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<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/index.aspx?SyndicationType=2> 2015-01-27T02:08:08Z The comic book guy Bryoney Johnson Neil Gibson (MEng Manufacturing & Mechanical Engineering, 2000) is a former Management Consultant who now runs the successful T Pub comic book empire. Neil tells Old Joe how a chance comic book find led to a new career, a new passion, and the discovery of an untapped talent for writing. 2015-01-12T16:04:00Z 2015-01-22T14:51:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/The-comic-book-guy.aspx> Campus connections Bryoney Johnson The University holds strong family links for many alumni, and Birmingham is most definitely in the blood for the Price family who have celebrated five graduations on campus. 2015-01-12T13:42:00Z 2015-01-13T15:58:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/Campus-connections.aspx> Leveraging LinkedIn Bryoney Johnson LinkedIn has 332 million members worldwide and continues to grow at more than two members per second. Old Joe asked Charles Hardy, Education Engagement Lead for LinkedIn, to share his top tips for alumni using the professional network. 2015-01-12T13:41:00Z 2015-01-13T16:19:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/Leveraging-LinkedIn.aspx> GradLink Canada website Steph Thorpe GradLink Canada is a specialist careers website which includes jobs, links with graduate employers in Canada, in-depth advice sections, and the latest news and events relating to the graduate labour markets in Canada. 2014-11-12T14:30:00Z 2014-11-12T12:11:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/careers/graduatecareers/news/gradlink-canada.aspx> Shankar Suresh Martin Sullivan Shankar Suresh is a PhD student studying Immunity & Infection. In an ever increasing competitive employment market, he recognized the need to diversify his skills and take part in Entrepreneurship and Innovation led programmes. 2014-11-07T12:59:00Z 2014-11-07T10:24:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/careers/graduatecareers/deciding/entrepreneur-case-studies/shankar-suresh.aspx> Peace Fenojo Vanessa Chesterton Peace is a first-year undergraduate studying BSc Accountancy and Finance, and has created a retail business called Olive & Abi which sells fashion items which can be customised with crocheting. 2014-11-07T12:59:00Z 2014-11-07T12:43:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/careers/graduatecareers/deciding/entrepreneur-case-studies/peace-fenojo.aspx> Liz Felton Martin Sullivan Liz Felton is currently working on the design of a first-person horror game for PC and games consoles whilst studying BSc Artificial Intelligence with Computer Science at the University of Birmingham. 2014-11-07T12:37:00Z 2014-11-07T09:47:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/careers/graduatecareers/deciding/entrepreneur-case-studies/liz-felton.aspx> Yusuf Chaudhri Martin Sullivan Inspired by his attendance at the 'change-makers' summer school, Yusuf founded his business, Ethnical Fostering, with an UnLtd grant. 2014-11-06T14:51:00Z 2014-11-06T14:24:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/careers/graduatecareers/deciding/entrepreneur-case-studies/yusuf-chaudhri.aspx> Alumna puts opera back on the musical map Bryoney Johnson Information on Alumna puts opera back on the musical map 2014-11-04T11:57:00Z 2014-11-04T16:22:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/Alumna-puts-opera-back-on-the-musical-map.aspx> Great alumni join Great Birmingham Run Bryoney Johnson Information on Great alumni join Great Birmingham Run 2014-10-08T10:08:00Z 2014-10-08T12:59:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2014/Great-alumni-join-Great-Birmingham-Run.aspx> Faster than the speed of rail Bryoney Johnson Alumni race, and beat, the London underground 2014-10-03T13:21:00Z 2014-10-03T15:29:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/Racing-the-tube---and-winning!.aspx> Get a graduate internship with Step London Rachael Baylis The Step London Internship Programme serves ambitious, enterprising and work-ready graduates with paid internships and allows employers the ideal opportunity to trial new talent in a real working environment. 2014-09-24T12:29:00Z 2014-09-24T11:04:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/careers/graduatecareers/news/step-london.aspx> Inspiring Interns Rachael Baylis Inspiring Interns help students and graduates find internships that offer fantastic experience and can lead to permanent jobs. Check out some of their resources. 