Annual Report and Financial Statements for the year ended 31 July 2021

Company Registration No. 02355400



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Strategic Report

The directors, in preparing this strategic report, have complied with s414C of the Companies Act 2006.

Principal activity

The company's principal activities are to market, sell and operate accommodation, catering and conference space located at Loughborough University. These services operate in Burleigh Court, Holywell Park and The Elite Athlete Centre, on the University Campus and at The Link which is off campus and located within Loughborough near to the University site.

On 1st February 2021, the company purchased Loughborough University Nursery Ltd, childcare day nursery situated within the university campus grounds. Loughborough University Nursery Ltd is a wholly owned subsidiary of Imago @ Loughborough Ltd.

Review of the business, including key performance indicators and future prospects

Following on from last year, the Coronavirus pandemic has continued to have a significant impact on the trading performance of the company, with most of the venues being closed for substantial periods of the 12 months. From May 17th, as the government restrictions on the hospitality industry started to ease, demand for hotel accommodation gradually increased and the income for the final quarter of the year was within 65% of pre-Covid 19 levels, with July being on a par with July 2019.

Trading income relating to hotel and conferencing fell by 42% from the previous year, this is directly attributable to the pandemic. The company utilised financial support from the government by claiming grants from the Job Retention Scheme from throughout the financial year. Income derived from normal activities and the Job Retention grant was £4,976,543 (£8,093,743 2020)

The operating loss for the year of 49% compares with an operating loss for 2020 of 12%, these results have been adversely affected by Covid 19 due to the income shortfall. Government restrictions, because of Covid 19, have impacted the trading income for the full financial year, this compares with 5 months affected during the previous year.

The proportion of Human Resources costs to turnover is 65% (2020: 50%), this result has been affected by the shortfall in turnover due to the impact of Covid 19.

The loss after corporation tax of £2,393,894 (2020: loss of £837,697) has been transferred from reserves.

The company has been able to maintain a solid cash position by deferring creditor payments to Loughborough University including a short-term loan which was required for the bedroom refurbishment completed during 2019.

The company (Imago@Loughborough Limited) is a wholly owned subsidiary of Loughborough University.

The balance sheet on page 9, shows the company's financial position at the yearend in both net assets and cash terms. Details of amounts owed to its parent company are shown in note 14.

Principal risks and uncertainties

Although Government trading restrictions on the hospitality industry have now been lifted, Covid 19 is still having an impact on the industry in terms of consumer confidence particularly within the meetings market. The company is mitigating this risk by working closely with customers to devour to provide meetings and events which fulfil their requirements in a covid safe environment. The company continues to provide accommodation and catering to sports teams and groups who are attracted to the Loughborough University's world class sports facilities.

The company manages the continuing risk of competition within the conference market by closely monitoring customer feedback, actively encouraging customers to communicate regarding their visits and by actively researching competitor activity.

Strategic Report (continued)

Effective staff recruitment is key to the company's successful customer service. As a result of the decision to leave the European Union, the hospitality industry continues to face uncertainties in respect of staff recruitment. This situation has also been impacted by the pandemic with many employees leaving the hospitality during the lockdown periods. To mitigate this risk, the company invests in staff training and recruitment processes and the company is accredited with IIP Platinum (Investors in People accreditation). The company also employs apprentices and recognises the importance of internal progression and staff retention.

The company also recognises that in the current economic climate and in light of the government's policy on public expenditure it is vital that trends in forward bookings are monitored and managed.

The company is monitoring food prices and margins closely due to the significant expenditure in this area.

Risks in respect of changing world energy prices are managed by the parent company.

Credit risk is primarily attributable to trade receivables. Policies and procedures exist to ensure that customers have an appropriate credit history. The amounts presented in the balance sheet are net of allowances for doubtful receivables.

Post Balance Sheet Events

There were no post balance sheet events recorded in the year

Approved by the Board of Directors on 2u - u - 2uand signed on its behalf by:

Spencer Graydon

Director

Loughborough University,

Loughborough,

Leicestershire

LE11 3TU

Directors' Report

The directors present their annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 July 2021 for Imago@Loughborough Ltd, registered office: Finance Office, Loughborough University, Loughborough, LE11 3TU

Risk management and future developments

Details of risk management and future developments can be found in the strategic report and form part of this report by cross-reference.

Going concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis which the directors consider to be appropriate for the following reasons.

