

3<sup>rd</sup> March 2014

**UNIVERSITY AND COLLEGE UNION  
NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ELECTIONS 2014  
NEC SEATS IN THE FURTHER EDUCATION SECTOR**

Our report of voting for the above elections, which closed at 12 noon on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2014, is as follows:

**FE North East**

Number of eligible voters:	5,605
Total number of votes cast:	605
Turnout:	10.8%
Number of votes found to be invalid/blank in respect of this contest:	41
Total number of valid votes to be counted:	564

Result (2 to elect)

The following candidates were elected (in order of election):

HEPBURN, Cath  
SHORT, Lee

**FE UK-Elected NEC Members**

Number of eligible voters:	35,479
Total number of votes cast:	3,049
Turnout:	8.6%
Number of votes found to be invalid/blank in respect of this contest:	192
Total number of valid votes to be counted:	2,857

Result (5 to elect)

Five two year vacancies to include at least one employed in adult continuing or community-based education (ACE) and one employed in prison education.

Only one nomination was received for each of these categories and so the following candidates have been elected unopposed:

MAWDSLEY, Graham (prison education)  
THAKOORDIN, Jim (ACE)

The following candidates were elected to the remaining three places (in order of election):

PRIDEAUX, Jenny  
HILL, Margot  
BARKER, Alan

The result sheets for each election form the Appendices to this report and detail:-

- ◆ the quota required for election
- ◆ each candidate's voting figures, and
- ◆ the stages at which successful candidates were elected.

As Scrutineers appointed in accordance with Section 49 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992 (as amended), we are satisfied as to each of the matters specified in subsection 52(2) with regard to the election. The following points should be noted:

- a) The person appointed under section 51A to carry out the storage and counting of voting papers was Electoral Reform Services Limited.
- b) The person appointed under section 51A to carry out the distribution of voting papers was Electoral Reform Services Limited.
- c) A copy of the register of voters (as at the relevant date) was examined in accordance with section 49(3). The examination took place at our own instance and did not reveal any matter that should be brought to the attention of the trade union.

We would draw your attention to sections 52(4), 52(5), and 52(6). Section 52(4) requires that a copy of this report be published and made available to all members of the union within a three month period from today. This does not, however, mean that every member has to be notified individually.



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