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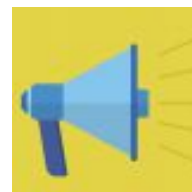
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You can also read this newsletter on the *Bulletin* website.

OUR COMMUNITY: HAVE YOUR SAY IN THE 2018 STAFF SURVEY

The University will conduct a staff survey for three weeks from Monday 5 November until Friday 23 November.

[Read more](#)



STUDENT EXPERIENCE: STUDENT BAROMETER LAUNCHES AT SUSSEX

The Student Barometer survey is being sent to Sussex undergraduates in years 0, 1 and 2, as well as to postgraduate research students.

[Read more](#)



STUDENT RECRUITMENT AND MARKETING: SUSSEX WINS AGENTS' AWARD FOR UK'S MOST PREFERRED UNIVERSITY

The University has been recognised by international student recruitment agents for its high-quality education provision and the services it provides.

[Read more](#)

ADAM TICKELL: WE NEED TO TALK ABOUT 'SNOWFLAKES'

If you believe some commentators, we are witnessing a widespread chilling of free speech on university campuses, driven by a 'snowflake' generation who are too delicate to hear discordant opinions.

[Read more](#)

Adam Tickell, Vice-Chancellor



SHEILA GUPTA: KEEPING YOU UPDATED ON NEW INITIATIVES

I want to give you an update on our initiatives as well as keep you updated on new areas of progress since the last staff survey.

[Read more](#)

Sheila Gupta, Director of Human Resources



HR: NEW DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH AND ENTERPRISE ANNOUNCED

Sue Angulatta has been appointed as the University's new Director of Research and Enterprise.

[Read more](#)

HR: HEAD OF LAW, POLITICS AND SOCIOLOGY TO LEAVE SUSSEX

Professor Andrew Sanders, the Head of School for Law, Politics and Sociology (LPS), will be leaving Sussex at the end of the year.

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HR: LATEST INFORMATION REGARDING PAY

Following the VC's September email to all staff regarding the year ahead, there is updated information to share around pay.

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OUR COMMUNITY: RESTRICTED TRAVEL IN LOCAL AREA FOR LEWES BONFIRE

Thinking of heading to Lewes for its famous bonfire processions next week? Think again - restricted travel arrangements are being put in place.

[Read more](#)



OUR COMMUNITY: BIKE SECURITY ON CAMPUS

Do everything possible to keep your bicycle secure and follow our advice when parking a bike on campus.

[Read more](#)



PARKING: CAMPUS DEVELOPMENT WORKS - IMPACTS ON ROADS, ACCESS AND PARKING

The central bank of spaces (around 32 bays) in Park Village car park (P8) will be closed from Wednesday 7 November, for approximately three weeks.

[Read more](#)



OUR LEADING RESEARCH AND OTHER NEWS STORIES

UKTPO: Not backing Britain - Brexit vote has reduced foreign direct investment to the UK by 19 per cent

Physics: Sussex breakthrough prepares quantum computers to leave the lab

Informatics: Minds over dark matter - a multisensory journey around the galaxy

BSMS: An end to arachnophobia 'just a heartbeat away'

American Studies: Trump Watch podcast returns for a new season



BUY YOUR TICKET FOR THE EXCHANGE: 15 NOVEMBER / 18:00 / ACCA

In our first-ever event, our panel will explore and question the idea of 'Generation Snowflake.' Is there any truth to the concept of 'snowflakes', or is it a media construct? Put your questions to our panel and share your thoughts in an evening of lively debate. Tickets are £3 from the ACCA website.

[Book now.](#)



ACCA BLOG: THE MARLBOROUGH THEATRE ON THEIR QUEER HEROES SEASON

This Autumn, ACCA have some stimulating partnerships with the Marlborough Pub & Theatre across their Queer Heroes season. We spoke to Programme Co-ordinator Ema Boswood on the collaboration and what's planned for you to experience both here and at their own space.

[Read more.](#)



DIGITAL DISCOVERY WEEK: 5 - 9 NOVEMBER

Book your place now for a week of workshops, seminars and online opportunities to enable students and staff to experiment with new technologies, showcase examples of innovations in teaching and research at Sussex, and horizon-scan for emerging technologies which will impact our sector.

[More information.](#)



EVENTS NEXT WEEK: OUR TOP PICKS FOR STAFF

Dr Carnesky's Incredible Bleeding Woman
Friday 2 November - 20:00 until 21:30 - Attenborough Centre for Creative Arts

Music Department composition workshop
Sunday 4 November - 13:00 until 13:45 - Attenborough Centre for Creative Arts

Digital Discovery Week
Events across campus from 5 - 9 November

An Evening with Ingrid Pollard

Tuesday 6 November - 20:00 until 21:00 - Attenborough Centre for Creative Arts

Is technology your useful servant or your tyrant master? (Organisational Development workshops)

Wednesday 7 November - 9:30 until 16:30 - Location TBC

Thinking Queer: Audre Lorde

Wednesday 7 November - 20:00 until 21:00 - Attenborough Centre for Creative Arts

Welcome Session for New Staff

Thursday 8 November - 9:15 until 12:45 - Location TBC

Oliver Bullough - Moneyland

Thursday 8 November - 17:30 until 19:00 - Freeman G16

Rachael Young: Nightclubbing

Thursday 8 November - 20:00 until 22:00 - Attenborough Centre for Creative Arts

1948 - Seventy Years On

Friday 9 November - 9:00 until 17:30 - Attenborough Centre for the Creative Arts

[View all Sussex events.](#)

ABOUT THE STAFF BULLETIN

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