
PLUS+

Peer-Learning Undergraduate Support

What is PLUS+?

Engaging students as associates within their learning community

- Students facilitated to run extracurricular learning opportunities.
- Sharing of skills between peers.
- Training and mentorship from staff.
- Aligned with HEA D1

**Additional
Programming
Languages**

**Internet of
Things and
Security**

**Introduction to
Games
Development**

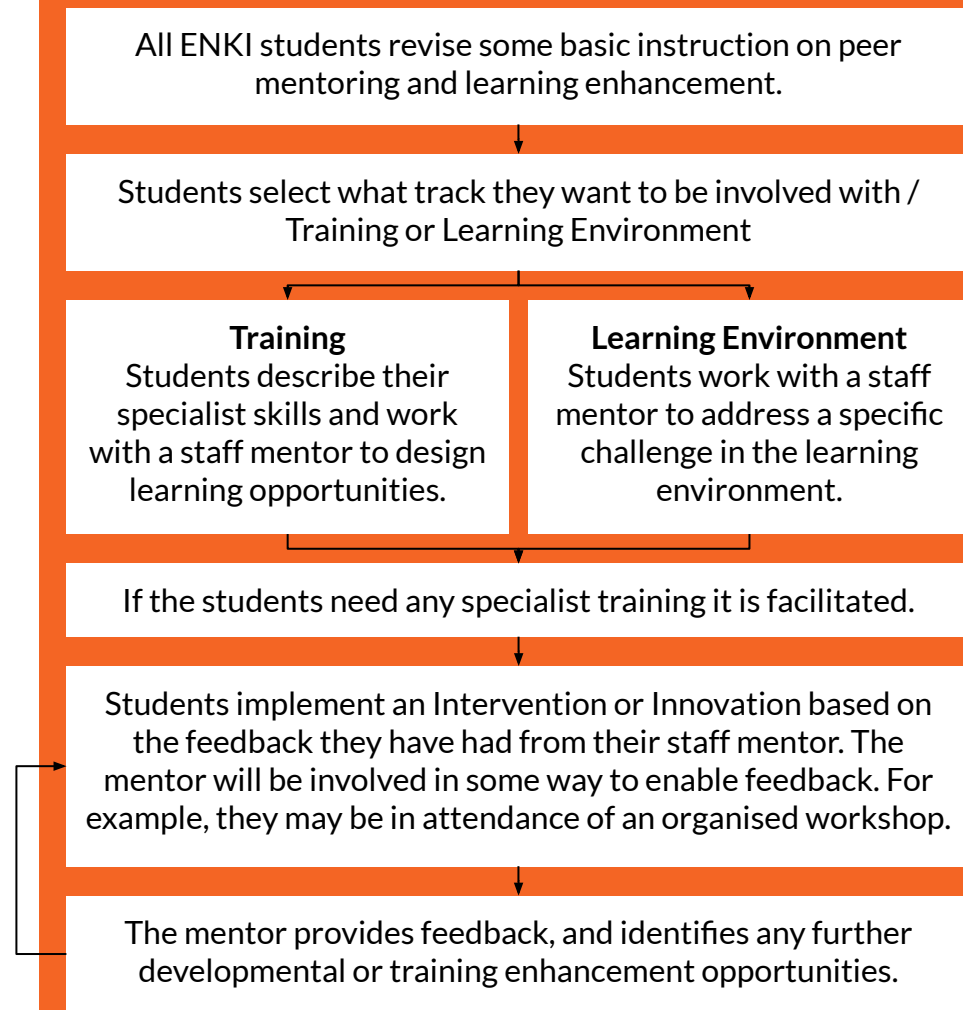
**Repositories
and Version
Control**

**Development of
Learning
Resources**

**Enhancing the
Learning
Environment**

How The Model Works

The PLUS+ model is explicitly mapped against the HEA D1 standard, allowing students to apply for associate fellowship standard.



The Story So Far

The PLUS+ Programme is in it's pilot, we are hoping to expand the opportunity next year.

- 7 Students engaged on the programme. 5 Currently applying for HEA D1.
- 16 Workshops organised and 5 collaborative events.
- Over 300 students received benefits from the engagement.



ENKI: Learning Development Platform

As part of the project we developed ENKI, a portfolio system designed to help PLUS+ students keep track of their skills development.

- Experience management / Validation
 - Learning opportunities
 - Advanced learner-facing visual analytics
 - LHERI funded
 - Exploring opportunities to use in the Lincoln Award.
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BREAKDOWN

▼ PROFESSIONAL VALUES

Promoting Equality **8**

▼ DELIVERY

Presentation **11**

Communication **2**

Socratic Practice and Debate **0**

Working with Large Groups **0**

► ASSESSMENT

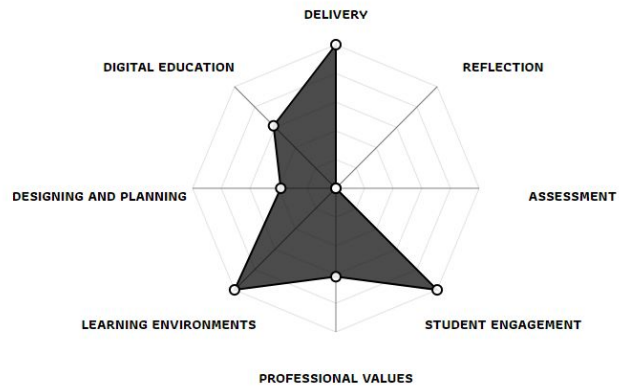
► DIGITAL EDUCATION

► DESIGNING AND PLANNING

► LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS

► STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

► REFLECTION



✕ LOGOUT

Future Opportunities

Insights from the 18/19 Pilot

- One example of the scheme working really well is where it was adopted by one of our academic societies. It gave them some encourage to run additional academic support sessions, placed value on their engagement, and equipped them with the training to help them to succeed. If the Students Union is planning on further developing the AS opportunities and memberships then engagement PLUS+ or a similar model could help to enhance the offering.
- ENKI is being developed further and piloted for the administration of the Lincoln Award, to better help students reflect on their extracurricular skills development.
- Student participants have been very pleased with sessions facilitated by ENKI participants. They have appreciated the added value in peer-led additional learning opportunities.
- Now that we internally accredit HEA, there is an opportunity to further develop the offering.