

The British Association of Sport and Exercise Sciences
Annual Report 2010-2011





The Board Report

The Board has pleasure in presenting its report and the financial statements of the British Association of Sport and Exercise Sciences (BASES) for the year ended 31 March 2011. The main attention of the Board has been given to the items identified in the Strategic Plan 2011-14. The governance of the Association was undertaken in accordance with our rules and articles.

Research, evidence-based practice and distribution of knowledge

BASES has continued to deliver high-quality continuing professional development events over the last year. The 2010 BASES Annual Conference was hosted by the University of Glasgow and had almost 400 delegates from 18 different countries representing all continents, except Antarctica. The conference theme was *Challenging the Dogma* with the aim of providing the catalyst for academic discussion and debate to drive forward thinking in the sport and exercise sciences. The keynote and symposia debates format was specifically designed to allow delegates the opportunity to hear experts in the field present evidence and argue their point of view for unresolved or contentious issues in sport and exercise sciences.



The University of Chester hosted the 2011 BASES Annual Student Conference with the theme of *Integrations and Innovations: An Interdisciplinary Approach to Sport and Exercise Science*. Over the two days there were 400 delegates from 60 Universities and various organisations from around the UK. The programme included 11 invited keynotes/symposia and three careers-related talks. In addition, there were 121 oral communications and 84 poster communications presented by

undergraduate and postgraduate students. The success of this conference, adding to other vibrant BASES annual student conferences of recent years, bodes well for the future of sport and exercise sciences.

BASES organised 19 workshops, which were attended by 360 delegates. Six of these were new workshops and nine workshops were linked with the new supervised experience programme, including four supervisee entry workshops. One masterclass was organised to link with the European College of Sports Science Conference in Liverpool and this was attended by over 60 delegates.

BASES continues to promote research and evidence-based practice through its publication portfolio: *The Journal of Sports Sciences* and *The Sport and Exercise Scientist*, the official publication of BASES. *The Journal of Sports Sciences* has just received its latest impact factor (2010), calculated as 1.87, which is a remarkable improvement on last year's (2009) impact factor of 1.619. It is ranked at 31st out of 79 sports-related journals and continues to grow in popularity at an impressive rate, with 422 articles received between January and June 2011 compared to 375 articles received in the same period in 2010. With an ever increasing pressure to publish more articles, the Journal's Editorial Board made the decision to create a new Section, the "Motor Behaviour and Expert Performance". Another innovative decision was to publish BASES expert statements, which may not necessarily be original research but it was considered that they might provide an attractive addition and enhance readership and downloads.

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Editorship of *The Sport and Exercise Scientist* was brought in-house for 2011 and the publication was redesigned. The focus of the publication remains on contributing to the continuing professional development of sport and exercise scientists by promoting evidence-based practice. However, new content has been added with the introduction of columnists, a regular contribution from the Chair and a more applied focus. It has also had an Olympic and Paralympic focus in the build up to London 2012.

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The BASES annual awards and grants continue to be an important part of the Association’s work in recognising excellence in sport and exercise science and providing financial support to BASES members to support conference attendance. The BASES expert statement grant scheme was introduced last year with an aim to assist the development of expert statements on topics related to the application of scientific principles to sport and exercise science, about which there is interest, confusion or controversy. The Association put out a call for topics last year. Following a review and selection process nine grants were awarded to allow groups of experts to convene and write the statements. This is part of the BASES strategic plan, delivering authoritative, evidence-based publications to help the practice of sport and exercise sciences. They are deliberately succinct and focused.

BASES Fellowship recognises esteemed professional achievement, skills, knowledge and service to BASES and the sport and exercise science community made by BASES professional members. Sixteen new Fellowships were awarded in 2010, which brings the total of BASES Fellows to 54. BASES is enhancing the website and customer management system and aims to have online booking for workshops and job submissions live in the near future. The Board has recently agreed to BASES joining the world of social media so a strategy is being developed to align any planned activity with the BASES objectives.

