

## GBA News - December 2018



## GBA Annual General Meeting

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**SAVE THE DATE** - The GBA's AGM will take place on Wednesday, **20<sup>th</sup> March 2019**. The meeting will be held in Conference Room 1, Riddel Hall, Queen's University Belfast.

We are delighted to be joined by our special guest **Francis Campbell**, Vice-Chancellor of St Mary's University, Twickenham.

Francis Campbell was a Policy Adviser and Private Secretary to Tony Blair when he served as Prime Minister. He also served as First Secretary at the

British Embassy in Rome and Ambassador to the Holy See before becoming Vice-Chancellor of St Mary's University. Mr Campbell will discuss leadership and transformation while drawing from his own experiences.

A full agenda for the day will be distributed when finalised. A finance session discussing budget restrictions will take place in the morning prior to a break between 1.00pm and 2.00pm. After lunch there will be an address from Mr Campbell followed by formal business. Full proceedings will be completed by approximately 4.00pm.

## NI Affairs Committee

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The Northern Ireland Affairs Committee met stakeholders at Holy Cross College in Strabane on Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> January 2019. Representatives from the Bursars' Association and Principals from GBA member schools attended the event to express their views on the state of funding for schools. The GBA will continue to advocate for more funding for the Education sector in Northern Ireland. To follow the work of the Committee's Education Funding in Northern Ireland Enquiry, please [click here](#).

## Teaching and Non-Teaching Vacancies

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The GBA post our member schools' teaching and non-teaching vacancies on our [website](#) and the [@gbani\\_jobs](#) twitter account. This is an opportunity for free advertising for schools. We suggest you follow our twitter account and encourage others within the education sector to do so. If your school has vacancies that are not advertised or if you would like to change the detail on our website, please contact [terence@gbani.org](mailto:terence@gbani.org).

## Shared Education

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Shared Education have launched their new website [www.sharededucation.org.uk](http://www.sharededucation.org.uk). This has coincided with the recent introduction of the Collaboration and Sharing in Education (CASE) Peace IV Project.

CASE is a cross-border Peace IV Programme funded by the European Union. The CASE project, managed by the Education Authority (EA) in partnership with Léargas in the Republic of Ireland, targets primary and post-primary schools across Northern Ireland and the border counties. The EA would like to hear from schools who wish to participate in Shared Education programmes.

If your school is not already involved in a shared education partnership but is interested in participating in a programme, can you please let us know by email at [administrator@gbani.org](mailto:administrator@gbani.org).

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