The directors have prepared cash flow forecasts for a period of 12 months from the date of approval of these financial statements which indicate that, the company will have sufficient funds, through funding from its parent, Loughborough University to meet its liabilities as they fall due for that period.

Those forecasts are dependent on Loughborough University not seeking repayment of the amounts currently due to the group, which at 31 July 2021 amounted to £6,860,231. Loughborough University has indicated that it does not intend to seek repayment of the amounts due at the balance sheet date, for the period covered by the forecasts. As with any company placing reliance on other group entities for financial support, the directors acknowledge that there can be no certainty that this support will continue although, at the date of approval of these financial statements, they have no reason to believe that it will not do so.

Consequently, the directors are confident that the company will have sufficient funds to continue to meet its liabilities as they fall due for at least 12 months from the date of approval of the financial statements and therefore have prepared the financial statements on a going concern basis.

Environment

Loughborough University recognises the importance of its environmental responsibilities and monitors its impact on the environment and designs and implements policies to reduce the company's impact on the environment. As a subsidiary of Loughborough University, imago@Loughborough Limited operates on similar environmental policies and ensures the safe disposal of waste it recycles and also is committed to energy consumption reductions.

Employees

Details of the number of employees and related costs are to be found in note 7 of the financial statements.

Applications for employment by disabled persons are always considered bearing in mind the aptitudes of the applicant concerned. In the event of a member of staff becoming disabled every effort is made to ensure that their employment with the company continues and the company is committed to training and developing its staff at all levels and on a continuous basis. The company is an experienced member of Investors in People.

Dividends

Payments are made to the parent company by way of Gift Aid. No dividends were proposed in the current year (2020: Nil).

Directors' report (Continued)

DIRECTORS.

The directors of the company during the year and subsequently, were:

Mrs K E England (resigned on 30th April 2021)
Mr R S Taylor
Mr L J McCaithy
Ms F M Stone (resigned on 12th January 2021)
Mrs J Tabor
Mr S Graydon (appointed on 4th May 2021)
Mrs M Jennings (appointed on 22nd April 2021)
Mr O Sidwell (appointed on 22nd April 2021)

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES IN RESPECT OF THE ANNUAL REPORT, STRATEGIC REPORT, THE DIRECTORS' REPORT AND THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The directors are responsible for preparing the Annual Report, Strategic Report, the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law they have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with UK accounting standards and applicable law (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), including FRS 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland.

Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and determined on a prudent basis;
- assess the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern;
 and
- use the going concern basis of accounting unless they either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are responsible for such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

Approved by the Board of Directors on and signed on behalf of the Board

24-11-2021

Spencer Graydon

Director

Loughborough University,

Loughborough,

Leicestershire,

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF IMAGO @ LOUGHBOROUGH LIMITED

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Imago @ Loughborough Ltd ("the company") for the year ended 31 July 2021 which comprise the Statement of Comprehensive Income, Balance Sheet, Statement of Changes in Equity and related notes, including the accounting policies in note 1.

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 July 2021 and of its loss for the year then
 ended:
- have been properly prepared in accordance with UK accounting standards, including FRS 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) ("ISAs (UK)") and applicable law. Our responsibilities are described below. We have fulfilled our ethical responsibilities under, and are independent of the company in accordance with, UK ethical requirements including the FRC Ethical Standard. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is a sufficient and appropriate basis for our opinion.

Going concern

The directors have prepared the financial statements on the going concern basis as they do not intend to liquidate the company or to cease its operations, and as they have concluded that the company's financial position means that this is realistic. They have also concluded that there are no material uncertainties that could have cast significant doubt over its ability to continue as a going concern for at least a year from the date of approval of the financial statements ("the going concern period").

In our evaluation of the directors' conclusions, we considered the inherent risks to the company's business model and analysed how those risks might affect the company's financial resources or ability to continue operations over the going concern period.

Our conclusions based on this work:

- we consider that the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate;
- we have not identified, and concur with the directors' assessment that there is not, a material uncertainty related
 to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to
 continue as a going concern for the going concern period.

However, as we cannot predict all future events or conditions and as subsequent events may result in outcomes that are inconsistent with judgements that were reasonable at the time they were made, the above conclusions are not a guarantee that the company will continue in operation.