Gatorade Sports Science Institute has agreed a new one-year agreement with BASES to be an official partner in 2011. This follows on from the previous two-year deal and provides conference support and marketing opportunities for BASES, including a presence at Leisure Industry Week and a repeat of the university lecture tour planned for November.





High professional standards

There are 184 BASES members currently undertaking supervised experience with 90 registered supervisors and 44 reviewers supporting the new scheme. BASES has 308 accredited members and 12 members hold High Performance Sport Accreditation.

There are 18 BASES accredited physiology laboratories and a new opportunity for overseas laboratories to become accredited. Overseas laboratories may apply for laboratory accreditation and this will be acknowledged with the title BASES Accredited Laboratory (Overseas).

The BASES Undergraduate Endorsement Scheme has 33 courses across 30 institutions, with Kingston University, Swansea University, University of Chester, University of Essex and University of Winchester successfully endorsing their courses in the past year.

The Division of Physical Activity for Health's primary objective for the year was to increase the number of BASES Certified Exercise Practitioners by October 2010. Numbers have since doubled.

At the 2010 Annual General Meeting members voted to seek Health Professions Council regulation of the profession of sport and exercise scientist. However, in March 2011 BASES received two letters from the Health Professions Council alerting the Association to the publication of a coalition government parliamentary bill. The government "does not believe that statutory regulation in the health sector would be a proportionate approach....a system of assured voluntary registration is considered to be a better way of balancing improving quality with the intention to avoid introducing regulation with its associated costs wherever possible". The Health Professions Council will no longer consider adding new professions – not just BASES but others who are in the process of developing an application. This is disappointing as many BASES members had put considerable effort in bringing an application close to the point of submission and the move had been enthusiastically supported. However, the process has led to an improved accreditation scheme, the introduction of Certified Exercise Practitioner, a conceptual clarification of the profession, along with a strengthening of our existing voluntary register, all of which stands BASES in excellent stead for future development.

The Division of Physical Activity for Health has contributed to the Medical Royal Colleges and Fitness Industry Association's drive to publish new "standards" in Exercise Referral. This is not a direct update of the 2001 National Quality Assurance Framework on exercise referral as the goal is to provide "standards" that are supported by the Medical Royal Colleges rather than "guidance" on practice. Moreover, it is fair to say that the standards may not satisfy everyone who might have a stake in this important exercise-related health initiative. Nevertheless, to have BASES representation has been critical.

Represent sport and exercise sciences

BASES continues to look at opportunities to strengthen the membership benefits and services and has launched a work placement function on the website in response to member feedback. The aim of this is to assist people in gaining experience to be able to find future employment. The Division of Education and Professional Development has attempted to cater for student members with an interest in its area by producing some student-specific content regarding citation finding and managing.

Membership at 1 May 2011 was 2,560 comprising 994 professional members, 1,312 student members, 95 graduate members, 67 overseas members, 46 affiliate members, 35 fellows and 11 retired members.

The eighth BASES Heads of Department Forum took place in May with over 40 attendees representing sports and exercise science departments from leading universities across the UK. The main body of the afternoon was a session entitled *Research Excellence Framework - looking towards 2014*, which was presented by Prof Bill Baltzopoulos in his capacity as Vice Chair of the Research Excellence Framework sub-panel 26 Sport and exercise sciences, leisure and tourism.

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BASES is improving communications with key stakeholders and university contacts in order to raise the profile of BASES and increase membership. The Board has prioritised key partners and work is underway to develop and enhance mutually beneficial relationships. BASES contributed extensively to the consultation on the Research Excellence Framework and in nominating members for the panel. Four of the 12 panel members were BASES nominees.

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The BASES Student Conference 2012 will be hosted by the University of East London, which is based very close to the site of the Olympic and Paralympic Games and will be themed accordingly. The Board was pleased to accept an invite to integrate the BASES Conference 2012 into the International Convention on Science, Education and Medicine in Sport, which will take place in July 2012. BASES was awarded 10 funded symposia by

the conference organisers and undertook a competitive contest during the year to select the best proposals by members. BASES will conduct the usual business of awards and the Annual General Meeting during this time. The Association is also looking at opportunities linked to the 2014 Commonwealth Games, which will be held in Glasgow.

