



# GRADUATION CEREMONIES

APRIL 2024

# WHAT OUR STUDENTS SAY

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*The University of Surrey's state of the art facilities have enabled me to practice safely my clinical skills and to grow into a confident health care professional.*

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**SANDRINE THERS**

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*Surrey has fostered my personal and professional growth. They have provided incredible experiences here in Guildford but also internationally, for which I am very grateful.*

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**ALICE O'GORMAN**

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*My time at Surrey has been an incredible journey of personal and academic growth. The supportive community, dedicated faculty, and diverse opportunities have not only shaped my education but also provided a platform for lasting friendships and unforgettable experiences!*

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**HASAN HUSSAIN**





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*I've really enjoyed my time at Surrey university. I've made so many memories and have grown a lot as a person. I am very grateful for the multiple opportunities given to me to learn and develop and I'm proud to have completed this degree. Can't wait to see what the future holds.*

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**HIFSAH AHMED**

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*I've been blessed with unforgettable experiences, from lifelong friendships to a deep dive into the intricacies of Mathematics. Surrey has truly been my backbone for personal and academic growth.*

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**DULYA MUDUGAMUWA**

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*I have met friends for life here at Surrey and have created memories that I will cherish forever! Thank you, Surrey.*

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**SAM BLAKER**





# HIGHLIGHTS

**GRADUATION MEANS CELEBRATION  
AND ANTICIPATION. WE APPLAUD YOUR  
ACHIEVEMENTS AS YOU MOVE INTO A  
FUTURE FILLED WITH PROMISE.**

## Remarkable graduate support

As a University of Surrey graduate you are entitled to careers appointments for up to three years after you complete your studies. You also get lifetime access to Surrey Pathfinder's interactive development tools.

With 142,557 alumni in 185 countries and alumni events taking place throughout the world, the Surrey potential for networking and support is tremendous.

We were ranked second in the south-east for highly skilled employment in Graduate Outcomes 2023, HESA\* and Best University Careers Service at the National University Employability Awards 2022.

[surrey.ac.uk/employability-and-careers/graduates](https://surrey.ac.uk/employability-and-careers/graduates)

## Teaching excellence Gold Award

Surrey's commitment to teaching excellence has been recognized by the UK Government, earning us a prestigious Gold award in the UK's first-ever Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF). This accolade reflects our unwavering dedication to providing students with exceptional teaching, comprehensive assessment, and unparalleled academic support.

### **Surrey poised to train more doctors for the NHS**

The University of Surrey is a key delivery partner of the NHS long-term workforce plan, providing training in nursing, midwifery, and paramedic sciences. 2024 marks our first cohort of medical students. We're well placed to scale up rapidly to provide the places needed to train more UK medical students, working with Government to ensure the NHS gets the doctors it needs.

[surrey.ac.uk/medical-school](https://surrey.ac.uk/medical-school)

### **From clean air to reducing our plastic use – how Surrey is contributing to a sustainable world**

In the 2023 Times Higher Education (THE) Impact Rankings, the University of Surrey was placed 9th in the UK and in the top 50 across the world, against the United Nation's 17 Sustainable Development Goals. These Goals range from ending global poverty, providing clean water for all, gender equality, decent work and economic growth while protecting life on Earth.

[surrey.ac.uk/sustainability](https://surrey.ac.uk/sustainability)

### **Ensuring the AI future is people-centred**

Led by the University, the Surrey Institute for People-Centred Artificial Intelligence (PAI) focuses on putting people at the heart of AI. Working with industry, the public sector, Government and national AI organisations, the PAI works to ensure AI technologies will help shape the future for public good. The Institute brings a transformative era for students' career-readiness.

[surrey.ac.uk/artificial-intelligence](https://surrey.ac.uk/artificial-intelligence)

### **Surrey Maths School to foster future innovators**

The new University-backed Surrey Maths School, one of only 11 Government-backed schools across the nation, welcomes exceptional 16-19 year-old students.

As well as A-levels in mathematics, physics, chemistry, computer science, and economics, pupils complete the Surrey Maths Certificate, a bespoke qualification from the University of Surrey and STEM industry partners. The School will empower students to become the driving force behind future innovations and technological advancements, shaping the world of tomorrow.

### **Why are we watching insects from Space?**

The University-backed Space4Nature project is revolutionising how we monitor UK habitats. It is boosting biodiversity by combining satellite images and AI with observations recorded by families, walkers and budding conservationists visiting beauty spots in Surrey. The project, involving the University of Surrey, Surrey Wildlife Trust, Buglife, and Painshill Park Trust, is helping ecologists identify the best way to target their conservation work and improve biodiversity.

## A LITTLE HISTORY

# NEARLY 60 YEARS OF SURREY DEGREES

The University of Surrey was established on 9 September 1966 with the grant of its Royal Charter, but its roots go back to 1891, when its forerunner Battersea Polytechnic Institute was founded to teach poorer London inhabitants. As its academic reputation grew, the renamed Battersea College of Technology moved to Guildford in the 1960s, where it became a university awarding its own degrees.

Since July 1970, by kind permission of the Dean and Chapter, degree conferment ceremonies have been held in Guildford Cathedral. On these occasions it is used as a secular building.





# SHARE YOUR SUCCESS

YOUR GRADUATION IS A DAY TO CELEBRATE EVERYTHING THAT YOU HAVE ACHIEVED THROUGHOUT YOUR TIME AT UNIVERSITY.

PRESERVE YOUR MEMORIES OF THIS UNFORGETTABLE DAY BY SHARING YOUR SPECIAL GRADUATION MOMENTS WITH US ON OUR SOCIAL CHANNELS.

Here's a selection of our favourite

**#SURREYGRAD**

posts from last year's graduation.







Tag and share your graduation pictures  
on Instagram or Twitter using **#SurreyGrad**.  
We can't wait to see them!

Stay in touch as you embark on the next chapter  
of your life and remember that graduation is not  
the end of your Surrey experience.



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# SURREY IS EVERYWHERE

Our 142,557 graduates are spread all over the globe in more than 185 countries, forming a dynamic alumni network. Here are our top 50 by population.

#ForeverSurrey













# PROFESSIONAL TRAINING PLACEMENTS

THE UNIVERSITY WISHES TO THANK THE ORGANISATIONS LISTED WHICH HAVE PROVIDED PROFESSIONAL TRAINING PLACEMENTS BOTH IN THE UK AND OVERSEAS FOR STUDENTS GRADUATING THIS YEAR.

Ad Idem Consulting, UK  
All Response Media, UK  
Allianz Insurance Plc, UK  
Aora Hotels, UK  
Artisans Commerce Cloud Sdn. Bhd., Malaysia  
Ascend Trading WLL, Qatar  
Aviva, UK  
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UniversalTech Solutions, UK  
University of Surrey, UK  
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