Faculty of Biology, Medicine and Health (FBMH) Patient and Public Involvement and Engagement (PPIE) events listing

Events available to watch online now

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| **Event** | **Description of Event** |
| Watch our Making a Difference Awards 2023 | On 11 May we were joined by staff, students, alumni and friends from around the world to celebrate the incredible and inspiring work of our University community. This social responsibility work spans everything from research, teaching, student volunteering, working with external partners and much more. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://healthinnovationmanchester.com/mahsc-inaugural-lectures-professor-raffaele-califano/) |
| MAHSC Inaugural Lecture with Professor Raffaele Califano | The MAHSC (Manchester Academic Health Science Centre) Honorary Clinical Chairs are awarded to individuals from across Greater Manchester who have made a major contribution to their clinical specialty, including excellence in research and education. The second in the MAHSC Inaugural Lecture series welcomed MAHSC Honorary Clinical Chair Professor Raffaele Califano. [Watch or listen back to the Lecture and read the blog.](https://healthinnovationmanchester.com/mahsc-inaugural-lectures-professor-raffaele-califano/) |
| Citizen Science: Policy and Practice | This event covered the impact of participatory research and citizen science on policy and practice, including exploring what citizen science is and the opportunities it offers for policymakers, funders and researchers alike. The recordings of the event presentations are now available on [The Young Foundation website.](https://www.youngfoundation.org/institute-for-community-studies/our-work/citizen-science/?utm_source=https%3a%2f%2fcomms.manchester.ac.uk%2fuommhscommslz%2f&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Public+Engagement+Digest+11%2f05%2f23&utm_term=%7bEmailSubjectLine%7d&utm_content=110815&gator_td=CsobGUOkMLylWwSEQKtGnByTg7k%2fm9J5V7YG6%2bNiGt2vt5NE68a%2fz4aN%2f4s9jpPtpdn0LeoWUdTOCMD5wd%2bPV4VgnaxE9isPgunRv28OgD0HSmoiXrYMMCLB5jtvIBxsM10xuV6amkWM%2f2s5Jw1DdVRYbbbKRVyI1s6u7UVqWlY%3d#:~:text=Covid%2D19%20pandemic.-,Videos,-Previous) |
| Rapid Motion Through Space: An Incomplete History of Speed | Watch an original feature documentary film from The Cosmic Shambles Network in association with The Royal Institution. [Watch now on YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NYDdHSXRQro&t=3s). |
| GlobalSCAPE Workshop - Global Relevance in Science Communication | This 2-part workshop was one of two that were produced for the GlobalSCAPE project and pilot tested online in February 2023 within sessions suited to four different time zones. The other 2-part workshop is Justice, Equity, Diversity & Inclusion in Science Communication. Watch [Part 1](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K7Yk6daTqoA&list=PLBz0ZUncZNyYbzKVFcnvqVuESsiPxi_fT&index=10) and [Part 2](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hxYaqzPQM18&list=PLBz0ZUncZNyYbzKVFcnvqVuESsiPxi_fT&index=11) on YouTube. |
| How can the public help shape our research and policy future? | Sciencewise is a UKRI funded programme which provides evidence on public  aspirations, concerns, views and values around new and emerging areas of science, technology, and innovation along with views on their potential benefits and disadvantages to enable socially informed research and policy making. They recently hosted a learning webinar to discuss how the public can help shape our research and policy research. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=08m6f6sEN-g) |
| The Network for the Public Communication of Science and Technology (PCST) Webinar Series 2023: Exploring PCST’s diversity, equity, inclusion, and accessibility (DEIA) | An open reflection on the colonial past of many countries where its members live work and the impacts this has had on PCST. The webinar also explored the public role for PCST in DEIA.  [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ttIFTKbcNwE) |
| Practice As Research (PAR) seminar: The intricate ethics of participatory research | This seminar reflects on some of the main ethical challenges arising in participatory research, arguing for the importance of ‘everyday ethics’ focusing on human relationships and reflexivity as a counter-balance to the ‘regulatory ethics’ of institutional review processes, which emphasise rule-following and impartiality. It will also introduce the revised guidelines for community-based participatory research. [Watch now on YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eBvJ3aNGbak) or listen on the [Practice As Research website.](https://practiceasresearch.nicole-brown.co.uk/ethics-participatory-research/) |
| Nazir Afzal: Fighting for Gender Equity - IWD 2023 | TW: This talk contains discussion of sensitive and graphic topics, relating to abuse and violence against women and children. Join FBMH for the flagship International Women's Day event with Nazir Afzal OBE, University Chancellor, who will share insights and reflections around gender equity. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2RFQVrmAoJw) |
