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Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
	Period start date				Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
From	01	07	2025	To	30	06	2026

Reference and administration details

Charity name	GU68 Engineers Trust	
Other names charity is known by		
Registered charity number	**SC035296**	
Charity's principal address	39 Douglas Street	
	Largs	
	Ayrshire	
		Postcode KA30 8PT

Names of the charity trustees on date of approval of Trustees' Annual Report

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Alastair William Neill	Convener		
2	Charles John Marsh	Secretary		
3	Christopher John Cromack	Treasurer		
4	George Moir Leslie			
5	Nicholas Simon Demuth Bell			
6	Deborah Clark Maxwell			
7	Fiona Foyer Bradley			
8	David Andrew James Moran			
9	Gareth MacMillan			
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Reference and administration details

Names of all other charity trustees during the period, if any, (for example, those who resigned part way through the financial period)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

Structure, governance and management

Type of governing document	Deed of Trust dated 17 June 2024
Trustee recruitment and appointment	Under the original Deed of Trust, the Trustees had to include at least one Qualifying Graduate from each of the Qualifying departments, which were (a) Civil Engineering, (b) Electronic and Electrical Engineering and (c) Mechanical Engineering. It has proved difficult to recruit such Trustees to replace outgoing Trustees, given the changing nature of departments and the Trust was in danger of ceasing to function. The new Deed of Trust gives greater scope for recruitment while remaining true to the spirit of the original deed.

Objectives and activities

Charitable purposes	The advancement of education, particularly for students studying engineering at the University of Glasgow, for example by the provision of bursaries for students and sponsorship of projects.
Summary of the main activities in relation to these objects	Donations to a total of £300 were received in the year. Awards totalling £18,750 were made during the year.

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Achievements and performance

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the financial period	Awards as follows were made after short-listed applicants were interviewed by two of the Trustees. Interviewing Trustees change each year in rotation. A total of £18,750 was awarded to individuals and groups/teams. £3316.57 was awarded to thirteen individual students. The respective amounts being £500, £200, £600, £200, £350, £300, £400, £200, £500, £400, £400, £500 and £400 £8,000 was awarded to one group/team. In addition to the above awards, awards totalling £5800 were made to a total of 58 Civil Engineering students attending a course on construction known as ConstuctionEd (formerly Constructionarium).

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves	The Trustees consider it prudent to maintain a reserve to meet fluctuations in receipts and payments. The amount of the reserve for any given year is determined by the Trustees at their regular annual meeting
Details of any deficit	
Donated facilities and services (if any)	

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Other optional information

Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)	C Cromack
Full name(s)	Christopher John Cromack
Position (e.g. Chair)	Treasurer
Date	21/8/26