STRATEGIC ADVISORY TEAM

SUMMARY OF MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES THEME SAT MEETING
NOTES AND DISCUSSION ITEMS: 27th April 2021, Virtual via Zoom

Attendees:

Members:
Dr Jeremy Bradley, DataSparQ (JB)
Professor Helen Byrne, University of Oxford (HB)
Professor Peter Challenor, University of Exeter (PC)
Mr Chris Daniels, FlareBright Ltd (CD)
Professor Jonathan Dawes, University of Bath (JD) – Chair
Professor Mark Kambites, University of Manchester (MK)
Professor Sara Lombardo, Loughborough University (SL)
Dr Sean McGinty, University of Glasgow (SM)
Dr Nick Polydorides, University of Edinburgh (NP)
Professor Vicky Pope, Independent (VP)
Professor James Robinson, University of Warwick (JR)
Professor Gregory Sankaran, University of Bath (GSk)
Professor Gwyneth Stallard, Open University (GSt)
Professor Arne Strauss, WHU (AS)
Mr Robert Shaw, AstraZeneca (RS)

EPSRC:
Dr Nishtha Agarwal, Portfolio Manager, Mathematical Sciences (NA)
Dr Giada Alessandroni, Portfolio Support Manager, Mathematical Sciences (GA)
Dr Katie Blaney, Head of Mathematical Sciences (KB)
Dr Carys Howell, Portfolio Manager, Mathematical Sciences (CH)
Mr Luis López-Bracey, Senior Manager, Mathematical Sciences (LLB)
Dr Victoria Lund, Portfolio Manager, Mathematical Sciences (VAL)
Ms Ruqaiyah Patel, Senior Manager, Mathematical Sciences (RuP)
Dr Jess Phillips, Portfolio Manager, Information and Communication Technologies (JP)
Dr Rachael Pittaway, Portfolio Manager, Mathematical Sciences (RaP)
Dr Marianne Rolph, Senior Manager, Mathematical Sciences (MR)
Dr Rebecca Williams, Senior Manager, Mathematical Sciences (RW)
Dr Jacob Wood, Portfolio Manager, Mathematical Sciences (JW)

Apologies:
Professor Carmen Molina-París, University of Leeds (CM)
Introduction & Welcome
Jonathan Dawes opened the meeting by welcoming the attendees. Katie Blaney introduced the agenda for the meeting set out to provide an overview of the Mathematical Sciences Theme strategy.

Where have we been
The Mathematical Sciences Team gave an update on on-going topics, highlighting where advise from the SAT has been taken. The topics discussed included Discipline Hopping, Equality Diversity & Inclusion and the Small Grants Scheme.

Where are we now
KB gave an overview of the roles and responsibilities of the Mathematical Sciences Team. An overview of the Mathematical Sciences Theme strategy for 2021/22 was also presented.

Where are we going
The Mathematical Sciences Team gave an overview of future/ongoing activities within the Theme. Topics discussed included Monitoring and Evaluation and Community Engagement.

Close
Jonathan thanked everyone for attending the meeting.

The next meeting is scheduled for the 28th June 2021, and will be held virtually.