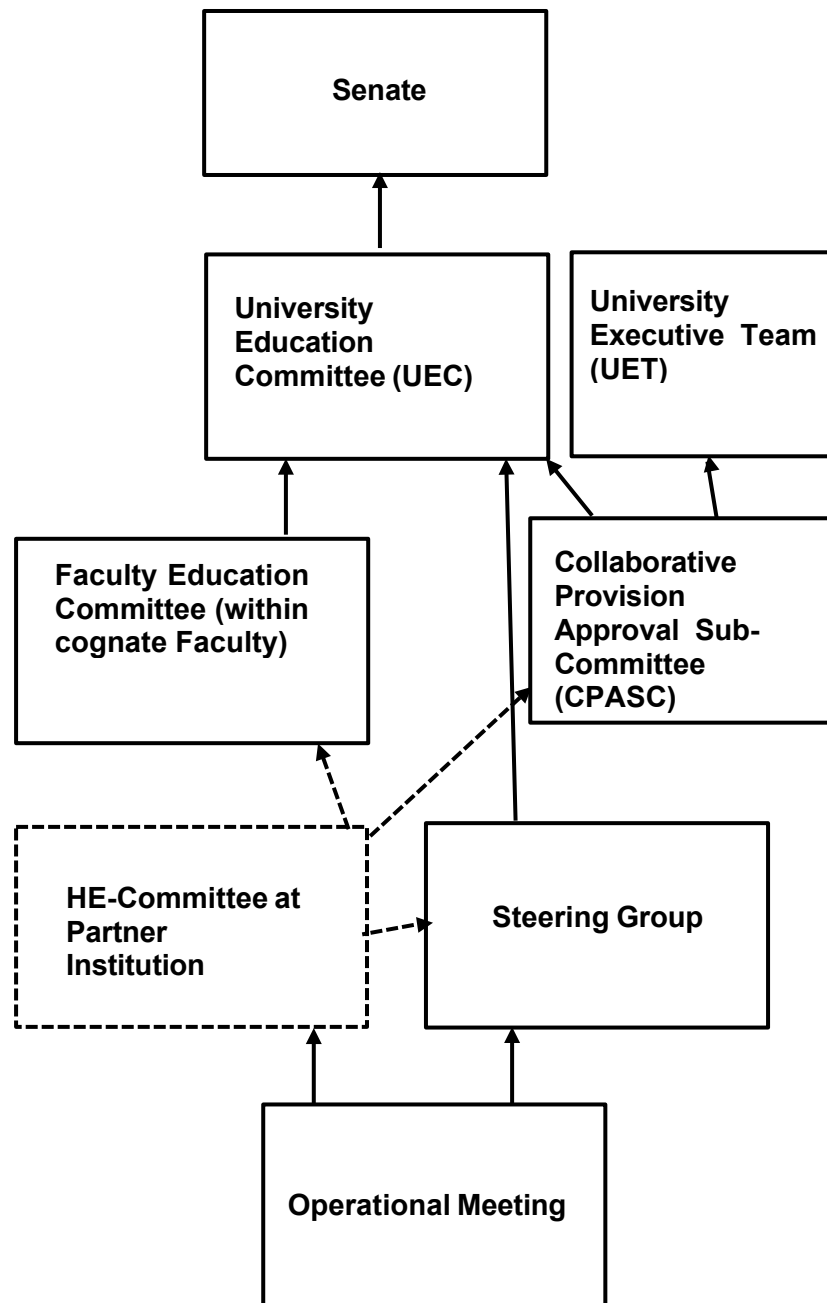


## APPENDIX 1: ACADEMIC GOVERNANCE ARRANGEMENTS FOR VALIDATION PARTNERSHIPS



**Senate** notes the recognition of partner institutions of the University.

**UET** gives final approval for establishing new partnerships and for withdrawals from existing partnerships.

**UEC** approves the appointment of external examiners for all University awards as well as determining policy and procedures relating to such appointments. **UEC** receives all business (excluding curriculum changes) in relation to the partners of the University with whom there is validated and franchised provision.

**CPASC** is a sub-committee of University Education Committee. It facilitates the initial approval of new collaborative education partnerships and makes recommendations on the recognition of affiliated institutions to University Executive Team.

**CPASC** approves new course proposals to proceed to validation, suspends and withdraws courses to be delivered at the partner institution.

**Faculty Education Committee** is a sub-committee of University Education Committee.

**FEC** considers all major changes to the curriculum of Sussex validated courses.

**Steering Group**, chaired by the Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Education and Students, or their nominated deputy, is held at least once per year between the University and its partner institutions to discuss strategic matters. The main objective is to maintain and develop the relationship between the two institutions and to be a forum for the exchange of information and sharing of good practice.

**Operational meetings** are attended by officers from the University and the partner institution where day-to-day business can be dealt with. Some partnership arrangements may differ.