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## **This is Sussex**

**Our news, our stories, our people**

**Friday 20 January 2023**



Graduation

[Nominate inspirational people for honorary degrees](#)



Cost of living

[Financial awareness webinars for staff in February](#)



Student experience

[Your student update: supporting you to reach your potential](#)



Sustainable Sussex

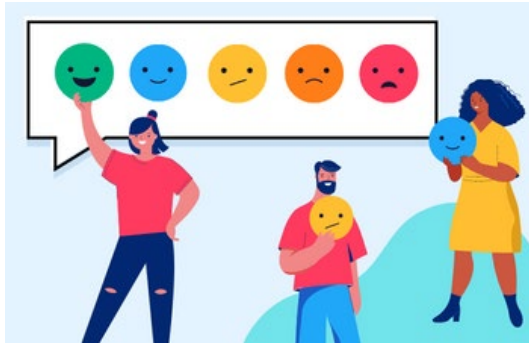
[Blog: Campus community motivated to eat less meat](#)



Our community

[Gillian Hampden-Thompson leaving Sussex for new role](#)

**Don't miss out**



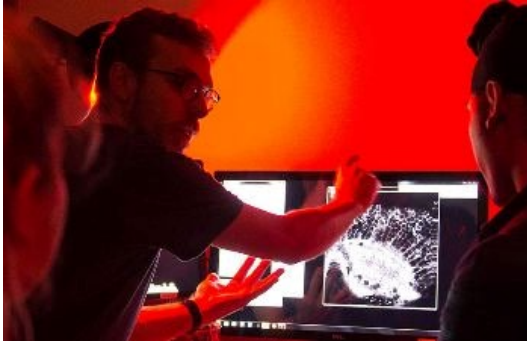
If you started working at Sussex within the last six months, please help us improve the onboarding process by taking a few minutes to complete this [short online survey](#) by Monday 23 January.



Winter graduation takes place next Wednesday 25 and Thursday 26 January, with 1,721 students graduating in six ceremonies. You will be able to watch the event live via a link on the [Staff Hub](#).



Learn about the range of [events](#) taking place at Sussex from Friday 27 January as part of the Holocaust Memorial Week Programme, including a testimony from guest speaker, Holocaust Survivor, [Manfred Goldberg BEM](#).



If you weren't able to attend this week's Research with Impact forum with Sussex Neuroscience, a recording of the event is now available [online](#). Captions and transcript to follow.

## Your development



In this week's Organisational Development [update](#) you can explore what psychological safety in the workplace is and how to encourage and build safety in teams for more inclusivity and diversity.

## Staff rewards



Members of the University pension scheme have access to [Life Assurance](#), a tax-free benefit of at least three times your annual base salary, to financially protect those that depend on you.

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We've negotiated a preferential rate for Sussex staff with [Health Cash Plan](#), a health insurance policy that helps you to cover family healthcare costs - including dental and optical care, and treatment like physiotherapy and osteopathy.

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[Take a look at the other staff rewards available to you](#)

## Must-read research and other campus news

Inclusive Sussex

[One World Week - Time to get involved](#)

Our community

[Academic Promotions Process 2023](#)

Engage for Change

[Putting research at the centre of policymaking: introducing Policy@Sussex fellowships and showcase event](#)

Learn to Transform

[Announcing the first winners of the Education and Innovation Fund](#)

Sussexsport

[Children's February half-term camps at Sussexsport](#)

Creating a better campus

[Road closure ahead: Northfield Lane](#)

Transport

[Campus works impacting roads, access and transport](#)

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[Other recent staff news](#)

## Coming up

[45 Minutes of Music, organ recital](#)

25 January 2023 12:00 until 12:45

['Teams Calling' roadshow one](#)

26 January 2023 10:00 until 13:00

[Teams calling roadshow two](#)

31 January 2023 13:00 until 16:00

## Snapshot



A shortlisted image from the South Downs Photo Competition.

Voting ends on Tuesday 31 January.

## About *This is Sussex*

The weekly *This is Sussex* is produced by the Internal Communications team and is intended for all current staff and postgraduate researchers at the University of Sussex.

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