

Staff Bulletin

# THE STAFF NEWSLETTER OF THE UNIVERSITY OF SUSSEX 19 OCTOBER 2018

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#### OUR COMMUNITY: UNIVERSITY OF SUSSEX HAS BEST POLITICAL SCENE AND NIGHTLIFE, SAY STUDENTS

Students have voted the University of Sussex best for political scene and nightlife in a new survey of British universities.

#### Read more

## OUR COMMUNITY: INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS WELCOMED AT DOME PARTY

Hundreds of new international students celebrated the start of their studies at Sussex with a party at Brighton Dome on Sunday.





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#### STUDENT EXPERIENCE: NATIONAL HATE CRIME AWARENESS WEEK -NEW PROGRAMME LAUNCHED TO SUPPORT STUDENTS

Professor Mark Walters and his team are opening a new project called Restore Respect which offers a way to respond to hate and prejudice.

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#### OUR COMMUNITY: STAFF ASKED TO VOLUNTEER FOR DISCIPLINARY PROCESS

We are seeking further members of Sussex staff to be Approved Persons, who will investigate and decide on student disciplinary cases.

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### GO GREENER: WHAT'S NEW THIS TERM? A NOTE FROM SUSSEXFOOD

At SussexFood we were busy over the summer working on changes based on your feedback. Read more to find out about the adaptions we've made.

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#### **RESEARCH WITH IMPACT: APPLY NOW FOR THE RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT FUND**

The RDF is designed to develop activities that will lead to substantive external research proposals. The deadline for Round 10 is Monday 5 November.

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#### **RESEARCH WITH IMPACT: APPLICATIONS INVITED FOR THE DOCTORAL** SCHOOL'S RESEARCHER-LED INITIATIVE FUND

The autumn call for applications to the Researcher-Led Initiative Fund is now open.

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#### **ENGAGE FOR CHANGE: TRADE FRIENDSHIP - GEORGETOWN** UNIVERSITY AND SUSSEX ACADEMICS CONTINUE TO SHAPE THINKING **ON UK-US TRADE**

Academics from Georgetown University and the University of Sussex met this week to continue their collaboration on US - UK trade policy

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#### OUR COMMUNITY: ATTENBOROUGH CENTRE FOR THE CREATIVE ARTS ANNOUNCES PROGRAMME FOR CINE-CITY FILM FESTIVAL

Attenborough Centre for the Creative Arts are a producing partner for Cine-City, Brighton's film festival (November 2018).

Read more

#### **OUR COMMUNITY: 2-4-1 TICKETS FOR LAURIE ANDERSON'S CHALKROOM** FOR CAMPUS COMMUNITY











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ACCA are offering the campus community 2-4-1 tickets to see the UK premiere of Laurie Anderson and Hsin-Chien Huang's Chalkroom.

### Read more

## PARKING: CAMPUS DEVELOPMENT WORKS - IMPACTS ON ROADS AND PARKING

On the evening of 25 October, Refectory Road will be closed from 10.30pm until 12.30am for essential cabling works.

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## **OUR LEADING RESEARCH AND OTHER NEWS STORIES**

SPRU: Rewilding may be a risk worth taking for landowners after Brexit, say Sussex experts

SPRU: Sussex research featured heavily in major climate change report

SSRP: Sussex Sustainability Research Programme responds to IPCC report

Economics: World Heritage sites under threat from climate change

Biochemistry: 'Champion of Science' recognised for positive impact of research communication

Informatics: Lift off for world-first ultrasound levitation that bends around barriers

Chemistry: Scientists discover first high-temperature single-molecule magnet

## **OPEN ACCESS WEEK: 22-28 OCTOBER**

Open Access Week is an international event celebrating open access to data, publications and more. Check out some of the events taking place on campus.

More information.

## ACCA VIDEO: LAURIE ANDERSON'S CHALKROOM

Chalkroom is a virtual reality installation in which the reader flies through an enormous structure made of words, drawings and stories. Once you enter you are free to roam and fly. Words sail through the air as emails. They fall into dust. They form and reform.

Watch video.

## **EVENTS NEXT WEEK: OUR TOP PICKS FOR STAFF**

Screening of Paywall: The Business of Scholarship (Open Access Week) Tuesday 23 October - 11:15 until 12:45 - Silverstone SB 309

Introduction to Open Access publishing for PhD Researchers (Open Access Week) Tuesday 23 October - 14:30 until 16:00 - Open Learning Space, Ground floor, Library

The Publishing Trap (Open Access Week) Wednesday 24 October - 13:30 until 15:30 - Library Meeting Room, Top floor











How to get published in the digital age (Open Access Week) Thursday 25 October - 12:00 until 14:00 - Library Meeting Room, Top floor

Flight MH17, Ukraine and the New Cold War: Prism of Disaster Thursday 25 October - 14:00 until 16:00 - Ashdown House AH-103

Sue MacLaine Company - vessel (performance) Thursday 25 October - 20:00 until 21:00 - Attenborough Centre for the Creative Arts

View all Sussex events.

#### ABOUT THE STAFF BULLETIN

The weekly *Staff Bulletin* is produced by the Internal Communications team and is intended for all current staff and postgraduate researchers at the University of Sussex. The next issue will be out on 26 October.

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