

IRO Newsletter

Autumn 2022

As we begin our next academic year we'd like to share the latest updates from the University and its international activity



Latest News

Bath named 'University of the Year' by The Times and Sunday Times 'Good University Guide' 2023

The University of Bath was named the University of the Year by The Times and The Sunday Times Good University Guide 2023 in September.

The guide scores universities across a number of criteria, including student satisfaction with the quality of their teaching, graduate job prospects, entry standards and research quality. This year Bath's score increased in almost every category to help clinch the 'University of the Year' title.

Of particular note was Bath's very strong performance in student experience and employability, with the University ranking fourth in the UK for undergraduate university experience and fifth for graduate prospects. In addition, The Times ranking notes that Bath's course completion rate (96.2 per cent) is the sixth-best in the country.

Overall, Bath has also moved up to eighth position in the national league table, and is the highest ranked university in the South West, UK.



[Find out more about our award](#)

International agreement signed to establish Bath as a global hub for environmental research

The University of Bath is proud to announce a new partnership with a global, interdisciplinary research network, the Earth System Governance Project (ESG).

The Centre for Development Studies (CDS) and the Department of Social and Policy Sciences are very pleased to enter into this partnership. It gives Bath the opportunity to establish the Research Centre Bath as part of a Global Alliance of Earth System Governance Research Centres, which will increase Bath's international standing and reputation in the field of climate change and sustainability.

The Earth System Governance Project is a global, interdisciplinary research network that aims to advance knowledge at the interface between global environmental change and governance.



[Find out more about the new partnership](#)

A warm welcome to our new exchange and visiting students



The International Relations Office were pleased to welcome the new exchange and visiting students for Semester 1 to campus on 27 September 2022 with an induction event.

We were excited to receive a record number of nominations from our partner universities for the 2022/23 academic year, and as many as 133 students from 57 universities joined us on campus.

After the induction the students had an opportunity to join a campus tour with one of the student ambassadors and later visit the Roman Baths, coordinated by the International Relations Office.

IAAPS accelerates its hydrogen research and innovation

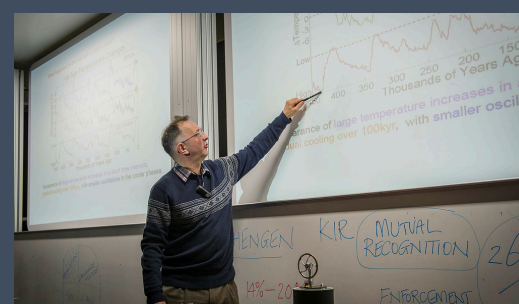
Following the opening of the new IAAPS facility at the Bristol & Bath Science Park in May, a green hydrogen manufacturing capability is to be established on site as a result of a successful £2.5m bid to the UK Research Partnership Innovation Fund (RPIF). This green H2 production and storage facility, set to be completed in spring 2023, will form the basis of a regional H2 and Sustainable Transport Acceleration Hub, working with cross-sector partners to stimulate green growth in the region and to provide an important link in the national H2 research infrastructure.

The new manufacturing capability will not only decarbonise the energy used within the facility by reducing the whole building carbon footprint, but it will also support vital research and innovation into sustainable propulsion, in particular in the hard to electrify sectors such as aviation, marine, off-highway and heavy-duty transport.



[Find out more about the new facility](#)

Professor Chris Budd receives government award for Covid modelling work



Maths professor Chris Budd receives an Award for Modelling & Data Support for his contribution to epidemiological and modelling work during the pandemic.

[Find out more](#)

Bath and Edinburgh to lead International Olympic Committee Research Centre



The new IOC Research Centre focusing on athlete health and injury prevention will draw on long-standing sports science research expertise at both institutions.

[Find out more](#)

Growing cultured meat for sustainable and ethical nutrition

As part of the joint research facilitated by the University of Bath's partnership with A*STAR in Singapore, scaling up the cultured meat process has become a focal point in the university's sustainable food technologies research priority.

This research aims to deliver new ways to supply meat products that benefit us and our planet. Professor Marianne Ellis provides more information in the video below and the University of Bath's Research with Impact campaign explains the importance of this research: [culturing meat for sustainable nutrition](#)



[Find out more about our Research with Impact campaign](#)

The International Relations Office Blog

Find student and staff exchange stories, examples of work and research supported by the International Relations Office and celebrations of the University's international successes!



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