

Royal Holloway, University of London
Key Media Coverage
August 2006

Academic/Research Stories

- Margaret Harris – Psychology
Fellowship Citation
August 2006 *The Psychologist*

- Ann Featherstone – Drama and Theatre
Publication of *The Victorian Clown*
August 2006 *The Daily Telegraph, Ilkeston Advertiser*

- Clive Gamble – Geography
View on homo erectus society
August 2006 *Scientific American Mind*

- Clive Gamble – Geography
View on paleolithic cave paintings
August 2006 *Scientific American*

- Klaus Dodds – Geography
History of Antarctica
August 2006 *BBC History Magazine*

- Royal Holloway scientists
Fungus study request for timber samples
August 2006 *Canals and Rivers*

- Royal Holloway research grants
Concentration of public research funding in heavyweight research universities
4 August 2006 *Times Higher Education Supplement*

- Cascade Fund
Funding for Si-Light Technologies Ltd
4 August 2006 www.americanventuremagazine.com, www.azom.com

- Michael Spagat – Economics
View on Colombian ex-combatants
7 August 2006 *Financial Times Online*

- Vanessa Martin – History
Publication of *The Qajar Pact*
7 August 2006 www.payvand.com, www.mehrnews.ir

- Paula Nicolson and Anna Gupta – Health and Social Care
Research on domestic violence
9 August 2006 *Guardian Society, Guardian Unlimited*

- Jan Rich – Psychology
Research subject request for study into sexual behaviour
9 August 2006 *QX International*

- Simon Thurley – History
Article on publication of English Heritage book on English trades

12 August 2006 *The Times (Supplement 2)*, www.timesonline.co.uk

- Royal Holloway cryptographers – Maths

Code-breaking challenge in *Can You Crack The Enigma Code?*

14 August 2006 *The Independent*, www.news.independent.co.uk

- David Cesarani – History

Opinion piece on ‘Has Israel succeeded?’

18 August 2006 *Jewish Chronicle*

- Yiannis Gabriel – Management

Letter on racialisation

18 August 2006 *The Guardian*

- David Cesarani – History

Commentary on Günter Grass

18 August 2006 *Evening Standard*

- Smart Card Centre – Maths

Open day to be held at Smart Card Centre

21 August 2006 www.egovmonitor.com

- Health and Social Care

HEFC grant shared with Kingston and St George’s

23 August 2006 *Surrey Comet*

- Lina Khatib – Media Arts

Analyzing the political situation in Lebanon

24 August 2006 *Netværket omkring Det Arabiske Initiativ Newsletter*

- Boris Rankov – Classics

Opinion on benefits of a classics degree

25 August 2006 www.commentisfree.guardian.co.uk

- Andrew Motion – English

Profile

27 August 2006 *Independent on Sunday*, www.news.independent.co.uk

- Antonia Bifulco – Health and Social Care

Opinion on teenage problems

28 August 2006 *Woman*

- Simon Cutting – Biological Sciences

Review of probiotic drinks

29 August 2006 *Bella*

- David Simon – Geography

Inhabitants of ‘megacities’ at risk of environmental disasters

31 August 2006 *Shropshire Star, Burton Mail*

- Jonathan Harris – History

Greeks In Pre-Twentieth Century London

August <http://www.untoldlondon.org.uk/news/ART38930.html>

- Drama and Theatre

Actor Martin Reeve to study Contemporary Punch and Judy at RH

24 August 2006 www.yourlocalguardian.co.uk, *Wandsworth Guardian, Kingston Borough Guardian, Richmond and Twickenham Times, St Albans Observer, Streatham Guardian, Sutton Guardian, Bishop Stortford Citizen, Barnet and Potters Bar Times, Edgware and Mill Hill Times, Enfield and Haringay Independent, Wimbledon Guardian*

