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We're **academically ambitious** for ourselves and our students. We're **purposeful, challenging** and **curious** about our world. We're a place where collaboration, research and scholarly activity informs everything we do. We are as **enterprising** as we are **innovative** and nurture those qualities in our students, letting the results speak for themselves.



Rosaliyo Samuel
BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering

Welcome

Dear visitor,

Welcome to UCAS' higher education exhibition. Today is your chance to start broadening your horizons and thinking about what's next.

We all have different interests, motivations, strengths, and ways we prefer to learn, that will influence our future pathway. Friends, family, and teachers will most likely have an input but, ultimately, the choice on what to do next has to be your decision.

The first step is to do your research, and today is a great starting point – make sure you make the most of it!

Don't forget, there is a wide range of options available after school or college, so consider them all:

- > university or college
- > apprenticeships
- > gap years
- > internships
- > volunteering

With our exhibitors, and UCAS experts on hand to help, today's the day to get answers to any questions you may have.

Have fun!



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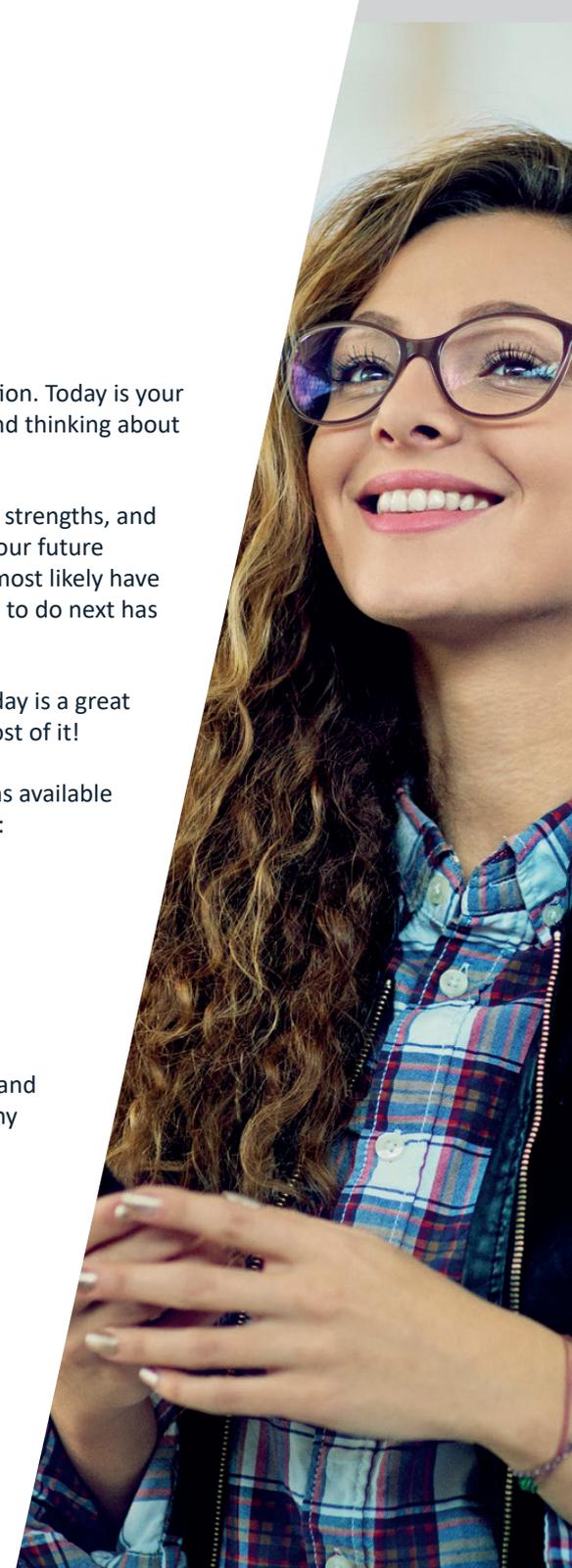
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Awarded over three years to undergraduate students who achieve a score of 112 UCAS tariff points or more.

For information on other bursaries available please visit:

www.beds.ac.uk/makeitbeds

*Based on 2019 figures. Amount awarded on the basis of UCAS points accumulated prior to entry. For more information, and full terms and conditions please visit our website.



All set to start exploring

your options?

To help you get the most out of your visit today, here are a few reminders...



Be prepared – make the best use of your time and plan to visit the stands which are of most interest to you.



Study the seminar programme and arrive five minutes before the start.



Get all the information about the universities and courses you're interested in – take information home to study at a later date.



Ask questions, lots of questions! The exhibitors are here to help you, make the most of them.



Most importantly, **have fun!** There's a lot going on throughout the day, so get involved!

