research centre, group or institute.

Leading internal and external activities that further develop the University strategy.











































Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option RI9 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select three options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

RI9 Building Research/Innovation Capacity and Leadership

Evidence of building research and innovation capacity and reputation within the University, to ensure long-term research prospects of discipline area. Where relevant, evidence of supporting early career researchers and/ or project to thrive and become autonomous researchers.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Effectively leading School/ University research or innovation committees and working groups and demonstrate impact within these groups.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option ESE5 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select three options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

ESE5 Scholarship of Teaching

Engaging in scholarship of the theory and practice of education to develop and/or implement innovative and evidence-led approaches to teaching

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Publishing textbooks, outputs in pedagogical/education focused journals and similar sources for the discipline, that are recognised for significance. Output quality and visibility should be demonstrated by a range of evidence. Output quality evidence should include formal internal or external peer review which may include published book, creative work or exhibition reviews. Evidence of visibility might take the form of field-weighted citation data, outlet indicators (e.g., SNIP and open access status), exhibition attendance numbers or evidence of use in courses external to Loughborough.

Research income for pedagogical research awarded via the University. Income (research and/or innovation) may include collaborative grants which involve Co-I as well as PI input. May include external competitively awarded or prestigious 'by invitation' fellowships, secondments and similar with a pedagogical focus.

Esteem in national pedagogical research networks and collaborations.

National and/or international awards and prizes for teaching practice or scholarship of teaching

Leading collaborative pedagogical research initiatives nationally and internationally.

Leadership and esteem in national pedagogical research networks and collaborations.

Participation in and leadership of high-impact national and global educational programmes.

Additional Activity

















































Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 1 > Option ESE6 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 1 (General)

Select three options from any of the Additional Activities and / or Additional Criteria shown below.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

ESE6 Building Pedagogical Research/Innovation Capacity, Policy and Leadership

Evidence of building pedagogical research and innovation and leadership in education and student experience in the University and leadership in national and/ or international education agendas and policy.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Leading a pedagogical research group/centre/network or other pedagogy-focused multiresearcher enterprise.

Providing intellectual leadership to build pedagogy research/innovation capacity and collaborations, both internally and externally.

Leading School/ University pedagogical research or education and student experience committees and working groups and demonstrating high-impact within these groups.

High-level involvement with national or international bodies on education (e.g., AdvanceHE, Education Sector Advisory Group, HEFCE/ TEF, government consultation committees).

Additional Activity











































Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Additional Required Criteria > RI9

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

RI9 defines additional Required Criteria for Pathway 2.

REQUIRED CRITERIA

RI9 Building Research/Innovation Capacity and Leadership

Evidence of building research and innovation capacity and reputation within the University, to ensure long-term research prospects of discipline area. Where relevant, evidence of supporting early career researchers and/ or project to thrive and become autonomous researchers.

ELEMENTS OF REQUIRED ACTIVITY

Contributing and providing leadership of a research group/ centre/ network or other multi-researcher enterprise.

Authentic and responsible mentoring and/ or managing postdoctoral researchers and other colleagues and development of activities to facilitate a strong collaborative research/ innovation community.

Providing intellectual leadership to build research/innovation capacity and collaborations, both internally and externally.

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Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI1 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two further options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI9 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI8.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
Leading the development and production of open research outputs, for example, sharing data and code, sharing materials, technology, exhibitions of work and sharing digital outputs.
Awards for research outputs.
Leading strategies that aim to support the inclusion and contribution of underrepresented groups in research and innovation activities.
Leading opportunities for unrepresented individuals to take up research and/or innovation posts at the University.



■ Review the Required Criteria for all pathways

Or select your pathway to see the options

Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two further options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI9 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI8.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

RI2 Research and Innovation Funding

Generate external research and/or innovation income to fund original research that meets or exceeds the discipline norms. Record of successfully delivering research projects with support from external funding.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

Helping others submit successful research funding applications (e.g., fellowship awards or assisting with grant submissions for early and mid-career researchers).

Significant contributions towards recruiting and attracting external funding for doctoral researchers and early career researchers (e.g., Centre for Doctoral Training or Doctoral Training Partnerships or Collaborative Doctoral Award).

Income from spin-out companies, innovation activities and/or patents.

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Additional Activity

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Review the Required Criteria for all pathways

Or select your pathway to see the options



Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI3 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two further options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI9 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI8.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
RI3 Research Supervision	Leading activities to support doctoral researchers/ research staff learning and development experiences at the University and/ or in other research contexts.
Successful supervision of researchers leading to the successful delivery of	Activities that seek to foster a collaborative team spirit and create a strong sense of community within a doctoral community.
projects.	Mentor and/or manage postdoctoral research researchers and other research related colleagues including supporting their employability.
	Providing and leading opportunities for unrepresented individuals to take up research and/or innovation posts at the University.



Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI4 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two further options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI9 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI8.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

RI4 Research and Innovation Esteem and Recognition

Significant recognition and influence within discipline area. Demonstrate significant and substantial influence within and beyond the University, with a strong focus on international esteem and recognition.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

Chair or by invitation membership of grant funding panels.

Chair or research advisory role for organisations, national networks, professional bodies, public bodies, parliamentary select committees, or similar.

Prestigious awards, invitations, positions of responsibility within the external and internal research community.

Leading the successful dissemination, nationally and internationally, of research findings.

Invited visiting appointments in leading international institutions related to research and/or innovation activities.

Election to fellowship of national academies and professional societies.

Provision of authentic and responsible advice based on research/innovation leadership to external agencies.

Additional Criteria

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Additional Activity

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Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI9 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two further options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI9 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI8.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

RI9 Building Research/Innovation Capacity and Leadership

Evidence of building research and innovation capacity and reputation within the University, to ensure long-term research prospects of discipline area. Where relevant, evidence of supporting early career researchers and/or project to thrive and become autonomous researchers.

EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY

Effectively leading School/ University research or innovation committees and working groups and demonstrate impact within these groups.



■ Review the Required Criteria for all pathways

Or select your pathway to see the options



Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI5 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two further options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI9 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI8.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

RI5 Engagement with External Organisations

Collaborating with relevant external stakeholders to address key issues and challenges facing society.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Developing meaningful mutually beneficial partnerships with important and relevant organisations, professions, businesses, alumni and higher education institutions, locally, regionally, nationally and internationally.

Working creatively with others to create new knowledge, products, processes or services.

Recruiting and attracting funding for KTPs and similar external enterprise funding.

Membership of industry, school or governmental (local or national) advisory boards to facilitate responsible exchange of knowledge from academia into society.

Collaborating with external partners leading to creation of new knowledge, insights, or change.

Leading the involvement of the public, private and/ or third sector in the research process and increasing the relevance of research to society.

Contributing to and creating short courses and training for members of a relevant professional institution.

Awards, invitations, positions of responsibility within external organisations.

Req Additional Activity

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■ Review the Required Criteria for all pathways

Or select your pathway to see the options

Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI6 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two further options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI9 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI8.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

RI6 Translation and Application of Knowledge

Creative and adventurous application of knowledge to increase participation and effect change for the benefit of the broader community.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Impacting on changes to learning, understanding, behaviour or practice in culture, environment, industry, economy, society, government or sport and health.

Impacting on matters at local, regional, national and international levels e.g., immigration, culture and heritage management, planning debates, climate change and other environmental issues, participation in sport/ physical activity for health improvement, education policy, traffic planning etc.

Contributing to external impact of academic research, e.g., through patents or other intellectual property, charities, or other examples of innovation as appropriate for the discipline.

Setting up and running a spin-out company or social enterprise.

Creative activities that demonstrate a commitment to environmental sustainability in research /innovation and net zero omissions (e.g., paperless research, recycling/ repurposing equipment).

Being awarded a government policy fellowship.

Req Additional Activity

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Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI7 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two further options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI9 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI8.

RI7 Public Understanding Communicating externally using different media to create relevant opportunities for engagement and collaboration. EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY Delivering engagement through collaboration and co-creation with the wider community. Participating in high social-impact activities e.g., exhibitions, public debates, media appearances. Leading impactful and/ or high-profile public outreach activities.



■ Review the Required Criteria for all pathways

Or select your pathway to see the options



Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 2 > Option RI8 Additional Criteria

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 2 (Research and Innovation)

Select two further options from Additional Activity in RI1-RI9 and / or Additional Criteria RI5-RI8.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

RI8 Development of Research Strategy

Substantial contributions to strategy setting, internally and/or externally. Contributions to ensuring the sustainability and continued success of a research community (e.g., centre, group, institute) within the University. A sustained record of making a positive contribution to the research development of others.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Leading research initiatives within the University, and which align with the University strategy.

Leading a University research centre, group or institute.

Leading internal and external activities that further develop the University strategy.



