

Driffield Sixth Form
ALUMNI

**WHERE CAN DRIFFIELD
SIXTH FORM TAKE YOU?**





INTRODUCTION

I believe that a Driffield student is as good as any student anywhere in the country. They can and should aspire to the top jobs, the best courses and the most promising futures imaginable.

We have a proud tradition of providing personalised one-to-one careers guidance and support, helping students to reach their chosen destinations. Our support goes beyond that which we provide through a student's Sixth Form years. As our students depart at the end of Year 13, they leave with our Driffield Sixth Form guarantee, that we will continue to offer support and advice should they ever feel that they need it. Consequently, we have a close-knit community of Driffield Alumni who are completing fantastic courses and pursuing the most amazing careers across not only the local area, but also nationally and internationally.

In these pages, you will find a small selection of our Driffield alumni to encourage you to aspire to being the best that you can be. We promise to help you get there!

DARREN ANDREWS - HEAD OF SIXTH FORM

Rebecca Peacock

1998-2005

I graduated in 2005, a long time ago! I went off to Newcastle University to study sociology. I then did the standard backpacking around the world thing before moving to London.

For the last 7 ½ years I have been working for a firm called Hakluyt & Company Ltd.; they are a business consultancy. I am very proud to say that I have moved up the ranks, actually creating my role as I went, to become the Global HR Manager, leading the HR function across 9 offices around the world.

I have also studied my CIPD (professional HR qualification) and am now study for an Executive MBA with an online business school.



Ed Martinson

2007-2014

My job role is to buy farm commodities such as wheat, barley and Oilseeds which connect farmers to end users. Whether this is buying barley to make beer, wheat to produce bread or oilseeds for bioethanol & cooking oil.

I enjoy this job because it's centred on Agriculture, a keen interest of mine which I studied at Newcastle University.

No day is the same thanks to a volatile market. Prices available to the farmers fluctuate daily due to simple laws of global supply and demand, weather and political influences. I studied Business & Economics, Geography and World development at sixth form, all of which feature in my job.

Judd Doughty

1992-1999

Senior Lecturer
Contemporary Sports Studies
Worcester



Timothy Pick

1985-1991

Non-Executive Director
Offshore Wind Growth Partnership



Ellie Williams

2009-2016

Associate Practitioner in Histopathology
The Royal Hallamshire Hospital



Colette Mitha (Hunton)

1998-2004

Pharmacist
Manchester

Conor Fewtrell

2010-2017

WEAPONS ENGINEER - ROYAL NAVY



Sam Goodlass

2001-2008

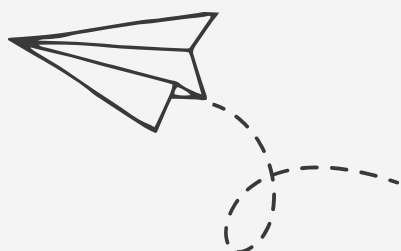
Ski Instructor
Verbier, Switzerland



Recent Alumni

MEDICINE, VETERINARY + DENTISTRY

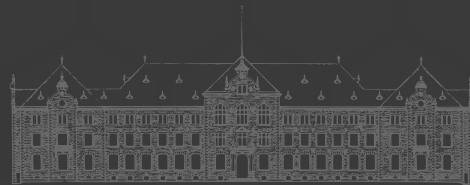
Eliza Burdass	2019	M	Bristol
Beth Dinsdale-Young	2019	M	Sheffield
John Jacques	2019	M	Sheffield
Charlotte Smith	2019	M	HYMS
Olivia Bradshaw	2020	M	Lancaster
Lydia Buckton	2020	V	Nottingham
Lucinda Collinge	2020	M	HYMS
Lauren Dinsdale-Young	2020	M	Nottingham
Emma Hall	2020	M	Manchester
Layla McGreal	2020	V	Nottingham
Will Hakner	2021	M	Newcastle
Josh Thornton	2021	D	Sheffield
James Glover	2022	M	Newcastle
Erin Thompson	2022	M	Sunderland
Elizabeth Collinge	2022	V	Surrey
Jacob Day	2023	M	Sheffield
Jess Meredith-Baker	2023	V	Nottingham
Hannah Wortley	2023	M	Manchester



APPRENTICESHIPS

Henry Brambles	2019	RMS Finance
Alyssa Smith	2019	Smailes Goldie
Jasmine Ullyott	2020	Smailes Goldie
Maddy Arnell	2021	Pinkney Grunwells Solicitors
George Morgan	2021	Arcadis Engineering
George Martindale	2021	Dentons Law
Reece Goatley	2022	North Yorkshire Police
Ellie Fitz-George	2022	Prison Service
Josh Berriman	2022	Barclays
Theo Carlin	2023	Engineering
Isaac Prince	2023	Law
Markos Fakiolas	2024	Sewell's Quantity Surveying
Thomas Simmonds	2024	Accountancy





The Russell Group is a catch-all term for a group of universities with a shared focus on research and a reputation for academic achievement.

