

SENATE: 29 APRIL 2026**REPORTED BUSINESS**1. Chair of Senate's Action

On 20 January 2026, the Vice-Chancellor and President took Chair's action on behalf of Senate to grant the title of Emeritus Professor on Professor Tim Cheetham (Institute of Translational and Clinical Research).

2. Deaths

15 February 2026

Dr Xu Deng (Daisy). Daisy, a NUAcT Fellow in Electrical and Electronic Engineering, was a bright and talented academic and a kind and thoughtful colleague. Our thoughts are with her family, and with our colleagues and students in the School of Engineering who worked closely with her. Daisy will be greatly missed within EEE and across the wider University.

Senate records its deep regret and sympathy for the relatives concerned.