

Task and Finish Group on the future outlook for the media in Wales

Meeting Venue: **Committee Room 2 – Senedd**

Meeting date: **Thursday, 17 November 2011**

Meeting time: **13:01 – 14:59**

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Concise Minutes:

Assembly Members:

Ken Skates (Chair)
Peter Black
Janet Finch–Saunders
Bethan Jenkins

Witnesses:

Martin Shipton, National Union of Journalists
Meic Birtwistle, National Union of Journalists – Wales
David Donovan, BECTU
Gwawr Hughes, Director, Skillset Cymru
Dr Andy Williams, Cardiff University
Gwyn Roberts, Director, Cube Interactive
Owain Schiavone, Chief Executive, Golwg 360
Richard Turner, Head of Marketing and External Relations, Global Academy Innovation Programme

Committee Staff:

Marc Wyn Jones (Clerk)
Annette Millett (Deputy Clerk)
Rhys Iorwerth (Researcher)

1. Introductions, apologies and substitutions

There were no apologies.

2. Inquiry into the future outlook for the media in Wales

2.1 Print Media and Unions

The Task and Finish Group heard evidence from Martin Shipton, Chair, Cardiff and South East Wales Branch of the National Union of Journalists; Meic Birtwistle, representing Wales on National Executive Council of the National Union of Journalists; David Donovan, National Officer for Wales, BECTU; Gwawr Hughes, Director of Skillset Cymru; and Dr Andy Williams, Cardiff School of Journalism, Media and Cultural Studies 2.2 New Media and Creative Industries

The Task and Finish Group heard evidence from Gwyn Roberts, Director, Cube Interactive; Owain Schiavone, Chief Executive, Golwg 360; and Richard Turner, Head of Marketing and External Relations, Global Academy Innovation Programme

3. Papers to Note

The papers were noted.

Transcript

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