| World Cancer Day: Closing the Care Gap | This World Cancer Day Webinar focuses on how The University of Manchester is working towards closing the gap in cancer care. Join Dr Suzanne Johnson, Programme Director for Transformative Oncology, to hear how research and study at Manchester is bringing advances in the oncology field to help close this equity gap in cancer care. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PSEIT4_nRfY) |
| Putting Equity into Practice - Equality in FBMH | The Faculty of Biology, Medicine and Health lead a panel discussion on how we can put equity into practice. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UneRhqthrHQ) |
| Engage Conference 2022 | The final plenary session from Engage Live features challenging and provocative perspectives on the future of engagement and knowledge creation. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLYcs8HLnX9gnl3jFYRIqBw128otR-2Ohy) |
| Public involvement - the researcher experience webinar | Public involvement: What, Who, Where, When and How? (Naina Patel). [Watch now on YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_iXfk_vcaAM).  The public involvement challenges to the new researcher (Michelle Newton and Cecily Henry). [Watch now on YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YFucVmrhGM8).  How researchers can benefit from public involvement input (Patrick Waterson and Roy Harris). [Watch now on YouTube](https://www.https:/www.youtube.com/watch?v=tKUAwS7xQMc&t=162s.com/watch?v=WkiSTZxOkuw). |
| NCCPE’s ’Leadership in Action’ webinar - The Warwick Institute of Engagement | The event will act as a valuable reminder of the ways in which Warwick, in particular, is tackling establishing and embedding a pan-University approach to engagement.  [Watch now on YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WkiSTZxOkuw). |
| Public engagement and science communication webinar from EURAXESS UK | EURAXESS brought together global contributions on the theme of public engagement, science communication and researcher mobility. [Watch now on YouTube](https://www.euraxess.org.uk/united-kingdom/news/outcomes-public-engagement-and-science-communication-webinar-euraxess-uk). |
| A Civic Engagement Approach Case Study - University of East Anglia | UEA’s Civic University Project team explained their public-first approach to a civic university agreement. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GaipmeAT7SM) |
| Negotiating and implementing a shared vision: Measuring universities' contribution to local and regional sustainability | This webinar explored the ways in which universities linked their own sustainability strategies – encompassing carbon reduction, adaptation and biodiversity – to those of local and regional partners. As well as highlighting good (and bad) practice, it asked what types of intervention are most effective, how should universities contribution be measured and what governance arrangements are most appropriate for this collaborative activity. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9CrZnmKrGdA) |
| Getting It Write: What To Do Now That Patients In England Can Read Their GP Notes | In this webinar, featuring colleagues from the University, open notes experts discuss what this change means for patients and general practitioner (GP) staff in England. [Watch now on YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ThIhCvHczBw). |
| NIHR Three Schools Webinar: More public diversity in involvement in research | Engaging and working with young people. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XMhHyxnCi4M)  Involving people living with dementia and learning difficulties in research. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0CReL2LZ6u8&list=PLhYaI-h21xKv06myx3RIIyRzXZ7q-xkKc&index=5&t=1694s)  Experiences from research with LGBTQ+ and migrant communities and people experiencing homelessness. [Watch now on the NIHR website.](https://www.sscr.nihr.ac.uk/event/nihr-three-schools-webinar-diversity-and-involvement-series-webinar-3/) |
| South Asian Heritage Month at NIHR ‘From Journeys of Empire to Empirical Research’ | The webinar will help colleagues learn about the South Asian heritage communities we serve, health conditions that disproportionately affect people of South Asian heritage, and how this links colonial history and contemporary racial inequalities. Colleagues will also learn about health research centring and collaborating with South Asian heritage groups and take away some practical ideas for making their own research more inclusive. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DN1rfgA4cY0) |