Fraud and breaches of laws and regulations - ability to detect

Identifying and responding to risks of material misstatement due to fraud

To identify risks of material misstatement due to fraud ("fraud risks") we assessed events or conditions that could indicate an incentive or pressure to commit fraud or provide an opportunity to commit fraud. Our risk assessment procedures included:

- Enquiring of directors and the group audit committee, as to the Company's high-level policies and procedures
 to prevent and detect fraud, including the Company's channel for "whistleblowing", as well as whether they have
 knowledge of any actual, suspected or alleged fraud.
- Reading Board minutes.
- Using analytical procedures to identify any unusual or unexpected relationships.

We communicated identified fraud risks throughout the audit team and remained alert to any indications of fraud throughout the audit.

As required by auditing standards, and taking into account possible pressures to meet targets, we perform procedures to address the risk of management override of controls and the risk of fraudulent revenue recognition, in particular

the risk that underlying revenue transactions do not exist and the risk that management may be in a position to make inappropriate accounting entries.

We did not identify any additional fraud risks.

In determining the audit procedures, we took into account the results of our evaluation and testing of the operating effectiveness of some of the Group-wide fraud risk management controls.

We also performed procedures including:

• Identifying journal entries and other adjustments to test based on risk criteria and comparing the identified entries to supporting documentation. These included those containing a cash impact posted to unusual accounts, those to income accounts which ended in rounded numbers and unbalanced journal entries.

Identifying and responding to risks of material misstatement due to non-compliance with laws and regulations

We identified areas of laws and regulations that could reasonably be expected to have a material effect on the financial statements from our general commercial and sector experience and through discussion with the directors and other management (as required by auditing standards).

We communicated identified laws and regulations throughout our team and remained alert to any indications of non-compliance throughout the audit.

The potential effect of these laws and regulations on the financial statements varies considerably.

Firstly, the Company is subject to laws and regulations that directly affect the financial statements including financial reporting legislation (including related companies legislation), distributable profits legislation, and taxation legislation and we assessed the extent of compliance with these laws and regulations as part of our procedures on the related financial statement items.

Secondly, the Company is subject to many other laws and regulations where the consequences of non-compliance could have a material effect on amounts or disclosures in the financial statements, for instance through the imposition of fines or litigation or the need to include significant provisions. We identified the following areas as those most likely to have such an effect: compliance with Employment and Social Security legislation, PCI Compliance and Health and Safety Legislation due to the nature of the Company's activities. Auditing standards limit the required audit procedures to identify non-compliance with these laws and regulations to enquiry of the directors and other management and inspection of regulatory and legal correspondence, if any. Therefore, if a breach of operational regulations is not disclosed to us or evident from relevant correspondence, an audit will not detect that breach.

Context of the ability of the audit to detect fraud or breaches of law or regulation

Owing to the inherent limitations of an audit, there is an unavoidable risk that we may not have detected some material misstatements in the financial statements, even though we have properly planned and performed our audit in accordance with auditing standards. For example, the further removed non-compliance with laws and regulations is from the events and transactions reflected in the financial statements, the less likely the inherently limited procedures required by auditing standards would identify it.

In addition, as with any audit, there remained a higher risk of non-detection of fraud, as these may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal controls. Our audit procedures are designed to detect material misstatement. We are not responsible for preventing non-compliance or fraud and cannot be expected to detect non-compliance with all laws and regulations.

Strategic report and directors' report

The directors are responsible for the strategic report and the directors' report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover those reports and we do not express an audit opinion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the strategic report and the directors' report and, in doing so, consider whether, based on our financial statements audit work, the information therein is materially misstated or inconsistent with the financial statements or our audit knowledge. Based solely on that work:

- we have not identified material misstatements in the strategic report and the directors' report;
- in our opinion the information given in those reports for the financial year is consistent with the financial statements; and
- in our opinion those reports have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion:

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- · certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

We have nothing to report in these respects.

Directors' responsibilities

As explained more fully in their statement set out on page 5, the directors are responsible for: the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view; such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; assessing the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern; and using the going concern basis of accounting unless they either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue our opinion in an auditor's report. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but does not guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

A fuller description of our responsibilities is provided on the FRC's website at www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities.

