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This week at Sussex

Monday 27 November 2023



Turner Prize-winner unveils new artwork on campus

<u>A new text-based artwork</u>, by alumna and artist Helen Cammock, has been unveiled on a wall at the Student Centre.



Update your card access before Friday

Tap your access card on an activation point before Friday 1 December to keep access to your building or office.

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Student update

The most recent student update

includes the Vice-Chancellor's recent message to students on Israel and Gaza, World AIDS Day activities, a chance to win £200 and more.

Don't miss out

Apply for the European Partnership Development Fellowship Scheme

<u>The scheme is an excellent opportunity</u> for academic and Professional Services staff to help strengthen the University's collaboration and knowledge exchange with partner institutions.

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Update on changing to a faculty structure

Read the recent update from Professor

Michael Luck, Deputy Vice-Chancellor and Provost, on progress with the establishment of a four faculties system.

Update on USS valuation process outcomes

<u>Read the latest update</u> from the University Executive Team and Sussex UCU on the ongoing joint working on the Universities Superannuation Scheme.

Globally Networked Learning session

Online | Monday 27 November | 1pm-2pm

Don't miss this session exploring the different types of globally networked learning experiences aimed to help you enrich your curriculum.

Curriculum Reimagined open meeting

Online | Wednesday 29 November | 10.30am-11.30am Hear from Professor Claire Smith and the project team about the latest updates on the Curriculum Reimagined project.

Men's Health Month webinar with Heales

Online | Wednesday 29 November | 10am-11.30pm

All are welcome to join this useful and informative talk, which focuses on both physical and mental health concerns.

This week on campus

SSRP Research Symposium 2023

<u>Gallery Room, Bramber House | Wednesday 29 November | 9.30am-1.30pm</u> Learn more about the interdisciplinary projects which are part of the Sussex Sustainability Research Programme (SSRP) and meet sustainability experts.



Crip Camp screening

Fulton B | Wednesday 29 November | 12:30pm-2.30pm This award-winning documentary looks at experiences at a revolutionary summer camp in 1970s America that helped create a new path towards equality for disabled people. Free popcorn and soft drinks will be provided.

45 minutes of music

Chapel, Meeting House | Wednesday 29 November | 12 noon-12.45pm

Don't miss out on this organ recital, which will feature all kinds of Advent delights, including Noëls by Dandrieu.

Leverhulme Panel: scientists and journalists working together for the public good

Meeting House | Thursday 30 November | 2.30pm-4pm Professor Linda Tropp and Claudia Hammond, BBC journalist and Visiting Professor, will be part of this panel discussion.

The AIDS Memorial Quilt: the largest community arts project in history

Quiet Room, Meeting House | Friday 1 December | 12 noon-2pm

The quilt is an inspiring demonstration of the power of art to build community and help navigate loss. Refreshments and art materials will be available.

Coming up

Launch of Teaching and Learning with Artificial Intelligence Community of Practice

<u>Open Access Space, Library | Monday 4 December | 2pm-3.30pm</u> The launch of the AI CoP aims to bring together staff to learn about generative AI tools and share concerns and ideas. Open to all.

Sussex Universe series: Hand to Mouth - the Language Puzzle

Fulton A | Monday 4 December | 6pm-7pm

Join Professor Gillian Forrester for this journey from hand to mouth, exploring one of the leading theories behind the emergence of modern human language.



Research with Impact forum: Sussex AI

Online | Wednesday 6 December | 2.30pm-3.30pm Find our more about research at Sussex AI, including language models, emotion AI, and complex networks.

Sussex in the media

Key stories from the past week

- <u>Dr Chris Sandom (Life Sciences)</u> is quoted in a *BBC Future* article that looks at how animal rewilding could be an important solution in tackling climate change. Monday 20 November
- <u>Professor Carol Alexander (Business School)</u> talks with CNBC International about the resignation of Binance CEO, Changpeng Zhao, and his pleading guilty to breaking US anti-money laundering laws. Wednesday 22 November

 <u>The University of Sussex Business School</u> will co-host a Pavilion at the COP28 United Nations Climate Change Conference alongside the JUSTNORTH Project. Thursday 23 November

Sussex on social



"Young people have phenomenal ideas and we deserve to have a say"

Meet Lauren, a second-year International Development student who recently took part in the Paris Peace Forum as Programme Director for the Legal Pact for the Future. Pictured with Dr Kirk Boyd, Executive Director at Legal Pact for the Future.

Community conversations

Did you know you can join a number of University social networks on Viva Engage, and find out more about what interests you?

 Learn how to turn off Viva Engage email notifications - in the All Company community.

- <u>Check out these drone shots of the West Slope site</u> being prepped in the Creating a Better Campus community.
- <u>Have a look at the new Christmas menu</u> available for conferences and events in the Food at Sussex community.

Why not join a community and make your first post?

Other important news

Transport update

<u>Find out information about</u> roadworks on campus and rail strikes that may affect your commute during December.

Social media policy and guidance

<u>Read the University's social media policy</u> which covers any social media activity where, as a member of staff, you directly or indirectly represent Sussex online.

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