2014-09-04T14:30:00Z 2014-09-04T10:04:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/careers/graduatecareers/news/inspiring-interns.aspx> Birmingham alumnus is full of beans Bryoney Johnson Entrepreneurial alumnus opens new regional hub in the city. 2014-09-01T16:29:00Z 2014-09-03T13:31:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/Birmingham-alumnus-is-full-of-beans.aspx> Want to boost your employability skills? Rachael Baylis iSE are looking for local people who are unemployed, over the age of 19 years old and based in Birmingham to attend workshops providing advice on volunteering, interview skills, CV writing, employer's expectations etc and to take advantage of one-to-one support from an advisor as well as accessing a 2-3 month placement within a fantastic local organisation (with a particular focus on social enterprise businesses) who can then provide a reference for a CV. 2014-08-29T11:36:00Z 2014-08-29T09:13:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/careers/graduatecareers/news/ise-employability.aspx> givinglink Bryoney Johnson Information on givinglink 2014-08-18T14:00:00Z 2014-08-18T13:49:00Z
<https://bhamalumni.org/netcommunity/sslpage.aspx?pid=1382> Check out Scotgrad's placements programme Rachael Baylis Graduate placements for growing businesses - your chance to work on a hands-on, short-term project at some of Scotland's most ambitious companies or social enterprises. 2014-07-21T13:48:00Z 2014-07-21T13:34:00Z <http://www.scotgrad.co.uk/> Forensic archaeologist wins award for Hitler film Joanna Clark Information on Forensic archaeologist wins award for Hitler film 2014-07-21T12:50:00Z 2014-07-21T12:44:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2014/Forensic-archaeologist-wins-award-for-Hitler-film.aspx> Reckitt Benckiser R&D career competition Rachael Baylis Interested in a career in R&D? Want to win a one-on-one e-mentoring session with RB staff? If you're studying a relevant field (see the page for a list!) RB want to see how innovative you really are. Apply now for the opportunity to record a video and present your idea for the new product that would fit one of their Health, Hygiene or Home categories. This is a great opportunity to receive career advice, industry knowledge and exposure to senior Research & Development leaders in RB! 2014-07-17T09:40:00Z 2014-07-16T16:10:00Z <http://www.rb.com/terms-conditions-rb-facebook-game-changing-rd-career-competition> Paid graduate internships for all disciplines Rachael Baylis Are you a recent graduate from the University of Birmingham, looking for a great paid internship? We've got several and are sourcing more continuously. Find out more about the Santander Graduate Internship Programme 2014-07-01T08:45:00Z 2014-07-04T11:51:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/generic/internships/opportunities/ bespoke/santander.aspx> Graduate survival guide: how to get your first job Rachael Baylis With competition so fierce, Julie Wales shares her advice on making your applications stand out from the crowd in this article in the Guardian. 2014-06-11T15:25:00Z 2014-06-11T15:25:00Z <http://careers.theguardian.com/careers-blog/graduate-survival-guide-how-get-first-job> New Careers Network for Graduates group on LinkedIn Rachael Baylis Join our Careers Network for Graduates LinkedIn group to connect with careers support, advice and guidance from Careers Network and to get valuable advice from UoB alumni who can provide insight into the world of work after graduation. 2014-06-02T15:34:00Z 2014-07-01T15:34:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/careers/graduatecareers/news/linkedin.aspx> Graduate Talent Pool Rachael Baylis Looking for an internship to boost your skills after graduation? The Graduate Talent Pool is there to connect you with SMEs across private, public and voluntary sectors that offer internship opportunities. 2014-05-22T15:33:00Z 2014-07-01T15:33:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/careers/graduatecareers/news/talent-pool.aspx> Alumnae Theatre Company bring it back to Birmingham Bryoney Johnson An all-female theatre group led by University of Birmingham alumnae is bringing it's latest show to Birmingham as part of a national tour and are offering Birmingham alumni a chance to see the production for free! 2014-04-25T15:01:00Z 2014-04-28T10:47:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/Alumnae-Theatre-Company-bring-it-back-to-Birmingham-with-new-production.aspx> Change a life on World Autism Awareness Day Bryoney Johnson ACER researchers are leading the way in autism research and teaching. 2014-03-31T11:15:00Z 2014-04-02T10:10:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/Change-a-life-on-World-Autism-Awareness-Day.aspx> Are you great with disability? Rachael Baylis This new website provides students with a disability or long-term health condition with all the information they need as they apply for graduate jobs and prepare to go through the recruitment process. 