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Birmingham Business School's MBA Achieves #7 world ranking by CEO Magazine MBA Rankings 2015 (/schools/business/mba/news/2015/january/ceo-rankings.aspx)

Birmingham Business School is delighted to announce that our MBA has achieved an enviable #7 ranking position within CEO Magazine's MBA Rankings 2015 and a placement of #3 within their European Business School Rankings section.

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Eye on the prize: Coca-Cola's magic has always been in mischievous marketing (/schools/business/departments/marketing/news/2015/january/coca-cola-marketing.aspx)

Professor Isabelle Szmigin of the Department of Marketing considers Coca-Cola's recent sponsorship deal with the London Eye and the wider implications of the product's promotion in the ongoing health debate.

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Impact of the Charlie Hebdo killings on ordinary Muslims (/schools/social-policy/departments/applied-social-studies/news-and-events/2015/01/impact-of-charlie-hebdo-killings-on-ordinary-muslims.aspx)

Dr Chris Allen discusses the likely impact on ordinary Muslims following the Charlie Hebdo killings, in a series of radio interviews.

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Forthcoming events: Impact of the empty homes Community Grants Programme (/schools/social-policy/departments/applied-social-studies/news-and-events/2015/02/forthcoming-events-impact-of-empty-homes-community-grants-programme.aspx)

Self-Help Housing and HACT are running two events in February looking at what has been achieved during the course of the EHCGP, which will showcase various types of organisations and different approaches to renovating street properties and local regeneration.

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The Colour of Class: the educational strategies of the Black middle classes (/research/activity/education/crre/news/2014/the-colour-of-class.aspx)

This new book draws on qualitative data from nearly 80 Black Caribbean middle-class parents. The interviews reveal how these parents attempt to navigate their children successfully through the school system, and defend them against low expectations and other manifestations of discrimination

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Dr Nicola Rollock wins a place on BBC Expert Voices BAME Talent Day (/research/activity/education/crre/news/2014/dr-nicola-rollock-offered-a-place-on-the-bbc-expert-voices-bame-talent-days.aspx)

Dr Nicola Rollock was one of four University of Birmingham minority ethnic academics to be offered a place on the BBC Expert Voices BAME Talent Days

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News from School of Government and Society

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Oil crisis: can short-term pain lead to economic gain for Russia? (http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/news/thebirminghambrief/items/2015/01/oil-crisis-22-01-15.aspx)

The recent crash in oil prices is causing much anxiety in oil-producing states. From Iran to Venezuela, many have come to rely on elevated oil prices to fuel economic growth and support government spending.

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Blog: Shuffling the decks: quick fixes versus long-term stability (http://www.developmentprogress.org/blog/2015/01/22/shuffling-decks-quick-fixes-versus-long-term-stability)

Development Progress Blog. Ahead of the launch of our case studies on security progress in Liberia and Timor-Leste, Suda Perera writes on the risk that 'quick fixes' to violent conflict pose to development in the long-term. Taking the example of the Democratic Republic of Congo, she outlines the pitfalls of empowering warring parties and the challenging reality that good elections do not necessarily result in good democracy.

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