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■ Review the Required Criteria for all pathways

Or select your pathway to see the options

Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE1 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select three options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE1 Education Practice	Principal Fellowship of the HEA (PFHEA) required for Pathway 3 (Education and Student Experience)
Reflection on, and development of, education practice to ensure active learning among students.	Leading the implementation of processes or policies for moderation, benchmarking, and quality control of teaching within the school/department.
	Being a University Assessor.
	Winning a University teaching award e.g. Teaching Innovation Award (TIA), Inclusivity in Teaching TIA, STEMLab TIA, or similar award from another institution.
	Developing and leading innovative teaching practice in a national or international context.
	Developing and leading adventurous and creative inclusive teaching practice in a national or international context.
	Contributing to accreditation or benchmarking strategy nationally or internationally.
	External examiner for other universities' programmes.
	An excellent standard of teaching performance at different levels (e.g. undergraduate, postgraduate, CPD) which may involve use of innovative learning and assessment methods and delivery.
Additional Activity	Additional Criteria
ESE1 ► ESE2 ► ESE3 ► ESE4 ►	ESE5 ► ESE6 ►

Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE2 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select three options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE2 Student Engagement	Leading initiatives for active and responsive engagement with students through staff-student liaison committees (SSLCs) or other similar formal and direct means.
Engaging students from all backgrounds and contributing toward their personal, academic and professional development.	Developing and implementing innovative and creative techniques, policy or processes for student engagement and tutoring.
	Leading national or international activities related to student experience, progression and/or widening participation or similar.
	Leading collaborative education projects, either nationally or with international partners focused on student inclusion and/or widening participation.
	A strategic leading role in enhancing student learning and leading the development of academic standards in institutional, and/or (inter)national settings.

Additional Activity













Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE3 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select three options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE3 Curriculum Development	Leading the development of a new/ restructured programme or degree and demonstrating significant impact and innovation.
Developing our educational offering to provide students with an education that is	Being a role model for using the latest pedagogical research to inform module/ programme design and encouraging/ supporting colleagues in this.
up-to-date, evidence-based, innovative, inclusive and effective.	Leading engagement with external stakeholders in programme/ module development.
	Leading collaborative links with other universities, including setting up joint degree programmes.
	Taking a consistent and strategic leading role in cross-University multi-disciplinary teaching and learning initiatives.
	Leading strategic curriculum and/ or policy development within the university.

Additional Activity













Academic Promotion > Grade > Professor > Choose your pathway > Pathway 3 > Option ESE4 Additional Activity

Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select three options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY	EXAMPLES OF ADDITIONAL ACTIVITY
ESE4 Employability	Leading the implementation and development of initiatives that demonstrate impact on student outcomes and employability.
Ensuring our graduates are equipped and prepared for their life after tertiary	Developing and implementing initiatives that allow students to improve or broaden their skills to enable them to be successful in the workplace.
education.	Leading initiatives that demonstrate impact on student outcomes/ employability strategy and initiatives across university, or which change policy or practice.

Additional Activity















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Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

Select three options from Additional Activity in ESE1-ESE4 and / or Additional Criteria ESE5-ESE6.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

ESE5 Scholarship of Teaching

Engaging in scholarship of the theory and practice of education to develop and/or implement innovative and evidence-led approaches to teaching

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Publishing textbooks, outputs in pedagogical/education focused journals and similar sources for the discipline, that are recognised for significance. Output quality and visibility should be demonstrated by a range of evidence. Output quality evidence should include formal internal or external peer review which may include published book, creative work or exhibition reviews. Evidence of visibility might take the form of field-weighted citation data, outlet indicators (e.g., SNIP and open access status), exhibition attendance numbers or evidence of use in courses external to Loughborough.

Research income for pedagogical research awarded via the University. Income (research and/or innovation) may include collaborative grants which involve Co-I as well as PI input. May include external competitively awarded or prestigious 'by invitation' fellowships, secondments and similar with a pedagogical focus.

Esteem in national pedagogical research networks and collaborations.

National and/or international awards and prizes for teaching practice or scholarship of teaching

Leading collaborative pedagogical research initiatives nationally and internationally.

Leadership and esteem in national pedagogical research networks and collaborations.

Participation in and leadership of high-impact national and global educational programmes.

Additional Activity















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Pathways matrix

Professor Options for Pathway 3 (Education & Student Experience)

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ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

ESE6 Building Pedagogical Research/Innovation Capacity, Policy and Leadership

Evidence of building pedagogical research and innovation and leadership in education and student experience in the University and leadership in national and/or international education agendas and policy.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITY

Leading a pedagogical research group/centre/network or other pedagogy-focused multiresearcher enterprise.

Providing intellectual leadership to build pedagogy research/innovation capacity and collaborations, both internally and externally.

Leading School/ University pedagogical research or education and student experience committees and working groups and demonstrating high-impact within these groups.

High-level involvement with national or international bodies on education (e.g., AdvanceHE, Education Sector Advisory Group, HEFCE/ TEF, government consultation committees).

Additional Activity















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