2014-03-12T15:37:00Z 2014-07-01T15:38:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/careers/graduatecareers/news/great-with-disability.aspx> Alumnus hits the right note with new musical Bryoney Johnson Alumnus Matthew Bugg takes his hit musical on tour, including a return to Birmingham. 2014-03-03T17:21:00Z 2014-03-03T17:12:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/Alumnus-hits-the-right-note-with-new-musical.aspx> University of Birmingham celebrates the support of alumni and friends Bryoney Johnson Innovative event to thank alumni, friends, and supporters for their generous contributions to the University of Birmingham. 2014-02-28T12:37:00Z 2014-02-27T15:51:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/University-of-Birmingham-celebrates-the-support-of-alumni-and-friends.aspx> Graduate Advantage internships Rachael Baylis An internship could be the beginning of your career... Graduate Advantage offers internships in all sectors, in the West Midlands. 2014-02-22T15:38:00Z 2014-07-01T15:38:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/careers/graduatecareers/news/graduate-advantage.aspx> 40th Anniversary Reunion, BDS Dentistry 1973 Joanna Clark Information on 40th Anniversary Reunion, BDS Dentistry 1973 2014-01-13T10:57:00Z 2014-01-13T10:41:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/40th-Anniversary-Reunion,-BDS-1973.aspx> Ask the expert live chat with Diane Job Frances Worrall 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. 2013-05-21T10:28:00Z 2013-05-21T16:32:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/05/Ask-the-expert-live-chat-with-Diane->

job.aspx Birmingham alum becomes second casualty of The Apprentice boardroom Frances Worrall University staff, students and alumni are among the biggest fans of
fired The Apprentice candidate, Tim Stillwell. 2013-05-16T10:26:00Z 2013-05-20T10:42:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/05/Tim-Stillwell.aspx> Charitable donations to the University of Birmingham almost double in a year as giving to UK universities reaches record high Frances Worrall Information
on Charitable donations to the University of Birmingham almost double in a year as giving to UK universities reaches record high 2013-04-25T12:00:00Z 2013-04-
25T11:46:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/04/Charitable-donations-to-the-University-of-Birmingham-almost-double-in-a-year-as-giving-to-UK-universities-reaches-record-high-.aspx> Alumna becomes Writer in Residence at Museum of Carpet Dean Miller Local writer, humourist and musician Heather Wastie
(BA Mathematics and Music, 1977) has taken up the role of Writer in Residence at Kidderminster's Museum of Carpet. 2013-04-17T16:36:00Z 2013-04-
17T16:29:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/04/Alumna-becomes-Writer-in-Residence-at-Museum-of-Carpet.aspx> Watch a piece of musical
history at the screening of alumnus' film Dean Miller Birmingham has a proud tradition of introducing a range of varied music into British culture and a documentary
produced by a Birmingham graduate is set to showcase the city's musical heritage. 2013-04-15T16:45:00Z 2013-04-15T15:37:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/04/Watch-a-piece-of-musical-history-at-the-screening-of-alumnus-film.aspx> Show your support for autism by
wearing blue Amy Cory 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. 2013-03-26T15:09:00Z 2013-03-27T16:48:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/03/26Mar-Show-your-support-for-autism-by-wearing-blue.aspx> The next chapter Amy Cory Final year Political
Science student Raphael Sheridan is following in the footsteps of alumnus Brian Whitaker (BA Latin, 1968) as the current editor of Redbrick, the University's student
newspaper, a role Brian completed more than 40 years ago and one which catapulted him into a successful journalism career. 2013-03-19T11:48:00Z 2013-03-
19T11:43:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/03/The-next-chapter.aspx> A Goode Movie Dean Miller Alumnus and Actor Matthew Goode (BA
Drama and Theatre Arts, 1999) stars in psychological thriller Stoker, which will be released in Cinemas later this week. 2013-02-25T13:53:00Z 2013-02-25T13:40:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/02/A-Good-Movie.aspx> The greatest row on earth Dean Miller After being medically discharged from a Military
training scheme in 2010, Pamela Relph MBE (BSc Physics, 2011) took up rowing and is taking the sport by storm. A London 2012 Paralympic Gold medalist as part of
Team GB's LTA mixed coxed four, Pamela reflects on her unforgettable summer. 2013-02-25T10:51:00Z 2013-02-18T16:39:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/02/The-greatest-row-on-earth.aspx> Barber Institute welcomes new director Dean Miller Former Deputy Director
