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University of Greenwich Uses Technology to Improve Academic Planning

London, England – CACI Ltd. today announced that the University of Greenwich has selected BusinessObjects™ web reporting and ADVIZOR data visualisation software to improve management reporting and analysis across the University.

Managed and implemented by CACI, the new system will initially provide a number of users within each of the Academic Schools with self-service access to data held within the University's HESA Student Record Submissions warehouse, which forms part of the national HESA dataset. This data has been augmented with additional University specific information to enable analyses to be focussed on University-defined population groups.

BusinessObjects WebIntelligence will be used to run ad-hoc and scheduled comparative management reports, whilst ADVIZOR will be used to create the lower level of intuitive visual analysis presented through any number of graphical dashboards.

The system will be used to report and analyse against more than 10 years of data about the student population; information that will be used to track trends and run analyses against a range of demographic criteria to aid planning across a number of departments, from Statistics and Planning to Careers, Alumni and Marketing.

Commenting on the solution, Christine Couper, Head of Statistics and Planning at the University of Greenwich noted,

"The Planning and Statistics department is responsible for producing reports for the Vice Chancellor, University Secretary and other members of the University's senior management team, responding to requests from other departments as well as dealing with a large number of ad-hoc reports and managing statutory return to HESA and HEFCE, for example. Needless to say, we're a very busy department and using systems like Excel and Access were making the whole process terribly time consuming."

"By giving departmental users self-service access to the data they need and giving them a means of analysing the data intuitively by any number of visual representations, the whole process becomes far more efficient and user-friendly. And of course because we won't be required to run as many ad-hoc reports, we

can spend more time on strategic planning rather than data collection and distribution.”

Commenting on the technology, Christine added,

“The combination of BusinessObjects and ADVIZOR is extremely powerful - on the one hand we will be able to produce and share reports far more easily and quickly, and on the other we will be able to conduct a much greater level of analysis. For example, we can now ask questions from the data and identify what I call ‘data hotspots’, or hidden trends, all of which can be mapped visually for speed of reference and clarity. This technology has the potential to make a real difference to the way that the institution operates in the next few years.”

The first phase of the project is due to go live in January 2006. Plans are also in place to extend the system across a number of other datasets and departments.

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About CACI

Established in 1975, CACI offers an unrivalled range of information systems and solutions to many of the country's leading organisations across all sectors.

Focusing on telecommunications, retail, local government, health and education, CACI provides systems integration and application development in document management, data warehousing, business intelligence and e-business.

CACI also provide a full range of services that are designed to help get the most out of IT solutions, including consultancy, bespoke development, support and training.

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About ADVIZOR Solutions

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