

# **Board Meeting**

Date of Meeting	Monday 31 March 2025
Paper Title	Communications Update
Agenda Item	9
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Responsible Officer	Breea Keenan, GCRB Marketing and Communications' Lead
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Action	For Information

# 1. Executive Summary

1.1 Communications Update (January– March 2025)

## 2. Recommendations

**2.1** The Board is invited to **note** the communications activities from January – March 2025.

## 3. Communications Update

- **3.1** Communications activity has included:
  - Following the board discussion in January, communications plans to support GCRB's external position and transition plans/arrangement have been drafted This includes a legacy document which is in progress, highlighting GCRB's achievements since its inception.
  - Communications update issued to the Board, following the first tripartite meeting with the Scottish Government and Scottish Funding Council, in February 2025.
  - Teaching Staff Board Member announcement issued in January 2025.
  - Regional briefing following January's board meeting prepared and issued for college board members at Glasgow's three colleges.
  - Regional communications meeting with college communications managers hosted on 10
    February, with the next meeting planned to follow March's board meeting.

# 4. Risk and Compliance Analysis

**4.1** The report mitigates transition risks identified relating to the reputation of GCRB and the Glasgow College Region.

# 5. Financial and Resource Analysis

**5.1** The implementation of this work requires the commitment of staff resources and some additional expenditure.

## 6. Equalities Implications

**6.1** There are no equalities implications arising from this report.

## 7. Learner implications

**7.1** The communications strategy is learner-focused and highlights student support initiatives, activities and opportunities available across the region.