and Chief Curator of the Scottish National Portrait Gallery, Nicola Kalinsky, has joined the University's Barber Institute of Fine Art as Director. 2013-02-22T13:08:00Z
2013-02-25T10:49:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/11/Barber-Institute-welcomes-new-director.aspx> Pharmacy investment prescribed for
Birmingham Shawn Mayall 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. 2013-02-22T13:08:00Z 2013-06-21T17:24:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/02/Pharmacy-investment-prescribed-for-Birmingham.aspx> Soccer bookings show ethnic discrimination Dean Miller 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. 2013-02-18T15:49:00Z 2013-02-25T10:51:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/12/Soccer-bookings-show-ethnic-discrimination.aspx> Weighty issue for dinner dates Amy Cory New research
from the School of Psychology has revealed your dinner date can make you put on weight. 2013-02-18T15:48:00Z 2013-03-07T12:08:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/10/Weighty-issue-for-dinner-dates.aspx> Alumni-funded essay competition finds worthy winner Frances Worrall
Two College of Arts and Law students have been celebrating their victory in an essay competition, funded by the Alumni Impact Fund, at a reception on Monday 28th
January. 2013-02-14T14:51:00Z 2013-02-28T14:23:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/02/essaycompetitionwinner.aspx> Alumnae amongst the
most powerful women in the UK Amy Cory Two of our outstanding alumni have been named in BBC Radio 4's Woman's Hour Top 100 Powerful Women in the UK
Today list, the first of its kind. Cilla Snowball CBE (BA French, 1981) and Jude Kelly OBE (BA Drama and Theatre Arts, 1975) join HM The Queen, JK Rowling OBE
and Victoria Beckham in the list of powerful, intellectual and inspirational women as voted for by the public and chosen by a panel. 2013-02-13T17:12:00Z 2013-02-
13T16:55:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/02/Alumnae-amongst-the-most-powerful-women-in-the-UK.aspx> Ask the Expert live chat with Dr
Jo Morris Amy Cory 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. 2013-02-08T17:16:00Z 2013-02-08T17:09:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/02/Ask-the-Expert-live-chat-with-Dr-Jo-Morris.aspx> Groundbreaking clinical trial provides hope for thousands of men Shawn Mayall 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.
2013-02-04T00:01:00Z 2013-06-21T17:32:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/01/Groundbreaking-research-provides-hope-for-millions-of-cancer-patients.aspx> Indian alumnus makes shortlist for Man Booker International Prize Clare Gordon University of Birmingham alumnus UR Ananthamurthy has been
shortlisted for the fifth Man Booker International Prize which recognises one writer for his or her achievement in fiction. 2013-01-31T11:42:00Z 2013-01-31T11:18:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/01/Man-Booker-International-Prize.aspx> CAL PG Bursary Sept 2013 Amy Cory The College of Arts and Law
has launched a new alumni bursary scheme for all University of Birmingham graduates returning to undertake postgraduate study. 2013-01-24T13:56:00Z 2013-01-
24T13:48:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/01/CAL-PG-Bursary-Sept-2013.aspx> Award-winning graduates land dream jobs Amy Cory
Birmingham's longest established independent PR and marketing communications consultancy has recruited the two most recent winners of a prestigious marketing award it
champions at the Birmingham Business School. 2013-01-11T12:17:00Z 2013-01-11T12:24:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2013/01/11Jan-Award-winning-graduates-land-dream-job.aspx> Inspiring Future Musicians Amy Cory The next generation of musicians were treated to a behind-the-scenes tour of the new
state-of-the-art Bramall Music Building last week as part of a competition prize where they designed musical instruments of the future. 2012-12-20T10:53:00Z 2012-12-
20T10:52:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/12/Inspiring-Future-Musicians.aspx> Working towards breast cancer cure Amy Cory Breast cancer
survival rates have improved by 30 per cent as a result of the pioneering research taking place at Birmingham and we need your help to enable us to continue making such
life-saving advances. 2012-12-13T10:34:00Z 2012-12-12T17:12:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/12/Incubator-urgently-needed-for-breast-cancer-cure.aspx> Robot buddies enter the classroom Amy Cory Robots have been helping researchers at the University improve social interaction and communication
