



University for the Common Good

**THE Awards 2019 – Outstanding Support for Students**

Institution/Nominee	Glasgow Caledonian University
Title	#GCUerasethegrey - Preventing and Responding to Gender Based Violence
Key personnel	Jackie Main
URL	<a href="https://www.gcu.ac.uk/student/studentlife/healthandwellbeing/studentwellbeing/genderbasedviolence/">https://www.gcu.ac.uk/student/studentlife/healthandwellbeing/studentwellbeing/genderbasedviolence/</a>
Submission	<p>Glasgow Caledonian University (GCU) is working to prevent and respond to sexual and gender based violence, as this is a priority development area.</p> <p>Work includes the following elements:</p> <p>#GCUerasethegrey, which reiterates GCU's zero-tolerance policy towards gender-based violence which challenge stereotypical views.</p> <p>Our Preventing and Responding to Gender Based Violence Policy, which applies to both students and staff.</p> <p>A detailed Preventing and Responding to Gender Based Violence action plan.</p> <p>GCU Students' Association in partnership with Glasgow University, and Rape Crisis Scotland introduced a student-led workshop to talk about Sexual Violence in our society.</p> <p>First Responder Scheme – a network of GCU staff who are trained and support staff and students.</p> <p>GCU/University of Glasgow Strategy Group – a joint project to develop HEI sector approaches through a collaborative approach.</p> <p>GCU is also represented in an EU-funded project 'It Stops Now', to tackle and prevent sexual violence in the HE sector.</p>