**Known awards for individuals and teams in the Faculty of Humanities, 2015/16**

**Alliance Manchester Business School**

* **Dr John Rigby**, Senior Research Fellow, has been appointment as President of The Manchester Statistical Society.
* **Professor Sir Cary Cooper**, Professor of Organisational Psychology, has been announced as first Honorary Member of the UK Employee Assistance Professionals Association at the 2016 Annual General Meeting.
* **Professor Jakob Edler**, Executive Director of the Manchester Institute of Innovation Research, has been elected President of the European Forum for Studies of Policies for Research and Innovation. He has been appointed as one of eight voting members of the Austrian Council for Research and Technological Development.
* **Professor Philip Shapira**, Professor of Innovation Management and Policy, has been appointed to the Advisory Board of BILAT USA 4.0 – a European project for Bilateral Coordination for the Enhancement and Development of Science, Technology and Innovation Partnerships between the EU and the USA. He has also been elected a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.
* **Alliance MBS** - working in a consortium led by KPMG and including the University of Birmingham and others - together with the NHS Leadership Academy, have been named Gold winners in this year’s [EFMD Excellence in Practice Awards](https://www.efmd.org/companies/excellence-in-practice/eip-awards-winners-2016).
* **The Legal Advice Centre** won the national [LawWorks and Attorney General](https://www.lawworks.org.uk/solicitors-and-volunteers/get-involved/law-schools-and-student-pro-bono/lawworks-attorney-general) prize for the Best New Student Pro Bono Activity for its Dementia Law Clinic.
* **Legal Advice Centre** won Dementia Carer Award for the Dementia Law Clinic at the [GB Care Awards North West](http://www.care-awards.co.uk/winners-of-the-great-north-west-care-awards-2015-announced/).

**School of Arts, Literature and Cultures**

* **Professor Tony Redmond**, Deputy Director at the Humanitarian and Conflict Response Institute (HCRI) has been made an Honorary Member of the Faculty of Public Health.
* **Professor Peter Pormann**, Director of the John Rylands Research Institute and Professor of Classics and Graeco-Arabic Studies, has been elected a Member of the Academia Europaea.
* **Professor David Law** was awarded the Doctor of Divinity by the University of Oxford.

(The DD is awarded in recognition of work adjudged to ‘constitute an original contribution to the advancement of theological knowledge of such substance and distinction as to give the candidate an authoritative status in this branch of learning’.)

* **Professor Alan Williams**, Professor of Iranian Studies and Comparative Religion, has been elected Director of the Medieval Research Section of the British Institute of Persian Studies.
* **Professor Rebecca Herissone**, Professor of Musicology, won the Diana McVeagh Prize for her recent monograph ‘Musical Creativity in Restoration England’.
* A silver medal was granted in the Meiningers International Craft Beer Awards 2016 to 2700 BC beer, a replica of a prehistoric beer from a kiln excavated by **Dr Lindy Crewe**, Lecturer in Archaeology.
* **Dr Amy Hughes**, Clinical Lecturer in emergency humanitarian response at the HCRI, was awarded an MBE for services to humanitarian and emergency medicine.
* **Professor Alessandro Schiesaro**, Head of the School of Arts, Literature and Cultures, has been elected a member of the Academia of Europaea.
* **Professor Mona Baker h**as been awarded the Kuwait prize for Studies in Foreign Languages and Literature by the Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences.
* **Professor Michael Wood,** Professor of Public History,was awarded the British Academy Presidents Medal Award for services to humanities and social sciences.

**School of Environment, Education and Development**

* **Professor Bina Agarwal**, Professor of Development Economics and Environment, Global Development Institute, has been appointed officer in the Order of Agricultural Merit (Ordre du Mérite Agricole) by France. This prestigious award, second only to the Legion of honour when established in 1883, is given for outstanding contributions to agriculture—research, innovation or practice. It is rarely awarded to non-French nationals.

**School of Social Sciences**

* **Professor Debbie Price,** Professor of Social Gerontology, has been made a Fellow of the Academy of Social Sciences and is also President-elect of the British Society of Gerontology
* **Professor Sue Heath**, Professor in Sociology, has been made a Fellow of the Academy of Social Sciences
* **Professor Rachel Griffith**, Professor of Economics, has been appointed as a research director of the Institute for Fiscal Studies.
* **Professor Jane Green** from the Cathie Marsh Institute for Social Research has been awarded the Political Association Research Communicator Award 2015 for her work as part of the British Election Study during the 2015 General Election.
* **Professor Christopher Humphrey**, Professor of Accounting, has been made a Fellow of the Academy of Social Sciences.
* **Dr Peter Backus**, awarded 'Best New Lecturer' by The Economics Network.

**Distinguished Achievement Awards**

* **Professional Support Services, Library and Cultural Institutions’ Distinguished Achievement Team Award 2016**

Alliance Manchester Business School’s Global MBA Assessments Team

* **Humanities Researcher of the Year 2016**

Professor Erik Swyngedouw, Professor of Geography, School of Environment, Education and Development

* **Humanities Postgraduate Research Student of the Year 2016**

Julia Noble, School of Environment, Education and Development

* **Humanities Undergraduate Student of the Year 2016**

Gulwali Passarlay, School of Social Sciences

* **Humanities Teacher of the Year 2016**

Dr Peter Backus, Lecturer in Economics, School of Social Sciences

**Making a Difference Awards**

* **Professor Claire Alexander**, School of Social Sciences, Outstanding benefit to society through research.
* **Dr Nicola Banks**, School of Environment, Education and Development, Outstanding contribution to social enterprise.
* **Ilyas Nagdee**, student, School of Arts, Languages and Cultures, Inspiring Communities: student and winner of Outstanding contribution to widening participation: student
* **Michelle Kipling**, Alliance Manchester Business School, Outstanding professional support services support for social responsibility.
* **Dr Anna Gilchrist**, School of Environment, Education and Development, Outstanding contribution to environmental sustainability.

**Green Impact Awards**

**Silver award**

* Humanities Human Resources
* School of Social Sciences
* School of Environment, Education and Development Arthur Lewis Building Green Impact

**Bronze Award**

* Teaching and Learning Languages Team
* Precinct Library (Alliance MBS)
* The Humanitarian and Conflict Response Institute (HCRI)
* Faculty of Humanities Administration - Crawford House

**Policy@manchester**

* **Alex Waddington**, Editorial and Engagement Manager from policy@manchester, runner up in ‘Impact Champion’ category of the Celebrating Impact Prize 2016.
* **policy@manchester** won the External Relations Programme of the Year in the Educate North Awards.

**Other**

* Whitworth’s ‘gallery in the park’ has been named Large Visitor Attraction of the Year in the Visit England Awards for Excellence.