

# Yakult Awards in the UK and Ireland: Roll of Honour

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University/Organisation	Yakult Award	Recipients
<b>2017</b>		
RCNi Nurse Awards	Patient's Choice Award	Joanna O'Toole <i>Respiratory Specialist Nurse, Central Manchester University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust</i>
University of Surrey	Highest overall mark/outstanding student on Nutritional Medicine MSc course	Victoria Furnidge-Owen
<b>2016</b>		
British Dietetic Association	New to Research Award	Neasa Forde
Complete Nutrition Awards	Community Nutrition Professional of the Year	Joanne Ridgway
General Practice Awards	Clinical Team of the Year - Nutrition	Brownlow Health
RCNi Nurse Awards	Patient's Choice Award	Kelly Stackhouse
Cardiff University	Best Final Year Project/Highest Overall mark student in Microbiology degree	Victoria Thomas
Dublin Institute of Technology	Best overall final year marks for BSc Human Nutrition & Dietetics	Martin Murphy and Shauna Carrigan
University of Glasgow	Best overall student in MSc Human Nutrition	Natalie Salvesen and Emma Hooker
King's College University Diabetes & Nutrition Sciences Division	Best First Year Doctoral Student Poster Presentation	Amazon Austin

University/Organisation	Yakult Award	Recipients
	Best Second Year Doctoral Student Poster Presentation	Haya Al-Khatib
	Best Final Year Doctoral Student Oral Presentation	Eirini Dimidi
University of Leeds	Best Final Year Research Project in Food Science, Food Science & Nutrition, or Nutrition	Claire Brouard
Liverpool John Moores University	Academic Achievement in Xenobiotics	Christina Chan
Loughborough University	Best student MSc Exercise Physiology Programme	Greg Howard
Nottingham Trent University	Best final year project in the area of microbial physiology and genomics	
Queen's University Belfast	Best final year student: Food Quality, Safety & Nutrition degree	Sarah Allen
Queen's University Belfast	Best final year project: Food Quality, Safety & Nutrition degree	Rachel McKibben
University of Reading	Best student in School of Food Biosciences	Stephanie Bull
University of Surrey	Highest overall mark/outstanding student on Nutritional Medicine MSc course	Samira Gharbieh
Ulster University	Highest overall mark BSc Human Nutrition	Amy Wright
<b>2015</b>		
British Dietetic Association	New to Research Award	Amy Eldrid
Complete Nutrition Awards	Community Nutrition Professional of the Year	PAAT (Prevent, Anticipate and Avoid, Treat) Project Team – led by Elizabeth McKnight

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General Practice Awards	Clinical Team of the Year- Nutrition	Education evenings aimed at poorly controlled, 'hard to reach' diabetic patients. - Karen Olorenshal and Yvonne Stephenson
Irish Healthcare Centre Awards	Clinical Team of the Year	Mayo Dialectical Behaviour Therapy Team
RCNi Nurse Awards	Patients Choice Award	Sarah Hartfee
Cardiff University	Best Final Year Project/Highest Overall mark student in Microbiology degree	Alex Mullins
Dublin Institute of Technology	Best Final Year Student BSc Human Nutrition and Dietetics	
University of Glasgow	Best overall Student in MSc Human Nutrition 2014-2015	Rebecca Reardon and Sahar Sharif
King's College University Diabetes & Nutrition Sciences Division	Best First Year Doctoral Student Poster Presentation	Sophie Harris
	Best Second Year Doctoral Student Poster Presentation	Eirini Dimidi
	Best Final Year Doctoral Student Oral Presentation	Carolyn Johnson
Leeds University	Best Individual Research Project	Richard Asensio Barrowclough
Liverpool John Moores University	Yakult award for Academic Achievement in Xenobiotics	Daisy Staff
Loughborough University	Highest Overall mark on the MSc Exercise Physiology programme	Steven Harris and Eleanor Hynes
Nottingham Trent University	Best Final Year Project in the area of Microbial Physiology and Genomics.	Chantelle Bartlett
Queen's University Belfast	Best final year student: Food Quality, Safety and Nutrition BSc	

