

# Welcome to MSAS

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# Today

11.00 – 12:00 Welcome to MSAS

12.00 – 13.00 **Course Introductions:**  
MSc Actuarial Science, and  
Year 1 of the International Master's Applied Act Sci  
MSc Data Science  
**Lunch break for others**

13.00 – 14.00 **Course Introductions:**  
MSc Applied Actuarial Science  
**Lunch break for others**

# Today

14.00 – 15.30 Coffee, then Meet your Academic Advisor (CCLT1)

15.30 – 16.30 Mathematical Sciences and You (CCLT1)

# Tomorrow

11.00 – 11.00 Boost Your Employability

11.30 – 12.30 Women in STEM

# Across the University

- Many, many events!

[www.kent.ac.uk/welcome/whats-on](http://www.kent.ac.uk/welcome/whats-on)

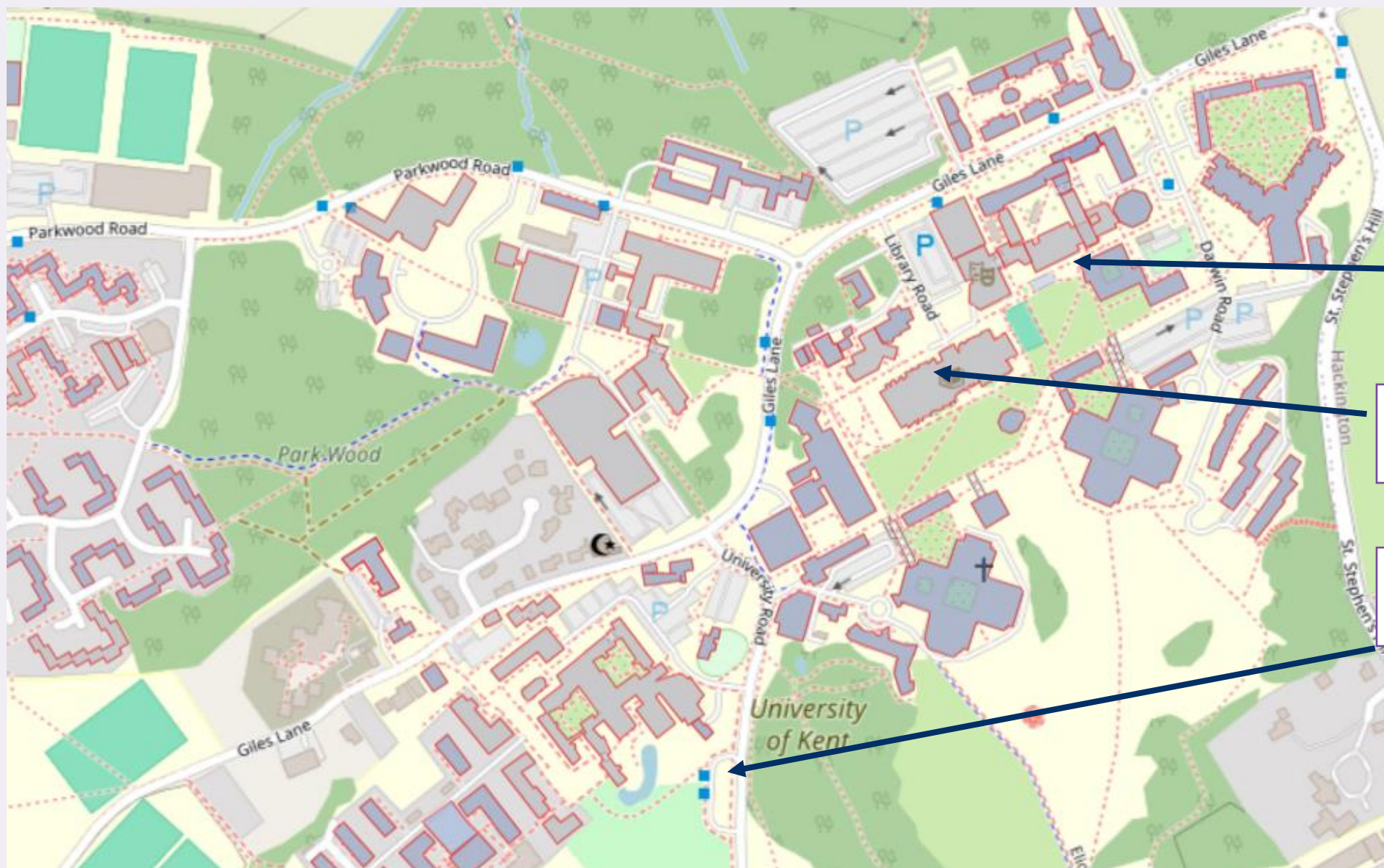
- Meet Kent Student Union (KSU)

<https://ksu.co.uk/>



- Welcome Fair (Clubs, Societies) Thursday and Friday, 10:00 - 16:00.

# Where are we?



Cornwallis South

Library, Nexus

Main bus stop



# Finding the teams that can help

There are lots of resources and people to help you as a student.  
If you have questions and are not sure where to start, then ask **Nexus**.



Start by checking the webpages - use the search tool at the top right to find the information you need - <https://student.kent.ac.uk/>



Visit a **Nexus Information Desk** if you need help finding information, need guidance or would like to speak to someone directly.



