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News from Business School

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"Ideological Dissent in Downsian Politics" research podcast with Dr Siddhartha Bandyopadhyay (http://www.birmingham.ac.uk/schools/business/research/research-podcasts.aspx)

In this latest podcast, Dr Siddhartha Bandyopadhyay discusses his research that looks at factors that play apart in politics, voting and the government.

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Smart Leadership for Smart Cities (/schools/business/news/2014/july/smart-leadership-for-smart-cities.aspx)

Research undertaken at Birmingham Business School has been examining our understanding of how Smart Cities, which aim to offer improved local economic development, social and environmental outcomes.

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IRiS research showcased at the American Sociological Association Conference (/schools/social-policy/departments/applied-social-studies/news-and-events/2014/08/iris-research-showcased-at-sociological-conference.aspx)

In recognition of his pioneering work on undocumented migration in the UK, Dr Nando Sigona contributes to a thematic session on comparative approaches to migrant "illegality" at Sociological Conference in San Francisco.

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CHASM Conference July 2014 (/schools/social-policy/departments/applied-social-studies/news-and-events/2014/08/chasm-conference-2014.aspx)

Over 50 delegates from academia, public, private and third sectors attended the CHASM conference: 'Financial Security in an Age of Austerity', which took place on Friday 18th July, at the Friends Meeting House, Euston, London.

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Professor James Arthur speaks at UNICEF Conference in Montenego (/schools/education/news/2014/07/prof-james-arthur-speaks-at-UNICEF-conference.aspx)

Professor James Arthur gives key note speech on 'Strengthening Character, Virtues and Values through Education' at UNICEF Conference in Montenegro

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Research Project Launch Conference (/schools/education/news/2014/06/research-project-launch-conference.aspx)

'Translation and Translanguaging: Investigating Linguistic and Cultural Transformations in Superdiverse Wards in Four UK Cities'On July 18th The School of Education hosts a conference around the theme of multilingualism in business, sport, law, heritage and education.

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The Conversation: Is Boris Johnson a sop to the Tories' UKIP tendency? (http://theconversation.com/is-boris-johnson-a-sop-to-the-tories-ukip-tendency-30279)

Written by Dr Peter Kerr. There is a certain section of the Conservative Party – and not necessarily a minority – which has a penchant for self-destruction. This is the same section which takes its leadership cues from Nigel Farage rather than David Cameron; that section which has repeatedly frustrated the latter's attempts to modernise the party, while steadfastly drawing the leadership back towards the types of agenda, on Europe and immigration and so on, which proved so electorally damaging for the party throughout the noughties.

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The Conversation: The secret economic slowdown behind Putin's strategy for Russia (http://theconversation.com/the-secret-economic-slowdown-behind-putins-strategy-for-russia-30183)

Written by Dr Richard Connolly. If you want to understand the sometimes confounding moves played by Russian premier Vladimir Putin, then you could do worse than look at the accounts. On the face of it the country has seen 14 years of growth in the past 15, but that hides a persistent slowdown in the rate of growth. And although sanctions imposed over Ukraine have grabbed the headlines, the truth is that economic weakness in Russia is homegrown.

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