

Annual Postgraduate Conference 2025

WEDNESDAY 25TH JUNE WEDNESDAY 25TH JUNE 2025

SIBSON BUILDING

Time	Activity	Location(s)
09.30 – 10.00	Arrival and Registration	Sibson Atrium
10.00 – 10.15	Welcome from the Director of the Graduate and Researcher College	Sibson Atrium
10.15 – 11.30	Research Talks (Part 1) School of Social Sciences – Yesu Kadiri, Informal Urbanism and Gendered Infrastructure in the Global South: Ethnography of a Basti in Hyderabad, India School of Engineering, Math's and Physics - Ferdous Khan, Smart Monitoring System for EV Batteries Kent Law School – Jessica Elias, How does the People's Tribunal for Gaza put International Law on trial? Justice, fast and slow School of Natural Sciences – TBC School of Humanities - Subhadip Mukherjee, Towards a Politics of 'Engaged Reading' through the Refugee Tales Project School of Computing - Andrew Swinn, Why Does Deep Learning Work?	Sibson Lecture Theatre 1
11:30 – 11:45	Morning Break	Sibson Atrium
11.45 – 13.00	Research Talks (Part 2) School of Arts and Architecture – Connor McClenan, Adapt, Collaborate, Reclaim: Autistics and Critical Adaptations of the Western Theatre Canon Kent Business School – TBC Medway School of Pharmacy – Gauri Thapa, Investigating the short and long-term health impact of long COVID Centre for Health Service Studies – Helen Bintley, Entangled Intersectional Complexity, Epistemic Violence and Minority Stress: A multi-institutional study of the lives of LGBTQ+ identifying medical students in the UK School of Psychology – Chloe Bates, Where I End and You Begin: Investigating the Malleability of Self-Other Representation Through Multimodal Cognitive Neuroscience Language Centre - Siham Ezzahid, The role of parents in enhancing child-centered care in hospitals: an analysis of communication based on survey, observation and interview data	Sibson Lecture Theatre 1
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch	Sibson Atrium
14.00 – 14.45	Schools of Social Sciences PGR Research Presentations	Sibson Lecture Theatre 1
	School of Engineering, Mathematics and Physics	Sibson Lecture Theatre 2

	AI at EMP - Lecture	
	Kent Law School Law and Critique: KLS PGR Panel	Seminar Room 2
	School of Arts and Architecture Creative Practices in the newly formed School of Arts and Architecture	Seminar Room 3
	School of Humanities Professional Development and Creating Community – Open Discussion	Seminar Room 5
	School of Natural Sciences Outreach: what is it, and how do you incorporate it into your research	Seminar Room 6
	Kent Business School Understanding Publishing and Getting Published – Open Discussion	MBA Suite
14:50 - 15:35	School of Engineering, Mathematics and Physics Growing with EMP: Career Insights – Lecture	Sibson Lecture Theatre 2
	Medway School of Pharmacy After the PhD, what? Four scientist share their divergent career stories in academia and beyond, after a PhD in STEM – Lecture and Panel Discussion	Sibson Lecture Theatre 3
	School of Social Sciences Shared spaces, shared goals: Exploring and enhancing the PGR community – workshop	Seminar Room 2
	School of Arts and Architecture Creative Practices in the newly formed School of Arts and Architecture	Seminar Room 3
	School of Natural Sciences Enhancing postgraduate wellbeing	Seminar Room 6
	School of Psychology Preparing for your Viva: Talking with Recent Graduates – Panel Discussion	Seminar Room 7
	Kent Business School Examining the Student-Supervisor Relationship: Building and Maintaining a Positive Connection	MBA Suite
15.45 – 16.30	Awards Ceremony and Drinks Reception	Sibson Atrium