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# Staff Bulletin

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

### **EQUALITY, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION: SEEKING BALANCE FOR INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY 2019**

Women across the Sussex community suggest areas where a greater balance could improve the lives of women - and make societies better.

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### **OUR COMMUNITY: SEE OUR BREXIT HUB FOR ONLINE INFORMATION**

As the date approaches when the UK is due to leave the EU, we are keen for staff and students to have the latest information as it becomes available.

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### **THIS SUSSEX LIFE: 'IT'S NOT UNUSUAL FOR FIVE-YEAR-OLDS TO BE CARING FOR ADULTS'**

Feylyn Lewis was 11 when she began caring for her mum. Now, as a research fellow, she is looking at the needs of today's young carers.

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## **BUILD ON STRENGTHS: ALBION MANAGER OPENS NEW ALL-WEATHER SPORTS PITCH AT THE UNIVERSITY OF SUSSEX**

Brighton & Hove Albion FC's women's team will use the new artificial surface for training when the grass pitches are too wet.

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## **EQUALITY, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION: THE UNIVERSITY REPORTS MARCH 2018 GENDER PAY GAP**

The data reported shows a mean gender pay gap of 22.5% and a median gap of 18.2%. The national median gender pay gap is 17.9%.

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## **TRANSPORT: FREE BIKE SECURITY MARKING SESSION ON CAMPUS**

Staff and students who cycle to campus can get their bikes securely marked and registered for free at a security event on campus on Friday 15 March.

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## **TRANSPORT: KEEP SAFE DURING WORKS NEAR FALMER STATION**

Highway engineers are asking Sussex students and staff to take care while they carry out works to replace the street lighting near Falmer station.

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## **PARKING: CAMPUS WORKS IMPACTING ROADS, ACCESS AND PARKING**

Sussex House bus stop has been reinstated, and Lewes Court car park (P9) is now fully open.

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## **YOUR WELLBEING: WHAT HAPPENS AT THE MEETING HOUSE?**

I would like to offer the Meeting House as a wellbeing resource for everyone, whether or not they subscribe to a religious belief.

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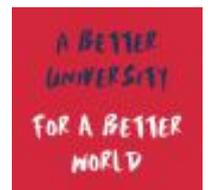


Revd Chris McDermott, Lead Chaplain for the University of Sussex

## **TAKE PART IN A SUSSEX 2025 STRATEGY WEBINAR**

Find out more about the Sussex 2025 strategy and get answers to your questions from senior leaders in real time.

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## **SUSSEX'S SOCIALLY RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENT POLICY Q&A: THURSDAY 14 MARCH / 13.30 / ACCA**

Independent investment company, Liontrust, manages the University's investments in accordance with our Socially Responsible Investment policy. The team from Liontrust and the University's Finance team are holding an open Q&A session for students and staff.

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### **BOOK NOW FOR THE VC'S OPEN STAFF FORUM ON FRIDAY 15 MARCH**

Rescheduled from 11 February, this event will now take place in the Jubilee large lecture theatre. 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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### **ONE WORLD WEEK: 18 - 22 MARCH**

One World Week gives Sussex students and staff an opportunity to share aspects of their own cultures with others, promote understanding and explore global issues. Check out the online guide to see the broad range of events showcasing food, language, culture and sport - most of them free and open to all.

[Read more](#)



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

Life Sci: Sussex professor confirms rare bat species spotted for first time in Wiltshire

Engage for Change: New migration pro bono law clinic launches at University of Sussex

Equality, Diversity and Inclusion: Edit-a-thon raises profile of LGBT+ scientists on Wikipedia



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

Sussex Salon: The Gender Pay Gap: Myths and Realities  
Friday 8 March - 19:30 until 22:00 - Museum Lab, Brighton Dome

Masters Open Day  
Saturday 9 March - 12:30 until 16:00 - University of Sussex campus

Grenfell: from micro to macro and back again  
Monday 11 March - 14:00 until 16:00 - Arts A1

Sussex Lecture: Happier families: The kids (and mum and dad) are alright  
Wednesday 13 March - 18:00 until 19:00 - Chowen Lecture Theatre, BSMS

Ontroerend Goed: Lies (Performance)  
Wednesday 13 March until Friday 15 March - 18:00 until 21:00 - Attenborough Centre for the Creative Arts

Sussex Research Hive Seminar: Emerging technologies and big data  
Thursday 14 March - 12:45 until 14:15 - Library Meeting Room on the 2nd floor

Free bike security marking  
Friday 15 March - 10:30 until 18:00 - Arts Path, near Pevensey 1 and the Meeting House

[View all Sussex events.](#)

## ABOUT THE STAFF BULLETIN

The weekly *Staff Bulletin* is produced by the Internal Communications team and is intended for all current staff and postgraduate researchers at the University of Sussex. The next issue will be out on 15 March.

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