## Statement of support of funding application submitted to College Research Committee by Anna Walker and Michael Hunt

This application represents an exciting opportunity to explore the development of bovine trackers with the aim of providing data on activities such as grazing, walking, resting, interacting and their relationship with milk yield, breeding rates, health, foot trimming and lameness records.

Students from Equine MSc and Equitation Science FdSc and BSc will benefit from involvement with this exciting project.

This is a great opportunity for cross-cluster working and collaboration with other areas of the college such as the Rural Business School. I therefore strongly support Anna and Michael's application for funding.

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