Students/alumni

- History alumnus – Jennifer Packham
Graduate radio presenter on British Forces Broadcasting Service Radio in Canada
August 2006 *Somerset County Gazette, Radio Magazine*
- History alumnus – Dina Morton
New media manager at the BFA
August 2006 *Franchise World*
- Classics student – Henry Trowbridge
Cycling 500 miles across Spain to raise money for a cancer hospital
2 August 2006 *Wimbledon News*
- Royal Holloway students – Leila Claire and James Hibbert
Students win business competition
3 August 2006 *Hillingdon and Uxbridge Times*
- Alumnus – David Gold
Graduate and Conservative Party member running for Eltham MP
11 August 2006 www.bexleytimes.co.uk
- Music student – Sarah Knight
Student involved in recording of charity CD
17 August 2006 *Cynon Valley Leader*
- English student – Elizabeth Cook
Article by student, 'A guide to university survival'
24 August 2006 *West Briton*
- Drama student – Sarah Gimblett
Musical production directed by RH student
25 August 2006 *Tandridge County Border News*
- Royal Holloway student – Sarah Tennant
Student launching campaign to save the Astoria music venue
29 August 2006 *The Guardian, Guardian Unlimited*
- Theatre studies student – Helen Rouse
Student in musical production
30 August 2006 www.blackpoolcitizen.co.uk
- Royal Holloway alumni – Anna Taylor and Jamie Mistlin
Two RH graduates launch recruitment agency
31 August 2006 *The Independent Education supplement, Independent online*
- Classics alumnus – Maggie Price
RH graduate in Fringe Festival production
31 August 2006 *Jersey Evening Post*

General

- College hosting sports event

International under-19s football tournament held at Royal Holloway

August 2006 *Surrey Herald, Staines and Egham News, Staines and Ashford News, Western Gazette, Staines Informer, Eastend Life*

- Royal Holloway campus

New lecture theatre and open day

August 2006 *Conference News, www.myvenues.co.uk, www.uniquevenuesuk.co.uk, www.bacd.org.uk*

- Royal Holloway sport

Links between RH and Esher Rugby Club

August 2006 *Surrey Comet, Wandsworth Borough News, Surrey Herald, Esher News and Mail, Cobham News and Mail*

- New student accommodation

Laing O'Rourke win contract to build accommodation

3 August 2006 *Construction News*

- Royal Holloway Senior Creative Artworker Sarah Hilliar

Staff member involved in environmental volunteering

10 August 2006 *Buckingham and Winslow Advertiser*

- Student opinion of Royal Holloway

RH one of the most highly rated universities in the UK according to government survey of final-year students

17 August 2006 *The Times (Supplement 1), www.timesonline.co.uk*

- Visit of Iraqi academics

Three academics from Baghdad University visiting Royal Holloway

18 August 2006 *Aberdeen Independent*

- Royal Holloway student satisfaction

Participation of students in Times Higher satisfaction survey too low to count

25 August 2006 *Times Higher Education Supplement*

- Royal Holloway buildings

Heritage Day

29 August 2006 *Sutton Guardian online, Streatham Guardian online, Wimbledon Guardian online, St Albans Observer online, Croydon Guardian online, Edgware and Mill Hill Times online, Kingston Borough Guardian online, Richmond and Twickenham Times, Wandsworth Guardian online, Enfield and Haringay Independent online, Surrey Herald, Staines and Egham News*

- Royal Holloway

Executive thanks RH for sponsoring Egham Royal Show

30 August 2006 *Surrey Herald, Staines and Ashford News, Staines and Egham News*

TV/Radio appearances

- Narender Ramnani – Psychology

New brain imaging study

1 August 2006 *The Today Programme, Radio 4*

- Ann Featherstone – Drama and Theatre
Publication of *The Victorian Clown*
 8 August 2006 *The Today Programme, Radio 4; Richard and Judy, Channel 4*

- Lina Khatib – Media Arts
The Arab media's coverage of the war in Lebanon
 9 August 2006 *Sky World News*

- Lina Khatib – Media Arts
History and memory of the Middle East
 15 August 2006 *TV-TV Denmark*

- David Cesarani – History
Interview about Günter Grass
 17 August 2006 *The World Tonight, Radio 4*

- David Cesarani – History
Comment on pardon of WW1 soldiers
 18 August 2006 *BBC 1 Breakfast News; BBC Radio London*

- Lina Khatib – Media Arts
Series on art and war in Lebanon
 19 August 2006 *Resonance FM UK*

- Justin Champion - History
Great Plague
 28 August 2006 *Discovery Health Channel (US)*