with autistic children in the school classroom. 2012-12-05T09:47:00Z 2012-12-12T14:28:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/12/Robot-buddies-enter-the-classroom.aspx> Musical memories last a lifetime Dean Miller To celebrate last month's official opening of the Bramall Music Building, we have been asking you
to share your favourite musical memories with us from your time at Birmingham. 2012-12-05T09:47:00Z 2012-12-13T12:11:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/12/That-one-song-that-always-brings-back-memories.aspx> The Fireworks of Life Amy Cory From aspiring
Biochemist to organising the world's largest firework competition, one alumnus shares how University broadened his horizons. 2012-12-04T17:01:00Z 2012-12-
12T14:30:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/12/December-The-Fireworks-of-Life.aspx> New music building is opened in style Amy Cory 420
staff members, supporters and friends of the University gathered at the brand new Bramall Music Building at the end of November for a once-in-a-lifetime performance to
officially open the state-of-the-art music facility. 2012-12-03T21:12:00Z 2012-12-05T10:08:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/12/New-music-building-is-opened-in-style.aspx> University expert spearheads campaign to boost antibiotic research Amy Cory A top UK microbiologist from the University is
championing a major initiative calling for urgent new investment in antibiotic research. 2012-11-16T10:23:00Z 2012-11-16T09:54:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/11/16-Nov-University-expert-spearheads-campaign-to-boost-antibiotic-research-.aspx> The Business of Sport with
David Gill Amy Cory Birmingham Business School alumni David Gill (BCom Industrial, Economic and Business Studies, 1978) was recently appointed Vice-Chairman of
the Football Association. 2012-11-05T11:03:00Z 2012-11-05T10:57:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/10/The-Business-of-Sport-with-David-Gill.aspx> What does sport mean to you? Amy Cory For Dean, former student and 2012 Paralympian, sport is about being the very best in the world. He is one of
the reasons we are building a new sports centre with facilities to meet all of his needs. From our students to you, our alumni, to members of the local community and

used athletes, this new state-of-the-art facility will offer something for everyone. 2012-09-27T16:20:00Z 2012-10-29T14:22:00Z
<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/10/What-does-sport-mean-to-you.aspx> Awards expand horizons Amy Cory The first recipients of a new travel bursary have been helped to access unique opportunities, thanks to a donation made in memory of an outstanding engineer. 2012-09-26T10:04:00Z 2012-09-26T10:45:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/10/October-Awards-expand-horizons.aspx> From Oil Mining to Buckingham Palace: Chemical Engineering at 100 Amy Cory More than 100 graduates accompanied by past and present faculty members gathered at the University last month to celebrate the centenary of Chemical Engineering at Birmingham. 2012-09-26T09:44:00Z 2012-09-25T13:48:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/10/From-Oil-Mining-to-Buckingham-Palace-Chemical-Engineering-at-100.aspx> Providing a Ticket to Ride Dean Miller The gap year experiences of one alumnus kick-started his career as Director and Co-founder of a totally unique surf-travel company which is striving to offer aspiring surfers the ticket to inspiring locations. 2012-09-25T12:41:00Z 2013-09-23T15:45:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/10/Providing-a-Ticket-to-Ride.aspx> Birmingham Fellow developing new treatment for breast cancer Dean Miller A researcher at the University is pioneering a new approach to breast cancer research, seeking to combat the increasing resistance to treatments of the disease that claims around 11,000 lives annually. 2012-09-25T10:44:00Z 2012-10-04T12:15:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/10/Oct-Birmingham-Fellow-developing-new-treatment-for-breast-cancer.aspx> University builds country's first hydrogen powered train Dean Miller A hydrogen powered locomotive, the first of its kind to run in the UK, has been developed by the University of Birmingham as part of a competition organised by the Institution of Mechanical Engineers. 2012-09-25T10:29:00Z 2012-10-04T12:18:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/10/Oct-University-builds-the-countrys-first-hydrogen-powered-train.aspx> London 2012 Alumni Superstars Amy Cory 'Winning a gold medal in front of a home crowd was indescribable and an experience I will never forget,' explains Birmingham graduate and former Pussycats captain, Pamela Relph (BSc Physics, 2011) who raced to Paralympic success earlier this month. 