



Staff Bulletin

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AUGAR REVIEW: GOVERNMENT-COMMISSIONED REVIEW OF POST-18 EDUCATION AND FUNDING PUBLISHED

The wide-ranging report, known informally as the Augar review, contains a number of recommendations that could be implemented by a future government.

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OUR COMMUNITY: SHARE YOUR VIEWS ON OUR DRAFT DIGNITY AND RESPECT POLICY

All staff are invited to take part in a consultation on the University's draft Dignity and Respect Policy until the end of June.

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ENGAGE FOR CHANGE: SOAPBOX SCIENCE BECOMES PART OF

BRIGHTON FRINGE TO CELEBRATE WOMEN IN STEMM

Soapbox Science will run on Saturday 1 June on Brighton seafront, just west of the i360 from 11.00 am to 2.00 pm.

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THIS SUSSEX LIFE: SHOBITA BHUMBRA, PHD RESEARCHER IN QUANTUM PHYSICS - "I HAVE ALWAYS WANTED TO EXPLAIN THINGS TO PEOPLE"

Shobita Bhumbra, PhD researcher in quantum physics, is among Sussex scientists taking part in Soapbox Science in Brighton on Saturday, 1 June 2019.

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RESEARCH WITH IMPACT: WHAT IS CONSCIOUSNESS? NEW IMPACTED PODCAST TACKLES THE BIG QUESTIONS WITH UNIVERSITY OF SUSSEX RESEARCHERS

Neuroscientist Anil Seth is the first guest on a new series of podcasts spotlighting the work of outstanding University of Sussex researchers.

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OUR COMMUNITY: REGISTER NOW FOR THE VC OPEN STAFF FORUM ON 6 JUNE

The forum provides staff with an opportunity to catch up on the latest developments within the University and pose questions to the Vice-Chancellor, Adam Tickell.

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OUR COMMUNITY: CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FROM ACADEMIC STAFF TO SERVE ON COUNCIL

The deadline for nominations for academic staff members interested in sitting on the University's Council is next Friday 7 June at 12.00 noon.

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BUILD ON STRENGTHS: FINAL CALL TO COMPLETE DATA PROTECTION E-LEARNING TRAINING

Staff who do not complete the GDPR e-learning module by the 31 July deadline will be subject to a series of measures including withdrawal from the discretionary pay review process and the suspension of IT privileges.

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BUILD ON STRENGTHS: PLEASE COMPLETE THE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES QUALITY SURVEY

The exercise runs annually across a number of universities to help them understand and improve the effectiveness of their Professional Services. Please take 10-15 minutes to complete the anonymous survey by 10 June.

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PARKING: CAMPUS WORKS IMPACTING ROADS, ACCESS AND PARKING

A single-lane closure will begin tomorrow (1 June) on Stony Mere Way; please be aware of works vehicles accessing the bank of Science Car Park (P1).

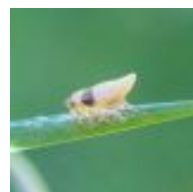
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OUR LEADING RESEARCH AND OTHER NEWS STORIES

MPS: Mathematicians recognised by the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine

Life Sci: Citizen science campaign launched to help UK respond to threat of bacterium which can kill popular garden plants



JOIN US TO CELEBRATE SUMMER GRADUATION IN JULY

Professional Services staff are welcome to volunteer to assist with ceremonies on Monday 22 - Friday 26 July. It's an ideal opportunity to congratulate our students on their academic achievements and a key event in the University calendar.

[Register now](#)



EVENTS NEXT WEEK: OUR TOP PICKS FOR STAFF

Sussexsport Commit to Get Fit staff salsa
Friday 31 May - 17:00 until 18:00 - Sport Centre

Women in STEMM: Soapbox Science Brighton
Saturday 1 June - 11:00 until 14:00 - i360 Event Space West, Brighton seafront

VC's open staff forum
Thursday 6 June - 10:00 until 11:30 - Attenborough Centre for the Creative Arts

Campus solar panel tour
Friday 7 June - 12:00 until 13:00 - Bramber House, Fourth Floor

[View all Sussex events.](#)

ABOUT THE STAFF BULLETIN

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