CSR Staff + SSLC Meeting
Date: Tuesday, 25 November 2025
Time: 3–4 pm
Location: Ramphal R0.04 and online

Attendees
Claudio Azzarito (PGR), Bryan Brazeau (Liberal Arts), Teresa Grant (Chair), Andrew Calvert (Library), Maria Czepiel (post-doc), Valeria Cesaraccio (PGR), Donna Champion (PGT), Aysu Dincer (DGS), Natalya Din-Kariuki (English), Yukun Dong (PGT), Wanxin Du (PGR), Jeanne Dufresne (PGR), Ellinor Hopkins (PGT), Vittoria Fallanca (post-doc), Clive Letchford (PGR), Marta Spina (PGR), Karin Sprang (PGR), Jayne Sweet (minute taker), Alex Tadel (PGR), Kate Travers (post-doc), Tim Wade (post-doc), Lily Williams (PGT), Zhonghui Yang (PGT)

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1. **Unreserved minutes of the previous meeting for approval/discussion**
   Minutes reviewed; no amendments noted.

2. **Library**

   i. Systems: RAS and SNAP updates; usage and score functions to be refreshed.
   ii. Research & Access: Venice Centre contact for collaboration; Andy Calvert to review access issues.
   iii. Updated Open Access Policy. The REF2029 policy, which will come into force on 1 January 2026, and the University Open Access Policy. The latter has been revised to help authors comply with any open access policy they are subject to. Further guidance and support is available on the Library webpages https://warwick.ac.uk/services/library/research-support/
   iv. New platform: DMP Online, for data management plans. The Library & Archives has licenced **DMP Online** to enhance support for researchers who need to
   v. complete data management plans (DMP) for their Funders. Details here https://warwick.libguides.com/rdm/plan
   vi. Negotiations ongoing with major publishers (Elsevier, Springer Nature, Wiley, Sage).
   vii. Upcoming repository upgrade: Figshare replacing WRAP.
   viii. Journals review in spring; low-usage titles may be cut (e.g., *Quaerendo*).
   ix. E-resource authentication changes implemented; old bookmarks may not work.

3. **SSLC matters**

   i. SSLC Members: Ellinor Hopkins (PGT) leading this year, alongside Marta Spina and Valeria Cesaraccio (PGR)
   ii. Finding speakers for WiP is still challenging; outreach ongoing