

## Staff Bulletin

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

#### **BOOK NOW FOR THE VC'S OPEN STAFF FORUM: TUESDAY 21 FEBRUARY**

A great opportunity to network and get to know colleagues from other parts of the University.

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#### **CELEBRATING THE CONTRIBUTION OF MIGRANTS: MONDAY 20 FEBRUARY**

On Monday 20 February, the contribution of migrants in the UK is being celebrated through 'One Day Without Us'.

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#### **SUSSEX OFFERS BREXIT INFORMATION SESSIONS FOR EEA STAFF**

Sussex staff from the European Economic Area (EEA) are being invited to attend a Brexit information session on campus.

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#### **ATTENBOROUGH CENTRE PARTNERS WITH BRIGHTON FESTIVAL IN MAY**

Sussex has appointed renowned environmental scientist Professor Joseph Alcamo as Director of the Sussex Sustainability Research Programme.

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#### **TOP BBC JOURNALISTS RETURN TO SUSSEX**

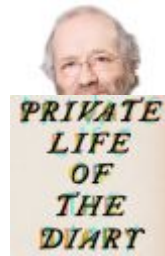
Two eminent BBC journalists, who are also Sussex alumni, will be revisiting their alma mater next month to discuss the changing face of the media.

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### PRIVATE LIVES AND PUBLIC PERSONAS UNDER EXAMINATION IN SUSSEX DIARY EVENT

Acclaimed authors Sally Bayley and Alexander Masters will be talking about their latest work in an event at the University of Sussex

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### SUSSEX APPOINTS RENOWNED FORMER UNEP CHIEF SCIENTIST AS SUSTAINABILITY RESEARCH PROGRAMME DIRECTOR

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### WHAT MAKES A HEARTTHROB? IT'S NOT WHAT MEN THINK

Historian Professor Carol Dyhouse's new book shows how economics, technology and politics have helped to shape women's desire.

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### PARENTS GIVEN TIPS ON STORYTELLING

Parents learned how to bring storytelling into their children's lives at a recent event organised by researchers at the University of Sussex.

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### OTHER NEWS STORIES FROM THE WEEK

Eighth round of the Research Development Fund launched

SussexFood support local social enterprise charity, Team Domenica

Sussex Sustainability funds 11 interdisciplinary research projects

Obituary: Barbara Shields (1922-2017)

Sussex Law School teams up with University of Lagos on new research network



### SUSSEX STAFF IN SOCIETY

Professor Rod Kedward receives prestigious award

We were recently honoured to welcome to Sussex Her Excellency Sylvie Bermann, The Ambassador of France to the United Kingdom, who visited the University to carry out an important medal presentation to Professor Rod Kedward, Emeritus Professor of History at the University of Sussex. Professor Kedward was awarded the Commandeur de l'Ordre des Palmes académiques.

The Ordre des Palmes académiques is a national order of France for distinguished academics and figures in the world of culture and education. Originally a decoration founded by Napoleon to honour eminent members of the University of Paris, it was changed into its current form as an Order on 4 October 1955 by President René Coty.

Congratulations to Professor Kedward for this prestigious award.



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

One Day Without Us: online call to action  
Monday 20 February - 13.00

VC's open staff forum  
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VC staff drop-in session

Wednesday 22 February - 10:30 until 12:30 - VC's office, top floor of Sussex House

45 minutes of music ..... Toccatas! Toccatas!

Wednesday 22 February - 12:00 until 12:45 - Meeting House Chapel

The Public Life of the Private Diary

Wednesday 22 February - 17:00 until 18:30 - Jubilee Building, Room G22

Reckless Sleepers: Negative Space

Wednesday 22 February - 19:30 until 22:00 - Attenborough Centre

[View all Sussex events.](#)

### ABOUT THE STAFF BULLETIN

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