

Alumni in memoriam

The University extends its sincere condolences to the friends and families of those listed below for whom we have received notification of death, since April 2024.

Mrs Margaret Hellier (née Johnson) (BSc 1942) died 12 August 2023, aged 102

Mr John Bedford (BSc 1944) died February 2025, aged 101

Miss Kathleen Allday (BSc 1945) (Dip 1946) died 2 June 2023, aged 98

Mr Maurice Maggs (BSc 1945) died 28 August 2023, aged 98

Mr Douglas Shields (BSc 1946) died 23 September 2024, aged 97

Mrs Vida Edwards (née Jenkins) (BSc 1947) died 2024

Dr Anthony Flint OBE (PhD 1948) died October 2024, aged 100

Mrs Sheila Simkins (née Hilyer) (BA 1948) (Dip 1949) died 12 June 2024, aged 96

Mr William Brunt (BSc 1949) died 16 November 2022, aged 94

Mrs Beryl White (née Browne) (BA 1949) died 12 February 2023, aged 94

Mr John Austin (BSc 1950) died 12 February 2024, aged 94

Mrs Ina Maynard-Smith (née Crohn) (BSc 1950) (Certificate of Education 1951) died 13 November 2023, aged 94

Mrs June Robinson (née Higgins) (BSc 1950) (Certificate of Education 1951) died 14 June 2024, aged 94

Dr Gordon Catford (MBChB 1951) died 17 February 2019, aged 91

Mr Paul Chadd (LLB 1951) died 2024, aged 93

Mr Alan Barnfield (BSc 1952) died 24 December 2024, aged 95

Mr Anthony Carter (BSc 1952) died 21 January 2022, aged 90

Dr Anne Christie (MBChB 1952) died 14 October 2022, aged 94

Mrs Anne Richards (née Gross) (BA 1952) died October 2023, aged 92

Professor Ronald Sellwood (MBChB 1952) (ChM 1967)

Mr Keith Brownlie (BSc 1953)

Mr John Daines (BSc 1953) died 21 September 2024, aged 92

Dr Denis Goldring (BSc 1953) (PhD 1957)

Mr Patrick House (BSc 1953) died 7 July 2023, aged 93

Mr Brian Leverton (BSc 1953) died 1 July 2024, aged 94

Dr Aubrey Matthews (BSc 1953) (PhD 1957) died November 2023, aged 92

Professor Michael Sleight (BSc 1953) (PhD 1956) (DSc 1974) died 17 February 2025, aged 92

Mr James Alves (BA 1954) died 6 September 2023, aged 91

Mr Roger Brehaut (BSc 1954) died 8 March 2024, aged 92

Mr Peter Corn (LLB 1954) died 20 July 2024, aged 92

Mrs Teresa Davies (née Vale) (BA 1954) died 26 September 2023, aged 90

Dr Jacques Ehretsmann (BSc 1954) (PhD 1957)

Mr David Giles (BSc 1954) died 2024, aged 91

Mr Lionel Hemsley (BSc 1954) died 22 July 2024, aged 91

Professor Raymond Hills (BSc 1954) died 17 May 2023, aged 89

Dr Roger Stobbart (BSc 1954) (PhD 1958) died 7 March 2024, aged 90

Dr Donald Thomson (MBChB 1954)

Mr Max Buckmaster (BA 1955) (Certificate of Education 1958)

Mr Michael Gibson (BSc 1955) died 19 July 2024, aged 90

Mr Leslie Gwilliams (BA 1955) (Certificate of Education 1956) died October 2024, aged 91

Mrs Audrey Harry Evans (née Meyrick) (BA 1955) died 21 October 2024, aged 91

Dr John Howell (MBChB 1955) died 23 March 2024, aged 93

Dr Roy Hunt (BSc 1955) (PhD 1959) died 31 December 2023, aged 89

Mr Sydney Oldham (BSc 1955) died 11 February 2024, aged 92

Mr John Sutton (BSc 1955) died 26 December 2024, aged 90

Mr Hubert Thomas (LLB 1955) died 19 April 2024, aged 89

Mrs Angela Alves (née Cope) (BA 1956) died 5 March 2016

Mr Gillies Childs (BSc 1956)