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Queen's University Belfast	Best final year project: Food Quality, Safety & Nutrition BSc	
University of Reading	Yakult PhD Award for Best Research Student in Food and Nutritional Sciences.	Mark Hobden
University of Surrey	Highest overall mark/outstanding student on Nutritional Medicine MSc course.	Polina Hadjikyriacou
Ulster University	Highest overall mark BSc Human Nutrition	Ashley Gilkinson
<b>2014</b>		
British Dietetic Association	New to Research Award	Katharine Hampshire-Jones University of Surrey 2014 Graduate and Dietitian at Worthing Hospital. <i>Iodine status of UK schoolchildren: a cross-sectional study examining dietary sources of iodine and iodine status among eight-to-ten year olds.</i>
Complete Nutrition Awards	Community Nutrition Professional of the Year	Focus on Undernutrition Team, County Durham and Darlington NHS Foundation Trust
Great British Care Awards	Nutrition and Hydration Award	Nicolas and Diane Collins and the staff of Bayfield Court
Love Your Gut Award	Gut Health Awareness Campaign (prize draw)	Noelle Cooper Specialist Dietitian – Community Berkshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust
RCNi Nurse Awards	Patients Choice Award	Susan Lovett (Oncology Ward Shropshire Hospital)
Bangor University	Award for the Best Physiology Year 3 project	Courtney Lightfoot- BSc Sport, Health and Exercise Science
Brunel University London	Best Final Year Dissertation	Alistair Gainey- Dissertation 'Effect of inspired air condition on exercise-induced bronchoconstriction in a clinical population.'

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Dublin Institute of Technology	Best Final Year Student BSc (Hons) Human Nutrition and Dietetics	
University of Glasgow	Best Academic Achievement in the MSc (Med Sci) Human Nutrition	Janis Armstrong
King's College London	Best Mphil/PhD poster 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> year talk	Best 1 <sup>st</sup> year- Piya Sen Gupta (£50) Best 2 <sup>nd</sup> Year- Alastair Duncan (£50) Best 3 <sup>rd</sup> Year talk- Zoheb Hasson (£100)
Leeds Beckett University	Best academic performance in the final year elective module for BSc (Hons) Dietetics/ BSc (Hons) Public Health Nutrition, Nutritional Status in Health and Disease	Elizabeth Greenwood
Liverpool John Moores University	Academic Achievement in Xenobiotics.	Anna Pritchard
Loughborough University	Best Student on the MSc Exercise Physiology Programme	Jon Larruskain Zabala
Nottingham Trent University	BSc Biological Sciences- 1 <sup>st</sup> class degree	Finbar Roberts- Proposed by the microbiology staff for his investigation into the genome of the bacterium <i>Legionella pneumophila</i> . This included predicting the relevant pathogenicity traits, such as adhesins and characterising them <i>in silico</i> .
Oxford Brookes University	Highest achievement in BSc Programme	Alicia Gurney
Oxford Brookes University	Highest achievement in MSc Programme	Siew Yee Tan
Queen's University Belfast	Best final year student: Food Quality, Safety and Nutrition BSc	
Queen's University Belfast	Best final year project: Food Quality, Safety & Nutrition BSc	
University of Reading	Best Student in Food and Nutritional Sciences	Katherine Stephens

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University of Surrey	The Yakult Prize for Nutritional Medicine (Best final mark)	Nikolaos Stratakis
Ulster University	Highest overall mark BSc Human Nutrition	Clare Campbell
<b>2013</b>		
Complete Nutrition magazine	Community Professional of the Year	Community Nutrition Support Dietetic Team, East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust
General Healthcare Centre of the Year	National Healthcare Centre Awards	VHI Medical Centre Cork
Gut Week (Love your Gut)	Best Gut Health Awareness Campaign run by a healthcare professional (Ireland)	Gillian Mc Connell (Inside Out Nutrition)
Gut Week (Love Your Gut)	Best gut health awareness campaign run by a healthcare professional (UK)	Debbie Todd and colleagues at the Garth Care Home, Herefordshire
Homecare Provider of the Year	National Healthcare Centre Awards	www.myhomecare.ie
Nursing Home of the Year	National Healthcare Centre Awards	Phoenix Park Community Nursing Units
Society of General Microbiology (SGM)	Outreach Award	James Redfern
Bangor University	Physiology award BSc (Hons) Sports Science	Jack Stone
Cardiff University	Best microbiology dissertation	Storm McCready-Fallon
Dublin Institute of Technology	Best Final Year Student BSc (Hons) Human Nutrition and Dietetics	Patricia Dominguez Castro and Michelle Lane
University of Exeter	Best final year project (Microbiology)	Binay Gurung