The Division of Sport and Performance has also continued to improve BASES external communications through regular contact with the mass media and, building on last year's successes, has launched press releases of key conference abstracts.

Finance

The Board reports a turnover of almost £260,000. It has been a difficult year for the Association with income about £40,000 lower than the previous year due to declining advertising, sponsorship and other non-membership forms of income as a result of the external economic climate. This decline came at the same time as the Association had invested in staffing and other costs to improve member services. The accounts report a deficit for the financial year, after taxation, of £61,290, which is covered by the Association's reserves. During the latter half of the 2010/11 year the Board introduced tight cost control. The Board also undertook a staffing review in 2011/12. Projected accounts for 2011/12 show the Association will return a balanced budget.

Acknowledgements

Finally, the Board would like to pay special tribute to those individuals who have contributed their time and energy to the Association.





Company Information and Report of the Directors for the year ended 31 March 2011

Directors

Prof J Doust (Chair) • Mrs S Anstiss • Dr C L Hitchings • Dr D Micklewright • Miss D L Pearce • Dr K Tolfrey • Prof R Tong • Mr G Wilson.

Secretary

Miss J Bairstow.

Registered office

Fairfax Hall, Leeds Metropolitan University, Headingley Campus, Leeds, LS6 3QS.

Registered number

05385834 (England and Wales).

Accountants

Kirk Newsholme, Chartered Accountants, 4315 Park Approach, Thorpe Park, Leeds, West Yorkshire, LS15 8GB.

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 March 2011.

Principal activity

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of promoting evidence-based practice and research in sport and exercise sciences through conferences, workshops and publications.

Directors

The directors shown below have held office during the whole of the period from 1 April 2010 to the date of this report:

Prof J Doust (Chair) • Mrs S Anstiss • Dr C L Hitchings • Dr D Micklewright • Miss D L Pearce • Prof R Tong • Mr G Wilson.

Other changes in directors holding office are as follows:

Dr J Gill - resigned 7 September 2010

Dr K Tolfrey - appointed 7 September 2010.

Company objectives

The objects of the company are the promotion of research in sport and exercise sciences, the encouragement of evidence-based practice in sport and exercise sciences, the distribution of knowledge in sport and exercise sciences, the development and maintenance of high professional standards for those involved in sport and exercise sciences and the representation of the interests of sport and exercise sciences both nationally and internationally and the company is a 'not for profit' organisation.

Report of the directors for the year ended 31 March 2011

Statement of directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). The financial statements are required by law to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the income and expenditure of the company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Report of the Directors for the year ended 31 March 2011

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

On behalf of the Board:



Prof J Doust FBASES

Chair

Date: 27 June 2011





Income and Expenditure Account for the years ended 31 March 2011 and 31 March 2010

		2011	2010
	Notes	£	£
Income	2	257,890	298,477
Expenditure		<u>110,785</u>	<u>113,173</u>
Gross surplus		147,105	185,304
Administrative expenses		<u>208,905</u>	<u>201,853</u>
Operating loss	3	(61,800)	(16,549)
Interest receivable and similar income		<u>568</u>	<u>804</u>
Deficit on ordinary activities before taxation		(61,232)	(15,745)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	4	<u>58</u>	<u>169</u>
Deficit for the financial year after taxation		<u>(61,290)</u>	<u>(15,914)</u>

Balance Sheets for the years ended 31 March 2011 and 31 March 2010

	Notes	2011		2010	
		£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	5		2,484		2,973
Current assets					
Debtors	6	27,189		27,379	
Cash at bank and in hand		<u>187,058</u>		<u>237,592</u>	
		214,247		264,971	
Creditors					
Amounts falling due within one year	7	<u>89,173</u>		<u>79,096</u>	
Net current assets			<u>125,074</u>		<u>185,875</u>
Total assets less current liabilities			<u>127,558</u>		<u>188,848</u>
Reserves					
Retained reserves	8		<u>127,558</u>		<u>188,848</u>
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The company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 31 March 2011.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2011 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of each financial year and of its profit or loss for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 27 June 2011 and were signed on its behalf by:



