

Alumni news and events

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Also check out the latest alumni publications in the form of the 2013 editions of [Alumni News \(Documents/alumni/Alumni-News-2013.pdf\)](#) and [The Difference Magazine \(Documents/alumni/The-Difference-2013.pdf\)](#).

News

Atom Feed (<http://www.bham.ac.uk/Alumni/News/atom-feed>)

[Great alumni join Great Birmingham Run \(/alumni/news/items/2014/Great-alumni-join-Great-Birmingham-Run.aspx\)](#)



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[Ask the expert live chat with Diane Job \(/alumni/news/items/2013/05/Ask-the-expert-live-chat-with-Diane-Job.aspx\)](#)

On Friday 10th May Diane Job, Director of Library Services, discussed the University's new library in an #AskTheExpert Twitter session. Read the full transcript from the event.

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[Show your support for autism by wearing blue \(/alumni/news/items/2013/03/26Mar-Show-your-support-for-autism-by-wearing-blue.aspx\)](#)

More than one in 100 children are on the autism spectrum. This World Autism Awareness Day (Tuesday 2 April), you can help us give every child the best possible start in life with support for our groundbreaking research and wearing blue.

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[Pharmacy investment prescribed for Birmingham \(/alumni/news/items/2013/02/Pharmacy-investment-prescribed-for-Birmingham.aspx\)](#)

A brand-new Pharmacy programme, launching this autumn, is set to play a key part in the College of Medical and Dental Science's research and teaching agenda.

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[Soccer bookings show ethnic discrimination \(/alumni/news/items/2012/12/Soccer-bookings-show-ethnic-discrimination.aspx\)](#)

The behaviour seen on Premier League football pitches is indicative of the attitudes of wider society according to Dr James Reade, whose research collaboration with colleagues at the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge has revealed that referees are more likely to unwittingly discriminate against certain ethnic groups than others.

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[Weighty issue for dinner dates \(/alumni/news/items/2012/10/Weighty-issue-for-dinner-dates.aspx\)](#)

New research from the School of Psychology has revealed your dinner date can make you put on weight.

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[Ask the Expert live chat with Dr Jo Morris \(/alumni/news/items/2013/02/Ask-the-Expert-live-chat-with-Dr-Jo-Morris.aspx\)](#)

On Friday 8 February, Dr Jo Morris, Senior Lecturer in the School of Cancer Sciences took part in a live chat answering your questions about her breast cancer research. If you missed it, here is the full transcript from the event, including the questions Jo ran out of time to answer. The full storify recap can also be viewed here.

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[Groundbreaking clinical trial provides hope for thousands of men \(/alumni/news/items/2013/01/Groundbreaking-research-provides-hope-for-millions-of-cancer-patients.aspx\)](#)

Prostate cancer affects one in nine men in the UK, making it the most common cancer among the country's men. This World Cancer Day (Monday 4 February), you can help us to beat the disease with support for a pioneering clinical trial.

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