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University of Glasgow	The Yakult Student Award for Best Academic Achievement in the MSc (Med Sci) Human Nutrition	Christina Buckton
University of Northampton	Highest achievement in final year project (Human Biosciences)	Bradley Toghill
Nottingham Trent University	Best student: Microbial Physiology & Genomics	Steven Dunn
Peninsula Medical School & Biosciences Universities of Exeter & Plymouth	Academic/professional excellence: undergraduate programme, Bachelor of Clinical Science	James King (Y1), Samuel Wallis, Kirstie Wright (Y2), Joseph Yates, Thomas Clark (Y3)
Queens University Belfast	Best final year student: Food Quality, Safety and Nutrition BSc	Stephanie Clarke and Alison Foster
Queens University Belfast	Best final year project: Food Quality, Safety & Nutrition BSc	Stephanie Clarke
University of Surrey	Outstanding achievement: Nutritional Medicine MSc programme	Chris Mountford
Ulster University	Best Final Year Student BSc (Hons) Human Nutrition	Leona Courtney
<b>2012</b>		
Complete Nutrition magazine	Community Nutrition Professional of the Year	Natasha Read
Dublin Institute of Technology	Best Final Year Student BSc (Hons) Human Nutrition and Dietetics	Paula Hayes
Ulster University	Best final year student: Human Nutrition BSc	Angela Carlin
Queens University Belfast	Best final year student: Food Quality, Safety and Nutrition BSc	Hannah Davis
Queens University Belfast	Best final year project: Food Quality, Safety & Nutrition BSc	Stephanie Brook

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Cardiff Metropolitan University	Outstanding academic achievement: Food Science & Technology BSc (Hons)	Jennifer Maybury
Cardiff University	Best Microbiology dissertation	Christopher Paisley
King's College London	Best MPhil/PhD students: Nutritional Sciences	Neeta Patel, Lucy Stott
Leeds Metropolitan University	Public Health Nutrition placement award	Maureen Khaukha, Aurora Rupp
Leeds Metropolitan University	Public Health Nutrition academic achievement	Holly Jaskolka
Liverpool John Moores University	Academic achievement: Nutrition BSc (Hons)	Anna Hardman
Loughborough University	Best student: Exercise Physiology MSc	Michelle Chesterfield
Nutrition & Health Award	For work in public health nutrition: Service or Team of the Year	Marianne Williams
Oxford Brookes University	Best student: Nutrition BSc	Virginia Burch
Queen Margaret University	Best project: Human & Applied Biology	Suzanne Zaremba
Robert Gordon University	Applied Microbiology	Yvonne Hannibal, Mirela Slavova
Royal Holloway, University of London	Student prize: Microbiology	Barnaby Slater
Sheffield Hallam University	Academic achievement: Nutrition Health & Lifestyles BSc	Catherine Frost
Society for General Microbiology (SGM)	SGM Outreach Prize	Marieke Hoeve
University of Chester	Achievement in Nutrition Professions Programme	Emma Moss



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University of Northampton	Best microbiology dissertation	Laura Binney
University of Reading	Summer School scholarship	Nicholas Lucas
University of Reading	Best student: School of Food Biosciences PhD	Stacey Lockyear
University of Surrey	Outstanding student: Nutritional Medicine MSc	Jane Nodder
<b>2011</b>		
British Dietetic Association	Dietitians new to research	Nichola Whitehead (1st), Annette Henry (2nd)
Cardiff Metropolitan University	Outstanding academic achievement: Food Science & Technology BSc	Mary-Jane Hawkes
Cardiff University	Best Microbiology dissertation	Emma Parry
Complete Nutrition Magazine	Community Nutrition Professional of the Year	Rachael Masters
Kings College London	MPhil/PhD Best Students: Nutritional Sciences	Catherine Fisk (Y1), Rukshana Hoque (Y2), Charlotte Hedin (Y3)
Leeds Metropolitan University	Public Health Nutrition placement award	Janine Heeley
Leeds Metropolitan University	Academic achievement: Public Health Nutrition	Melanie Harrison
Liverpool John Moores University	Academic achievement: Nutrition BSc	Yvette Porter
Loughborough University	Best student: MSc Exercise Physiology	Alice Thackray
Manchester Metropolitan University	Student award: Microbiology & Art project	Bella Paul, Ben Tripp

