Visualising the Student Journey

Designed as an aid to examiners at Higher Education institutions, the Student Journey tool shows individual student’s progress throughout their programme. Three co-ordinated views [1] allows an overview, with detail of individual modules on demand. The tool also builds-in institutional regulations to make recommendations for the student's outcome.

### Step 1: Select a Student to see the overview.

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### Step 2: Click on the timeline to focus on an academic year.

The Module Detail view is a modified Sankey Diagram [2] to show both structure and achievement for the student. The inclusion of coloured gauges provides Pre-Cognitive Processing [3] by viewers.

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This tool was trialled during the 2017/18 Final Award Board of Examiners' meeting within Bangor's School of Computer Science. It met with general approval and scored 79.65/100 using the Software Usability Scale.

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