The purpose of our audit work and to whom we owe our responsibilities

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members, as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Mark Dayson

for and on behalf of KPMG LLP, Statutory Auditor

Chartered Accountants

One Snowhill

Snow Hill Queensway

Birmingham

B4 6GH

3 December 2021

Statement of Comprehensive Income Year ended 31 July 2021

	Note ~	2021 £	2020 £
Turnover Cost of sales	3	4,218,188 (934,881)	7,270,696 (1,338,980)
Gross profit Other Income Administrative expenses	4	3,283,307 758,355 (6,846,515)	5,931,716 823,047 (7,753,355)
Operating (loss)/profit		(2,804,853)	(998,592)
Interest receivable	5	<u> </u>	2,507
(Loss)/profit before taxation	6	(2,804,853)	(996,085)
Profit/(Loss) before taxation Taxation on (loss)/profit	. 10	(2,804,853) 410,959	(996,085) 158,388
(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities after taxation		(2,393,894)	(837,697)
Total comprehensive income attributable to equity shareholders of the company		(2,393,894)	(837,697)

All activities derived from continuing operations. The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Balance sheet at 31 July 2021

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The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

The financial statements of Imago@Loughborough Limited (Company Registration Number: 02355400) were approved by the Board of Directors and authorised for issue on 24 - 10 - 20

Signed on behalf of the Board

Spencer Graydon

Director

Statement of changes in equity For the year ended 31 July 2021

		Called-up share capital £	Profit and loss account	Total £
At 31 July 2019		6,000,000	893,188	6,893,188
Comprehensive income Profit (Loss) for the financial year Gift aid distribution to parent charity Total comprehensive expense			(837,697) (837,697)	(837,697) - (873,697)
At 31 July 2020	· .	6,000,000	55,491	6,055,491
Comprehensive expense Profit (Loss) for the financial year Gift aid distribution to parent charity			(2,393,894)	(2,393,894)
Total comprehensive expense		<u>:</u>	(2,393,894)	(2,393,894)
At 31 July 2021		6,000,000	(2,338,403)	3,661,597

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Notes to the financial statements For the year ended 31 July 2021

1. Accounting policies

The principal accounting policies are summarised below. They have all been applied consistently throughout the year and to the preceding year.

General information and basis of accounting

Imago@Loughborough Limited is a company limited by shares, incorporated in the United Kingdom and registered in England and Wales under the Companies Act 2006. The address of the registered office is Finance Office, Loughborough University, Loughborough, Leicestershire, LE11 3TU. The nature of the group's operations and its principal activities are set out in the strategic report on page 1.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 (FRS 102) issued by the Financial Reporting Council.

Imago@Loughborough Limited meets the definition of a qualifying entity under FRS 102 and has therefore taken advantage of the disclosure exemptions available to it in respect of its financial statements. Imago @ Loughborough Limited is consolidated into the financial statements of its parent, Loughborough University, which may be obtained at from the address in note 22. Exemptions have been taken in relation to financial instruments, presentation of a cash flow statement and remuneration of key management personnel.

Going Concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis which the directors consider to be appropriate for the following reasons.

The directors have prepared cash flow forecasts for a period of 12 months from the date of approval of these financial statements which indicate that, the company will have sufficient funds, through funding from its parent, Loughborough University to meet its liabilities as they fall due for that period.

Forecasts are dependent on Loughborough University not seeking repayment of the amounts currently due to the group, which at 31 July 2021 amounted to £6,860,231. Loughborough University has indicated that it does not intend to seek repayment of the amounts due at the balance sheet date, for the period covered by the forecasts. As with any company placing reliance on other group entities for financial support, the directors acknowledge that there can be no certainty that this support will continue although, at the date of approval of these financial statements, they have no reason to believe that it will not do so.

Consequently, the directors are confident that the company will have sufficient funds to continue to meet its liabilities as they fall due for at least 12 months from the date of approval of the financial statements and therefore have prepared the financial statements on a going concern basis.

Turnover

Turnover is stated net of VAT and trade discounts and is recognised when the significant risks and rewards are considered to have been transferred to the buyer. Turnover from the sale of goods is recognised when the goods are physically delivered to the customer. Turnover from the supply of services represents the value of services provided under contracts to the extent that there is a right to consideration and is recorded at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Where a contract has only been partially completed at the balance sheet date turnover represents the fair value of the service provided to date based on the stage of completion of the contract activity at the balance sheet date. Where payments are received from customers in advance of services provided, the amounts are recorded as deferred income and included as part of creditors due within one year.

