Edinburgh Award (School of Informatics: Makerspace Student Technicians)

This award is given to students whom the University has recognised for actively working to maximise their impact and excel as a makerspace technician. These students will have received training to become Informatics Makerspace Student Technicians and learnt how to work as part of a Student Technical Support team, supporting their peers and acting as ambassadors for the makerspace.

In successfully completing the Edinburgh Award, these students will have been helped to:

- increase awareness of their strengths;
- make the most of their strengths, identify areas for development, and work on a plan to develop these skills;
- confidently demonstrate what they have to offer to others;
- achieve a positive and lasting impact; and
- look not only at their role as a technician, but also to capitalise on their experiences elsewhere to inform and enhance their role as a technician, and vice versa.