

**PRESIDENT AND VICE-CHANCELLOR  
PROFESSOR IAN GREER**

As Chair of University Executive Board, the Vice-Chancellor has responsibility for:

- Chief Academic and Administrative Officer of the University
- Chair of University Executive Board
- Chair of Academic Council

Ian Greer has been President and Vice-Chancellor of Queen's University Belfast since August 2018. He has extensive experience of university innovation driving regional economic growth, including cross-sector developments such as the Northern Health Science Alliance, a collaboration of eight Universities and NHS partners, and is the cofounder of the Health Innovation Research Alliance for NI.

He is a strong advocate for University social responsibility including widening participation. He leads the innovation pillar of the Belfast Region City Deal, driving innovation in key sectors for the local economy - creative industries, health innovation, data science & analytics, and advanced manufacturing. He is the immediate past President of Universities Ireland, promoting collaboration across the island, as well as a member of the Research England Council and the British Council's Education Advisory Group (EAG).

By way of background, he is a medical graduate of the University of Glasgow, with his research and clinical career in obstetrics & gynaecology. He has held senior leadership positions in several UK Universities, and was Vice President of the University of Manchester, immediately before moving to Queen's.