2012-09-21T11:05:00Z 2012-09-21T10:53:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/09/London-2012-Alumni-Superstars.aspx> This Remember a Charity Week, leave your mark with a gift to the University of Birmingham Laura Fairbanks You can help shape the University of Birmingham's future with a gift in your Will. After taking care of your loved ones, consider including the University when writing your Will and see how your legacy can have a transformational impact. 2012-09-21T09:59:00Z 2014-01-27T12:03:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/09/This-Remember-a-Charity-Week,-leave-your-mark-with-a-gift-to-the-University-of-Birmingham-.aspx> Student development scholarship: My time in Kenya Dean Miller Information on Student development scholarship: My time in Kenya 2012-09-20T11:48:00Z 2012-09-20T11:35:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/09/Student-development-scholarship-My-time-in-Kenya-.aspx> Paralympic gold for alumna Pamela Amy Cory Birmingham Physics graduate Pamela Relph stormed to Paralympic gold as part of Team GB's Mixed Coxed Four on Sunday. Her victory with teammates, Naomi Riches, David Smith and James Roe was the only Paralympic rowing medal won by team GB. 2012-09-03T15:47:00Z 2012-09-03T16:30:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/09/Paralympic-gold-for-alumna-Pamela.aspx> Alumni discount for Ironbridge Gorge Museums extended Amy Cory You are invited to enjoy one of the many benefits of being a member of the University of Birmingham's alumni community for even longer by receiving 25% off an annual passport ticket to the Ironbridge Gorge Museums until the end of this year. 2012-09-03T15:44:00Z 2012-09-03T14:27:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/09/Alumni-discount-for-Ironbridge-Gorge-Museums-extended.aspx> Expert panel debates Olympic legacy Amy Cory "Will London 2012 'inspire a generation' and be the first Olympics to deliver a participatory legacy?" was the theme of an open debate at the Bramall Music Building. 2012-08-07T16:13:00Z 2012-08-20T09:53:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/08/August-Expert-Panel-Debates-Olympic-Legacy.aspx> Birmingham at London 2012 - ones to watch Joanna Clark Flying the flag for Great Britain at the London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games will be 10 alumni and one current student. 2012-08-07T16:12:00Z 2012-08-08T10:18:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/08/August-Birmingham-at-London-2012.aspx> Preparing for the greatest show on earth Joanna Clark One alumnus gives an insight into Olympic fever from a different perspective. 2012-08-07T16:12:00Z 2012-08-08T10:17:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/08/August-Preparing-for-the-greatest-show-on-earth.aspx> Olympic Memories Joanna Clark The University has many connections with the Olympic games due to its proud sporting tradition. 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The scheme, which targets a specific school, is the first of its kind for the University and has welcomed back members of the alumni community to share their advice and expertise with our current students. 2012-06-06T16:59:00Z 2012-06-07T12:38:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/06/06June-Mentoring-scheme-success.aspx> Search for the hero inside yourself Amy Cory For the first time, members of the alumni community can be found across the London Underground and at train stations and airports up and down the country as part of the University's Heroes campaign celebrating excellence in many different fields 2012-06-06T15:55:00Z 2012-06-06T15:38:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/06/06June-Search-for-the-hero-inside-yourself.aspx> Rolling out the red carpet Amy Cory The University has a longstanding association with the Royal Family. Fresh from celebrating the Queen's Diamond Jubilee, we look back on our long line of royal visitors. 2012-06-06T15:05:00Z 2012-06-07T18:05:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/06/06June-Rolling-out-the-red-carpet.aspx> Pro-Vice-Chancellor cycles for university research and scholarships Amy Cory The University's Pro-Vice-Chancellor for Research and Knowledge Transfer is preparing for a charity bike ride across Wales in aid of the University's Circles of Influence fundraising campaign. 2012-06-06T14:25:00Z 2012-06-07T13:42:00Z <http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/alumni/news/items/2012/06/06June-Pro-Vice-Chancellor-cycles-for-university-research-and-scholarships.aspx> Go Behind the Scenes with the University's inspirational experts Amy Cory Five of the University's most inspirational experts are taking part in a competition which is offering you the chance to join in with their exciting work. 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