

News from across the College

News from Business School

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Birmingham Business School placed 17 out of 101 schools for Research excellence ([/schools/business/news/2014/december/research-excellence.aspx](http://schools/business/news/2014/december/research-excellence.aspx))

Birmingham Business School has been placed 17 out of 101 business schools in the Research Excellence Framework (REF) 2014, according to the ABS 23/12/2014

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Go Further, Faster on Devolution to Create Better Jobs Nationwide, Urges All Party Group Connecting Universities to Business Event ([/schools/business/news/2014/december/connecting-universities-to-business.aspx](http://schools/business/news/2014/december/connecting-universities-to-business.aspx))

As part of the Connecting Universities to Business Event, Professor Simon Collinson, Dean of Birmingham Business School, delivered a speech on 'Universities as drivers of high-value growth'.

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News from School of Social Policy

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HSMC launch collaboration with University of Nottingham ([/schools/social-policy/departments/health-services-management-centre/news/2015/01/hsmc-launch-collaboration-with-university-of-nottingham.aspx](http://schools/social-policy/departments/health-services-management-centre/news/2015/01/hsmc-launch-collaboration-with-university-of-nottingham.aspx))

HSMC and the Centre for Health Innovation, Leadership and Learning (CHILL) at the University of Nottingham successfully launched a Health Policy, Organisation and Management (HPOM) network for research and practice recently.

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New report from CHASM on access to credit ([/schools/social-policy/departments/applied-social-studies/news-and-events/2015/01/new-report-from-chasm-on-access-to-credit.aspx](http://schools/social-policy/departments/applied-social-studies/news-and-events/2015/01/new-report-from-chasm-on-access-to-credit.aspx))

The Centre on Household Assets and Savings Management (CHASM), have published a new report entitled 'Introducing a Time Delay on Access to Credit: Is it just delaying the inevitable?', by Lindsey Appleyard, Jodi Gardner and Karen Rowlingson.

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News from School of Education

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Dr Penny Lacey ([/schools/education/news/2015/01/dr-penny-lacey.aspx](http://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](http://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

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How stable is Saudi monarchy after King Abdullah's death? (<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/news/thebirminghambrief/items/2015/01/how-stable-is-saudi-monarchy-29-01-15.aspx>)

Written by Professor Scott Lucas. On 23 January, Saudi Arabia's King Abdullah died at the age of 90 and was succeeded by his half-brother Salman, 79, one of the last sons of Saudi Arabia's founder Ibn Saud. The regime is keeping a watchful eye on dissent, including in the mainly Shia Eastern Province, and on internal security amid concerns over returning fighters from conflicts such as the Syrian crisis.

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Podcast: EU as an international security actor ([/schools/government-society/departments/political-science-international-studies/news/2015/01/eu-as-an-international-security-actor.aspx](http://schools/government-society/departments/political-science-international-studies/news/2015/01/eu-as-an-international-security-actor.aspx))

The Department of Political Science and International Studies (POLSIS) Departmental Seminar. Speaker: Adrian Hyde-Price (Gothenburg). Discussant: Derek Averre (POLSIS/CREES).

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