Mrs Kathleen Dee (née Gilhespie) (BA 1956) died February 2024, aged 90

Mr John Drew (BA 1956) died 25 March 2024, aged 88

Dr Stephen Jordan (MBChB 1956) (MD 1967) died 29 October 2024, aged 91

Mr Geoffrey Sharpe (BDS 1956) died 6 June 2024, aged 90

Dr Pauline Waters (née Haswell) (MBChB 1956) died 26 December 2024, aged 91

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Mr Peter Burgess (BSc 1957) died January 2024, aged 90

Miss Patricia Cleverley (BA 1957) (Certificate of Education 1958) died 7 September 2024, aged 89

Mr Christopher Collinson (BSc 1957)

The Rev Mr Alfred Graham (BA 1957) died 22 January 2024, aged 89

The Rev Mr Basil Rogers (BSc 1957) (Certificate of Education 1960) died November 2023, aged 87

Professor John Silcox (BSc 1957) died 25 April 2024, aged 88

Dr David Skevington (BSc 1957) died 2 October 2024, aged 88

Mr Michael Askew (BSc 1958) (PGCE 1959) died 19 December 2021, aged 86

Mr Roger Butterick (BSc 1958) died 19 August 2023, aged 87

Mr Hon Dudley Eustace (BA 1958) died 11 July 2024, aged 88

Mrs Christine Gorman (née Wilson) (BA 1958) died 27 April 2024, aged 87

Mr Reginald Harvey (BSc 1958) died 18 March 2024, aged 88

Dr Graham Hill (BSc 1958) (PhD 1962) died November 2024, aged 88

Mr Malcolm Jacobs (BSc 1958) (Certificate of Education 1959) died 2024, aged 87

Miss Hilary Lillford (BSc 1958) (Certificate of Education 1959)

Mr Michael Upstone (BSc 1958) died 3 March 2024, aged 88

Mr Richard Webb (BSc 1958) died 8 November 2023, aged 86

Mr Joseph Bainbridge (BSc 1959) died 16 November 2023, aged 88

Mr Herbert Beattie (BSc 1959) died 30 April 2024, aged 86

Miss Isabelle Du Pre (BA 1959) died 25 October 2024, aged 85

Mr Anthony Franks (BA 1959) died 17 April 2024, aged 86

Mr Francis Legroux (BA 1959) died 17 June 2024, aged 86

Miss Madeline Partridge (BSc 1959) (Certificate of Education 1960) died 8 April 2024, aged 86

Dr George (Syd) Tune (BA 1959) (PhD 1962) died 10 February 2025, aged 89

Dr John Woolley (BSc 1959) (LLD 2005) (Fellow 2014) died December 2025, aged 90

Mr Ronald Cockitt (Certificate of Education 1960)

Mrs Tessa Dare (née Randall) (BA 1960) (Certificate of Education 1961) died 17 February 2024, aged 85

Dr William Fong (PhD 1960) (DSc 1973) died 18 January 2024, aged 92

Dr Michael Gladstone (BSc 1960) (PhD 1964)

Dr Margaret Homeyer (née Roberts) (MSc 1960) died 2021, aged 87

Dr Janet Mordue (BSc 1960) died 2 June 2023, aged 87

Mrs Celia Strong (née Wells) (BSc 1960) died 2025, aged 86

Mrs Gill Wotton (née Styles) (BSc 1960) died 11 December 2024, aged 85

Mr Charles Briggs (BSc 1961) died 14 April 2024, aged 84

Mr Robert Graham (BA 1961) died 5 June 2022, aged 82

Mr Paul Herbert (BSc 1961) died 5 June 2024, aged 84

Mr Arthur Isherwood (BSc 1961) died 10 January 2025, aged 87

Miss Margaret Nicholson (BA 1961) died 21 June 2023, aged 83

Mr Keith Parker (BSc 1961) died 2024, aged 84

Mr Ian Stratford (BSc 1961) died 3 April 2024, aged 84

Mr John Bardner (BA 1962) died May 2024, aged 84

Mr Michael Barnes (BSc 1962)