Notes to the financial statements (continued) For the year ended 31 July 2021

Accounting policies (continued)

Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the company has a present legal or constructive obligation as a results of past events; it is probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle an obligation; and the amount of the obligation can be estimated reliably.

Intangible fixed assets

Intangible assets are measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and any accumulated impairment losses.

Amortisation is charged so as to allocate the cost of intangibles less their residual values over their estimated useful lives, using the straight-line method. The intangible assets are amortised over the following useful economic lives:

Software development costs

5 years

Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost net of depreciation and any provision for impairment. Depreciation is provided on cost in equal annual instalments over the estimated useful lives of the assets. The rates of depreciation are as follows:

. •	Motor vehicles	33% of cost
•	Computer equipment	20% of cost
•	Other equipment and fittings	10% - 20% of cost
•	Improvements to short leasehold premises	straight line over period of leas

Plant
 20% reducing balance

Assets in the course of construction are not depreciated until they are completed.

Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

Operating leases

Rental costs under operating leases are charged to profit and loss account in equal annual amounts over the periods of the leases.

Pension and other post-retirement benefits

The company operates a defined contribution scheme for its employees. For which the company pays fixed contributions into a separate entity. Once the contributions have been paid the company has no further payment obligations. The contributions are recognised as an expense when they are due.. Differences between contributions payable in the year and contributions actually paid are shown either as accruals or prepayments in the balance sheet.

Taxation

UK corporation tax is provided at amounts expected to be paid (or recovered) using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date. Deferred tax is provided in full on timing differences which result in an obligation at the balance sheet date to pay more tax, or a right to pay less tax, at a future date, at rates expected to apply when they crystallise based on current tax rates and law. Timing differences arise from the inclusion of items of income and expenditure in taxation computations in periods different from those in which they are included in financial statements. Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is regarded as more likely than not that they will be recovered. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted.

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1 Accounting policies (continued)

Financial Instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when the charity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. All financial assets and liabilities are initially measured at transaction price (including transaction costs).

Trade and other debtors are recognised at the settlement amount due after any trade discount offered. Prepayments are valued at the amount prepaid net of any trade discounts due. Cash at bank and cash in hand includes cash and short term highly liquid investments with a short maturity of three months or less from the date of acquisition or opening of the deposit or similar account. Creditors and provisions are recognised where the charity has a present obligation resulting from a past event that will probably result in the transfer of funds to a third party and the amount due to settle the obligation can be measured or estimated reliably. Creditors and provisions are normally recognised at their settlement amount after allowing for any trade discounts due.

Impairment of assets

Assets, other than those measured at fair value, are assessed for indicators of impairment at each balance sheet date. If there is objective evidence of impairment, an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss.

Government Grants

Governments grants are recognised using the performance model.

2. Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

In the application of the company's accounting policies, which are described in note 1, the directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

Key sources of estimation uncertainty

The following are estimations that the directors have made in the process of applying the Group's accounting policies and that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements.

Recognition of deferred tax liability

Deferred tax liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period in which the liability is settled or the asset realized, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date. The measurement of deferred tax liabilities reflect an estimate of the tax consequences that would follow from the manner in which the Company expects, at the reporting date, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities.

Estimation of useful life of Fixed Assets

The charge in respect of depreciation and amortisation is derived after determining an estimate of an asset's expected life. The useful lives of the company's assets are determined by management at the time the asset is acquired and reviewed annually for appropriateness. The lives are based on historical experience and similar assets as well as anticipation of future events which may impact their life such as changes in technology.

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Impairment of Debtors

The company makes an estimate of the recoverable value of trade debtors and other debtors. When assessing trade and other debtors, management considers factors including the current credit rating of the debtor, the aging profile of debtors and historical experience.

3. Revenue Recognition

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable and represents the amount receivable for goods supplied or services rendered, which fall within the company's ordinary activities net of discounts allowed by the company and value added taxes. The turnover and pre-tax loss, all of which arises in the United Kingdom, is attributable to two activities: the management of the company's hotels and conference facilities, turnover of £3,921,597 (2020: £7,058,001) and the promotion of other Loughborough University conference facilities and hospitality, turnover of £296,592 (2020: £212,695).

Hotel and event income is recognised on the last night of the stay. A manual adjustment is then entered at each period end to accrue for the income earned before period end. Income from bars and restaurants is recognised on the day the cash takings are recorded.

