

**A summary of decisions made by the Council
at its meeting on 9 December 2025**

1. The Council confirmed the decisions made through the circulation of several papers to approve:
 - (a) the appointment to the Council and Council committee;
 - (b) the affixing of the University's common seal to certain legal documents; and
 - (c) the appointment and reappointment of honorary Court members.
2. The Council approved for submission to the University Grants Committee the President's report in accordance with the *Statement of Recommended Practice*.
3. The Council approved the proposed future governance structure of a new entity.
4. The Council accepted the recommendations of the Finance Committee to approve the extension of an agreement.
5. The Council accepted the recommendation of the Human Resources Committee to approve the policy on childcare leave.
6. The Council accepted the recommendation of the Honorary University Fellowship Committee to approve the conferment of Honorary University Fellowships on several distinguished persons in 2026.
7. The Council accepted the recommendation of the Honorary Degrees Committee to approve the conferment of honorary doctorates on several distinguished persons in 2026.