**Prof J Doust FBASES
Chair**





Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2011

1. Accounting policies

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

Income

Grant income is recognised in the income and expenditure account so as to match the costs as and when they are incurred. Membership fees are recognised in the income and expenditure account over the period of membership. All other income is recognised as it is earned and the company has obtained the right to the consideration.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Fixtures and Fittings	- 10% on cost
Computer Equipment	- 33% on cost and 25% on cost
Website Development	- 100% on cost

2. Income

The company's income is mainly derived from membership fees. This income is recognised in the income and expenditure account so as to match the costs as and when they are incurred.

Membership fees income

	31.03.11	31.03.10	31.03.09
	£	£	£
Deferred income b/fwd	45,209	41,034	39,218
Receipts in the year	126,192	126,434	127,334
Deferred income c/fwd	(44,047)	(45,209)	(41,034)
Income per accounts	127,354	122,259	125,518

3. Operating deficit

The operating loss is stated after charging:

	2011	2010
	£	£
Depreciation - owned assets	1,244	20,528
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	-	61
Pension costs	11,354	9,340
Directors' remuneration and other benefits etc.	62,413	52,600

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2011

4. Taxation

As the company's activities are undertaken not with a view to realising a profit but to advance the promotion of research into sports sciences and the other objectives set out in the Directors' Report, HMRC have agreed that only the company's other income is subject to corporation tax.

5. Tangible fixed assets

	Fixtures and fittings	Computer equipment	Totals
	£	£	£
Cost			
At 1 April 2010	1,029	27,567	28,596
Additions	<u>-</u>	<u>755</u>	<u>755</u>
At 31 March 2011	<u>1,029</u>	<u>28,322</u>	<u>29,351</u>
Depreciation			
At 1 April 2010	408	25,215	25,623
Charge for year	<u>103</u>	<u>1,141</u>	<u>1,244</u>
At 31 March 2011	<u>511</u>	<u>26,356</u>	<u>26,867</u>
Net book value			
At 31 March 2011	<u>518</u>	<u>1,966</u>	<u>2,484</u>
At 31 March 2010	<u>621</u>	<u>2,352</u>	<u>2,973</u>

6. Debtors: amounts falling due within one year

	2011	2010
	£	£
Trade debtors	24,695	18,434
Prepayments and accrued income	<u>2,494</u>	<u>8,945</u>
	<u>27,189</u>	<u>27,379</u>





Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2011

7. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2011	2010
	£	£
Trade creditors	6,803	11,133
Tax	119	224
Social security and other taxes	5,645	2,121
Other creditors	999	929
Accruals and deferred income	<u>75,607</u>	<u>64,689</u>
	<u>89,173</u>	<u>79,096</u>

Included within accruals and deferred income is £61,935 (2010: £60,626) of deferred income, of which £44,047 (2010: £45,209) relates to deferred membership fees.

8. Reserves

	Retained reserves
	£
At 1 April 2010	188,848
Deficit for the year	<u>(61,290)</u>
At 31 March 2011	<u>127,558</u>

9. Ultimate controlling party

The directors control the broad operating and financial strategy of the company.

10. Capital

The Company is limited by guarantee and has no share capital. The liability of the members in the event of a winding up is limited to £1 per member.

Chartered Accountants' Report to the Board of Directors on the Unaudited Financial Statements

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006, we have prepared for your approval the financial statements of The British Association of Sport and Exercise Sciences for the year ended 31 March 2011 which comprise the Income and Expenditure Account, the Balance Sheet and the related notes from the company's accounting records and from information and explanations you have given us.

As a practising member firm of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales (ICAEW), we are subject to its ethical and other professional requirements which are detailed at icaew.com/members/handbook.

