



GQAL wishes to thank Ofqual for their detailed report, which recognises and underpins the broad aims of the awarding body.

GQAL is a relatively new awarding body with a distinct and inspirational mission to promote and provide graded qualifications, through collaborative arrangements between Higher Education, Further Education and the Private Sector. GQAL was set up to research, develop, implement and accredit new programmes and awards. It focuses on applied learning and performance mastery by offering programmes and awards that offer alternative pathways and structures to existing qualifications.

GQAL continues to develop its capacity for innovation and is revising the nature of the relationship between its founders to reflect the next stage in its growth as an Awarding Body; it is fully committed to ensuring that the quality and standards of all its awards continue to meet current and future regulatory requirements. GQAL embraces the Ofqual report as a stimulus to further build upon and support the interests of learners through the development of awards and assessment practices that are relevant and appropriate to their needs.