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- Taster events -

Middlesex University—Get into Uni Week

Get Into Uni week: Monday 28 June to Friday 2 July

'This week is designed to support and inspire students aged 16+ who are thinking about university. With 24 sessions to choose from, including live support streams, panels, workshops and taster lectures, your students can hand-pick a programme that suits them.

Each live session will be led by our MDX students, lecturers and expert staff, and will include a Q&A to answer those all-important questions.'

Monday 28 June, 4-5pm: **Find Your Uni Match**

Tuesday 29 June, 4-5pm: **What is UCAS and How to Apply**
Tuesday 29 June, 5-6pm: **Personal Statements**
Wednesday 30 June, 4-5pm: **Apprenticeships vs Degrees**
Thursday 1 July, 4-5pm: **Diversity and Inclusion Careers Panel**
Thursday 1 July, 5-6pm: **Get Job-Ready at Uni**
Friday 2 July, 4-5pm: **Student Finance**

https://www.mdx.ac.uk/get-in-touch/meet-us/ug-open-days/get-into-uni-week

University of East Anglia—Open Days

'UEA Open Days are back!

Online or on campus, however you choose to visit, you'll be able to discover more about your subject, take a tour and speak to current students.'

Saturday 3 July; Saturday 4 September; Saturday 23 October; Saturday 20 November

Book your place at: www.uea.ac.uk/visit/2021-open-days

London South Bank University—In Conversation with Computing Students

'Join our Computing student panel to hear from current Computer Science and Computer Systems and Network Engineering students about their courses, what it's like to study Computing and life at LSBU. This webinar is a great opportunity to explore which course is right for you and ask any questions that you may have to students who have first-hand experience of the courses.'

To book a place:

https://www.lsbu.ac.uk/whats-on/in-conversation-with-computing-students

University of Portsmouth—Begin your Future event

Year 12-13 Begin Your Future Festival, 28 June – 2 July

'At Begin Your Future, you'll learn how to research and choose a university, see the benefits of studying, and explore key dates in the calendar, UCAS applications, the support available, living away from home and budgeting — with special talks for parents and supporters covering all the important decision-making stages'

Click here for more information about the event and to book

University of Kent—Applying for 2022: UCAS and Personal Statements

'Explanation of the UCAS process and advice on completing the UCAS form. Tips on how to write a good personal statement are included.'

Date: **22nd June**

For more information and to book:

https://www.kent.ac.uk/whats-on/event/49606/applying-for-2022-ucas-personal-statements

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Queen Mary, University of London—Women in Engineering

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You will hear from our head of school Professor Hazel Screen as well alumni, academics and current students.
Kinjal Dave, Techwomen100 winner 2019 and Scientist at BAE Systems, studied Aerospace Engineering at QMUL. Hear about her career and what it is like being a women in engineering.
Gioia Etchi studied Materials Science and Engineering at Queen Mary University of London. Find out how she got her job as a materials engineer at a small tech company in Cambridge.
You will also have the chance to ask current students, alumni and academics your own questions and really get a feel for studying and working in engineering from a woman's perspective.'

Date: **23rd June**

To book a place:

https://www.unitasterdays.com/events/event/65389/women-in-engineering

Goldsmiths, University of London—Upcoming events

Psychology Taster Session

23rd June

'Magic is one of the oldest art forms, and for thousands of years magicians have amazed people with their astonishing illusions. Magicians have developed very clever psychological tricks that exploit the limitations in your cognition. In the first half of the session, Dr. Gustav Kuhn will explore some of surprising ways in which magicians deceive you, and we will learn about the clever tricks they play on your brain. This section will include lots of perceptual illusions

In the second half, Alice Pailhès will explore the ease by which magicians can influence your mind, and she examines the science behind some of these mind control techniques. How free are you to make a decision? How can you nudge someone to make a better decision? This section will contain several interactive experiments that allow you to test this form of mind control.'

To book a place on this and see the range of upcoming events:

https://www.gold.ac.uk/gold-taster-days/taster-day-booking-form/

Contacting the team

For more information on anything contained in this newsletter or to book to catch up with a member of the team, please email:

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Pearson College London—Business Management Taster Day

'Our undergraduate virtual Taster Days are a perfect way to experience our degrees designed with industry. You'll get to experience what a typical online seminar-style class is like for Pearson Business School students, as well as explore our Business subjects including Management, Marketing, Finance and Entrepreneurship. '

Date: 26th June

For more information and to book:

https://www.unitasterdays.com/events/event/65160/business-management-taster-day-marketing-entrepreneurship-and-finance