Good News

July Graduation Prize Winners

Congratulations to our Biology students who won prizes at the recent Graduation ceremony.

**Royal Society of Biology Project Prize (Advanced Accredited Degree programme)**

Ingelise Holland-Kaye

“cAMP Induced Neuronal Differentiation Involves Formation of Phase Separated Puncta containing a PKA Regulatory Subunit.”

**Royal Society of Biology Project Prize (Accredited Degree programme)**

Kimberley Holmes

“Geometric morphometric analysis of the Alcolapia cichlid radiation reveals 2 potential sources of intraspecific variation in head morphology.”

**Royal Society of Biology Top Student Award**

Lucy Coupland

**Best performance for Integrated Masters**

Andrew Higginson

**Best performance for BSc. Biology & Specialist Degrees**

William Nadin

**Best performance for BSc. Biochemistry**

Evie Cooke

**Best performance for BSc. Biomedical Sciences**

Celina Worraker

**Oxford University press prize for most improved student**

Sorcha Barry

**Head of Departments prize for all round contribution to the Department**

Mollie Chan, Hannah Betts, Mikaela Lee and Lucy Barnes

Welcome to our staff Wiki site, everything you need to know about the department in one place. The site is updated regularly with news and events, tips and tricks for working efficiently from home/back on campus as well as information about committees, groups and individual labs.

If you have any items you would like to add to the weekly Bulletin or Wiki site, please email the DMT Hub.

Click here to view past editions of the staff bulletin: Google folder for past copies of the bulletin.

Finding your way around the Wiki

Please see below for a list of the pages that can be found on the Wiki site:
Deborah Smith prize for the best research project contributing to global impact outside the UK.

Imogen Hockenhull

“Integrated Masters - Drought-induced French bean yield loss significantly mitigated by selected soil properties”

Well done to everyone!
The Department was awarded an Athena SWAN silver award in 2006. In 2014, it was awarded Gold, the first Biology Department in the UK to reach this level. In 2019, the Department was granted an Athena SWAN Gold award for a further four years, which is a huge achievement.

The Athena SWAN Charter was established in 2005 to encourage and recognise commitment to advancing the careers of women in science, technology, engineering, maths and medicine (STEMM) employment in higher education and research.

In May 2015 the charter was expanded to recognise work undertaken in arts, humanities, social sciences, business and law, and in professional and support roles, as well as for trans staff and students. The charter now recognises work undertaken to address gender equality more broadly, and not just barriers to progression that affect women.

The award recognises our strong commitment to the advancement of gender equality: representation, progression and success for all. We strive to ensure that there are no barriers to our staff and students reaching their goals, and we are committed to promoting, celebrating and raising awareness of equality and diversity issues in the widest sense across the department and beyond.

For the latest up-to-date news and upcoming events, please see Biology's gender equality web page.

We have been collecting career trees for some of our staff to demonstrate that careers are often not linear; these can be found here Staff Career Trees.
Green Impact Awards 2021/22

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