



## **Anti-Competitive Statement**

The Open University will consider the validation of the majority of subject areas irrespective of whether the University offers the subject as part of its directly taught curriculum offer. The University has an extensive academic body which enables it to support a varied curriculum delivered by validated partners.

An initial assessment will be undertaken by the Validation Partnerships Team and the respective Faculty to determine if the proposed programme is able to be supported by our Faculty and/or aligns to the University's strategy.