

# University of Liverpool Consultancy and Audits



Collaboration between the University of Liverpool and ParkinsonHowe resulted in several significant benefits

# Situation:

The University of Liverpool, a prestigious educational institution, recognised the criticality of robust business continuity plans for its faculties. Acknowledging the potential impact of unforeseen disruptions such as natural disasters, IT outages, or public health emergencies, they sought the expertise of ParkinsonHowe, a renowned British consultancy specialising in business continuity planning. Their objective was to undergo a comprehensive review of the faculty business continuity plans to ensure preparedness and resilience in the face of potential disruptions.

#### Solution:

ParkinsonHowe conducted a comprehensive assessment of the University of Liverpool's faculty business continuity plans. They meticulously reviewed the plans, identified gaps, and offered detailed recommendations. This encompassed updating procedures, enhancing communication protocols, implementing appropriate technological solutions, and conducting training and testing exercises. By collaborating closely with the university, ParkinsonHowe ensured that the revised plans aligned with industry best practices, resulting in improved preparedness, reduced downtime, and an increased sense of stakeholder confidence in the university's ability to effectively navigate unforeseen events.

## **Benefits:**

- Enhanced Preparedness: The University of Liverpool improved their readiness by incorporating industry best practices and lessons learned.
- Minimised Downtime: The revised plans facilitated swift and effective responses, reducing downtime and ensuring continuity of critical functions.
- Increased Confidence: Collaborating with ParkinsonHowe demonstrated the university's commitment to resilience, boosting stakeholder confidence in their ability to navigate unforeseen events successfully.

### **Conclusion:**

By partnering with ParkinsonHowe, the University of Liverpool proactively strengthened their faculty business continuity plans. The collaboration led to the implementation of updated procedures, improved communication channels, and enhanced preparedness for potential disruptions. These efforts significantly minimized downtime, ensuring the uninterrupted continuity of critical functions. Moreover, the collaboration demonstrated the university's commitment to resilience, fostering increased stakeholder confidence in their ability to effectively navigate unforeseen events and safeguard the well-being of their faculty and staff.



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