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**APPOINTMENT: SUSAN MILLNS TO BE INTERIM HEAD OF LPS**

Professor Susan Millns is to be the Interim Head of the School of Law, Politics and Sociology (LPS) from 1 January 2019.

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**OUR COMMUNITY: STAFF SAVE MORE THAN £7,500 ON SUSSEX STAFF DISCOUNTS WEBSITE SINCE OCTOBER**

It only takes five minutes to register on the site and you can buy e-vouchers instantly on your smart mobile phone.

Read more

**GO GREENER: SUSSEX RISES IN RANKING OF WORLD’S GREENEST UNIVERSITIES**

The University has been ranked 19th in the world and 7th in the UK for its campus sustainability and environmentally friendly infrastructure.
GO GREENER: LOOKING BACK ON A GREEN YEAR AT SUSSEX
Since Sussex adopted Ecosia as its default search engine for students nearly 5,000 trees have been planted as a result of web searches.

MFM: LYN'S WARDROBE OF LIFE
There are many ways to tell your story, says Professor of Cultural Studies Lyn Thomas.

SUSSEXSPORT: COMMIT TO GET FAR TAKES STAFF ACROSS BRITAIN'S ICONIC TRAILS THIS JANUARY
From 14-23 January 2019 Commit to Get Far is back! The new virtual journey will take staff across Britain's most iconic point-to-point trails.

SUSSEXSPORT: SUSSEXSPORT CELEBRATES INVESTORS IN PEOPLE GOLD STANDARD FOR SECOND TIME
Simon Tunley, Head of Sport, congratulated his staff yesterday on once again being awarded accreditation against the Investors in People Gold Standard.

CHAPLAINCY: SUBSTANTIAL REWARD OFFERED FOR RECOVERY OF STOLEN UNIVERSITY OF SUSSEX SILVERWARE
The University of Sussex is offering a reward of up to £10,000 in a bid to recover high-value silverware stolen from the Meeting House.

OBITUARY: EDWARD TIMMS (1937-2018)
Prof Edward Timms, who has died aged 81, reshaped his academic discipline by sharply defining two areas, Austrian Studies and German-Jewish Studies.

PARKING: CAMPUS WORKS IMPACTING ROADS, ACCESS AND PARKING
A planned closure of Refectory Road will take place between 8am and 5pm from Monday 7 January to Wednesday 9 January 2019.

OUR LEADING RESEARCH AND OTHER NEWS STORIES
Informatics: Computer hardware originally designed for 3D games could hold the key to replicating the human brain

Psychology: Sussex collaborative research shows how to help people with dementia to live happily

Life Sci: Life and a Career in Science - beyond academic research

Engineering: Creative technology academic to explore protecting workers’ rights in the digital age as part of £1.2m project

**CAMPUS SOLAR PANEL TOUR: FRIDAY 4 JANUARY / 12:00 - 13:00**

Take a tour of campus, and understand the impact our award-winning solar panels have on our energy consumption and generation.

[Read more](#)

**HELP SUSSEX TO SAVE ELECTRICITY AND CUT BILLS THIS WINTER**

As part of the University's Go Greener campaign, it's important to try to avoid wasting electricity - especially during peak periods in the season when electricity demand is at its highest.

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**CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR OPENING HOURS ON CAMPUS 2018-19**

Eating and drinking, shops, learning services, IT services, Students’ Union, sport, health and wellbeing, student support services, banking and cash.

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**PETER PAN AT THE ATTENBOROUGH CENTRE FOR THE CREATIVE ARTS: 14 - 31 DECEMBER**

Peter and Tinkerbell invite you to the unbelievable, magical world of Neverland. A place where lost boys run riot, pirates are in fine voice, crocodiles go tick-tock, and the villain has a very shiny hook! Peter Pan is suitable for all ages and is a perfect ‘first-time’ theatrical experience.

[Read more](#)

**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 4 January 2019. Have a wonderful festive break.

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