



Department of  
**Mathematics**

## News Archive

**September 2019 – August 2020**



### October 2019: LSE100 Prize

We are so proud to hear that Alexander Garland, one of our third year undergraduate students, received an LSE100 award for his excellent work and commitment to interdisciplinary learning in LSE100 in 2018/19. Congratulations Alexander!

### November 2019: LSE Excellence in Education Awards



We are very happy to announce that eight of our lecturers and class teachers have been awarded the [LSE Excellence in Education Award!](#) Congratulations to [Peter Allen](#), [Sally Barton](#), [Julia Boettcher](#), [Pavel Gapeev](#), [Siri Kouletsis](#), [Jozef Skokan](#), [Luitard Veraart](#) and [James Ward](#) - we are very proud of you!



### December 2019: Academic Prize Winners

#### Ailsa Land Prize

This is the second year we are awarding the Ailsa Land prize for the best overall performance by a student on the MSc Operations Research & Analytics. The winner for 2018/19 is **Yuzhou Qiu**. Congratulations! [For more information on the prize and on Ailsa Land, please see here.](#)

#### Haya Freedman Prize

Congratulations to our joint winners **Milad Avazbeigi** (left) and **Philipp Sterzinger** (right) for winning the Haya Freedman Prize. The prize is awarded annually for the best dissertation produced by a student on the MSc in Applicable Mathematics. [More information on the prize can be found here.](#)



### December 2019: Graduation - Class of 2019

As a Department, we want to congratulate all our students from our MSc Applicable Mathematics and MSc Operations Research & Analytics programmes who graduated this morning! We are immensely proud of all of your achievements whilst you studied with us here at the LSE, and we wish you all the best in your futures!



### April 2020: Python Coding Challenge

Congratulations to our students Wian Stipp, Sanjit Neelam and Farid Abou Jaoude who participated in the [Python Coding Challenge](#)! A special mention to Wian Stipp, whose team (Team Robbins 2.0) won 'Best Application of Python Learning' and 'Best Teamwork and Collaboration'!



### May 2020: LSESU Student-led Teaching Excellence Awards

We are very happy to announce that [Asuka Kumon](#) won the 'Award for Online Teaching' in the LSESU Student-led Teaching Awards! Asuka was also nominated in the categories for 'Excellent Feedback and Communication', 'Inspirational Teaching' and 'Sharing Subject Knowledge'. Congratulations Asuka! You can find out more on the awards [here](#).



### May 2020: LSE Class Teacher Award

A huge congratulations to [Siri Kouletsis](#), [Laurence O'Toole](#) and [Niccolo' Salvatori](#) for winning the LSE Class Teacher Award for their very special contribution to teaching at LSE.

Also, well done to [Asuka Kumon](#), [Danny Scarponi](#) and [Tony Whelan](#) for being highly commended. You can find out more [here](#).

### May 2020: Department of Mathematics New Teacher Prize



Congratulations to [Kamila Nowakowicz](#), [Kieran Ryan](#) and [Aled Williams](#) for winning our Department's New Teacher Prize! We are so proud of you all and the amazing work you have done this year for our students and the Department.



### July 2020: Wynne-Roberts Prize Winners

The [Wynne-Roberts Prizes](#) are awarded to both first and second year students who have achieved best performance in their mathematics courses.

Congratulations to **Farid Abou Jaoude**, who is a current first year student on the BSc Financial Mathematics & Statistics.

For our second year cohort, our winner is **Simon Priot** on the BSc Mathematics with Economics programme. Congratulations!



### July 2020: Cyril Offord Prize Winners

We have joint winners of the [Cyril Offord Prize](#) for outstanding performance in mathematics this year. The prize is awarded annually to students on one of the following programmes: BSc Financial Mathematics & Statistics, BSc in Mathematics & Economics, BSc Mathematics with Economics and BSc in Mathematics, Statistics & Business.

Congratulations to **Yumeng Cai**, a BSc Financial Mathematics & Statistics student, and **Sanjana Makhija**, a BSc Mathematics with Economics student, on their amazing results and hard work!



### July 2020: Farr Prize Winners

The [Farr Prize](#) is awarded to the best performer(s) in final year examinations for a BSc student in the Department of Mathematics or Statistics. This year, all three winners are from the Department of Mathematics! We couldn't be prouder!

Congratulations to our three winners:

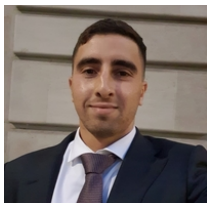
- Yixuan Li, BSc Financial Mathematics & Statistics
- Valentin Pechnikov, BSc Mathematics & Economics
- Yuliia Tereshchuk, BSc Mathematics & Economics



### July 2020: Joseph Abraham Prize Winners

The [Joseph Abraham Prize](#), named after an MSc Financial Mathematics student who sadly died in 2015, is given to those on the same programme who have shown outstanding achievement in their studies on the MSc Financial Mathematics degree.

This year we have joint winners! Congratulations to **Mehdi Kaabache** and **Matteo Zanardi** for your amazing work and achievements.



### July 2020: Graduation - Class of 2020

The Department of Mathematics want to congratulate all our graduating students from our undergraduate and MSc Financial Mathematics programmes. We are so proud of everything you have achieved in light of the more difficult circumstances this year.

We look forward to seeing what you go on to achieve in the future!





**August 2020: Nora Frankl LMS Early Career Fellowship**

Congratulations to [Nora Frankl](#), who has been awarded a [LMS Early Career Fellowship](#) hosted by the Department of Mathematics at LSE. We can't wait to have you on board!