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### **Knowledge Production Within the Innovation System: A UK case study**

#### **Abstract**

This paper focuses on a key issue for university managers, educational developers and teaching practitioners that of producing new operational knowledge in the innovation system. In this case the knowledge required to guide individual and institutional styles of teaching and learning. The case study presented outlines a sustainable approach for achieving quality enhancement of teaching and producing new operational knowledge. Sustainability is achieved by linking to, and being sympathetic to, the innovative activity led concept of learning presented.