

## News from across the College

## News from Business School

Atom Feed (<http://www.Birmingham.ac.uk/news/atom>)**FT Global MBA Rankings 2015 (/schools/business/mba/news/2015/january/ft-global-mba-rankings-2015.aspx)**

Birmingham Business School are delighted to announce that our MBA programme has been ranked within the FT Global MBA Rankings with a placement of 95th.

26/01/2015

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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.

22/01/2015

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## News from School of Social Policy

Atom Feed (<http://www.Birmingham.ac.uk/news/atom>)**Briefing Paper: Basic bank accounts in Ireland (/schools/social-policy/departments/applied-social-studies/news-and-events/2015/01/briefing-paper-basic-bank-accounts-in-ireland.aspx)**

Basic Bank Accounts in Ireland: Not so much a false start as a faulty start? Read the latest Briefing Paper from CHASM.

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**CHASM Briefing Paper: December 2014 (/schools/social-policy/departments/applied-social-studies/news-and-events/2015/01/briefing-paper-saving-during-economic-down-turn.aspx)**

Should people on low incomes be encouraged to save during an economic down-turn? Latest Briefing Paper from CHASM.

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## News from School of Education

Atom Feed (<http://www.Birmingham.ac.uk/news/atom>)**Dr Penny Lacey (/schools/education/news/2015/01/dr-penny-lacey.aspx)**

It is with great sorrow that we have to announce that Dr Penny Lacey passed away peacefully on Monday 12 January 2015. We will remember her as a colleague who was admired by both her students and the community for the contributions that she made to the field through her teaching and research.

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**'What is Character? Virtue Ethics in Education' MOOC attracts huge interest (/schools/education/news/2015/01/what-is-character-virtue-in-ethics-mooc.aspx)**

The Jubilee Centre for Character and Virtues' Massive Open Online Course (MOOC), 'What is Character? Virtue Ethics in Education' has attracted a huge amount of interest ahead of its launch, reflecting the growing interest in character education.

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## News from School of Government and Society

Atom Feed (<http://www.Birmingham.ac.uk/news/atom>)**Podcast: Ethnic minority political representation in Britain: the end of the Race Relations Paradigm? (/schools/government-society/departments/political-science-international-studies/news/2015/01/ethnic-minority-political-representation-in-britain.aspx)**

The Department of Political Science and International Studies (POLSIS) Departmental Seminar. Speaker: Maria Sobolewska (Manchester), Respondant: Dr Chris Allen (University of Birmingham).

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**Blog: The fairness (or otherwise) of the 2015-16 local government finance settlement (http://inlogov.com/2015/01/21/the-fairness-or-otherwise-of-the-2015-16-local-government-finance-settlement)**

Written by Chris Game. In choosing to announce the 2015-16 local government finance settlement just eight days before Christmas, ministers presumably hoped – as, indeed, I'd expected – that the argument about the presentation of funding and spending cut statistics for local authorities, both collectively and individually, would have died away by mid-January. However, it hasn't, which is why I too am returning to the topic, which had its importance re-emphasised several times over the past week.

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