| MAHSC Seminar Series showcases the great discovery and clinical science being undertaken within Manchester and its impact on the health of the local population. | How can research improve pregnancy outcomes – the Manchester experience. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nr0xfajEgx4)  The Manchester Innovation Ecosystem. The Power of Commercial Engagement. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BO-x9spu6bc)  Understanding a pandemic. The mathematical modelling and epidemiology of COVID-19. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1HJ8p2iczFk)  COVID-19 – Current & future diagnostic and therapeutic approaches. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oApbjEs0es4)  Insights into the immunological response to COVID-19. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZcaZBMlnylY)  Advancing the science of implementation. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ocElLnAVO-Y)  SARS-CoV-2: A call to arms. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=676GY9b8ZXQ)  Understanding and treating cardiovascular disease in Greater Manchester. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m0KWdTlUjr4)  The Christabel Pankhurst Institute for Health Technology Research & Innovation. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ak_es_aRd-Y)  Novel diagnostic & therapeutic approaches. [Watch now on YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SH9KI0I8DZY).  COVID-19 effects on diabetes and behavioural science. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BUPbbUArn7Y) |
| Black History Month lecture with Professor David Olusoga OBE (UoM) | Described by attendees and viewers as a fantastic resource for students, Creative Manchester welcomed award-winning writer, historian, and broadcaster, Professor David Olusoga OBE, for his lecture on what it means to be Black and British and the role of Black History today. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qeb-8yXKD4Q) |
| The University of Manchester's (UoM) Climate Network event series (UoM) | UoM Climate Network aims to support and link environmental and sustainability groups across the University and beyond. They have a series of monthly seminars dedicated to discussing a range of topics under the central theme of climate change. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC2cRMptAl_0ou8F2TT8C0kg/videos) |
| Connectivity and Inclusivity In Higher Education - A Solutions' Based Approach | This is a compilation of lectures, synopsis of knowledge exchange sessions delivered during the innovative workshop, with the overall aim to make your work easier, more inclusive and appealing to more people. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/@user-fq3kb2cn5n) |
| PCST Network webinars | The PCST Network is a global network for science communication which seeks to promote new ideas, methods, intellectual and practical questions, and perspectives on the communication of science and technology. They have a range of recordings of past PCST Network webinars that capture important international perspectives on science communication. Watch now on the PCST Network website. [Watch now on the PCST website.](https://www.pcst.network/webinars/past/?utm_source=https%3a%2f%2fcomms.manchester.ac.uk%2fuommhscommslz%2f&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Public+Engagement+Digest+08%2f12%2f22&utm_term=%7bEmailSubjectLine%7d&utm_content=1&gator_td=2nj1EZ09cos%2fAo1gZDu5wgYemQKwRo9m5HVhd9W7uYjHNZRfUtRj4i3emAXzstaNw3hN1tYW3bDns8eVWAUr9tpAFBetmkoqyh9jK3wDlVJUKwfrZWFpiMfvboiquEMx7n521D%2f8nIxfZj%2bYX7Behs3mwGxnXplPFFc8osVz4lw%3d) |
| Living Knowledge Conference stream | The conference brings together a fantastic line-up of speakers and contributors to explore new synergies in community-driven research.  Synergies in Public Engagement and Co-Creation. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://youtu.be/OFblz87NJmY)  The INSPIRES legacy: an EU-funded international project to support (new) Science Shops. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://youtu.be/_ZsspYrLb6U)  A critical reflection on research with and for society in a world of contested expertise. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://youtu.be/Vp4G6qL3OHM)  Celebrating Living Indigenous Knowledge and Healing Relationships. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://youtu.be/bf9Pzs5Wxmo)  Diverse participatory inclusion in research. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://youtu.be/Debc9lIEMt0)  The Ideas Fund. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://youtu.be/3-s4xJCFpnA) |
| CiviCon22: Universities Working in Partnership | CiviCon22: Universities Working in Partnership provided free virtual events for anyone with an interest in the civic movement, which aimed to provide an understanding of the key national, regional, and local policy landscapes within which universities can make a difference and have an influence. They also aimed to challenge thinking and shape future collaborative conversations. [Watch now on Civic University Network](https://civicuniversitynetwork.co.uk/resources/events/#browse). |