4. Other income

A government grant, the Job Retention Scheme, of £758,355 (2020: £823,047) has been recognised as other income

5. Investment income

	2021	2020
	£	£
Interest receivable	= -	2,507

6. Profit on ordinary activities before gift aid and taxation

Profit on ordinary activities before gift aid and taxation is stated after charging:

•	2021	2020
•	£	£
Operating profit is stated after charging:		
Depreciation of owned assets	700,512	702,122
Amortisation of intangible assets	11,628	11,628
Fees payable to the company's auditor for the audit of the company's annual financial		•
statements. (There were no non audit fees paid during the year)	8,400	8,200
Operating lease payments		
- land and buildings	745,000	745,000
- equipment and fittings	10,710	42,295
Profit (loss) on disposal of fixed assets	137,651	, -

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7. Staff numbers and costs

The average monthly number of employees (excluding casual staff and directors) was:

Average number of persons employed	2021	2020
Management	4	.3
Administration	19	20
Production	116	134
	139	157
Staff costs during the year (including directors and casual staff)	. · · · £	£
Wages and salaries	2,741,309	3,605,901
Social security costs	200,494	258,000
Pension costs (note 18)	143,129	167,670
	3,084,932	4,031,571
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8. Directors' remuneration	•	
	•	
	2021	2020
The transfer of the second sec	. £	£
Directors' remuneration Emoluments	102,807	103,678
Payments made to defined contribution pension scheme	10,014	9,094
	112,821	112,772

Two directors received remuneration from the company due to replacement of the chief executive role during the year (2020: One). Another executive director is remunerated from Loughborough University, as it is not practical to split out the remuneration between entities. The director's services to the company do not equate to a significant amount of time.

Two directors have been members of the defined contribution pension scheme during the year (2020: One).

9. Gift aid donation

				2021 £	2020 £
Donation in the year	•			<u>.</u>	_
Total gift aid		•	•	·	·

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10. Taxation on (loss)/profit on ordinary activities

	2021 £	2020 £
Deferred tax Timing differences (reversal) (note 17)	(27,681)	2,600
Current Tax Corporation tax	(383,278)	(160,988)
Tax (credit) on loss on ordinary activities	(410,959)	(158,388)

The actual tax (credit)/charge for the current year and the previous year differs from the standard rate for the reasons set out in the following reconciliation:

	2021 £	2020 £
Profit (loss) before taxation	(2,804,853)	(996,085)
Tax on profit/(loss) at 19% (2020: 19%)	(532,922)	(189,256)
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	307	1,184
Capital allowances less than depreciation	123,183	27,084
Loss/(profit) on disposal of fixed assets	26,154	
Timing (Reversal) differences	(27,681)	2,600
Total tax (credit)	(410,959)	(158,388)

Factors affecting the tax credit

The standard rate of tax applied to the reported profit is 19%.

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11. Investment

	÷	1 otai £
Cost		
At 1 August 2020		, ¥
Loughborough University Nursery Ltd		345,000
Impairment of Asset		(345,000)
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Net Book Value As at 31 July 2021

On 1 February, Imago acquired 100% ownership of Loughborough University Nursery Limited, recognising £345,000 of goodwill. Subsequently this investment was impaired by £345,000.

12. Intangible assets

,	Software £	Total £
Cost At 1 August 2020	58,073	58,073
Additions	-	- :
At 31 July 2021	58,073	58,073
Amortisation At 1 August 2020 Charge for the year	(36,362) (11,628)	(36,362) (11,628)
At 31 July 2021	(47,990)	(47,990)
Net book value At 31 July 2020	21,711	21,711
At 31 July 2021	10,083	10,083

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13. Tangible assets

	Plant £	Improvements to short leasehold premises £	Motor vehicles	Computer equipment	Other equipment and fittings	Total £
Cost At 1 August 2020	838,567	7,544,019	5,826	98,777	6,578,345	15,065,534
Additions Disposals		(184,836)	10,595		158,826 (267,278)	169,421 (452,114)
At 31 July 2021	838,567	7,359,183	16,421	98,777	6,469,893	14,782,841
Accumulated depreciation At 1 August 2020	801,103	2,777,480	5,826	98,777	2,844,886	6,528,072
Charge for the year Disposals	7,493	157,870 (146,114)	295	-	534,854 (168,349)	700,512 (314,463)
At 31 July 2021	808,596	2,789,236	6,121	98,777	3,211,391	6,914,121
Net book value At 31 July 2020	37,464	4,766,539	· -		3,733,459	8,537,462
At 31 July 2021	29,971	4,569,947	10,300	-	3,258,502	7,868,720
14. Stock						•
	-				2021 £	2020 £
Raw material Goods for resale	•				17,674 12,451	17,371 22,297
					30,125	39,668

There is no material difference between the balance sheet value of stock and their replacement cost.