**Nexus** will get you in contact with the right team if you need individual advice and need to speak to someone privately.



**Nexus** will also get you in contact with more specialist services if you need specialist support or advice.

Need help? Ask Nexus 



**Get in contact:** Email, call, or drop-in and visit in Sibson building, Templeman Library, or Medway Building.

# Student Support & Wellbeing

## Wellbeing & Mental Health Support

Counselling, mental health advice, and emotional wellbeing guidance.

Confidential, non-judgmental support

## Disability & Health Support

Support for students with disabilities or long-term health conditions.

## Inclusive Learning Plans (ILPs)

Once registered with us, we'll work with you to create an ILP

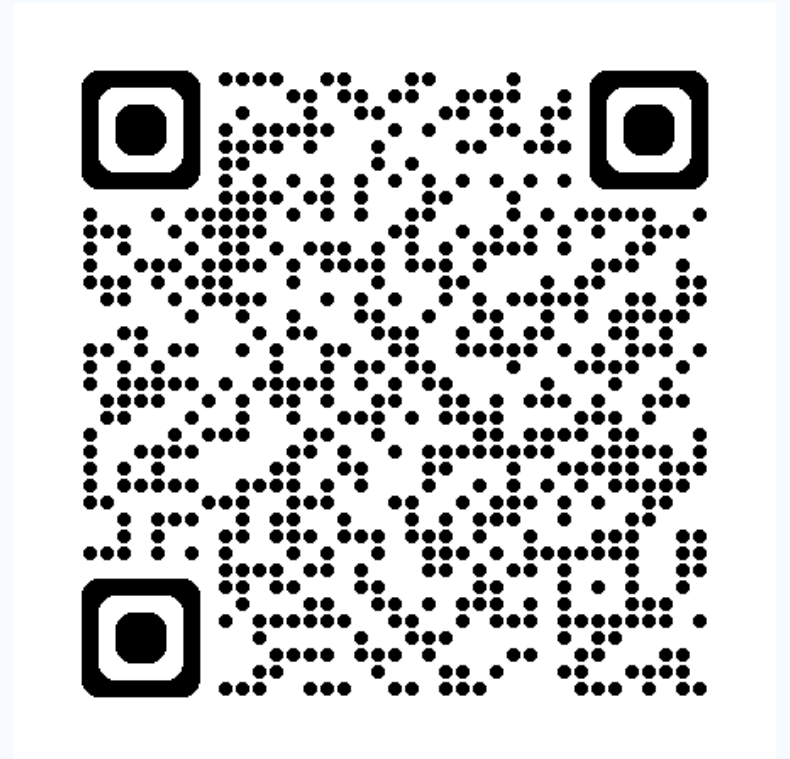
Includes reasonable adjustments for your studies and assessments.

Find out more about [Inclusive Learning Plans](#).

### Get in Touch

Visit: [Kent.ac.uk/student-support](https://kent.ac.uk/student-support)

✉ Email: [KentSSW@kent.ac.uk](mailto:KentSSW@kent.ac.uk)





# Engagement Support

**Feeling overwhelmed? Struggling with deadlines? Illness or injury?  
Missing home? These are just some of the things we can help with ...**

Personalised and individual advice and practical support.



If you are struggling to meet  
(or if you miss) a deadline.



If you are missing a lot of teaching and cannot attend  
and engage with your studies.



Help if you are finding it hard to navigate life at  
University.



If you have an issue and need to speak to someone.



If you are worried about another student, and want  
someone to check-in.



**Get in contact:** Email, call,  
meet on Teams or in-person  
by appointment, or drop-in  
and visit.

# Attempt, Attend, Achieve

- **Attempt:** Do all exercises, not only the ones on the assessments
- **Attend:** Make sure you attend all sessions, lectures, PC classes, problem classes and tutorials.
- **Achieve:** Assessed coursework contribute significantly to the overall mark of a module.

- **Engage:** AAA
- **Enjoy:** Really get to enjoy your subject of study
- **Employ:** Graduate with a good degree and have a fulfilling career

# Your Voice Matters

- Your feedback matters – it helps us improve the University.
- Share your views through **Student Reps**, who attend termly **Student Voice Forums** with staff.
- Reps raise themes and ideas **anonymously**, so your input is safe and valued.
- Together, Kent Union and the University work in partnership to act on feedback at **Subject, School, and Institutional levels**.
- Getting involved means you can shape your course, build community, and gain transferable skills – plus earn Employability Points and leadership experience.

👉 Speak to or **become** a Student Rep.



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# Opportunities for you

- **Course Representatives:**
  - helping us improve your course experience
- **University Ambassadors:**
  - open days, school visits, outreach activities, etc
- **Peer Mentors:**
  - supporting the learning of other students
- **Careers services:** Yasmin Dallow-Foreman  
<https://student.kent.ac.uk/careers>

**Friday at 11:00 in KLT1: EMP Employability session**



# BE INSPIRATIONAL, BE A **STUDENT AMBASSADOR.**

**Are you interested in sharing your  
experience and knowledge of  
university life with future students?**

Then why not get paid to help others and gain valuable  
experience by becoming a student ambassador?

Find out more and to apply



Stand for ambition



**Thank  
you.**

