



KEYNOTE

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UNIVERSITY OF EXETER**



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Exeter Research

The University of Exeter

- 6,500 staff; total employment effect 14,500
- Contributes £1.6bn to output
- Only Russell Group university in the region
- Close links to government and industry, strong international relationships
- Exeter Innovation



World-class,
research
intensive UK
universities



30,000 students
from 180
countries and
185,000 alumni



39th most
international
university in the
world



2,757 academic
staff from more
than 100
countries



99.3% of our
research rated of
international
quality in REF 2021



137th in Times Higher
Education World
University Rankings



Teaching
Excellence
Framework
assessment



5 star rating
from QS



Fastest growing
world-class research
impact in the Russell
Group



First in the Russell
Group for Student
Satisfaction

Our vision



Lead meaningful action
against the **climate**
emergency and **ecological**
crisis.



Make key breakthroughs
to transform **human**
health and **wellbeing**.



Lead the progress towards
creating a **fair, socially just**
and **inclusive** society.

We will do this by developing critical, creative and empowered people through our educational programmes and by creating knowledge, making discoveries and providing solutions through our research. We are committed to working with our partners and communities, to being a great employer, providing accessible education, and preserving, advancing and disseminating knowledge.

Green Futures Solutions

- 1,500 researchers
- 34 institutes
- More of the top 100 climate scientists than any university in the world
- All of the UK's top five climate scientists
- Met Office partnership

Human Health and Wellbeing

- Significant growth in our Medical School since 2010
- £15m funding for region's first Biomedical Research Centre, enhancing our ability to translate scientific discoveries into tangible benefits for patients
- One of nine leading academic centres with excellence in applied public health research, making up the NIHR School for Public Health – working with NHS partners across the region
- MRC Centre for Medical Mycology – cross-disciplinary research covering areas of clinical importance that are amongst the least understood
- Sport and Health Sciences, first in UK for overall quality and impact of work

Fairer, Socially Just and Inclusive Society

- At the University of Exeter, we celebrate diversity and strive for a fair and inclusive society
- Centre for Social Mobility – millions of children and young people are unable to fulfil their potential. The Centre for Social Mobility supports social mobility through Higher Education
- SW Social Mobility Commission – chaired by the Chancellor of the University, Sir Michael Barber
- Degree apprenticeships

Spin out portfolio



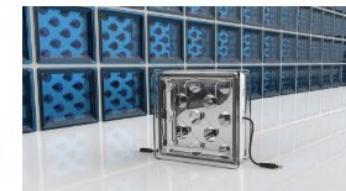
Another Way

Educating and empowering sustainable living



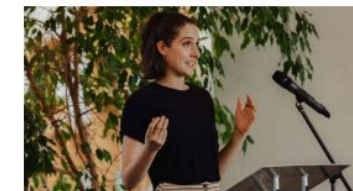
Attomarker

Rapid diagnostics at the point-of-care



Build Solar

Solar glass bricks for sustainable energy



Impactic Volunteers

Volunteering to bridge the digital skills gap



Kindling

Active bystander training to spark positive interventions



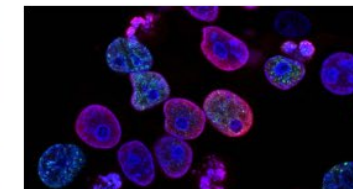
Minviro

Sourcing minerals in a sustainable way



Mandulo Foundation

Providing STEM education to impoverished areas



MitoRx Therapeutics

Arresting degenerative disease



Quanterra Systems

The carbon and ecosystem monitoring solution



Sanctuary Health

Health content to help educate patients



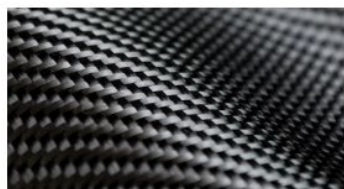
Seaweed Generation

Carbon mitigation using seaweed technology



SENISCA

World leaders in the RNA biology of ageing



Tribol Braking Ltd

Better brakes for sustainable electric vehicles



Watercress Research

Medicines and nutritional supplements from plants



We Are Bazoo

Sustainable bamboo toilet paper



Wildflower Collective

Sponsoring wildflower meadows

Challenging times in HE

University of Edinburgh warns of staff cuts as it faces £140m financial deficit

Vice-chancellor says large-scale savings are needed but union says university should instead use its wealth



The University of Edinburgh's £140m forecast deficit would be the largest among British universities. Photograph: Kay Roxby/Alamy

BIG READ

'We're waiting to see who goes under first': Why universities are on the brink

A drop in international students and income from domestic tuition fees have left some universities facing an existential crisis

Newcastle set to axe around 300 jobs in £20 million staffing cuts

Russell Group institution warns that it cannot rule out compulsory redundancies after worse-than-expected student recruitment



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Cardiff University plans to cut 400 jobs and axe courses



The university has confirmed it is planning to cut hundreds of jobs and to close some courses

Challenging times for tech transfer?

- Median income of Russell Group universities from IP licencing + spin out equity sales = £2.2m pa
- Cost of TTOs
- Reduced equity stakes following Spin-out Review
- BUT broader benefits, to community, economic growth



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