GBC Response to Question 7 (paragraph 7.11)
It has come to the Council’s attention that the approximate number of student bedspaces across all UniS campuses referred to in this paragraph requires additional clarification. The number quoted (6,251) in the final sentence of the paragraph should have referred to current bedspaces and those considered to be under construction. Those under construction (i.e. 1,151) quoted earlier in the paragraph were added to the current supply of 5,100 to produce the figure of 6,251. For clarification, it is understood that these 1,151 bedspaces (or 1,153 as indicated in the planning permission) are programmed for completion in a phased manner, with 479 due for completion in September 2018 and a further 674 by autumn 2019. The final sentence of paragraph 7.11 should thus be understood in light of the above.