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15. Debtors

	2021 £	2020 £
Amounts falling due within one year:		
Trade debtors	488,933	76,045
Amounts owed by parent undertaking	122,388	97,611
Amounts owed by subsidiary company	11,795	
Other taxation and social security	-	59,350
Corporation Tax	544,266	160,988
Other debtors	131,285	155,288
Prepayments and accrued income	121,567	156,359
	1,420,234	705,641

Amounts owed by parent undertaking for goods and services are due within 14 days of invoice date.

16. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

				2021 £	2020 £
Trade creditors		•		581,062	706,570
Amounts owed to parent undertaking				6,860,231	2,688,273
Amounts due to subsidiaries				-	. <u>-</u>
Other taxation and social security				60,909	. =
Other creditors	•			1,983	1,721
Accruals and deferred income			• .	260,957	127,826
			,	7,765,142	3,524,390
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The amounts owing to the parent undertaking includes a short-term loan of £1,000,000 in respect of the Burleigh Court bedroom refurbishment. The loan is payable on demand and interest is payable at a rate of 1.5% above the Bank of England base rate.

17. Provision for liabilities

	Deferred taxation £	2020 £
At 1 August 2020 Debited to profit and loss account	326,162 (27,681)	323,562 2,600
At 31 July 2021	298,481	326,162

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Deferred tax

Deferred tax is provided as follows:

				2021 £	2020 £
Accelerated capital allowances	·		,	298,481	326,162
Provision for deferred tax	•	•		298,481	326,162

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset only where the Company has a legally enforceable right to do so and where the assets and liabilities relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority.

18. Called up share capital and reserves

			. *	٠.	2021 £	2020 £
Allotted and fully paid 6,000,000 ordinary shares of £1 each			,	•	6,000,000	6,000,000

The Company has one class of ordinary shares which carry no right to fixed income. The Company's only other reserve is the profit and loss reserve which represents cumulative profits or losses, net of dividends paid and other adjustments.

19. Financial commitments

(a) Operating lease commitments

The operating leases for Land and Buildings relate to the use of Burleigh Court and The Link Hotel owned by Loughborough University. The company also has operating leases in place for company cars and coffee machines.

At 31 July 2021, the company had total minimum lease payments due under non-cancellable operating leases as follows:

	Land and Buildings 2021 £	Other 2021 £	Land and Buildings 2020 £	Other 2020 £
Leases which expire: within one year between one and five years after five years	745,000 3,725,000 16,066,250	10,710 5,089	745,000 3,725,000 16,811,250	27,793 25,705
	20,536,250	15,799	21,281,250	53,498

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(b) Capital commitments

The company had £20,479 of capital commitments authorised and contracted as at July 2021 (2020: £20,303)

20. Pension schemes

The company contributes to a defined contribution pension scheme on behalf of certain employees. Contributions payable by the company to this scheme amounted to £143,129 (2020: £167,670).

21. Related party transactions

The company has taken advantage of the exemptions conferred by FRS 102 Section 33 not to disclose transactions with other wholly owned group companies, being a 100% owned subsidiary of Loughborough University.

The company is a member of hospitality and conferencing industry associations which rely on representatives from the industry. Two of the company's directors have been associated with two of these organisations. Another director is associated with Loughborough Student Union with whom we have a trading relationship with for the provision of hospitality facilities.

	Income £	Balance due to the company at 31 July 2021 £	Expenditure £	Balance due from the company at 31 July 2021 £
		:		•
Conference Centre of Excellence Ltd	2,384		19,877	19,892
Meeting Industry Association (MIA)	-		993	1,206
Loughborough Student Union	6,253	-	-	· · · -

22. Controlling party

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Loughborough University, which is regarded as the ultimate parent organisation and controlling party. The group of which Loughborough University is the parent organisation forms both the largest and smallest group preparing consolidated financial statements which include Imago@Loughborough Limited.

Copies of the consolidated financial statements can be obtained from Loughborough University, Loughborough, Leicestershire, LE11 3TU.