FIRE UP YOUR CAREER

The skills you learn as an apprentice are valuable wherever your career might take you
Visit [apprenticeships.gov.uk](https://www.apprenticeships.gov.uk)

FIRE IT UP

 Apprenticeships



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Exhibitors and stand numbers

Here is a list of everyone exhibiting – **time to get researching!**

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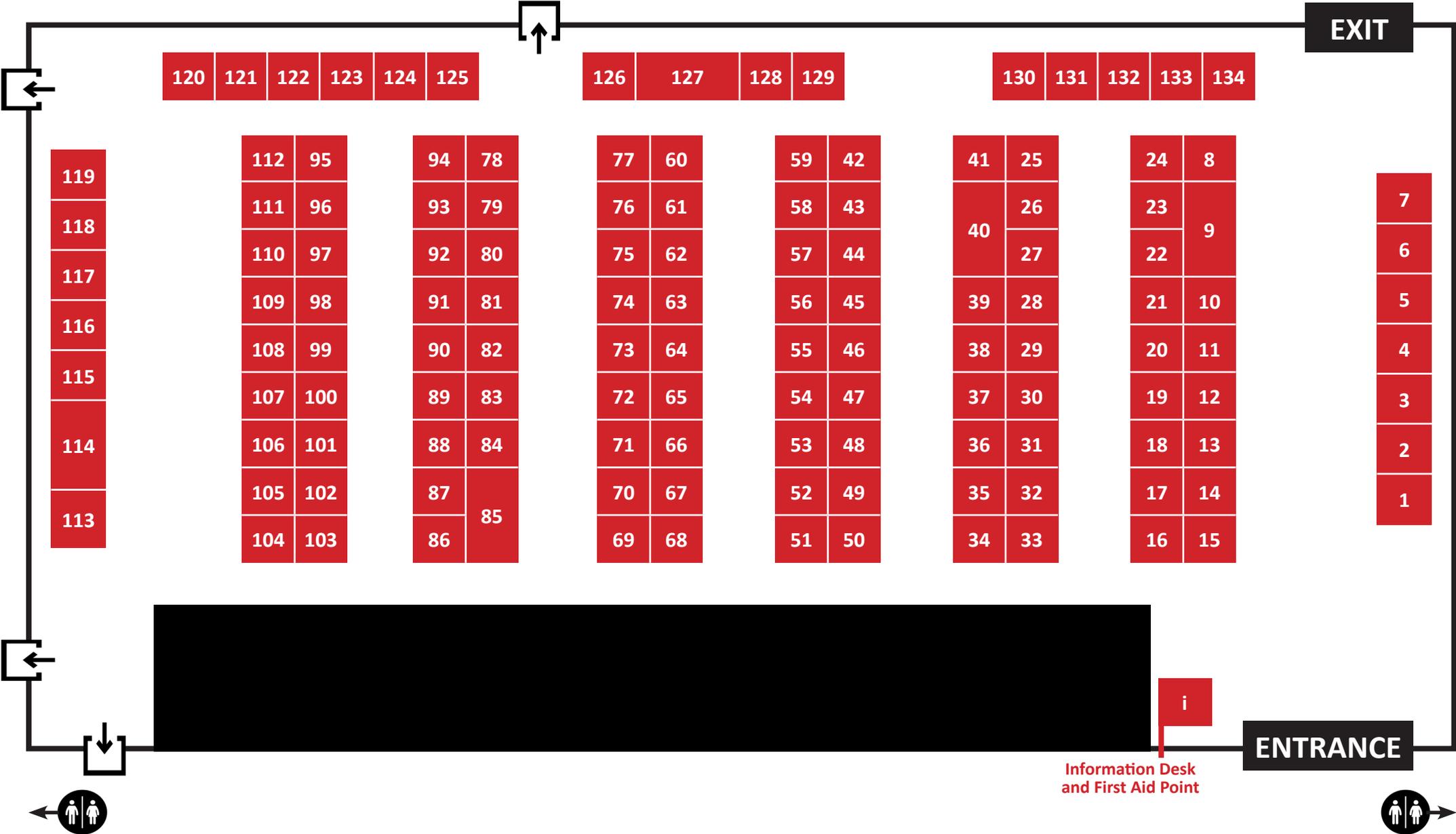
UCAS BLOGS

Understand uni life from real students' points of view by checking out our UCAS blogs:

www.ucas.com/connect/blogs

Who is where?

THIS WAY TO EXIT FOR
COACH PICK-UP AND
SEMINARS



Seminars

Seminars are available to students on a first-come, first-served basis – **tickets are not required.**

Please follow the signs, or ask an event ambassador for directions to the seminar rooms.

Seminars

We will be running a programme of seminars throughout the day. Attendance at seminars is optional and the sessions will be filled on a first come first served basis. Please try to arrive with plenty of time to spare to enable you to get a seat, the seminars will take place in lecture theatre 1 and 2 in the lecture theatre block.

