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

### **EQUALITY, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION: NEW ATHENA SWAN BRONZE AWARD FOR SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND INFORMATICS**

The School of Engineering and Informatics has successfully renewed its Athena SWAN Bronze Award, recognising its commitment to gender equality.

[Read more](#)



### **RESEARCH WITH IMPACT: UNIVERSITY SIGNS AGREEMENT TO IMPLEMENT NEW RESEARCH INFORMATION SYSTEM**

A new cloud-based system removes the need for researchers to manually input information about research outputs into Sussex Research Online.

[Read more](#)



## **LEARN TO TRANSFORM: JOIN IN WITH DIGITAL DISCOVERY WEEK (5-9 NOVEMBER)**

There's a packed schedule full of opportunities to experiment with teaching innovations and research, and emerging tech which will impact our sector.

[Read more](#)



## **OUR COMMUNITY: 2 FOR 1 TICKETS FOR STAFF FOR BRIGHTON PHOTO FRINGE CLOSING PARTY ON SATURDAY**

An evening of photography projections, music and discussion in the Attenborough Centre for the Creative Arts.

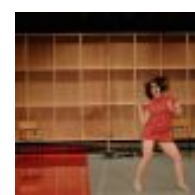
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## **OUR COMMUNITY: WE WANT YOUR DANCES AT ATTENBOROUGH CENTRE FOR THE CREATIVE ARTS**

Are you the first on the dance floor or do you watch from the side? Is there a song you can't resist moving to? What was your first dance?

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## **BUSINESS: UNIVERSITY OF SUSSEX BUSINESS SCHOOL LINKS WITH THE CITY OF LONDON**

The Business School has joined the Worshipful Company of International Bankers initiative creating a direct connection with the City of London.

[Read more](#)



## **WIDENING PARTICIPATION: FIRST-GENERATION SCHOLARS WELCOMED TO SUSSEX**

The Careers and Employability Centre hosted an event for new and returning First-Generation Scholars on Wednesday 17 October.

[Read more](#)



## **STUDENT EXPERIENCE: INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS SHARE THEIR 'FIRST IMPRESSIONS OF THE UK' IN PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION**

A picture of a student's daughter holding up an umbrella over a snail sculpture has won this year's International Student Photo Competition.

[Read more](#)



## **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.

[Read more](#)



## **HR: UNIVERSITY OF SUSSEX COUNCIL SUPPORTS RECOMMENDATIONS OF JOINT EXPERT PANEL ON PENSIONS**

Sussex has consulted and sought approval on its position from its governing body, Council, in order to respond to the consultation.

[Read more](#)



### **ITS: ITS WORKS TO FIX DESKTOP PERFORMANCE ISSUES**

Have you been affected by a slow or freezing desktop computer? Here's a bit more background information to the problem.

[Read more](#)



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

If you are struggling to park there are often plenty of spaces free in the Jubilee multi-storey car park and Lewes Court car park.

[Read more](#)



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

BSMS: GP waiting rooms should provide better health education materials

Engineering: The stress-free way to listen to your unborn baby's heart



### **VC'S YEAR AHEAD ADDRESS: UNANSWERED Q&A NOW ONLINE**

During the 27 September event the VC received a number of questions which he didn't have sufficient time to answer live in session. Answers to these questions have now been provided online, along with a video recording of the event and other materials.

[Read Q&A.](#)



### **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 PODCAST: MARISA CARNEKSY ABOUT DR CARNEKSY'S INCREDIBLE BLEEDING WOMAN**

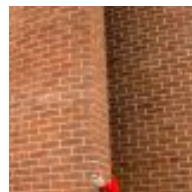
Marisa Carneksy talks about Dr Carneksy's Incredible Bleeding Woman, which comes to Attenborough Centre for the Creative Arts on 1/2 November. Putting the magic back into menstruation, the performance uncovers the last unmentionable taboo in an all-out genre-bending performance.

[Listen now.](#)



### **ACCA PODCAST: VESSEL**

Sue MacLaine talks about her latest work: Vessel - previewing at the Attenborough Centre for the Creative Arts on 25/26 October. Vessel is about how we gain and maintain stability in the unstable world of contested narratives and alternative facts and irreversible consequences.



[Listen now.](#)

### DEAF MESSAGING SYSTEM UPDATED

The University Deaf Messaging System - which alerts staff and students when and where alarms are going off - has been updated. Anyone can sign up to the system if they would find it helpful and details can be found at the link below.



[Sign up now.](#)

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

Sue MacLaine Company - Vessel  
Friday 26 October - 20:00 until 21:00 - Attenborough Centre for the Creative Arts

Luke's Walk 2018  
Sunday 28 October - 11:00 until 14:00 - Stanmer Park

Sensing War, Prof Michael Bull  
Sunday 28 October - 13:00 until 17:30 - The Depot Cinema, Pinwell Road, Lewes

45 Minutes of music from Scandinavia, Holland and Belgium  
Wednesday 31 October - 12:00 until 12:45 - Meeting House, Chapel

A New Politics from the Left: Book Launch Seminar with Hilary Wainwright  
Wednesday 31 October - 13:00 until 14:30 - Convening Space, IDS

Ageing and Femininity on Screen, Niall Richardson  
Wednesday 31 October - 14:00 until 15:00 - Fulton 103

Enlightened Conversations, Donald Winch Memorial Lecture with Professor Ann Thomson  
Thursday 1 November - 17:00 until 18:30 - Arts A108

Welcome lecture with guest lecturer Dr Chris van Tulleken  
Thursday 1 November - 18:30 until 19:30 - Chowen Lecture Theatre, BSMS

Dr Carnesky's Incredible Bleeding Woman  
Thursday 1 / Friday 2 November - 20:00 until 21:30 - Attenborough Centre for the Creative Arts

[View all Sussex events.](#)

### ABOUT THE STAFF BULLETIN

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