

# LSE

## Advising the Advisers

Supporting your students through the university application process

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# **Welcome to LSE**

# what is **LSE?**



- London School of Economics **and Political Science**
- Dedicated social science institution
- Founded in 1895
- A college of the federal University of London
- 10,451 students; 47% undergraduate; 53% female; 52% from outside the UK
- 'LSE LIFE' and extensive student support

# meet the departments



42 undergraduate degrees in:

- Accounting
- Anthropology
- Economic History
- Economics
- Finance
- Geography & Environment
- Government
- History
- International Relations
- Languages
- Law
- Management
- Mathematics
- Philosophy
- Social Policy
- Social Psychology
- Sociology
- Statistics

# research impact



- Why do some societies experience regular revolutions while others remain relatively stable?
- Children with special needs are far less likely than their peers to be admitted to reception classes in primary schools where they attended pre-school.
- Councils across the UK are using a wide range of measures to deal with the nuisance posed by urban gulls.
- Jet lag deters tourists more than geographical distance.
- Densely built cities are economically efficient but lead to higher levels of inequality.
- A new digital currency would facilitate cross-border payments between Israel and the West Bank.

# beyond LSE



- **LSE Careers** – [lse.ac.uk/careers](https://lse.ac.uk/careers)
  - Outstanding programme of events, exclusive jobs and opportunities, one-to-one careers consultations and skills development
- 94% of leavers from 2015/16 were working, studying or doing something else six months after graduation
- 32% of undergraduates were pursuing further study after graduating
- £30,000 average starting salary for graduates working full-time in UK
- Top four employer industries for LSE undergraduates are:
  - banking and finance
  - government and politics
  - education and teaching
  - consultancy

# What we offer



## **For prospective students:**

- Open Days
- Campus Tours
- Student Shadowing
- Taster Courses
- Student Blogs and Videos
- Widening Participation and outreach activities

## **For teachers:**

- Regular teacher e-updates
- Admissions Advice
- Visits to schools and colleges
- Group visits to LSE
- Webinars
- Advancing Access



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# meet the speakers



Elaine Brown

Admissions Specialist

Alex Ingold

Undergraduate Admissions Manager

Sarah Mak

Admissions Specialist

Debbie Nicholls

Admissions Specialist

Sue Plater

Financial Support Manager

Paul Paluch-Edwards

Admissions Specialist

Rosie Pethica

Widening Participation



# Programme



- 10.15am **Applying to a competitive university:**  
LSE's Admissions Policies and Processes
- 10.45am **Student finance**
- 11.10am **Networking break**
- 11.30am **Workshop 1**
- The Personal Statement – Sheikh Zayed Theatre
  - The Teacher's Reference – Wolfson Theatre
- 12.45pm **Lunch**
- 1.30pm **Life at LSE** – Niamh Roberts and Deborah Afolabi
- 2.00pm **Workshop 2**
- The Personal Statement – Sheikh Zayed Theatre
  - The Teacher's Reference – Wolfson Theatre
- 3.15pm Evaluations and close



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POLITICAL SCIENCE ■

**Enjoy your day!**