Dr Alan Farrington (BSc 1962) (PhD 1966) died 18 September 2024, aged 83

Dr David Lush (MBChB 1962)

Mr Robert Maggs (BA 1962) died 23 November 2023, aged 83

Dr Bernard Mason (MBChB 1962) died February 2025, aged 89

Mr Norman Mitchell BEM (BSc 1962) (MSc 1966) died 28 June 2024, aged 83

Mr David Newby (BSc 1962) died 4 October 2021, aged 80

Mr Roger Prangnell (BSc 1962) died 18 September 2024, aged 84

Mr Robert Tompkins (BSc 1962) died 2 November 2024, aged 83

Ms Susan Craggs (BSc 1963)

Dr Alison Edwards (née Fuller) (MBChB 1963) died 24 March 2023, aged 84

Brigadier Dr Robin Garnett OBE (BSc 1963) (MBChB 1966) died 21 March 2024, aged 82

Mr John Halliwell (BSc 1963) died 24 January 2024, aged 83

Mrs Diana Hughes (née Russell) (BSc 1963) died 2024, aged 83

Mr Philip Mogridge (BSc 1963) died 14 April 2024, aged 82

Professor Michael Ruse (BA 1963) (PhD 1970) died 1 November 2024, aged 84

Dr Martin Seah MBE (BSc 1963) (PhD 1966)

Mr Arthur Simmonds (BA 1963) (Certificate of Education 1964) died 12 March 2024, aged 81

Ms Ann Tait (BA 1963) died August 2024, aged 83

Mr David Ball (BSc 1964) died 6 July 2023, aged 80

Brigadier Geoffrey Durrant CBE (BSc 1964)

Mr Wyn Evans (BDS 1964) died 11 April 2023, aged 81

Mr David Harding (BSc 1964) died 31 January 2023, aged 79

Mr David Williams (BSc 1964) (PhD 1969) died 26 October 2024, aged 81

Dr Julian Chadwick (BSc 1965) (PhD 1969) died 20 December 2024, aged 80

Professor Anthony Crook CBE (BA 1965) died 2024, aged 80

Dr Thomas Gaisser (MSc 1965) died 20 February 2022, aged 81

Mrs Marian Hewett (née Sherwood) (BA 1965) died 10 February 2023, aged 80

Mr John Morgan-Jones (BSc 1965) died 9 June 2024, aged 80

Professor Krityunjai Sinha (PhD 1965) died 23 January 2023, aged 93

Mr Peter Bild (BA 1966) died 13 May 2024, aged 80

Mr Rainer Hackemann (BDS 1966) died 26 August 2019, aged 76

Dr Clare Haslegrave (BSc 1966) died March 2024, aged 78

Mrs Ruth Hursey (née Peck) (BSc 1966) (Certificate of Education 1967) died 15 April 2023

Ms Monica Giles (BSc 1967) died 16 May 2024, aged 78

Mrs Pauline Hackemann (née Griffiths) (BA 1967) died 13 June 2023, aged 78

Mr David Holloway (BSc 1967) died January 2025, aged 80

Mr Roger Lowe (BSc 1967) (Certificate of Education 1968) died 6 January 2024, aged 77

Mr John Price (BSc 1967) died 16 March 2024, aged 86

Mr John Shave (BSc 1967) died 20 August 2024, aged 78

The Rev Mr Laurence Turner (BA 1967) died October 2023, aged 88

Mr Nigel Bryant (BSc 1968) died 25 June 2024, aged 78

Dr Richard Glover (BDS 1968) died 29 June 2024, aged 79

The Rev Geoffrey Scarlett (BA 1968) (MA 1969) died 29 February 2024, aged 82

Mr Malcolm Van Biervliet D’overbroeck (BA 1968)