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Nottingham Trent University	Best student: Microbial Physiology & Genomics	Elena Buena Atienza
Oxford Brookes University	Best student: Nutrition BSc	Shelly Coe
Peninsula Medical School & Biosciences Universities of Exeter & Plymouth	Scientific Research & Communication	Jade Lyons Rimmer, Tom Ellis, David White
Peninsula Medical School & Biosciences Universities of Exeter & Plymouth	Reflective Practice & Professionalism	Elodie Lawley, Abigail Chui
Queen Margaret University	Best project: Human Biology & Applied Pharmacology	Joanne Hay
Queens University Belfast	Best final year student: Food Quality, Safety and Nutrition BSc	Alanna McGrath, Lisa Quinn
Queens University Belfast	Best final year project: Food Quality, Safety & Nutrition BSc	Natalie McCloskey
Robert Gordon University	Applied Microbiology	Marie Lough
Royal Holloway, University of London	Recognition for achievement during PhD	Jen-Min Huang
Sheffield Hallam University	Academic achievement	Nicola Rew
Society of General Microbiology	Outreach Award	Nicola Stanley-Wall
University of Chester	Achievement in Nutrition Professions Programmes	Angela Eagling
University of Exeter	Microbiology: final year project	Catherine Archer
University of Glasgow	MSc (Med Sci) Human Nutrition Programme	Katja Brunner
University of Northampton	Best Microbiology dissertation	Farzana Sultana

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University of Reading	Summer School Scholarship	Louise Tucker
University of Reading	Best student: School of Food Biosciences PhD	Charlotte Mills
University of Surrey	Outstanding Student: Nutritional Medicine MSc course	Lousie Rossney
Ulster University	Best final year student: Human Nutrition BSc	Katy Doolan
Dublin Institute of Technology	Best Final Year Student BSc (Hons) Human Nutrition and Dietetics	Liz O'Sullivan
<b>2010</b>		
National University of Ireland, Maynooth	Best in Class: MSc Immunology and Global Health	Claire Hearndon, Michelle Lundy
Dublin Institute of Technology	Best Final Year Student BSc (Hons) Human Nutrition and Dietetics	Jessica Schram
British Dietetic Association	Dietitians new to research	Ashley Smith, Heather Paterson, Ruth Hancock, Dorottya Norton
Burdett Institute for Gastrointestinal Nursing	Academic achievement	Claire Campbell
King's College London	Best MPhil/PhD students: Nutritional Sciences	Linda Wedlake (Y1), Fawaz Alzaid (Y2), Frederick Warren (Y3)
Leeds Metropolitan University	Best academic performance: final year module	Laura Nieurzyla, Jane Giddings Gemma Randle.
Liverpool John Moores University	Academic achievement in Nutrition BSc	Deborah Scott
Loughborough University	Best student: Exercise Physiology MSc	Kevin Deighton
Manchester Metropolitan University	Student award: Microbiology & Art project	John Tucker, Emily Robertson Siobhan Webb, Anthony Clayton, Mark Worrall

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Oxford Brookes University	Best student: Microbiology BSc	Stuart Prescott
Royal Holloway, University of London	Best student: Microbiology (Y1)	Zeeshan Gauher
Sheffield Hallam University	Academic achievement: Nutrition, Health & Lifestyles BSc	Amy Chandler
Society of General Microbiology	Outreach Award	Gemma Walton
University of Chester	Achievement in Nutrition Professions Programmes	Victoria Veevers
University of Exeter	Best final year project	Rebecca Mogey
University of Northampton	Best Microbiology dissertation	Danny Sewell
University of Reading	Best student: School of Food Biosciences PhD	Roz Miller, Imtiaz Hussain
University of Surrey	Outstanding student: Nutritional Medicine MSc	Katherine Halliwell
Ulster University	Best final year student: Human Nutrition BSc	Andrea McKay
University of Wales Institute of Cardiff	Outstanding achievement: Food Science & Technology BSc	Gavin Riches
<b>2009</b>		
British Dietetic Association	Dietitians new to research	Alison Wilson, Katherine Cockerell, Katy Moon, Suzanne De Saulles, Debbie Fletcher, Laura Hyam, Lisa Cooke, Damien Strawbridge, Kirsty Porter
Burdett Institute of Gastrointestinal Nursing	Academic achievement	Frances Allen

