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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

A two day visit by representative of the Western Balkan countries to the University of Brighton to explore examples of good practice in knowledge and technology transfer.

1. The Visit

1.1. Overview

The visit schedule aims to give an insight into a range of different KTT relationships at the University of Brighton. This includes time spent with two leading research units in the Faculty of Science and Engineering which have extensive KTT relationships with external organisations. One of these goes back more than 20 years while the other is a rapidly growing relationship which focuses on military safety applications.

The schedule also includes a visit to a relatively recent partner of the University. This started as a Knowledge Transfer Partnership which was first discussed with the company about 2 years ago but has extended to include a wide portfolio of interactions.

1.2. Timetable

Thursday 15th August

- 0930:** Arrive at University. Mark Jones will meet the visitors either at the front door if arriving by taxi, or at the station.
- 0945** A talk and tour with the Vetronics Research Centre who hold a significant number of major contracts (Ian Colwill & colleagues).
- 1230** *Lunch with the Vetronics team*
- 1330** Depart by private car to Ford, West Sussex.
- 1430** Visit to Dando Drilling for presentation, discussion and tour with Dando Drilling, a relatively recent partner of ours who have a portfolio of interactions.
- 1730** Return to Brighton

Friday 16th August

- 0930** Arrive at University
- 0945** Tour and talk of how our Engines Research Centre has developed their work with external companies and particularly the development of the partnership with Ricardo. (Prof. Morgan Heikal)
- 1200** *Lunch with colleagues from the ERC. We will also be joined by Gemma Hunter, Placements Manager, who will be happy to talk about the way we work with companies to set up student placements and our plans for growing the area of graduate employability.*
- 1300** General discussion about developing infrastructure to support KTT
- 1400** Meeting to discuss management and administration of the project
- 1500** Free time.

2. Conclusion

The visit is expected to not only give an opportunity to find out about practices in the University of Brighton in terms of delivery of knowledge and technology transfer but will also give the opportunity to explore support mechanisms that are in place and that are continuing to evolve.