

Weekly Media Summary from the Media Relations team 8-14 February 2014

Press and online coverage

Monday 10 February

Bristol Post - Duke of York visits Bristol

<http://www.bristolpost.co.uk/Duke-York-visits-Bristol/story-20598578-detail/story.html>

Mercury 24 - Primary pupils get university support

http://www.thewestonmercury.co.uk/news/education/primary_pupils_get_university_support_1_3289416

The Guardian - Why tech industries are thriving in the south-west of England

<http://www.theguardian.com/small-business-network/2014/feb/10/bristol-tech-industries>

The Weston Mercury – Designer sparks international interest

http://www.thewestonmercury.co.uk/news/business/designer_sparks_international_interest_1_3285197

Tuesday 11 February

ESRC – Community engagement and mobilisation: critique of a public dialogue day

<http://www.esrc.ac.uk/public-engagement/reaching-the-public/public-dialogue-day.aspx>

Bristol Post – Snapshot into the minds of slave traders

<http://www.bristolpost.co.uk/snapshot-minds-slave-traders/story-20601041-detail/story.html>

Wednesday 12 February

Bristol Post – Theatre chief puts spotlight on success

<http://www.bristolpost.co.uk/Theatre-chief-puts-spotlight-success/story-20608911-detail/story.html>

Bristol Post – Uni uses high tech kit to check cows health

<http://www.bristolpost.co.uk/Uni-uses-high-tech-kit-check-cows-health/story-20608909-detail/story.html>

Swindon Business News - £4m fund launched to boost innovation among west business

<http://swindon-business.net/index.php/2014/02/12/4m-fund-launched-to-boost-innovation-among-west-businesses/>

South West Business - £4m fund launched to boost innovation among west businesses

<http://www.southwestbusiness.co.uk/news/12022014144130--4m-fund-for-south-west-businesses-launched-by-brisols-university-of-the-west-of-england/>

Western Daily Press – Police officers have little trust in government

<http://www.westerndailynews.co.uk/Police-officers-little-trust-Government/story-20609117-detail/story.html>

Police Magazine - Police officer survey shows dip in morale and concerns cuts to the service will impact on the public

<http://www.policemag.co.uk/updates/1867.aspx>

New Scientist – Cure for love fall for a robot to fend off heartache

<http://www.newscientist.com/article/mg22129564.800-cure-for-love-fall-for-a-robot-to-fend-off-heartache.html>

Thursday 13 February

University Business – Feeding tomorrow's city

http://universitybusiness.co.uk/News/feeding_tomorrows_city

BBC England - Honeycomb book hive celebrates library's 400th anniversary

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-bristol-26152634>

Western Daily Press – University launches fund to help regions businesses

<http://www.westerndailynews.co.uk/University-launches-fund-help-region-s-businesses/story-20620092-detail/story.html>

Wales online - Extra jobs in Cardiff would give economy bigger boost than scattering them around South Wales, says expert

<http://www.walesonline.co.uk/news/wales-news/extra-jobs-cardiff-would-give-6527390>

Friday 14 February

Govtoday - Police lack confidence in government plans, study finds

<http://www.govtoday.co.uk/home-affairs/50-police-emergency/17846-police-lack-confidence-in-government-plans-study-finds>

Media Appearances

Professor Alan Winfield was interviewed by BBC Radio Cumbria about Dyson investment into robotics.

HRH the Duke of York, KG visited the Bristol Robotics Laboratory on Monday, this was covered by BBC Points West and BBC Bristol.

Dr Lisa Harrison was interviewed by BBC Gloucestershire about the rise in UKIP elected councillors in the Forest of Dean District Council in 2013.

Janet Askew (FET) was interviewed by BBC Radio Bristol on the importance of internet connectivity for new housing developments.

David McGoran was interviewed by The Book Hive installation at Bristol Library on BBC Points West.

ITV West are reporting tonight on UWE students Hannah Lawton and Lauren Morton who are currently rowing across the atlantic in the [Tallisker Whiskey Atlantic Challenge](#). ITV are using footage of the girls in training made by the UWE Press Office.

Professor Martin Boddy was interviewed by Breeze FM about the university launching the £4m fund for South West Businesses.