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Cholchester Girls School	Best project: Food Production & Biotechnology	Keay Chaplin
Leeds Metropolitan University	Best academic performance: final year module (BSc Dietetics/Public Health Nutrition)	Stephanie Parker
Liverpool John Moores University	Academic achievement: Nutrition BSc	Gemma Darby
Manchester Metropolitan University	Student award: Microbiology & Art project	Dominic Coyle, Gail Burton, Nicola Wright
Oxford Brookes University	Best Student: Nutrition	Kirsty Fuller (MSc), Laura Lennard (BSc)
Royal Holloway, University of London	Best student: Microbiology (Y1)	Francesca Cooper
Sheffield Hallam University	Academic achievement: Nutrition, Health & Lifestyles BSc	Catherine Anne Malone
Society of General Microbiology	Outreach Award	Dr Joanna Heaton
University of Chester	Achievement in Nutrition Professions Programmes	Amy Jones
University of Glasgow	Best academic achievement: Human Nutrition MSc	Karishma Kolhatkar, Laura Melville
University of Greenwich	Undergraduate: outstanding achievement	Lis O'Connell
University of Reading	Best PhD Student: School of Food Biosciences	Lesley Hoyles
University of Surrey	Outstanding student: Nutritional Medicine MSc	Anne Edwards
Ulster University	Best overall final year student: Human Nutrition BSc	Diane Boyd

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National University of Ireland, Maynooth	Best in Class MSc Immunology and Global Health	Shane Fitzpatrick
Institute of Technology Tallaght	Best in Class BSc (Hons) Bioanalytical Science	Leona Mawhinney
<b>2008</b>		
National University of Ireland, Maynooth	Best in Class MSc Immunology and Global Health	Sara Mc Aleese
British Dietetic Association	Dietitians new to research	Eleanor McGee, Karen Gaynor, Ciara McSherry, Louise Gillam
Burdett Inst Gastrointestinal Nursing	Academic achievement: GI Nursing	Jose Bennell, Melanie Baker
Liverpool John Moores University	Academic achievement: Nutrition BSc	Andrew Gee
Manchester Metropolitan University	Student award: Microbiology & Art project	David Wickens
Oxford Brookes University	Best students (Nutrition)	Viren Ranamwana (MSc), Laura Thomas (BSc)
Sheffield Hallam University	Academic achievement: Nutrition Health & Lifestyle BSc	Anna Claire Hall
University of Glasgow	Best academic achievement: Human Nutrition MSc	Gareth Fletcher
University of Reading	Best PhD student: School of Food Biosciences	Maria Dermikis
University of Surrey	Outstanding student: Nutritional Medicine MSc	Dr David Lloyd
Ulster University	Best final year student: Human Nutrition BSc	Joanne McCarron
<b>2007</b>		

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Imperial College, London	Travel Award	Ms Alison Waldram
St Mark's Hospital, Harrow	Travel Award	Dr Siew Ng
University College Cork	Travel Award	Dr Roy Sleator
University of Reading	Best PhD Student: School of Food Biosciences	Trevor George
University of Surrey	Outstanding student: Nutritional Medicine MSc	Linda Scott
University College Cork	Travel Award	Dr Roy Sleator
National University of Ireland, Maynooth	Best in Class MSc Immunology and Global Health	Niamh Foley, Ciaran Lawlor
Institute of Technology Tallaght	Best in Class BSc (Hons) Bioanalytical Science	Brian Duff
Ulster University	Best final year student: Human Nutrition BSc	Kirsty Forsythe
<b>2006</b>		
University College Cork	Travel Award	Caitlin O'Mahony
University College Cork	Travel Award	Dr Ann O'Hara
Ulster University	Travel Award	Dr David Campbell
St James's Hospital	Travel Award	Ms Erica Mullany
<b>2005</b>		

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Institute of Food Research	Travel Award	Dr Sean Hanniffy
The Royal London Hospital	Travel Award	Dr James Lindsay
<b>2004</b>		
University College Cork	Travel Award	Yvonne Clune
University College Cork	Travel Award	Dr Roy Sleator
University of Reading	Travel Award	Haydn Sinclair
<b>2003</b>		
Bart's & The London	Travel Award	Dr Laurens Kruidenier
Health Protection Agency	Travel Award	Dr Claire Jenkins
Rowett Research Institute	Travel Award	Dr Karen Scott
<b>2002</b>		
Southampton General Hospital	Travel Award	Victoria Chance
<b>2001</b>		
University of Luton	Travel Award	Dr Neville Punchard
<b>1998</b>		



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Bart's Hospital, London	Travel Award	Dr Sylvia Pender
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Cork University Hospital	Travel Award	Kenneth Nally