| International Women's Day 2022 Events (UoM) | Guest speaker Gina Rippon, Professor of Cognitive Neuroimaging with her talk entitled 'The Gendered Brain'. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BrtlHSYjK9g)  In Conversation with … Pragya Agarwal about women, bias, race and (m)otherhood. Watch now on YouTube. [Watch now on the University website.](https://video.manchester.ac.uk/embedded/ffffffff-91ef-87d6-0000-017fd254fee0?utm_source=https%3a%2f%2fcomms.manchester.ac.uk%2fuommhscommslz%2f&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Public+Engagement+Digest+13th+Oct&utm_term=%7bEmailSubjectLine%7d&utm_content=1&gator_td=ahiZGNIOZFQZgSX3x7OsDOOpz8UlcC4kxTCLrksD1e2RNNRo3CpnGujLjXZK0k%2fTTD8TQ%2bXBCFsNMi%2b2upwG%2fXPzpsDSzQECtOObyRvJXcRBnQLf%2b6Ue%2fRHI7s6grA2f3ojOF895qMNwOzz4yKZNnttUMDf6EPv2vlE5rwNq6G4%3d)  Challenges and Contributions of women over 50 in Manchester during Covid-19: Lessons from the Uncertain Futures Project. [Watch now on the University website.](https://video.manchester.ac.uk/embedded/ffffffff-a53a-1e75-0000-017fc098e540?utm_source=https%3a%2f%2fcomms.manchester.ac.uk%2fuommhscommslz%2f&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Public+Engagement+Digest+13th+Oct&utm_term=%7bEmailSubjectLine%7d&utm_content=1&gator_td=ahiZGNIOZFQZgSX3x7OsDOOpz8UlcC4kxTCLrksD1e2RNNRo3CpnGujLjXZK0k%2fTTD8TQ%2bXBCFsNMi%2b2upwG%2fXPzpsDSzQECtOObyRvJXcRBnQLf%2b6Ue%2fRHI7s6grA2f3ojOF895qMNwOzz4yKZNnttUMDf6EPv2vlE5rwNq6G4%3d)  Exploring the impact of COVID-19 pandemic on mothers of children with intellectual disabilities. [Watch now on the University website.](https://video.manchester.ac.uk/embedded/ffffffff-9736-8c03-0000-017fd1b11dc0?utm_source=https%3a%2f%2fcomms.manchester.ac.uk%2fuommhscommslz%2f&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Public+Engagement+Digest+13th+Oct&utm_term=%7bEmailSubjectLine%7d&utm_content=1&gator_td=ahiZGNIOZFQZgSX3x7OsDOOpz8UlcC4kxTCLrksD1e2RNNRo3CpnGujLjXZK0k%2fTTD8TQ%2bXBCFsNMi%2b2upwG%2fXPzpsDSzQECtOObyRvJXcRBnQLf%2b6Ue%2fRHI7s6grA2f3ojOF895qMNwOzz4yKZNnttUMDf6EPv2vlE5rwNq6G4%3d)  2021 Event: Dr Nicole Brown discussed with her talk entitled “It’s all in your head”: The experience of disabled women in higher education.' [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bwBd0JHx14M) |
| Using Visual Storytelling Methods To Talk About Your Research | Part of an online masterclass focusing on engaging audiences using visual methods. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-T5MI0LGqvw) |
| Valuing Lived Experience - Learning with National Voices | Rachel Matthews, Head of Experience at National Voices and Associate Lived Experience Leader Keymn Whervin have co-designed and developed a prototype programme of coaching and mentoring, which will bring mutual benefit to those with Lived and Learned Experience and improve health and social care. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://comms.manchester.ac.uk/uommhscommslz/lz.aspx?p1=VggDA1MVM1NDY1MTk0MTU6RUMzNDM3NzAxQUZDOUY5OUM3MjRFNEYxQTlEQTYxRUY%3d-&CC=&w=100095) |
| Connecting Communities: Valuing our Differences and Learning Together Sessions | The ARC-GM Connecting Communities: Valuing our differences and Learning Together event took place between the 18th October and the 21st October 2021, showcasing the work of the many diverse communities of Greater Manchester. [Watch now on the ARC-GM website.](https://comms.manchester.ac.uk/uommhscommslz/lz.aspx?p1=VgODA1MVMzMDY1MTk0MTk6RTk4RDAyQTVBRjI0QjM5MzJFOERGRDIwMzU1MTA0QUM%3d-&CC=&w=95150) |
| Irene Manton Lecture (UoM) | The Irene Manton lecture celebrates the significant contribution made by women to the Natural Sciences, and features a different guest speaker each year.  2020: Eleanor Drinkwater, PhD student from the University of York, highlights the scientific contributions of Maria Sibylla Merian and other women in science, through her talk entitled 'Metamorphosis: a 300 year story of intrepid women, rainforests and butterflies'. [Watch now on YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QqigLSP_3eY).  2021: Dr Kat Coyte, Presidential Fellow (Research) at The University of Manchester highlighted how we can combine mathematics, big data and simple experiments to understand, and perhaps even manipulate, our own microbial communities, through her talk entitled 'Worlds within our Guts'. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://comms.manchester.ac.uk/uommhscommslz/lz.aspx?p1=VgODA1MVMzMDY1MTk0MTk6RTk4RDAyQTVBRjI0QjM5MzJFOERGRDIwMzU1MTA0QUM%3d-&CC=&w=95152)  2022: Rebecca Willis, Professor in Energy and Climate Governance at Lancaster University. highlighted how the only way to steer humanity through the climate change crises ahead, is to restore and rebuild democracy by finding new ways to involve everyone in a collective effort to safeguard the planet that we all call home. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q_AOzJqipdU) |