Miss Christine Webb (BA 1968) died 26 June 2024, aged 77

Mr Wade Armstrong (BA 1969) died 1 March 2025, aged 76

Mr Norman Beddington (BA 1969) died 26 December 2024, aged 76

Mr Christopher Bell (BDS 1969) died 18 June 2023, aged 77

Mr Graham Blyth (BSc 1969) died 22 October 2024, aged 76

Mr William Browse (BDS 1969)

Dr David Bullimore (BSc 1969) (MBChB 1972) died 2024, aged 76

Dr Ronald Ford (MBChB 1969)

Dr Russell Gilbert (BSc 1969) died 2023, aged 75

Mr J Miskin (BSc 1969)

Dr Colin Wilson (BSc 1969) (MSc 1970) died 27 January 2025, aged 77

Mr Peter Harvey (BA 1970) died 5 June 2024, aged 75

Mr Patrick Semple (Dip 1970) died 2024, aged 79

Mr Alan Wrightson (BSc 1970) died 26 February 2019, aged 69

Mr Graham Baines (Certificate 1971) died 9 April 2024, aged 99

Dr Stephen Lowrie (BSc 1971) (PhD 1975) died January 2025, aged 74

Mr Derek Zeitlin (BSc 1971) died 5 January 2024, aged 73

Mr Filip Henley (BA 1972) (Dip 1974) died May 2024, aged 73

In memoriam

Dr Philip Jones (BSc 1972) (PhD 1978) died 25 June 2023, aged 73

The Rev William Pridie (BEd 1972) died 2023, aged 74

Dr Hugh Silvey (MBChB 1972) died 26 December 2022, aged 73

Mr William Sprigge (BSc 1972) died 27 October 2024, aged 73

Mrs Brenda Turl (née Jones) (BSc 1972)

Mr David Woodward (LLB 1972) died March 2024, aged 74

Dr John Beard (PhD 1973)

Mr Clive Hilton (BSc 1973)

Mr Michael Leary (BSc 1974) died 22 March 2024, aged 71

Mrs Fiona Shore (née MacDonald) (BA 1974) (Certificate of Education 1975) died 22 January 2024, aged 70

Dr Antony Boycott (MBChB 1975) died 7 June 2024, aged 67

Mrs Julie Cocks (née Humphreys) (BA 1975) died December 2022

Mr John Hazelton (MLitt 1975) died 8 January 2025, aged 89

Ms Katherine McCallum (LLB 1975) died 2024, aged 71

Mr Mark Pedlingham (BSc 1975)

Mr Jonathan Pegler FCA (BSc 1975) died 13 May 2024, aged 70

Mr Gordon Le Pard (BSc 1976)

Dr Stephen Lyne (BSc 1976) (PhD 1990) died 28 September 2024, aged 70

Mr Trevor Coulter (BSc 1977) died 26 September 2023, aged 67

Mr John Smith (BEd 1977) died 1 April 2023, aged 89

Miss Judith Williams (Certificate of Education 1977) (BEd 1979) died December 2023, aged 67

Mr Ian Barlow (BA 1978) (Dip 1981) died April 2024, aged 66

Dr Perry Clark (MEd 1978) (PhD 1987)

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Mr Stephen Peliza (MSc 1978)

Major Nicholas Thompson

(BSc 1978) died 3 February 2024, aged 71

Mr William Brady (BDS 1979)

died 2024, aged 74

Dr Barbara Cresswell (née Felton)

(MBChB 1979) died 6 June 2022, aged 66

Mrs Rosemary Davidson

(née Brown) (Dip 1979) (MEd 1983) died 20 October 2022, aged 85

Professor Nigel Eastman

(MBChB 1979) died 18 February 2022, aged 76

Mr Stephen Edwards (BSc 1979)

died 9 November 2024, aged 66

Professor Andrew (John) Hibbert

(BSc 1979) died 11 December 2024, aged 66

Professor Niall Logan (PhD 1979)

died 3 October 2024, aged 70

Mr Philip Paine (BSc 1979)

died 3 August 2023, aged 65

Miss Anne Pollard (Dip 1980)

