

**Membership of the Senate
Session 2018-19**

Ex Officio Members		
Principal and Vice-Chancellor		
Professor Richard Williams	(Chair of the Senate)	
Vice-Principal		
Professor Julian Jones	(Vice-Chair of the Senate)	
Deputy Principals		
Professor Gillian Hogg	Deputy Principal (Engagement and Staff Development)	
Dr Gillian Murray	Deputy Principal (Enterprise & Business)	
Professor Gareth Pender	Deputy Principal (Research and Innovation)	
Professor John Sawkins	Deputy Principal (Learning and Teaching)	
International Campuses		Appointed to:
Professor Mushtak Al-Atabi	Vice-Principal and Provost Heriot-Watt University Malaysia	31/07/22
Professor Ammar Kaka	Vice-Principal and Provost Heriot-Watt University Dubai	31/07/20
Deans of the University		
Professor Scott Arthur	'Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences'	31/03/20
Dr Fadi Ghaith	'Science and Engineering' (Elected by Senate as the Dean to serve as member of the Court to 31 July 2020)	31/12/20
Dr Amos Haniff	'Pan-University Constituency' (Elected by Senate as a Senator to serve as member of the Court to 31 July 2021)	31/12/20
Heads of Schools		
Professor Malcolm Chrisp	School of Energy, Geoscience, Infrastructure and Society	
Professor Heather McGregor	Edinburgh Business School (Executive Dean)	
Professor Robert MacIntosh	School of Social Sciences	
Professor Stephen McLaughlin	School of Engineering and Physical Sciences	
Professor Beatrice Pelloni	School of Mathematical and Computer Sciences	
Professor Fiona Waldron	School of Textiles and Design	
Chairs of Senate Committee(s) and Joint Committee of Senate and the Court		
Professor Fiona Waldron	University Committee for Quality and Standards	31/07/20
Professor Angus Macdonald	Ordinances and Regulations Committee	31/07/20
Students' Union		
Mr Rahul Singh	President	31/05/19
Mr Kieran Robson Renner	Elected by the Council of the Students' Union	31/05/19
Other academic post-holders		
Senators who are holders of academic positions (other than those provided for in the ex-officio category) that are determined by the Court on the recommendation of the Senate (as per Statute 5.1.(a).ix)		There currently are no Senators in this in category (August 2018)
<p>Note: In accordance with the Higher Education Governance (Scotland) Act 2016, the Senate in due course is to be constituted in such a way that:</p> <p>(a) more than 50% of its members are either persons appointed by being elected by the academic Staff from among their own number, or persons appointed by being elected by the Students of the institution from among the Students of the institution; and</p> <p>(b) at least 10% of its members are persons appointed by being elected by the Students of the institution from among the Students of the institution.</p>		The present structure delivers a total of 72 Senators, comprised of: 21 ex-officio members (including 2 who are elected by the Students); 51 elected Staff members.

Elected Staff Members		
School of Energy, Geoscience, Infrastructure and Society		
11 Senators permitted to be elected from this School		
Senator's Name	Elected to	Notes
Dr Jingsheng Ma *	31/07/19	Serving second successive term
Professor Gabriela Medero *	31/07/19	Serving second successive term
Dr Sandhya Patidar	31/07/19	
Dr Gina Netto	31/07/20	
Professor Patrick Corbett *	31/07/20	Serving second successive term (Elected by Senate as a Senator to serve as member of the Court to 31 July 2020)
Dr David Jenkins	31/07/20	
Dr Alan Forster *	31/07/21	Serving second successive term
Professor Susan Dewar	31/07/21	
Dr Ahmed ElSheikh	31/07/21	
Dr Antonin Chapoy	31/07/21	
vacancy		vacancy following resignation of Dr F Bosché, March 2019
Edinburgh Business School		
4 Senators permitted from this Institute		
Senator's Name	Elected to	Notes
Mr Shai Davidov	31/07/19	
Mr Gerry Reilly	31/07/19	
Ms Jane Priest *	31/07/21	Serving second successive term
vacancy		vacancy following resignation of Dr Bill Wallace, July 2018
School of Engineering and Physical Sciences		
13 Senators permitted to be elected from this School		
Senator's Name	Elected to	Notes
Professor Vicki Stone	31/07/19	
Dr Gillian Thomson	31/07/19	
Professor Stuart Macgregor	31/07/19	
Dr Mutasim Nour	31/07/19	
Dr Jim Cameron	31/07/20	
Dr Mehdi Nazarinia	31/07/20	
Professor Ian Galbraith *	31/07/21	Serving second successive term
Dr Daniil Yurchenko	31/07/21	
Ms Rachel Sutherland	31/07/21	
Dr Nasir Al Lagtah	31/07/21	Nominated by Senate as member of the Senate Committee for Interim Business and Effectiveness (to 31 July 2021)
vacancy	31/07/21	vacancy following resignation of Dr Tom Ward, Aug 2018
vacancy	31/07/21	vacancy not filled in Senate elections June 2018
vacancy	31/07/21	vacancy not filled in Senate elections June 2018
* not eligible for re-election at end of current term of office		

School of Social Sciences		
10 Senators permitted to be elected from this School		
Senator's Name	Elected to	Notes
Dr Christopher Dodd	31/07/19	
Dr James Richards *	31/07/20	Serving second successive term (Elected by Senate as a Senator to serve as member of the Court to 31 July 2020)
Dr Mohamed Sherif	31/07/20	
Dr Kevin Muldoon	31/07/20	
Dr Alan Gow *	31/07/21	Serving second successive term
Dr Shumei Gao *	31/07/21	Serving second successive term
Dr Marion Winters	31/07/21	
Dr Paul Hopkinson	31/07/21	
Dr Kathryn Waite	31/07/21	
Professor Jemina Napier	31/07/21	
School of Mathematical and Computer Sciences		
8 Senators permitted to be elected from this School		
Senator's Name	Elected to	Notes
Dr Catherine Donnelly	31/07/20	
Dr Tessa Berg	31/07/20	
Dr Lyonell Boulton	31/07/20	
Professor Nick Taylor *	31/07/21	Serving second successive term
Dr Fiona McNeill	31/07/21	
Professor Robert Weston	31/07/21	
Professor Dugald Duncan	31/07/21	
Mr Larry O'Brien	31/07/21	
School of Textiles and Design		
5 Senators permitted to be elected from this School		
Senator's Name	Elected to	Notes
Dr Sara Keith *	31/07/19	Serving second successive term
Dr Aude Le Guennec	31/07/19	
Mrs Vanessa Northway *	31/07/21	Serving second successive term
Dr Sue Thomas	31/07/21	
Mr Mark Parker	31/07/21	
* not eligible for re-election at end of current term of office		

In Attendance <i>(can be varied from time to time)</i>	
Ms Ann Marie Dalton-Pillay , Secretary of the University	Mr Paul Travill, Academic Registrar
Ms Lucy Graham , Vice-President (Scottish Borders Campus), Student Union	Ms Sue Collier, Director of Governance & Legal Services
Ms Kathy McCabe , Information Services	Mr Richard McGookin, Director of Planning
Dr Margaret King, Head of Academic Quality	Mr John McDermott, Officer to the Secretariat (Clerk)