This report is made solely to the Board of Directors of The British Association of Sport and Exercise Sciences, as a body, in accordance with our terms of engagement. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the financial statements of The British Association of Sport and Exercise Sciences and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the Board of Directors of The British Association of Sport and Exercise Sciences, as a body, in this report in accordance with AAF 2/10 as detailed at icaew.com/compilation. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and its Board of Directors, as a body, for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that The British Association of Sport and Exercise Sciences has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare statutory financial statements that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and loss of The British Association of Sport and Exercise Sciences. You consider that The British Association of Sport and Exercise Sciences is exempt from the statutory audit requirement for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit or a review of the financial statements of The British Association of Sport and Exercise Sciences. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the statutory financial statements.

Kirk Newsholme, Chartered Accountants, 4315 Park Approach, Thorpe Park, Leeds, West Yorkshire, LS15 8GB.

Date: 11 July 2011





Detailed Income and Expenditure Account for the years ended 31 March 2011 and 31 March 2010

	2011		2010	
	£	£	£	£
Income				
Membership	127,354		122,259	
Advertising	27,450		32,507	
The Sport and Exercise Scientist	12,760		21,288	
Workshops	26,520		27,320	
Conference receipts	15,354		20,946	
Sponsorship	2,500		7,500	
Course Finder	6,300		5,955	
BASES Undergraduate Endorsement Scheme	6,083		5,550	
Accreditation Fees	9,950		9,289	
Supervised Experience	7,138		9,745	
<i>Journal of Sports Sciences</i>	15,827		20,197	
Publications and Other	654		100	
UK Sport CPD Grant	-		10,478	
UK Sport HPSA Re-licensing Grant	-		1,793	
UK Sport Quality Assurance Procedures Grant	-		3,500	
Fellowship	-		50	
		257,890		298,477
Expenditure				
The Sport and Exercise Scientist	24,397		25,823	
Workshops	22,281		16,581	
Conferences	7,518		10,969	
Sponsorship	3,300		-	
BASES Undergraduate Endorsement Scheme	1,052		1,549	
Accreditation	5,602		6,941	
Supervised Experience	6,879		10,898	
Consultancy	1,209		16,327	
International Conference Grants	2,989		3,500	
Career Development Grants	362		-	
Annual Conference Grants	482		-	
Early Career Researcher Awards	1,000		-	
Annual Awards	825		-	
Expert Statement Grants	9,171		-	
Applied Practitioner Awards	500		-	
Undergraduate Dissertation Awards	317		-	
Heads of Department Forum	1,251		678	
FEPSAC	3,033		-	
Public Relations and Marketing	7,152		5,675	
Meetings and Travel	11,465		14,232	
		110,785		113,173
Gross surplus		147,105		185,304
Other income				
Deposit account interest		568		804
		147,673		186,108

Detailed Income and Expenditure Account for the years ended 31 March 2011 and 31 March 2010

	2011		2010	
	£	£	£	£
Brought forward		147,673		186,108
Office Expenses				
Rent and Utilities	4,982		3,970	
Directors' Salaries	62,413		52,600	
Directors' Social Security	6,526		5,515	
Directors' Pensions	7,881		5,631	
Salaries and National Insurance	77,084		70,520	
Pensions	3,473		3,709	
Telephone and Internet	3,638		3,913	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	2,922		5,628	
Computer Support and Maintenance	3,145		879	
Insurance	632		652	
Sundry Expenses	773		1,789	
Subscriptions	65		-	
Training and Development	1,628		2,304	
Legal, Professional and Accountancy	13,205		11,760	
Website Development	8,425		2,831	
Bad Debts	1,372		-	
Irrecoverable VAT	5,733		6,425	
		<u>203,897</u>		<u>178,126</u>
		(56,224)		7,982
Finance costs				
Bank Charges and Interest		<u>3,764</u>		<u>3,138</u>
		(59,988)		4,844
Depreciation				
Fixtures and Fittings	103		115	
Computer Equipment	<u>1,141</u>		<u>20,413</u>	
		<u>1,244</u>		<u>20,528</u>
		(61,232)		(15,684)
Loss on disposal of fixed assets				
Fixtures and Fittings		-		<u>61</u>
Net deficit		<u>(61,232)</u>		<u>(15,745)</u>





