



INVEST IN SURREY

40 UNDER 40 BUSINESS AWARDS

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Welcome to the Surrey 40 Under 40 Business Awards

We are delighted you have joined us at the first Surrey '40 Under 40' Business Awards. This event is part of our continued commitment to showcase Surrey as a world leading economic region for growth, providing opportunities for investment and progression.

Celebrate with us as we recognise the innovative individuals who live or work in Surrey, and showcase the achievements of the next generation of young entrepreneurs and business leaders under the age of 40 across the primary sectors in Surrey.



EVENT ITINERARY

- 16:00** Arrival. Registration, drinks and networking connections with sponsors
- 17:00** Event Start. Introduction by host Annelies James
- 17:05** Opening words from Surrey County Council and Invest in Surrey
- 17:20** Awards Section 1: Presented by Caroline Fleming, University of Surrey
- 17:30** Awards Section 2: Presented by Damion Potter, GSK
- 17:40** Awards Section 3: Presented by Duncan Matthews, St Edward
- 17:50** Awards Section 4: Presented by Louise Bittleston , WWF-UK
- 18:00** Awards Section 5: Presented by Tamas Csejtei, Samsung Electronics UK
- 18:10** Closing Remarks from Michael Coughlin and Judges thanks
- 18:20** Winner Photos, networking & refreshments
- 19:00** Ends

Tag your photos and share them on social media **#InvestInSurrey #Surrey40Under40**

DRINKS RECEPTION

Sponsored by the University of Surrey



Our business networking and drinks reception is kindly sponsored by the **University of Surrey**.

The University of Surrey is regarded as one of the UK's leading research universities and fuels innovation, talent and economic growth throughout the region.

EVENT SPEAKERS



ANNELIES JAMES

Director | 22 Midnight

Annelies James is a local businesswoman and host who has run her own business since 2018 focusing on personal brand, content marketing and strategy. She has had the privilege of hosting such events as ABP Southampton Marathon, Business Panels for B2B Expos, TEDxSouthampton and Business Innovation South Expo, amongst others. Annelies is a fierce advocate of being an excellent human and as such commits herself to hosting events, workshops and podcasts, including Colleagues Getting Coffee, to help people engage, learn and be entertained.



TIM OLIVER

Leader | Surrey County Council

As Leader of Surrey County Council, along with the CEO, Tim has set the organisation on a journey of transformation and championed a bold 'Vision for 2030' for Surrey and its residents, to make sure everyone in the community is supported, allowed to thrive and to make sure no one is left behind. Tim is actively involved in the Charity sector as Vice President and previous Chairman of Shooting Star Children's Hospices, Chairman of trustees Working Families and trustee of the Weybridge Charity. He also Chairs Esher Sixth Form College's Academy Trust Board and the Surrey Heartlands Integrated Care System Board.



DAMION POTTER

Vice President and Head, Global Policy and Government Engagement
GSK Consumer Healthcare

Damion was her Majesty's Ambassador to Panama from July 2017 to August 2021. He also oversaw the Central American network of British Embassies. After work as a senior diplomat for the UK government and as the International Communications Director at ESPN, Damion took on a role as Vice President and Head, Global Policy and Government Engagement at the Consumer Health Business at GSK in February, 2022.

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TAMAS CSEJTEI

People Team Director | Samsung Electronics UK and Ireland

Originally from Hungary, Tamas has worked for BAT, one of the largest FTSE companies for over 20 years in local, regional and global HR positions across Eastern and Western Europe, before joining Samsung Electronics in 2020 as People Director. Although it took him a while to start, he has over the last 3 years developed a passion for creating wooden wall art as a way of learning new skills.



LOUISE BITTLESTON

Corporate & Community Fundraising Manager | WWF UK

Louise joined WWF-UK in February 2021, and works in the Community Fundraising Team. With over 4 years' experience in the charity sector, Louise found her passions collide when she joined WWF: fundraising and protecting the environment. In her role, Louise supports businesses with employee engagement and gives businesses the opportunity to join the fight for our world, this includes fundraising, volunteering and educational activities.



CAROLINE FLEMING

Director of Innovation Strategy | University of Surrey

Caroline is a mechanical engineer by background and brings a wealth of nearly 20 years of experience of working with early-stage technology companies to accelerate their innovations into the marketplace and a strong track record in developing enterprise support programmes and incubators, creating innovation ecosystems. At the University of Surrey, she is the Director of Innovation Strategy, focusing on supporting the student and researcher community to use their knowledge to better society and contribute towards solving our global challenges.

EVENT SPEAKERS



DUNCAN MATTHEWS

Land Director | St Edward

Duncan Matthews is the Divisional Land & Planning Director of Berkeley St Edward, a division of the Berkeley Group. St Edward is the joint venture between Berkeley and M&G Investments. Berkeley St Edward currently has 7 sites in production in London and the South East. It directly employs over 400 staff, sustains a wider workforce of 1,500 people.

Currently his team are responsible for two major schemes in Surrey. These are Eden Grove in Staines, a development of 489 homes plus commercial space. The second is an exciting town centre mixed use development in Guildford, currently in pre-planning consultation. There are further six developments by the Berkeley Group across Surrey.



MICHAEL COUGHLIN

Executive Director | Surrey County Council

Michael joined Surrey County Council in April 2018, having previously been Chief Executive at Reading unitary and Crawley Borough councils and an Executive Director at the Local Government Association. He also spent three and half years in the private sector as UK Managing Director and Global HR Director for Bathroom Brands. He is Co-Chair of Participatory City Foundation.

DELIVERY PARTNER

Business South is an independent representative of businesses in Central South England, supporting the prosperity of the region by bringing together business leaders, educators, public bodies and entrepreneurs to create a dominant and powerful force for growth and innovation.





