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

EQUALITY, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION: FLEXIBLE SUSSEX - EMBRACING THE UNIVERSITY'S FLEXIBLE WORKING PROCEDURE

A new handbook has been published on the Equality and Diversity web pages to help staff understand how to use the flexible working procedure.

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APPOINTMENT: SUSSEX CREATES NEW POST OF CHIEF TECHNICAL OFFICER

The University of Sussex has appointed Steve Johnson to the new post of Chief Technical Officer (CTO).

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FOUNDATIONS: UNIVERSITY LAUNCHES NEW CORPORATE CALENDAR

New 'live' document coordinates all important University dates and deadlines in one centralised place.

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FOUNDATIONS: FINANCE TIPS - MAKING TRAVEL EASIER

Some tips from the Finance division to make life easier when travelling and working away from the University.

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ENGAGEMENT: FROM 3D HOLOGRAMS TO SOUND INSTALLATIONS - STAFF AND STUDENTS FEATURE AT BRIGHTON'S DIGITAL FESTIVAL

Brighton's Digital Festival kicks off this week with a wealth of events from University of Sussex staff and students.

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SPRU: INNOVATION EXPERT APPOINTED TO HIGH-LEVEL EUROPEAN COMMISSION GROUP ON THE IMPACT OF DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION

Prof Maria Savona has been appointed to the High-Level Expert Group on the Impact of the Digital Transformation on European Union Labour Markets.

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MFM: UNIVERSITY OF SUSSEX FILMMAKER SHORTLISTED FOR PRESTIGIOUS NATIONAL AWARD

A film made by Dr Piotr Cieplak has been shortlisted for the Arts and Humanities Research Council's prestigious 2018 Research in Film Awards.

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EDUCATION AND STUDENTS: UNIVERSITY OF SUSSEX 41ST IN SUNDAY TIMES LEAGUE TABLE

The University of Sussex is working hard to address the circumstances that led to its ranking of 41st in the UK in the Good University Guide 2019.

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PARKING: CAMPUS WORKS - IMPACTS TO ROADS, PARKING AND ACCESS

This update should give you an indication of what is planned for the coming week and how any works might affect you.

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OUR LEADING RESEARCH AND OTHER NEWS STORIES

Life Sci: Search for blood cancer cure receives University funding

BSMS: Researcher awarded grant to investigate undetectable 'brain fog' disorder

Psychology: The warm glow of kindness is real - Sussex study confirms



Business: Commitment and value creation in online health communities: Insights from MedicineAfrica

ACCA PODCAST: ACCA DIGITAL SEASON PREVIEW 2018

ACCA's Music Programmer, Laura Ducceschi, talks us through the Brighton Digital Festival season for Autumn 2018 - with accompanying music from the artists; Suzanne Ciani, Laurie Anderson, Max Cooper, Martin Messier, Gazelle Twin, Gaika and James Holden.

[Read more.](#)



NOW AVAILABLE: SLIDES TO INTRODUCE YOUR STUDENTS TO CANVAS

Slides to help academics introduce their students Canvas - the University's new online study platform - can now be downloaded from the Technology Enhanced Learning team's Canvas pages.

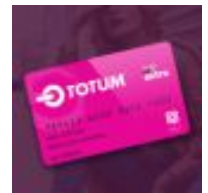
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SAVE MONEY WITH AN NUS EXTRA CARD

TOTUM, the new name for the NUS extra card, brings Sussex staff over 200 discounts across fashion, food, music and technology, entertainment, health and fitness, travel and finance. Buy one now online or at the Students' Union.

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EVENTS NEXT WEEK: OUR TOP PICKS FOR STAFF

Brighton Digital Festival: The Messy Edge

Friday 28 September - 11:00 until 18:00 - Attenborough Centre for the Creative Arts

Come and sing! Chamber Choir's first rehearsal of the academic year

Monday 1 October - 18:15 until 19:45 - Meeting House, Chapel

Resisting Mainstream Narratives of Muslims in the Media

Wednesday 3 October - 16:00 until 17:30 - Jubilee 115

Professorial Lecture: Watching the visual brain at work, Leon Lagnado, Professor Of Neuroscience, 'Royal Society Wolfson Research Merit Award holder'

Wednesday 3 October - 18:00 until 19:00 - Chowen Lecture Theatre, BSMS

Brighton Digital Festival - Max Cooper & Architecture Social Club: AETHER Installation

Friday 5 October - 11:00 until 19:00 - Attenborough Centre for the Creative Arts

[View all Sussex events.](#)

ABOUT THE STAFF BULLETIN

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