BASES Undergraduate Endorsed Courses

The following institutions have BASES undergraduate endorsed courses:

Bournemouth University • Coventry University • Edge Hill University • Manchester Metropolitan University, Cheshire • Newman University College • Northumbria University • Roehampton University • Sheffield Hallam University • St Mary's University College • Swansea University • University of Brighton • University of Bolton • University of Central Lancashire • University of Chester • University of Chichester • University of Edinburgh • University of Essex • University of Glamorgan • University of Gloucestershire • University of Lincoln • University of Portsmouth • University of Salford • University of Staffordshire • University of Ulster • University of Wales Institute, Cardiff • University of Winchester • University of Wolverhampton • York St John University.

Fellows of the Association

BASES Fellowships recognise esteemed professional achievement, skills, knowledge and service to BASES and the sport and exercise science community.

1993 - Prof Craig Sharp • 1994 - Prof Les Burwitz • Prof Lew Hardy • Prof Clyde Williams • 1997 - Prof John Annett • Prof Neil Armstrong • Prof Tudor Hale • 1998 - Prof Roger Bartlett • Prof Steve Bird • Dr Steve Bull • Prof Ken Fox • Prof Don MacLaren • Dr Sarah Rowell • Prof Neil Spurway • Dr Jean Whitehead • Prof Edward Winter • Prof Fred Yeadon • 1999 - Prof Stuart Biddle • Prof Dave Kerwin • Prof Adrian Lees • 2000 - Prof Jo Doust • Prof Roger Eston • Dr Jim Watkins • 2001 - Dr Jan Graydon • Prof Adrienne Hardman • Prof Nanette Mutrie • Assoc Prof Gaynor Parfitt • Prof Peter Terry • 2002 - Prof Andy Jones • Prof Andy Smith • Dr Adrian Taylor • Dr Sandy Wolfson • 2004 - Prof Ian Maynard • 2008 - Prof Tom Mercer • Assoc Prof Craig A Williams • 2009 - Prof Richard Davison • Prof John Saxton • Prof Kevin Thompson • 2010 - Prof Celia Brackenridge • Dr John Buckley • 2010 - Prof Dave Collins • Prof Carlton Cooke • Dr Jason Gill • Prof Michael Gleeson • Dr Richard Godfrey • Dr Brian Hemmings • Dr Costas Karageorghis • Prof Andy Lane • Prof Craig Mahoney • Prof Alison McConnell • Prof Marie Murphy • Prof Richard Tong • Dr Ken van Someren • Prof Greg Whyte.

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1984 - 1987	Prof Clyde Williams FBASES
1987 - 1989	Prof Tudor Hale FBASES
1989 - 1991	Prof Neil Armstrong FBASES
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1994 - 1996	Prof Tom Reilly
1996 - 1998	Prof Les Burwitz FBASES
1998 - 2000	Prof Andy Smith FBASES
2000 - 2002	Prof Neil Spurway FBASES
2002 - 2004	Prof Clyde Williams FBASES
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2006 - 2008	Prof Richard Davison FBASES
2008 - present	Prof Jo Doust FBASES.

Committees

Board

Prof Jo Doust FBASES (Chair), Sue Anstiss, Dr Claire Hitchings, Dr Dominic Micklewright, Debbie Pearce, Dr Keith Tolfrey, Prof Richard Tong FBASES and Graham Wilson.

BASES Office Staff

Jane Bairstow, Jane Gillott, Marsha Stankler and Kate Yule.

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Prof Richard Tong FBASES (Chair), Dr Mike Duncan, Prof Martin Sellens, Len Parker Simpson and Jocelyn Tantawy.

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Division of Sport and Performance

Dr Dominic Micklewright (Chair), Dr Francesca Burton, Dr Emma Ross, Les Tumilty and Karen Williams.

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