INVEST IN SURREY

Our specialised team offers a number of free and confidential services to assist companies intending to invest in Surrey.

Invest in Surrey is the inward investment Service for Surrey, established to proactively promote the region as a world-class place to start, grow and relocate a business. We bring together world-class industries, academia, and government partners to support business and growth across the region.

Whether you're a start-up, SME or global company, you can receive specialist expertise and local intelligence to help ensure a faster, more successful investment, regardless of where your business is in the relocation or expansion decision-making process.

DEFINE YOUR LOCATION & EXPANSION NEEDS

For companies relocating from another area to Surrey, our team provides a wealth of relocation support to both businesses and employees. Our commercial property finder showcases all the properties available in Surrey and at any one time, Surrey has a number of key major developments in situ which can allow for pre-let discussions. Our team is on hand to help with any specific requirements you may have.

FIND THE RIGHT PEOPLE

We can support your company's recruitment programme to help you recruit the right members of staff. If your business wants to recruit apprentices, we can help here too.



INVEST IN SURREY

MAKE THE BUSINESS CASE

We can provide local market intelligence to help you build a business case that demonstrates why Surrey is the ideal location for your company. We have access to a range of local research and market intelligence including; local industry and sector profiling and demographic and labour market analysis.

CONNECT TO SECTOR SPECIFIC NETWORKS & PROFESSIONALS

No-one knows Surrey better than we do and we're waiting to make connections for you. Each industry sector has a wealth of associations, networks and events where you can meet organisations to share best practice, address industry-related issues and explore opportunities for innovation, collaboration and R&D.

CELEBRATE YOUR SUCCESS

We're dialled in to the regions social media and press networks and once you become a Surrey business we want to share every success you have to our audience.

COMPLIMENTARY, CONFIDENTIAL AND BESPOKE ASSISTANCE FOR YOUR BUSINESS

All of our services are complimentary, confidential and bespoke to your business. Support is available to both national and international organisations of all sizes that are considering relocating to or expanding in Surrey.

2 HOURS FREE MEETING SPACE

Hold your next meeting in the heart of Surrey



Surrey County Council offices are a hub for local business and provide a perfect setting to hold meetings and events.

To celebrate the launch of **Invest In Surrey** and the **40 Under 40 Business Awards** we are offering all attendees 2 hours of free meeting room space at our Head Office in Reigate.

Our Lecture Theatre venue can hold meetings of up to 165, and our smaller rooms can accommodate up to 80. This includes free parking, as well as access to our Buy Your Own light bites canteen.

Please get in touch with our hire team for further information: functions@surreycc.gov.uk

AWARD WINNERS

ALEX PYE

Atkins Global

Managing Consultant, Transportation
UK & Europe

REBECCA BLACKMORE

OutSystems

Senior Marketing Manager

VICKY MEALEY

The Login Business Lounge

Centre Manager

ALICE SMITH

Up For Digital

Managing Director

SAM HURMAN

Rival Strength

Managing Director

FRANK SINCLAIR

FitWithFrank

Director

DAVID WARD

Harrier Gates

Business Owner

HOLLY YEOMANS

Mclaren Automotive Ltd

Senior Project Engineer

AWARD WINNERS

BILLY CLACKERS

Invotra Ltd
Managing Director

BRUCE CASALIS

Bruce's Doggy Day Care
Business Owner

CONOR DAVIES-TAYLOR

Ascot Brewing Company
Chief Customer Officer

CHRIS JAMES

Gold-i
Chief Technology Officer

LIANI MANNIFIELD

Mannifield Residential Ltd
Director

DR JO GEE

Dr Jo Gee Psychotherapy Ltd
Director

ANICA ZEHEN

Royal Holloway University Of London
Senior Lecturer in Entrepreneurship and Sustainability

COLIN FRANCIS

LabCycle
CEO

AWARD WINNERS

JACK KERR

JK Forges
Blacksmith

BEN WARD

Rocketdesk and Supergonk
Business Owner

AMIR TABA

Direk Ltd
CTO

MONIKA BAUNACH

WWF - UK
Public Affairs Adviser

OLIVER TEARLE

The AI Corporation
Head of Technology and Innovation

SOPHIE BEST

Silent Pool Distillers
Operations Director

DR ANNA VARTAPETIANCE

Securium
CEO, Co-founder and Director

CHARLOTTE WATSON

SETsquared Surrey
Operations and Relationship Manager

AWARD WINNERS

RICHARD SKINNER

The Social Table

Owner

TIM HOPKINS

Land Map and Land Management

Business Owner

TOM BOULTON

Surrey Satellite Technology Ltd

Lead Engineer

DAN EDWARDS

SGN

Social Impact Programme Lead

TARRYN GORRE

Kafoodle

CEO

CERI THOMAS

Rivian

Senior Manager, Adventure Products Engineering

NEIL JOHNSTON

Vector Suite and Rocketdesk

CEO and Founder

EDWARD BALL

Jellyfish

Chief Operating Officer

AWARD WINNERS

ELLA PODMORE

McLaren

Fault Analysis Engineer

ALEX PATERSON

NotGames Ltd

Creative Director

ELENA STYLIANOU

KBR

Engineer

MILO BYGRAVE

22cans

Lead Designer

MATT GOLDS

Noviun Architects

Managing Director

TIM CROXSON

Croxsons

Chief Executive Officer

DANIEL COOK

Infinity

Head Of Planning and Strategy

JAMES ETHERINGTON

Atkins

Chartered Civil Engineer

INVEST IN SURREY

HOW CAN WE HELP?

More than **100,000 businesses** already call Surrey home. Find out how we can help you today.

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