The Crichton Trust – 2018-2020 Strategic Focus

Work Stream	Projects/Focus	Impact
Property and Business Development	 Crichton Memorial Church – Under croft development and lift installation to facilitate toilets and breakout spaces for wedding and other Church venue functions Crichton Central: Incubator, knowledge exchange and innovation home, co-working and lone-working touchdown base, Home base for the Crichton Estate, Gigabit Crichton Easterbrook Hall: Technical production upgrade, explore options for a 120-150 capacity music performance space for classical/ acoustic performance and available for conferences/lecture theatre use. 	Increase in: occupancy (business and visitor), cross-Crichton collaboration (business to academic), sense of Crichton community, sustainable income and carbon use reduction.
	Maintain and grow level of property occupancy	
Community Engagement, Participation and Ownership	 The Crichton Oral History Project Community and social enterprise gardening – including the Glasshouse Restoration Project Green Gym, Park Run Grounds and buildings interpretation, walks, talks and volunteering 	Deeper understanding of rich history, our natural environment and open spaces – engagement with individuals and partnership with groups
Monitoring: Business performance, systems and processes	 Finance system, forecasting and KPI monitoring Easterbrook and Neuro's (Easterbrook Bistro) Fresco's (Crichton Central) Work placements, apprenticeships and traineeships 	Streamlined, widely accessible and understood, real-time focused management data to inform performance and action at all levels
Destination promotion, 'place' development and strategic partnership	 Care Campus Marketing, communications and PR – focus on The Crichton as a world destination of choice, to live and work well Strategic engagement: Local – CCLG, D&G Council (Economic Strategy and Planning teams), Crichton Foundation, NHS D&G (public health improvement, mental health and later life care services), Lets Get Sporty, Growing Places. Regional – SoSEP, Borderlands, cross-border partnerships, National Park status bid, Energy Scotland (Centre for Embedded Intelligence, POEC location bid). National – Scottish Government (Economic Strategy and Education), Creative Scotland, Museums and Galleries Scotland, Historic Environment Scotland, Entrepreneurial Scotland, National Companies (NTS, BBCSSO, SCO, RSNO). Global – Districts of Creativity, Co-working Places Networks (www.copass.org) Resource and funding partnerships – leverage value of place to stimulate external investment 	Respected, understood and known for: openness, innovation, excellence, collaboration and partnership – local to global and global to local.

Pipeline projects

- Student accommodation
- Energy storage systems largescale battery storage
- Micro hydro water supply to Rock Garden Pond

Constraints, Opportunities and Risks

- Water supply
- Sale of Crichton Hall
- Ladyfield site development