(MEd 1983) died December 2023, aged 79

Professor Howard Robbins

Landon (Honorary DMus 1981) died 20 November 2009, aged 83

Mr Christopher Loten (BSc 1982)

died 14 March 2022, aged 60

Dr Ian Wiseman (PhD 1982)

died 6 February 2025, aged 68

Dr Philip Attwool (BSc 1983)

(PhD 1987) died September 2023, aged 61

Dr Mark Deans (BSc 1983)

died 5 January 2022, aged 59

Mr Edward Marsden (BSc 1983)

died January 2021, aged 60

Dr Kenneth Primrose (BSc 1983)

died February 2024, aged 62

Mr Andrew Davey (BSc 1985)

Mr Jeremy Grout-Smith

(LLM 1985)

Dr Fergus Macgregor (BSc 1985)

(PhD 1990) died 6 November 2024, aged 60

Mrs Trudy Harrison (née Staples)

(LLB 1987) died 1 October 2022, aged 56

Mr Martyn Carter (MEd 1988)

died February 2024

Mr Ronald Russell (MSc 1988)

died 2021, aged 87

Mr Victor Broadbent (MEd 1989)

died 2 December 2023, aged 86

Mr Jonathan Sydenham

(BSc 1990) died 24 July 2023, aged 56

Miss Janet Nickless

(Certificate 1991) died 14 November 2023, aged 75

Mr Martin Davies FSA

(Honorary MA 1993) died 6 June 2023

Mr Joseph Saumarez Smith

(BSc 1993)

Dr Amanda Hopkins

(MA 1994) (PhD 2000)

Mr Andrew Spark (MSc 1994)

died 13 December 2016, aged 49

Dr Peter Clement (PhD 1995)

died 23 October 2023, aged 76

Mrs Deryn Jordan (née Tucker)

(BSc 1997) died January 2024, aged 72

Mrs Sara Hetherington (née

Chambers) (Certificate 1998)

(MSc 2008)

Dr Megerssa Yadeta (EdD 1998)

Mrs Veronica Rodriguez

(Advanced Diploma in Education 1999) died September 2014, aged 60

Mr Michael Windo (MBA 1999)

died 4 December 2022, aged 72

Mrs Joyce Schaffer (née Gill)

(MA 2000)

Mr Roger Stanbridge (MSc 2000)

Mr Merlyn Gully (MA 2001) died 19 December 2023, aged 85

Miss Daniela Bowker

(BA 2002) died 2024, aged 45

Mr Neil Cundale (BSc 2003)

died October 2023, aged 41

Dr Hugh Boulter (PhD 2004)

died 28 June 2020, aged 80

Mrs Angela Lord (BA 2004)

(MA 2008) died 18 June 2024, aged 85

Mr Joseph Santini (MSc 2004)

Mr Alexander Legroux (BA 2005)

Mr Neel Gorasia (BA 2006)

died 16 November 2024, aged 40

Mrs Joyce Bishop (née Upton)

(MSc 2008) died 15 September 2024, aged 87

Mr Christopher Didcote

(BSc 2008) died 30 December 2024, aged 38

Mr Joe Gibson (MSc 2009)

died August 2023, aged 36

Dr James Foulds (LLD 2010)

Dr Christopher Fifield (PhD 2011)

died Jan 2025, aged 79

Mr Richard Bradley (MA 2014)

died May 2022, aged 68

Dr Ann Rippin (EdD 2014)

Miss Gaia Young (BA 2017)

died 2021, aged 25

Miss Amy Murdoch-Davis

(BSc 2023) died June 2024, aged 32

Mr Yiyang Su (CertHE 2023)

died 21 June 2024, aged 21

Friends of the University

Mr John Daniel died

5 February 2025, aged 89

Miss Mira Maini (Withdrew)

died 2024, aged 49