KENT REFUGE FUND
Supporting students and academics seeking refuge
Dear Colleagues,

You will be aware that instability and insecurity is causing unprecedented numbers of people to flee their country of origin, particularly in the Middle East. The University has for some time provided modest support for two organisations that provide support for potential international students and for academics at risk of persecution: the Helena Kennedy Foundation ‘Article 26 Project’ and the Council for At-Risk Academics (Cara). In view of the severity of the current crisis we will be expanding the level of support, in particular through a number of academic schools who have committed to offer fee waivers.

The University is also establishing a new fund, the Kent Refuge Fund, designed to provide additional financial assistance for refugees and asylum seekers, who are not of course eligible for loans through the Student Loan Company. This fund is designed to enable individuals to make a contribution should they wish to do so. The needs of the victims of persecution are many but I hope that through the Kent Refuge Fund this University will be able to provide some modest additional help for those supported by the Helena Kennedy Foundation and Cara. It is of course entirely up to each individual whether they might feel able to contribute.

I thank you for your consideration and hope that you can join me in supporting this cause.

Professor Dame Julia Goodfellow
Vice-Chancellor
CAF GIVE AS YOU EARN
Donor Instruction Form

Guidance notes
If you have any questions when completing this form, please contact a member of CAF Customer Services on 03000 123 000

Anyone can join CAF Give As You Earn as long as your pay or pension is taxed through PAYE and your employer or pension company offers the scheme.

Ways to give:
• Directly to your nominated charity(ies)
• Into a CAF Charity Account, giving you a pot of money to use for charitable purposes
  www.cafonline.org/charityaccount
• Into a CAF Staff Charity Fund which allows you and your colleagues to pool your donations and make a more substantial donation to the charity of your choice at a later date. Ask your employer if they have a CAF Staff Charity Fund or request information on setting up a fund from CAF Customer Services on 03000 123 000

There is no limit to the amount you can give, the number of charities you can give to or the number of different ways you choose to give.

National Insurance or Employee Number
We require a unique ID to match the funds provided by your employer with your instructions. Your employer should be able to provide these if necessary.

Direct donations – who can I give to?
You can give to any charitable organisation that is permitted by the law on payroll giving. We have a database of more than 160,000.
www.cafonline.org/charitysearch

Or you can nominate another charitable organisation and we will let you know if you are unable to use payroll giving to support that organisation.

Please note: Under current law donations cannot be made to Community Amateur Sports Clubs.

To help us process this form, use BLOCK CAPITALS and blue or black ink.

Please tick one or more boxes below to indicate how you are using this form:
☐ to sign up for CAF Give As You Earn
☐ to replace my existing donation instructions
☐ to add to my existing donation instructions

Contact details
If you are signing up to CAF Give As You Earn, please complete all fields in this section.
For existing donors please complete fields marked with an * and then complete all relevant fields.

Title ☐ Mr ☐ Mrs ☐ Miss ☐ Ms ☐ Other

*Full forename(s)

*Surname

Home address

Postcode

Email address

Telephone number

Employers Name

*National Insurance number

or Employee number

Please indicate the frequency by which you are paid
☐ Weekly ☐ 4-weekly ☐ Monthly

Donation instruction

Direct Donations - regular and one-off
Please continue on a separate sheet if you would like to add or amend multiple charities.

I would like to (please tick one)
☐ Add new donation instructions ☐ Amend existing donation instructions

Charity Name ☐ UNIVERSITY OF KENT ☐ KENT REFUGE FUND

Charity address ☐ UNIVERSITY OF KENT ☐ THE REGISTRY
canterbury.co.uk Postcode ☐ CT2, 7 NZ

Charity Commission number ☐ X, N, 5, 4, 5, 2

Sponsorship number (If applicable)

Donation amount £

Donation type ☐ Regular donation ☐ One-off donation from pay period

Please tick if you would like to make your donation(s) anonymous ☐
Charity details
Please provide as much detail as possible including Charity Commission or Scottish charity numbers where possible, to help us identify the correct beneficiary for your donation.

If you would like to support a regional branch of a charity please specify this in the charity name. If you do not specify a branch or region your donation will go to the charity’s head office.

Some charities require a Sponsorship Number to identify a specific area or campaign, please include this, if applicable.

Donation types
A regular donation will be deducted from your gross pay each pay day until you inform us to remove the donation.

For one-off donations please specify the pay period you would like this donation to come from.

Ticking ‘anonymous donation’ will prevent you receiving acknowledgement or further information from that charity.

CAF Charity Account
Manage your account online and make donations anytime by registering at www.cafonline.org/register

Use a CAF Voucher Book to make donations with CAF vouchers. These can be posted to charities, put in collection boxes and used to sponsor people.

Under current HMRC regulations once a deduction from your salary is sent to CAF, it cannot be returned to you or your employer.

Administration fees Direct donations
CAF deducts 4% (minimum 25p, maximum £10) per deduction to cover costs.

CAF Charity Account
From 1 May 2015 until 30 April 2016, CAF charges 4% for amounts up to £20,000, 1% for amounts from £20,000.01 to £109,000 and 0% on amounts over £109,000.

Some employers pay these fees on behalf of their employees.

Change of details?
You don’t need to use this form to update your contact details. You can simply tell us about changes to your name, home address or email address by calling CAF Customer Services on 03000 123000 or emailing giveasyouearn@cafonline.org

I would like to (please tick one)

- Add new donation instructions
- Amend existing donation instructions

Charity Name
Charity address
Postcode
Charity Commission number
Sponsorship number (if applicable)
Donation amount  £

Donation type
- Regular donation
- One-off donation from pay period

Please tick if you would like to make your donation(s) anonymous

CAF Charity Account donations
I would like to (please tick one)

- Set up a new CAF Charity Account
- Amend my donation amount
- Make a one-off donation from pay period

If you already have a CAF Charity Account please provide your account number:

If you are setting up a new CAF Charity Account please provide your Date of Birth (DDMMYYYY):

Donation amount (minimum £10 a month)
If amending your donation please put new total donation amount £

Please tick if you would like to receive a CAF Voucher Book

Please tick if you would like the words “anonymous donor” printed on your Voucher Book rather than your name

Certification
By signing this form you are confirming your understanding that:

- no further tax is recoverable on your gifts;
- only gifts to organisations with charitable status within the UK can be accepted;
- no gift can be made as a membership subscription or to pay for goods or services;
- no gift can be made to an organisation that returns a personal benefit in any way to you or someone connected to you.

Signature
Date d d / m m / y y y y

We would like to tell you by letter, phone or email about additional products and benefits from the CAF Group that we believe will be of interest to you. If you would prefer not to be contacted about these additional benefits, please tick the appropriate boxes. CAF and the companies in which it has a majority stake, or their subsidiaries (defined here as the Group) will not share your information with any outside organisation except as part of providing a product/service or when legally obliged to do so.

I do not wish to receive details of:

- other product/services from the CAF Group
- forthcoming events from the CAF Group

Please send a copy of this form to the department responsible for administering CAF Give As You Earn within your company.

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