

JANUARY 2021						
M	T	W	T	F	S	S
				1 New Year's Day	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16 World Religion Day	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25 Burns Night	26	27 Holocaust Memorial Day	28	29	30	31

### Holocaust Memorial Day

Holocaust Memorial Day takes place on 27 January each year and is a time to remember the millions of people murdered during the Holocaust, under Nazi Persecution and in the genocides which followed in Cambodia, Rwanda, Bosnia and Darfur. Each year the University marks the event. An online event 'The Future of Holocaust Memory' will be held on 5 February.

# FEBRUARY 2021

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
1 Sexual abuse and sexual violence awareness week	2	3	4 Time to Talk Day	5	6	7
8	9	10	11 Int Day of Women and Girls in Science	12 Chinese New Year	13	14
15	16	17 Ash Wednesday – Start of Lent	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28



## LGBT+ History Month 1-28 Feb

LGBT+ aims to promote equality, diversity and inclusion of LGBT+ people for the benefit of the public. The organisation originates from the Schools OUT programme and places a huge emphasis on education. The month presents us with the opportunity to raise awareness and celebrate the diversity of LGBT people. The theme this year is 'Body, Mind and Spirit.' Look out for events across the University. You can access our [LGBT+ Equality Action Plan](#) on the Equality and Diversity webpages.

# March 2021

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
1 Eating disorders awareness week	2	3	4	5	6	7
8 Int Women's Day	9	10	11	12	13	14
15 Neurodiversity Celebration Week	16	17	18	19	20	21 Int Day for Elimination of Racial Discrimination
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31 Int Transgender Day of Visibility				



## International Women's Day 8 March

International Women's Day is a global day celebrating the social, economic, cultural and political achievements of women. The day also marks a call to action for accelerating gender parity.

# April 2021

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
			1	2 Good Friday	3 End of Lent	4 Easter Sunday
5 Easter Monday	6	7	8	9	10	11
12 Start of Ramadan	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

## Ramadan

12 April marks the first day of Ramadan, a month in which Muslims across the world will be observing fasts from sunrise to sunset. Fasting is one of the five pillars of Islam and normally, during Ramadan, Muslims across the world make it a priority to frequent the mosque, with additional nightly prayers (Taraweeh), praying the Quran and taking part in charitable causes.

# May 2021

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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3 Deaf awareness week Early May BH	4	5	6	7	8	9
10 Mental Health awareness week	11	12 End of Ramadan	13	14	15	16
17 Int Day against homo/ bi/trans phobia (IDAHOBIT)	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31 Spring BH						

**International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia and Biphobia (IDAHO)** occurs each year as worldwide celebration of sexual and gender diversities and a call to action against homophobia, transphobia and biphobia.

# June 2021

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Jun - Gypsy, Roma and Travellers History Month	1	2	3	4	5	6
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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22 Windrush Day	23 Int Women in Engineering Day	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

**International Women in Engineering Day (INWED)** is an international awareness campaign which raises the profile of women in engineering and focuses attention on the career opportunities available in the industry.

# July 2021

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12	13	14	15	16	17 Brighton & Hove Trans Pride	18
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## **Brighton & Hove Trans Pride**

The annual Brighton & Hove Trans pride weekend is usually held in the third weekend of July. Events for 2021 to be confirmed.

August 2021						
M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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2	3	4	5	6 Brighton & Hove LGBT Pride weekend	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
<b>30</b> Summer BH	31					

**Brighton & Hove LGBT Pride**

The annual Brighton & Hove LGBT pride weekend is usually held in the first weekend in August. Events for 2021 to be confirmed.



# September 2021

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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20	21	22	23 Bi-Visibility Day	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

## **Bi-Visibility Day 23 September**

Promoting awareness of the issues facing the bi-community and celebrating

October 2021						
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### Black History Month: 1-31 Oct 2021

Black History Month takes place in October every year and is an annual commemoration of the history, achievements and contributions of Black people in the UK. People from many different backgrounds come together during this month to celebrate the positive role of Black people in shaping our communities.

# November 2021

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
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15	16	17	18	19 Int Men's Day	20 Trans Day of Remembrance	21
22	23	24	25 Int Day for Elimination of Violence against Women	26	27	28
29	30					

## Disability History Month: Nov-Dec

UKDHM celebrates people with a disability, challenges disablism and continues the fight for equality focusing on:

- the importance of the struggles of Disabled People for Access
- the Human Rights Principle of Access for Disabled People
- applying Universal Design to environmental, communication, educational, occupational, organisational issues to minimise barriers to Disabled People and maximise our participation.

December 2021						
M	T	W	T	F	S	S
		1	2	3 Int Day for People with a Disability	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25 Christmas Day	26 Boxing Day
27	28	29	30	31		

**International Day for People with a Disability (IDPWD)** is a U.N. observance day held annually on 3 Dec. and takes place during UK Disability History Month.

**Purple Light Up** also takes place on the same day to recognise the economic contribution of disabled people. For this many organisation light up their building with purple lights. Last year the EDI team wore purple to work to mark the day.