These are a selection of our recent successful applicants to Russell Group universities.



UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER

Grace Fulford	2019	Music
Georgia Bingham	2019	Neuroscience
Spencer Parkinson	2023	Maths
Hannah Wortley	2023	Medicine



UNIVERSITY OF SHEFFIELD

James Dee	2022	Engineering
Caitlin Weir	2023	Psychology
Leo Johnson	2023	Global Sustainable Development
Isabel Dee	2024	Civil and Structural Engineering



NEWCASTLE UNIVERSITY

James Arundel	2022	Geography
Jennifer Welburn	2023	Architecture
Lucas Homer	2023	Digital Cultures and Media
Emma Thompson	2024	Speech and Language Therapy



UNIVERSITY OF YORK

Libby Parsons	2020	Law
Megan Verrier	2022	Psychology
Isobelle Sedman	2023	Biology
Zach Wilson	2024	Chemistry



UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS

Elizabeth Theakston	2019	Geography
Tash Connolly	2022	Midwifery
Keria Dinsdale-Young	2023	Physiotherapy
Sophie Harness	2024	Neuroscience



UNIVERSITY OF LIVERPOOL

Ben Ashton	2017	Aerospace Engineering
Emily Crabtree	2018	Psychology
Tabitha Beesley	2019	Zoology
Sam Smith	2023	Physics



UNIVERSITY OF NOTTINGHAM

Kitty Field	2023	History
Lydia Markwell	2023	Modern Languages with Translation
Jess Meredith-Baker	2023	Veterinary Medicine
Joe Stabler	2024	Mechanical Engineering



DURHAM UNIVERSITY

Iwo Wasek	2022	Maths
Matthew Driskell	2023	Maths
Ruby Briggs	2024	Archaeological Studies
Henry Joy	2024	History



UNIVERSITY OF LANCASTER

Georgia Woolhouse	2020	Earth and Environmental Science
Oliver Bulmer	2021	Business Management
Alice Wakeley	2021	Natural Sciences
Ruth Fisher	2023	Spanish Studies and Geography

Daniel Lockwood

2002-2009

Aircraft Mechanic



Simon Walgate

2005-2012

Farmer, Viniculturalist (Grapevine Farmer)
and Agricultural Consultant



**Louis
Reed**

2009-2016

Investment Banker - Barclays (London)



**Elden
Tennison**

2016-2023

Met Film School



**George
Binnington**

2009-2016

Quantity Surveyor - Turner & Townsend



**Jennifer
Williams**

2007-2014

Architectural Technologist
Bond Bryan - Sheffield



Laura Hoffman

2008-2015

Respiratory Physiotherapist



Dr. Catherine Dobson

1995-2002

Research Scientist
University of Edinburgh



Georgia Brandsby

2005-2012

Fundraising Officer at a Cancer Charity



Brogan Ellis

2005-2012

Registered Midwife



Laura Palmer

1997-2004

Biology was always my favourite Science and Mrs Gilroy, who was my Biology teacher during my A Level studies, inspired me to become a teacher.

I studied A Level Mathematics, English Literature and Biology within the Driffield School 6th Form before attending the University of Central Lancashire to complete my degree in Biological Sciences. I then chose Hull University to complete my PGCE (Secondary Science).

My first placement as a Newly Qualified Teacher of Science was at David Lister School in Hull, I then moved on to teach at Cottingham High School for two years before deciding to adventure abroad for some international teaching experience.

I have now been living in Dubai for 9 years and thoroughly enjoy teaching and living here, though Driffield will always be the place I call home.



Harry Holmes

2002-2009

I am currently a PhD student at the University of Leeds studying High Speed Rail Tunnels in Anisotropic Ground Conditions, currently with one first author journal paper to my name (with hopefully more to come). Previously to this, I was an Engineering Geologist specialising in rock mechanics and the design of bored tunnels and cut rock slopes with a large consultancy firm called AECOM.

I like to think that my extra curricular activities are probably a bit more inspiring than my job, and definitely have had a major influence on my career so far. Between 2014 and 2016, I was a member of the Great Britain Ice Climbing team, competing at world cup competitions across the world.



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