| 'Voices from the Frontline’ by Professor Tony Redmond | Hosted by Professor Tony Redmond, Author of Frontline: Saving Lives in War, Disaster and Disease and founder of UK-Med, the evening involved a selection of personal stories from Tony himself, as well as reflections from healthcare workers who responded to the Ebola epidemic in Sierra Leone and the measles outbreak in Samoa. The evening also shared the story of our Head of Mission in Yemen, Mona, and her experience of the conflict in her country. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://comms.manchester.ac.uk/uommhscommslz/lz.aspx?p1=VgODA1MVMzMDY1MTk0MTk6RTk4RDAyQTVBRjI0QjM5MzJFOERGRDIwMzU1MTA0QUM%3d-&CC=&w=95151) |
| Brilliant and Black: Celebrating Black History Month (UoM) | The month of October has been celebrated as Black History Month (BHM) in the UK since 1987. This national celebration aims to recognise and celebrate Black British achievement, and foster general knowledge and understanding of Black history. This year we are honoured to welcome Professor of Sociology, award-winning author, broadcaster and columnist Gary Younge, to deliver this year’s keynote presentation ‘The Fire This Time’ – a perspective on race inequality and the current Black Lives Matter (BLM) movement. [Watch now on YouTube.](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BMKSnYV0OM8) |
| Annual Doubleday lecture (UoM) | The 2020 Doubleday Lecture was delivered by disability activist and Coronation Street actress Cherylee Houston, who provided a thought-provoking and inspirational talk about her lived experiences as a wheelchair user. Hosted by Professor Felicity Stewart, Director of Undergraduate Medical Studies in the Division of Medical Education, the event ended with closing remarks and a vote of thanks to the guest speaker and the Doubleday family from Vice-President and Dean of the Faculty Professor Graham Lord. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2Ooj_zaWQtU) |
| Autism Manchester events: A range of events hosted by Autism@Manchester (UoM) | Autistic people’s experience of time. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jd9XdE6Y09w)  The development and piloting of EMPOWER-ASD: a post-diagnostic programme for parents of children recently diagnosed with autism. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://youtu.be/A-ToKnNkU3g)  How the complexity and diversity of the language parents use affects young children’s language development. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://youtu.be/8kpywaIg9K4)  Participatory autism research: opportunities and challenges. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1n5Npixh3ms) |
| Barack Obama talks to David Olusoga | In an exclusive UK interview ahead of the release of his memoirs, former President of the United States Barack Obama speaks to The University of Manchester's Professor of Public History, David Olusoga about his country, his political career, and his views on the difficulties facing his country. [Listen now on BBC Sounds](https://comms.manchester.ac.uk/uommhscommslz/lz.aspx?p1=M09DU1NDMwN1M3MzA1OjE0MjhCRDE2OUZEQzU2MkI4NDcxQkVEN0YzN0JGOTJB-&CC=&w=63658). |
| BBC's Boosting your Immune System | Dr Ronx Ikharia presents the definitive guide not only to defending yourself against Covid-19, but also boosting your strength for when the cold and flu season is upon us. Joined by Professor Sheena Cruickshank from The University of Manchester. [Watch now on BBC iPlayer.](https://comms.manchester.ac.uk/uommhscommslz/lz.aspx?p1=MCBDU1NDMwN1M0OTA1OkJFRkQ3NDg5RTFFQ0Y5QTM2MUFEMDBCN0RGQjI2MUVD-&CC=&w=65039) |
| Live with Scientists | Antibiotic Resistance webinar: Jessica Buddle and Rosie Clover talk about their research about antibiotic resistance. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QpjZIOqkntw) |
| NHS at 70's Covid Conversations Event Series | This series of events is part of a major public history programme – led by Dr Stephanie Snow and the NHS at 70 team at The University of Manchester and undertaken in partnership with the British Library. [Watch now on the NHS at 70 website.](https://comms.manchester.ac.uk/uommhscommslz/lz.aspx?p1=MRQDU5Njc0NVM2MzI1OkM2Mzg2Njk3OERGOUJCMDM4MzQ4RDg1MTFGQTZGOEI2-&CC=&w=69302) |
| NCCPE Engage Festival 2020 Plenaries | The National Co-ordinating Centre for Public Engagement (NCCPE) have now published the Engage Festival 2020 plenaries online. These sessions brought the whole festival together and gave attendees the opportunity to hear from some inspiring speakers and to discuss and debate interesting ideas around public engagement. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://comms.manchester.ac.uk/uommhscommslz/lz.aspx?p1=MRQDU5Njc0NVM2MzI1OkM2Mzg2Njk3OERGOUJCMDM4MzQ4RDg1MTFGQTZGOEI2-&CC=&w=69300) |
| Annual Lane Lecture | Professor Cath Noakes will deliver this year’s virtual Lane Lecture ‘Droplets and Aerosols – the complex physics of respiratory disease transmission’. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EudssG9jkj4) |
| Ada Lovelace lecture | Join the panel for a Q&A session on Medicine’s Biggest Questions. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=Ada+Lovelace+Day%3a+Medicine%27s+Biggest+Questions+you+tube&docid=607990309180810821&mid=4246977A7B786AFE28FA4246977A7B786AFE28FA&view=detail&FORM=VIRE) |
