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Each weekly bulletin will be shared every Friday – We hope you have a lovely weekend!



Gold in the Teaching Excellence Framework 2023



We are delighted to share that Warwick has been awarded Gold for student experience, student outcomes and overall in TEF

The Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF) is a national scheme run by the Office for Students (OfS). Your concerted efforts across the University to co-create an outstanding education and student experience, and to deliver a more inclusive education, have been celebrated by the TEF panel and led us to the best possible outcome in the exercise. [Read more here.](#)

Our community's submissions to TEF

Hundreds of staff and students shared their views through 2022 on the educational excellence that is embedded across the board at Warwick. Through workshops, focus groups and sharing evidence, so many of you played a part in helping the University to put its best foot forward. We want to say thank you to you all.

[Read the University's Provider Submission to TEF 2023.](#)

[Read Warwick SU's Student Submission to TEF 2023.](#)

[Learn more about TEF and how we developed our submission.](#)

The stories behind our educational excellence

The TEF result recognises your innovation, collaboration and determination as an education community in recent years, made all the more impressive when taking the Covid-19 pandemic into account.

Today we are launching our Education Excellence Showcase to bring your stories of inspiring teaching, learning and student support to life. We will build the Showcase over time, creating a repository of practice, impact and learning that we can celebrate, learn from and embed further. [Explore the Showcase online.](#)



History of Art graduate, Leigh Mencarini: ["I've earned the degree that I always felt I missed out on before, something of which I'm deeply proud."](#)



WBS's Dr Bo Kelestyn: ["All parts of the University come together to tackle big innovation challenges that we have within the community."](#)



Humanitarian Engineering graduate and EPQ Co-Creation Officer, Nikita Asnani: ["Student co-creation allows us to develop strategies together and collaborate on what they're going to look like."](#)



Chemistry's Dr Tom Ritchie and Adam Alcock: [We are Chemistry - how an initiative to build community post-Covid has led to innovative inclusion initiatives.](#)

Celebrating our Inspirational Educators



We worked with colleagues in Marketing, Communications and Insight last year to launch the *Excellence Together* campaign celebrating the outstanding, hugely passionate staff who teach at Warwick, like the brilliant Rachel Dickinson NTF SFHEA, Associate Professor in WBS (pictured). This built on the Sunday Times naming us University of the Year for Teaching Quality in 2022 and has been a feature of student recruitment activity and Open Days ever since.

The campaign has been refreshed for this year and even more of you now feature. We especially like seeing [lots of brilliant colleagues talking about their passion for teaching in the updated compilation video here](#).

Staff resources

Celebrate our teaching excellence framework triple-gold status on your department pages and in your department communications with [our range of assets, available here](#).

Dear Colleagues,

This is an invitation to the first meeting of the Grunt Club this academic year.

In case you are new to the department or the concept, the Grant Club is an informal gathering for staff (both academics and post-docs) interested in preparing a grant application, actively working on an application (at any stage) or anyone who wants to discuss ideas for the future. The aim is to support each other's efforts through the process and discuss ideas for collaborations within the department, the university and with external partners. We also appreciate input from staff who have been awarded larger grants in the past.

From the autumn term, we would like to make the Grant Club a regular event. We will meet during the first and last week of each term. Our first meeting is on Wednesday, the 4th of October, 3-4pm in room H1.49. Everyone interested in research is welcome! Let me know if you have any questions.

Looking forward to seeing you there,
Olga

A big thank you to everyone to donated to my Macmillan Coffee Morning Wednesday afternoon. It was lovely to see so many attend and meet even more members of staff. Thank you to all your generous donations, with online donations and cash donations with the bake sale, I raised £69.42. Thank you! Hannah 😊



Kind Regards,
Hannah.

Hannah Austin (She/Her)

PA to Derrick Watson, Head of Psychology, University of Warwick

Please note my working hours are 8:30am till 4:30pm Monday to Thursday and 9:00am till 4:00pm on Friday.

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