

PRESS RELEASE

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LISU Director retires

Eric Davies has taken early(ish) retirement from Loughborough University, and stepped down as Director of LISU on 31 January 2007. Eric worked for the University for 38 years, and took over as Director of LISU from David Spiller, in 1999.

Eric says that he will not take to the pipe and slippers and abandon all professional activity. He intends to retain an association with the University and has plans for other projects as well. He will remain contactable on his current email address for some time.

Pending the appointment of Eric's replacement, Claire Creaser, currently Deputy Director and Senior Statistician, will be Acting Director of LISU.

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Note to Editors

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About LISU

LISU is a national research and information centre based in the Research School of Informatics and the Department of Information Science at Loughborough University. LISU comprises a team of experienced Information Managers, Statisticians, Researchers and Administrators focusing on the analysis, development, interpretation and dissemination of statistics, performance assessment measures and related management data as well as advising on their application and exploitation in the real situation. It has an established reputation as an independent authority in its field fulfilling a key role in supporting managers of information and library services amongst others.