| Contemporary Issues in Science Communication | Join the editor of Contemporary Issues in Science Communication series, Clare Wilkinson, and authors Tara Roberson and Elizabeth Resekoala for the launch of the first two books in the series: Queering Science Communication and Race and Sociocultural Inclusion in Science Communication. [Watch now on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dBPfkJyYiek) |
| Reflections on Community-based research by Dr Rajesh Tandon | Co-hosted by NCCPE and UKRI, Sophie Duncan and Dr Rajesh Tandon consider how to enable community-based research to flourish. Rajesh will share some of the lessons he has learnt about supporting ethical practices in participatory research, drawing on over 50 years of experience and insight. [Watch now on YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n6lUutuZbzw). |
| World Mental Health Day: An Interactive Film To Help You Help Young People | The National Institute for Health and Care Research (NIHR) Applied Research Collaboration Greater Manchester (ARC-GM), Made by Mortals and the NIHR Greater Manchester Patient Safety Research Collaboration (GM PSRC) have launched a new and free, online interactive film on World Mental Health Day (10th October).    The ‘Hidden: Adam’s Story’ film and resource have been developed to support discussions around mental health for young people, through exploring young people's mental health issues from the perspective of a young person affected by mental health illness, whilst also looking into the impacts on their siblings, mothers and keyworkers. [Watch the film now on their website.](https://www.madebymortals.org/hidden-adams-story-an-interactive-film-to-help-you-help-young-people/) |
| PEP Network Event: Producing Video Assets | In this event, hosted by the NCCPE's public engagement professionals network (PEP network), Nicolette Fox and Barry J Gibb, explore how video assets can be used as a way of sharing engagement work. [Watch the talk on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLYcs8HLnX9glh56CXNPP-fQka2Zna21yd) |
| We Dance for Life - A creative film interpreting scientific concepts | Mariana Campos (Public Engagement Manager, The Institute of Cancer Research) shares their fantastically creative film, We Dance for Life. The film showcases choreographed dance sequences as creative yet recognisable interpretations of scientific concepts. [Watch the film on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qgdvj96gtQU) |
| Creative Conversations for Responsible Innovation | Mireia Bes Garica, (Public Engagement Associate, Life Sciences and Health Sciences from The University of Bristol) was recently interviewed by the Bassetti Foundation alongside creative partner Oliver Langdon from Kilter Theatre.  They discuss theatre and Responsible Research and Innovation, as well as a new toolkit they have developed to help facilitate Creative Conversations for Responsible Innovation. [Watch the interview on Vimeo.](https://vimeo.com/843212965) |
| Dr. Ellen Poliakoff - Parkinson’s from inside out: emerging and unexpected benefits of a long-term partnership | The School of Health Sciences (SHS) are running a seminar series throughout the year, serving as a platform to promote integration of social responsibility, equality, diversity and inclusion in their research and teaching endeavours.  The first talk of the series was held by Dr. Ellen Poliakoff, discussing her long-lasting PPIE partnership in Parkinson's Disease. [Watch the talk on their website.](https://video.manchester.ac.uk/embedded/ffffffff-f04b-8833-0000-018b8ab464c0) |
| Why Inclusion Matters | In this film, Sophie Duncan, Co-director of the National Coordinating Centre for Public Engagement, considers inclusion alongside three speakers, Fay Scott, Louise Archer and Jude Fransman, who have dedicated their work to building inclusive practices. [Watch the film on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L5_id1j8SVY) |
| One Community Forum Civic Engagement Toolkit webinar | The Civic University Network, joined by Student Hubs and the University Partnerships Programme (UPP), was delighted to host the One Community Forum Webinar, a forum for bridging gaps between students, universities and the community. [Watch the webinar on their website.](https://civicuniversitynetwork.co.uk/student-civic-engagement/) |
| Engage Online Conference 2023 - Futures of Engaged Research Plenary | The recently held 2023 Engage Online Conference explored provocations from leaders in public and community engagement, input into NCCPE’s State of the Sector work and how universities can fulfill their social purpose.  In their Future of Engaged Research Plenary, Jaideep Gupte, AHRC’s Director of Research, Strategy and Innovation and a panel of people deeply invested in engagement, discussed their motivations for engagement and considered what futures could be possible. [Watch the plenary on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8AOqig4EVGY&list=PLYcs8HLnX9gkd9QWqVUkzO9IT9n7ZttEi) |
