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Celebration

School News





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- **Dean Guriev** joined the prestigious <u>Group of Thirty</u>.
- LBS celebrated its **60th anniversary**.
- Watch our <u>special 60th anniversary film</u> where Deans from the School's past and present reflect on LBS's remarkable journey.
- Gautam Gangoli SLN2019 has been appointed <u>Chief Operating Officer</u>
 reporting directly to Dean Sergei Guriev. He will play a key role in driving forward
 LBS's strategy and will be responsible for effective management of most nonacademic operations.
- LBS Honorary Doctor Daron Acemoglu received the <u>Nobel in Economics</u>.







School News

- LBS will be **establishing** <u>a corporate presence in Riyadh</u>, Saudi Arabia.
- **Plowden Building** is now open after a year of extensive renovations. Now a dynamic hub for teaching and learning, the building has been purposefully designed to support academic excellence, development and collaboration. The building is open 24/7, accessible via the Park Road Entrance or Central Quad.
- LBS is consistently ranked in all <u>top 10 FT Rankings</u>. Highlights include #1 in the world for our open Executive Education programmes, #1 in the world for our Masters in Finance post-experience programme, #3 Business School in Europe in Financial Times Ranking 2025, #7 in the world for our MBA.







Students

- In July **over 1,600 students** celebrated their <u>Congregation</u>, joining our alumni community in 160 countries across the globe.
- Meet the MBA class of 2026.
- **<u>Hire from LBS</u>**: The job market is particularly challenging for our students due to AI disruption, post-pandemic overhiring and rising competition. If you are looking for talent, please contact us at employers@london.edu

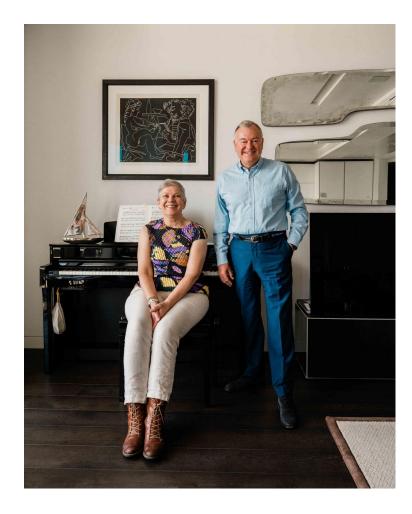






Forever Forward

- •As part of our <u>Forever Forward</u> campaign, LBS has received a transformational <u>£3 million gift</u> to establish the Dawson Chair in Strategy and Entrepreneurship from alumnus John Dawson MiFPT1995 and his wife Sam.
- •<u>SKYY Development</u> makes largest-ever donation to LBS from Japan with £2M gift. The donation establishes the SKYY Development Scholarship, to support talented individuals to pursue a variety of degree programmes at LBS.
- LBS welcomed <u>sixth intake of BK Birla Scholars</u>.
- •LBS welcomed its 100th Laidlaw scholar.







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- £250,000 grant received from **Garfield Weston Foundation**.
- Muna Al Gurg DLEMBA2009 Scholarship: Empowering women from the Middle East and North Africa.
- In just 24 hours on 19-20 March 2025, nearly 400 alumni, staff, faculty and friends raised an incredible £340,246 by donating to the <u>60th Give</u>, a giving day to support our impact on and through business into 'The Second Sixty.'
- <u>The Thread</u>, an installation celebrating leadership-level donors shaping the future of the School.







Faculty

- Professor Elias Papaioannou appointed to <u>Alexander Knaster</u>
 Chair in Economics.
- Professor Hélène Rey awarded prestigious <u>ERC research</u> grant.
- Pauphilet have been recognised by Poets & Quants (P&Q) in the 13th edition of its annual list of '40 Under 40 Best MBA Professors'.
- <u>Sir Andrew Likierman</u>, former Dean and Professor of Management Practice in Accounting published his latest book '<u>Judgement at Work: Making Better Choices</u>'.







Faculty

- <u>Society for Healthier, Longer Lives</u>, continues to attract significant attention and praise around the world.
- Dr Linda Yueh, Adjunct Professor of Economics, has become a Founding Fellow of the <u>Royal Economic Society</u> (RES).
- Professor Rajesh Chandy has been selected as a <u>2025 Fellow</u> of the <u>American Marketing Association</u>.
- Dr Ioannou, Associate Professor of Strategy and Entrepreneurship, recognised with <u>FT Responsible Business</u> <u>Education Award</u>.
- Professor of Management Practice Lynda Gratton joins <u>Thinkers50 Hall of Fame</u>.







Alumni

- As of July 2025, we are a **56,000 + alumni** network, working and living in **160 countries** around the world.
- In June, <u>Reunion at Festival of Minds 2025</u> brought together over **1,500 alumni** back to campus.
- Alumni from around the globe joined the School's 60th Anniversary celebration at Old Billingsgate.
- In March, over 300 alumni gathered for <u>Reunion for New</u> <u>Alumni (R4NA)</u>.







Alumni

- Building on success of last year's events the School held
 Middle East Conference and Alumni Reunion in Dubai 2025.
- **Forever Learning** continues to grow with over 200 alumni joining Discovery Circles, more than 100 elective spaces available to alumni, and a wide range of thought leadership and career development resources on offer.
- Alumni Insights Forum looking for new members. Share your opinions and help shape the future initiatives.
- As part of our lifelong learning commitment to alumni, we are proud to offer a 25% discount on all Executive Education programmes. Our portfolio includes renowned programmes such as the Senior Executive Programme (SEP) and the Accelerated Development Programme (ADP).

