



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Clinical Legal Education Organisation No (if any)

Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period from	6.4.2018	To	5.4.2019
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Bank interest	2	-	-	2	-
Eventbrite Income	1,102	-	-	1,102	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	1,104	-	-	1,104	-
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	1,104	-	-	1,104	-
A3 Payments					
Administrator salary	1,450	-	-	1,450	-
Bank charges	1	-	-	1	-
Website maintenance fees	175	-	-	175	-
Trustee expenses	20	-	-	20	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	1,646	-	-	1,646	-
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	1,646	-	-	1,646	-
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 542	-	-	- 542	-
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	-	-	-	-	-
Cash funds this year end	- 542	-	-	- 542	-

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Cash at bank - Triodos	6,012	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	6,012	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	Agreement Error	OK	OK
B2 Other monetary assets	Details	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
B3 Investment assets	Details	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Details	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
B5 Liabilities	Details	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	Date of approval	
	L Thomas	LINDEN THOMAS	31.01.2020	
	V Roper	VICTORIA ROPER	31.01.2020	

Clinical Legal Education Organisation Trustees Annual Report: April 2018 - April 2019

Charity Name:	Clinical Legal Education Organisation
Charity Address:	70 Blenheim Road, Moseley, Birmingham B13 9TZ
Charity Registration Number:	1161457

Set out below is a summary of the key events and initiatives organised by the Clinical Legal Education Organisation between 6 April 2018 and 5 April 2019.

Trustee changes

The following trustee stood down in 2018-19:

- Gareth Thomas

The trustees note their thanks to Gareth.

The following trustees were appointed:

- Francis Ridout of Queen Mary's University London
- Stephanie Jones of the University of Central Lancashire

Lucy Yeatman, Linden Thomas and Nick Johnson remain co-Chairs of CLEO and Victoria Roper continues in the role of treasurer.

Membership:

CLEO's membership continues to grow. By April 2019 the organisation had circa 180 members. This is a reflection of the growth of clinics across the sector and of CLEO's pivotal role in providing a forum for people in clinics to come together and share experiences.

Peer to peer mentoring scheme:

In response to the growth in membership, CLEO launched a peer to peer mentoring scheme in 2018. Experienced clinicians have compiled profiles outlining their interests and areas of expertise and these details have been added to CLEO's website. Members can then identify useful contacts within CLEO's network and approach them directly for guidance and support. Initial feedback has been that this scheme has been well received and that a number of members have made use of it.

Events:

CLEO hosted the following events in between April 2018 and April 2019:

- **28 June 2018** – a one day conference run in conjunction with Nottingham Trent University and LawWorks. The event focussed on the Solicitors Qualifying Examination (SQE) and its impact on clinical legal education. The event included a discussion on clinic as Qualifying Work Experience under the SQE and the scope for clinic to develop competencies in students that will be required under the SQE.

- **10 January 2019** – ‘Lawtech in Clinical Legal Education’ conference organised in partnership with LawWorks and the University of Manchester. The purpose of the event was to explore ideas around access to justice, law clinics and embedding lawtech into Law Schools’ curricula. There were contributors from leading LawTech firms, including Neotalogic, Avvoka, and Radiant Law. Speakers from industry, practice and education gave insights into how technology is changing legal practice, and brought together legal educators and technology firms to develop ideas about the role of technology in access to justice and pro bono work.

Regional networking hubs:

CLEO has continued to facilitate regional networking opportunities for those working in universities in different areas of the country. The North-West region hub has now met on a number of occasions.

Miscarriages of Justice Review Group:

CLEO members involved in clinics working on miscarriages of justice met at Cardiff University in July 2018 to discuss work in this area, share experiences and offer peer to peer support.

Response to LASPO Review:

In September 2018 CLEO submitted a response to the Ministry of Justice call for evidence in relation to the review of Legal Aid Sentencing and Punishment of Offenders Act 2012 (LASPO). The response set out a number of reasons why it is neither appropriate nor feasible for university law clinics to fill the gap in provision of legal advice and assistance resulting from cuts to legal aid under LASPO. CLEO members were given the opportunity to feed into the draft response prior to submission.

The Clinical Legal Education Handbook:

Work continued on the Handbook throughout the year. CLEO trustees secured a publishing deal with The Institute of Advanced Legal Studies and the book will be available online as a free, open access resource. Over 20 clinicians and CLEO members have contributed to the Handbook, which will be published in spring 2020.

Logo competition:

In January 2019, CLEO launched a national competition for graphic design and art students to design a new logo for the charity.

Looking forward:

As at April 2019 CLEO had a number of plans underway for the future, including a workshop on researching legal education and a further conference on the SQE.