

## Edinburgh Award (Social Innovation)

This award is given to students whom the University has recognised for actively working to maximise their impact and excel as a committee member. These students have played active roles in building communities of students to design, develop, deliver, and integrate new concepts and practices that put the social good first.

In successfully completing the Edinburgh Award, these students will have been helped to:

- increase their self-awareness:
- make the most of their existing strengths and build new skills/abilities against clear development goals;
- understand the processes involved in having a planned positive impact and strategically working to excel, enabling them to have impact and make a difference whatever situation they are in; and
- look not only at their work supporting social innovation, but also to capitalise on their experiences elsewhere to inform and enhance their role as a social innovator, and vice versa.