| Nazir Afzal on challenging myths about 'hard to reach' communities | In his talk with New Local, Former Chief Crown Prosecutor for North West England and Chancellor at the University, Nazir Afzal OBE shares stories, insight, and inspiration from his incredible career including – why you have to meet communities where they are, why we should challenge the idea of ‘hard to reach’, and how he persuaded the government to act on honour killings. [Watch the talk on YouTube.](https://creator.communigator.co.uk/editor/%7BContent/CampaignURL%7D/lz.aspx?p1=%7bContent/EMailLink%7d%7bContent/CampaignCode%7d&w=153233) |
| Whitworth debate - 'Culture of care or culture of concern: let’s debate animal research' | The video from a groundbreaking debate on animal research held at the University of Manchester’s Whitworth Hall has been published. Some of the leading thinkers on different sides of the debate around the topic spoke to staff and students. [Watch the debate on our website.](https://www.socialresponsibility.manchester.ac.uk/all-news/whitworth-debate-on-animal-research-video/) |
| Open Research Webinar 2 - 'From Tokenism to Collaboration: Reflections on engaging with co-production and collaboration with communities beyond the institute', with Dr Ola Demkowicz | During this webinar, Dr Ola Demkowicz from The University of Manchester discusses co-production with young people, reflecting on her recent INSIGHT project, as well as sharing practical tips for your co-produced projects. [Watch the webinar on YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6drpDNqdgGs). |
| Talk 200 – Inaugural lecture by Professor Sir Chris Whitty sheds light on health inequalities | Professor Sir Chris Whitty, Chief Medical Officer for England and the UK government’s Chief Medical Adviser, recently delivered a lecture titled “Health Inequalities past, present, and future” as part of Talk 200, The University of Manchester’s bicentenary lecture and podcast series.  In this talk, he explored the drivers of health disparities, their evolution over time, and why addressing them remains a major public health priority. Whitty highlighted The University of Manchester’s significant contributions to understanding health inequalities, particularly in epidemiology and cancer treatment. [Watch the lecture on our website](https://www.manchester.ac.uk/discover/bicentenary/talk-200/). |
| Five Flash Talks on the Practices of Science Communication | This flash talk session was part of the November 2023 Japan SciCom Forum at the Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology (OIST). Talk titles include: Designing STEM Escape Rooms for Public Engagement, Collaborative Approaches for Cancer Control: Bridging the Gap Between Science and Society, SciCom and Society: The Role of Creative Writing, Building Community with the Japan SciCom Forum Socials, Visiting Programs: Sparking Interdisciplinary Collaboration and Outreach. [Watch the recording on YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-4uA9OH0tiE). |
| Sustainable Futures Seminar Series | In January, Sustainable Futures held the first 2024 iteration of their monthly online seminar series. In this edition, environmental sustainability projects at the University and the role of sustainability in project delivery capabilities in government were discussed. Chaired by Dr Stephen Lowe, the seminar included two talks from Dr Maggy Fostier and Dr Richard Kirkham, both researchers at the University. [Watch the seminar on their website.](https://new.express.adobe.com/webpage/ABEchNKi42Gfk) |
| FBMH International Women's Day 2024 with Professor Olive Mugenda - Navigating Women's Challenges in the Workplace | As part of our International Women’s Day (IWD) 2024 celebrations, the Faculty was honoured to be joined by the extra-ordinary Professor Olive Mugenda, Chairperson of the Kenyatta University Teaching Referral & Research Hospital (KUTRRH).  Olive took the audience on a personal and heartfelt journey, recounting the challenges she has faced as both a woman and leader from her early childhood and throughout her professional career in the education, health, judicial and private sectors. [Watch the recording on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fRRwWxjicUM) |
| Jamie Gallagher answers questions about careers in science communication | Science Communicator and Engagement Trainer Dr Jamie Gallagher answers questions about working in Science Communication. [Watch the recording on YouTube.](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LgCiDZt0njg) |
| Open Research Week 2024 - round up and recordings | Open Research Week 2024 is a collaboration between University of Liverpool, Liverpool John Moores University, Edge Hill University, and the University of Essex. A week that celebrates and promotes open research for researchers and colleagues who support open research. Whilst some sessions are UK-focused, others will be of interest to colleagues around the world. This year’s programme included sessions on citizen science, research culture and open research in Europe.  The recordings of all the sessions have been made available below and in their data repository. [Access the recordings on their website.](https://ljmuresearchsupport.wordpress.com/2024/03/11/open-research-week-2024-round-up-and-recordings/) |
