

## News from across the College

## News from Business School

Atom Feed (<http://www.Birmingham.ac.uk/news>)**Economics at Birmingham ranked in top 6 for research intensity in recent REF** ([/schools/business/departments/economics/news/2015/january/ref-research.aspx](http://schools/business/departments/economics/news/2015/january/ref-research.aspx))

The commitment to research that exists within Economics has been underlined by the results of the recent Research Excellence Framework (REF) 2014 exercise, with the Department ranked 6th out of 28 institutions on research intensity.

15/01/2015

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**Creating tomorrow's leading social scientists** ([/schools/business/news/2014/november/leading-social-scientists.aspx](http://schools/business/news/2014/november/leading-social-scientists.aspx))

The Birmingham Doctoral Training Centre is one of only 21 across the UK to be accredited by the ESRC. It has 22 ESRC scholarships to fund doctoral research starting in 2015.

14/11/2014

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## News from School of Social Policy

Atom Feed (<http://www.Birmingham.ac.uk/news>)**Phronesis and the medical community** ([/schools/social-policy/departments/health-services-management-centre/news/2015/03/phronesis-and-the-medical-community.aspx](http://schools/social-policy/departments/health-services-management-centre/news/2015/03/phronesis-and-the-medical-community.aspx))

HSMC has been awarded £820,000 by AHRC (Arts and Humanities Research Council) for a project designed to explore the ethical dimension of good decision making in the context of medical leadership in order to improve patient care and experience.

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**IRIS Roundtable series - Intersectionality and superdiversity: What's the difference?** ([/schools/social-policy/departments/applied-social-studies/news-and-events/2015/03/iris-roundtable-series-intersectionality-and-superdiversity.aspx](http://schools/social-policy/departments/applied-social-studies/news-and-events/2015/03/iris-roundtable-series-intersectionality-and-superdiversity.aspx))

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02/03/2015

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## News from School of Education

Atom Feed (<http://www.Birmingham.ac.uk/news>)**Education and awareness needed to combat 'global epidemic' of liver disease** ([/research/impact/thebirminghambrief/items/2014/10/education-needed-to-combat-liver-disease-30-10-14.aspx](http://research/impact/thebirminghambrief/items/2014/10/education-needed-to-combat-liver-disease-30-10-14.aspx))

Despite significant advances in our knowledge of how to diagnose and treat chronic liver disease, we are currently experiencing a global epidemic in cases. In Europe alone, 29 million people suffer from chronic liver disease, and this rapid upward trend is reproduced in England, where liver disease is one of the leading causes of premature mortality.

30/10/2014

**Medical and Dental Sciences** ([university/colleges/socsci/news.aspx?NewsListingOrig\\_List\\_GoToPage=4&TaxonomyKey=0/1/187/194&stylemediatype=print](http://university/colleges/socsci/news.aspx?NewsListingOrig_List_GoToPage=4&TaxonomyKey=0/1/187/194&stylemediatype=print)) **Research** ([university/colleges/socsci/news.aspx?NewsListingOrig\\_List\\_GoToPage=4&TaxonomyKey=0/1/187/195&stylemediatype=print](http://university/colleges/socsci/news.aspx?NewsListingOrig_List_GoToPage=4&TaxonomyKey=0/1/187/195&stylemediatype=print))

**Acer members speak at ITASD Conference** ([/research/activity/education/acer/news-events/news/2014/Acer-members-speak-at-ITASD-Conference.aspx](http://research/activity/education/acer/news-events/news/2014/Acer-members-speak-at-ITASD-Conference.aspx))

Four members of the Autism Centre for Education and Research (ACER) spoke about their research at the ITASD Conference at the Institute Pasteur in Paris.

22/10/2014

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## News from School of Government and Society

Atom Feed (<http://www.Birmingham.ac.uk/news>)**Russia has lost an opposition leader of substance** (<http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/research/perspective/boris-nemtsov-murder.aspx>)

Written by Dr David White. "The key challenge for Russia's broad opposition movement is to maintain consistently high levels of protest by mobilising passive opponents of the regime – not just as a response to specific events and outside of election periods."

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**Iraq government cuts threaten its brightest students abroad** (<http://theconversation.com/iraq-government-cuts-threaten-its-brightest-students-abroad-38187>)

Written by Professor Scott Lucas. Iraqis pursuing postgraduate study abroad face a difficult future, after the country's higher education minister signed two measures cutting their stipends by up to 50% and limiting support to three years.

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