

## Replacement of the JNMC with the JIG

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A proposal is being taken to the CITC (Colleges IT Committee) and ISC (Information Services Committee) to agree to disband the JNMC and replace it with a new *Joint Infrastructure Group* (JIG) that reports to the Infrastructure Portfolio Board, which reports to the ISC.

The full proposal is attached to the JNMC agenda and includes the Terms of Reference and proposed membership of the JIG but the key points are:

- The ToR covers the existing remits of managing jointly-funded items such as the telephone and GBN, as well as infrastructure development.
- It expands coverage to all infrastructure, not just networking.
- Makes clear it should agree technical standards to support convergence across the Collegiate University.
- The Chair would be appointed by the CITC, so could be a continuation of the current Chair (Robin Walker).
- The secretariat would be appointed by the UIS, so could be a continuation of the Secretary (Robert Franklin).

The membership of the JIG would be determined by the Infrastructure Portfolio Group, in consultation with the CITC. The existing membership of the JNMC would, however, be carried across to the JIG.

It is unclear what the timescale for these actions is.