Seminar locations are marked on the map included within this guide and we will have event ambassadors along the route to help you find your way. As a general rule you should attend your exhibition session before attending seminars, however we do appreciate that this is not always possible.

Applying to University through UCAS

Tips on how to fill in our UCAS form and, most importantly, how to make your personal statement stand out by showcasing your skills and experience.

Student Life

An insight into the student experience presented by a current student, with information on the social and academic aspects of life at university.

Choosing a university and course

A guide into where you can find the information you need to make an informed decision before applying to university.

Student Finance

Talks you through what help is available to you and how you can access financial support, as well as tips on how to manage your money.

Seminar Schedule

Time	Lecture Theatre 1	Lecture Theatre 2
10:00 - 10:30	Applying to university through UCAS	Student Life
10:45 - 11:15	Choosing a university and course	Student Finance
11:30 - 12:00	Applying to university through UCAS	Exploring post 18 options
12:15 - 12:45	Choosing a university and course	Student Life
13:00 - 13:30	Applying to university through UCAS	Student Finance
13:45 - 14:15	Choosing a university and course	Exploring post 18 options

Student Experience Tours

We will be offering student experience tours lead by one of our trained event ambassadors. Our tours flag will be located at the front of the Sportspark and you can pick up a tour from here on the hour and half past. These tours are designed to give you an insight into what it is like to live and study at a campus University.



YOUR JOURNEY

You'll soon receive updates from UCAS, such as information on:

- > careers, gap years, apprenticeships, studying abroad, and going to uni
- > subjects and options
- > how you can meet your career aspirations

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DOS AND DON'TS FOR PERSONAL STATEMENTS

DOs

- > **Do** show you know your strengths and can outline your ideas clearly.
- > **Do** be enthusiastic – if you show you're interested in the course, it may help you get a place.
- > **Do** expect to produce several drafts of your personal statement before being totally happy with it.
- > **Do** ask people you trust for their feedback.

DON'Ts

- > **Don't** exaggerate – if you do, you may get caught out in an interview when asked to elaborate on an interesting achievement.
- > **Don't** rely on a spellchecker, as it will not pick up everything – proofread your statement as many times as possible.
- > **Don't** leave it to the last minute – your statement will seem rushed, and important information could be left out.
- > **Don't** let spelling or grammatical errors spoil your statement.

Remember

You can write up to 4,000 characters of text to show why you'd make a great student.

For more information, visit

www.ucas.com/personalstatement



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Notes page

Use this as a guide and reminder of information you should be gathering, to help you start thinking about your future.

Where do I start? Check out who's at today's event and make a note of the exhibitors you don't want to miss.		How do I make the most of today? Gather as much information as possible – ask questions, explore your options, and start to think about what you'd really enjoy.			What's next? Reflect on the information you have received today, and start planning your next steps.	
Name of exhibitor	Course or subject area of interest	Entry enquirements	Open days or visit days	Likes and dislikes	Notes	Rank your top five
	'What do I enjoy most and what are my strengths?'			'Is it an academic or practical course?'		
		'Do I need to be studying a specific course or get certain grades?'				
'Do I only want to explore options close to home, or try something new?'						
				'Are there any unique opportunities, like a year abroad?'		
	'Am I aware of the wide range of courses available?'					
'Is it definitely uni I'm interested in or are there other options I should consider?'					'If I have questions later on, where can I find out more?'	



THIS IS EXPLORING

22 JUNE – MEDICINE ONLY

6 JULY

7 SEPTEMBER

19 OCTOBER

20 OCTOBER

BOOK YOUR VISIT TO CAMPUS
www.uea.ac.uk/opendays



THINKING OF APPLYING?

We have a range of opportunities to visit our campus with everything from Open Days to Summer Schools. Please see our list of on campus events for prospective students below:

Mini Open Days

Friday 22 November, Friday 6 December 2019
Monday 6 January 2020

Year 12 Summer Schools

Medicine, Pharmacy, Health Sciences, History, Literature, Law
Sunday 28 July - Wednesday 31 July 2019

Campus Tours

Subject Taster Days

Drama
Thursday 20 June



Find out more at www.uea.ac.uk/visit



Contact details

Venue:

University of East Anglia, Sportspark
Norwich Research Park, Norwich, NR4 7TJ

Opening hours:

09.30 - 15.00

Contact details before the exhibition

01242 544 808 or email events@ucas.ac.uk.

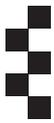
During the exhibition

07788 464 540 or www.ucas.com/exhibitions.

General enquiries

Event ambassadors, wearing red UCAS t-shirts, will also be available to offer help and advice if you have any queries.





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Whoever you are, **you are Essex.**

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Colchester: 15 Jun/ 21 Sep/ 26 Oct 2019

Southend: 14 Sep 2019

essex.ac.uk/visit-us/open-days