| Participatory approaches for teaching science communication webinar | Science communication is being taught around the world, from a single course or module to a full programme of one or two years. Science communication itself increasingly becomes an activity in which publics actively engage and interact; this approach is often reflected in the way in which science communication is taught  In this webinar hosted by the Network for the Public Communication of Science and Technology (PCST Network), three speakers presented about their teaching experiences with engaging audiences. [Watch the webinar on their website.](https://www.pcst.network/webinar-participatory-approaches-for-teaching-science-communication/) |
| Manchester 10/10 TED Talk: Black Students Driving the Conversations About Their Experience | The University's Manchester 10/10 programme is a collaborative student-staff project designed to empower and build a sense of belonging for Black/Black-mixed undergraduate students through tailored events and opportunities.    They recently hosted a TED talk event to challenge and inspire students’ ideas. From speeches about celebrating black excellence to insightful poems about Black identity and overcoming barriers like imposter syndrome, six student speakers, currently on our M10/10 Black Leadership Programme, delivered powerful and thought-provoking talks that ignited discussion amongst the 75-plus students in attendance.    [Watch the talks on YouTube.](https://creator.communigator.co.uk/editor/%7BContent/CampaignURL%7D/lz.aspx?p1=%7bContent/EMailLink%7d%7bContent/CampaignCode%7d&w=168835) |
| The University's Annual Making a Difference Awards | This year, the University celebrated 10 years of the Making a Difference awards, where the inspiring social responsibility achievements of our staff, students, alumni and external partners are recognised. Our social responsibility activity spans everything from research, teaching, working with external partners and our University operations.    The Awards highlight the extensive range of social responsibility initiatives of our University community and includes categories such as benefit to society through research; widening participation; environmental sustainability and equality, diversity and inclusion.    Over 120 entries were submitted this year with judges recognising 17 winners and 22 highly commended. The Faculty of Biology, Medicine and Health faired very well, securing four winners and seven highly recommended awards. You can read about the full list of winners and highly commended on our [website.](https://creator.communigator.co.uk/editor/%7BContent/CampaignURL%7D/lz.aspx?p1=%7bContent/EMailLink%7d%7bContent/CampaignCode%7d&w=168823)    [Watch the recording of the award ceremony on YouTube](https://creator.communigator.co.uk/editor/%7BContent/CampaignURL%7D/lz.aspx?p1=%7bContent/EMailLink%7d%7bContent/CampaignCode%7d&w=168828)[.](https://creator.communigator.co.uk/editor/%7BContent/CampaignURL%7D/lz.aspx?p1=%7bContent/EMailLink%7d%7bContent/CampaignCode%7d&w=168836) |
| Universally Manchester Festival live streamed event recordings | Missed out on watching our Universally Manchester Festival events in person? Fear not – we recorded our live streamed events, and you can catch up on some of our most popular talks below, including:     * Reflections on the history and future of television      * Immune boosting? Fact or fiction with Sheena Cruikshank      * Talk 200: The limits of equality - access to justice and scandal with University Chancellor, Nazir Afzal OBE     [Watch the recordings on our website.](https://creator.communigator.co.uk/editor/%7BContent/CampaignURL%7D/lz.aspx?p1=%7bContent/EMailLink%7d%7bContent/CampaignCode%7d&w=168831) |
| Social responsibility stories in 60 seconds: June/July 2024 | June has been a very busy month for social responsibility at the University. Watch our short video on [YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2CPJy5h0Wqs) to find out about our social responsibility highlights from the month. |
| Teenage Kicks - exhibition explores the everyday lives of teenage girls in the sixties | Findings from a major new study of teenage girlhood in the 1960s and 1970s have been turned into an exhibition at the University’s National Graphene Institute and a series of videos have been produced.  Professor Penny Tinkler led the Girlhood and Later Life project, interviewing women now in their seventies and eighties about their teenage experiences, growing up in Britain between 1954 and 1976 and how they had shaped their lives in the decades that followed.  [Visit our website to watch the stories](https://sites.manchester.ac.uk/girlhood-and-later-life/teenage-kicks/videos/). |