For details of University events, see the ‘Events’ page of the Staff Gateway: www.ox.ac.uk/staff/events
Council and Main Committees

Council of the University

Register of Congregation

Mr Vice-Chancellor reports that the following names have been added to the Register of Congregation:

- Basten, S A, Green Templeton
- Beinhocker, E D, Oriel
- Bortoletto, D, Faculty of Physics
- Brown, A, Cancer Research UK
- Clifton, D A, Mansfield
- Cutterham, T G, New College
- Fox, E M M, Faculty of Psychological Studies
- Guenette, R, Sub-department of Particle Physics
- Horwood, N J, Kennedy Institute of Rheumatology
- Hu, M T-M, Department of Clinical Neurosciences
- Iglesias Rogers, G, St Peter’s
- Kinchen, J R V, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- Klose, R J, Department of Biochemistry
- Kurmi, O P, Clinical Trial Service Unit and Epidemiological Studies Unit
- Leader Maynard, J, New College
- Michie, T, New College
- Murphy, K J, Clinical Trial Service Unit and Epidemiological Studies Unit
- Simonin, A, Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages
- Sullivan, H, New College
- Vermaak, J, Jenner Institute
- Wrightson, R C, Wolfson
- Young, A C, Clinical Trial Service Unit and Epidemiological Studies Unit
- Young, H J, Pembroke

Divisional and Faculty Boards

For changes in regulations for examinations see ‘Examinations and Boards’ below.

Congregation

Degree by Resolution

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Congregation 25 November

Elections

Nominating Committee for the Vice-Chancellorship

Medical Sciences Board

Details are in ‘Elections’ section below.

Congregation 28 November

Presentation of Vice-Chancellor’s Oration

The Oration delivered by the Vice-Chancellor on 8 October will be presented and may be discussed.

† The Oration has been published as Supplement (1) to Gazette No 5036.

Note on procedures in Congregation

† Business in Congregation is conducted in accordance with Congregation Regulations 2 of 2002 (www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/529-122.shtml). A printout of these regulations, or of any statute or other regulations, is available from the Council Secretariat on request. A member of Congregation seeking advice on questions relating to its procedures, other than elections, should contact Mrs F Burchett at the University Offices, Wellington Square (telephone: (2)80199; email: felicity.burchett@admin.ox.ac.uk); questions relating to elections should be directed to the Elections Officer, Ms S L S Mulvihill (telephone: (2)80463; email: elections.office@admin.ox.ac.uk).

Congregation 3 December 2pm

Notices

General Notices

Gazette publication arrangements

The final Gazettes of Michaelmas term will be published on 28 November and 5 and 12 December. Publication for Hilary term will begin on 16 January. The usual deadline arrangements will apply.

Teaching Excellence Awards 2013

This year’s awards were presented by the Vice-Chancellor on 11 November at a reception at Rhodes House. In all, 34 awards were given, and there were 8 grants to support projects to develop new courses or new approaches to teaching and learning. The awards acknowledged outstanding contributions from teachers and also from librarians and IT and support staff, whose work, often behind the scenes, is essential to maintaining the highest standards in our provision for our students. The full list of awards and winners can be seen online at: www.ox.ac.uk/gazette/teachingawards.

Musical and other Events

Magdalen

PHANTASM

8pm, 2 Dec: Moving Meditations

Unusual consort music by Tye, Le Jeune and Merula. Tickets: £10 (£5 students) from phantasmtickets@gmail.com or 07952 223218. Director: Professor Laurence Dreyfus.

Exhibitions

St John’s

MEDIEVAL VESTMENTS

The college intends to open to the public its collection of medieval vestments on Saturday, 30 November, from 2pm until 5pm. The collection is displayed in the Garden Quadrangle and entrance, free of charge, will be via the Main Lodge.
Lectures

Academic Administration Division

Careers Service

ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND ENTERPRISE SEMINAR SERIES

The following seminars will be held at 5pm on Wednesdays in the Centenary Room, 56 Banbury Road.

Adam O’Boyle, Student Hubs and Hubs Commercial Ventures
27 Nov: ‘Legal basics’
Mark Vollans, organisational development and adult learning expert
4 Dec: ‘Team skills’

Humanities

Faculty of Music

BALZAN PROGRAMME IN MUSICOLOGY WORKSHOP

Dr Jason Stoessl, University of New England, Australia, will bring together international speakers for a one-day workshop at 9.30am-5pm on 2 December at Denis Arnold Hall. Free and open to all.
Subject: ‘Mongols howling, Latins barking: voice and song in early musical encounters in precolonical Eurasia’

Faculty of Oriental Studies

KOREAN STUDIES

Dr Kevin Cavley, University College Cork, will lecture at 5pm on 28 November in Lecture Room 1, Oriental Institute.
Subject: ‘Bringing the name(s) of God to East Asia: missions and (mis)adventures in translation’

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

Department of Zoology

ASTOR LECTURESHIP SEMINAR

Professor Mercedes Pascual, Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, Michigan, will deliver the 2013 Astor Lectureship Seminar at 4pm on 5 December in Lecture Theatre B, Department of Zoology.
Subject: ‘Climate forcing and the population dynamics of infectious diseases in changing human landscapes’

Social Sciences

Department of International Development

QEH DISTINGUISHED VISITOR SEMINAR

Professor Deepak Nayyar will give the QEH Distinguished Visitor Seminar at 4pm on 27 November in the Department of International Development.
Subject: ‘CATCH UP: developing countries in the world economy’

Department of Social Policy and Intervention

SPECIAL SEMINAR

Susan Moore Johnson, Jerome T Murphy Professor of Education, Harvard Graduate School of Education, will deliver a seminar at 2pm on 6 December in the Violet Butler Room, Barnett House, 32 Wellington Square.
Subject: ‘12,000 contracts: collective bargaining and school reform in the US’

Institutes, Centres and Museums

Oxford Martin School

DEBATE

Professor Mike Hulme, KCL, and Professor David Keith, Harvard, will engage in debate at 5pm on 2 December at the Oxford Martin School.
Subject: ‘The case for and against climate engineering’

Colleges, Halls and Societies

St Antony’s

EUROPEAN STUDIES CENTRE AND SOUTH EAST EUROPEAN STUDIES: CALL FOR PAPERS

Abstracts of 250 words are sought for a Hilary term lunchtime seminar series for DPhil students in Humanities and Social Sciences with a regional focus on Europe to present their research to peers, faculty and fellows. Deadline for submission: 1 December; contact european.studies@sant.ox.ac.uk.

SOUTH EAST EUROPEAN STUDIES AT OXFORD (SEESOX): MIXER

All members of the University with a regional interest in South East Europe (East/West Balkans, Greece, Cyprus and Turkey) are warmly invited to the SEESOX Mixer at 6.15pm on 4 December at the European Studies Centre, St Antony’s, to meet, network and socialise. Food and drinks provided. For more details and to RSVP: jessie.hronesova@sant.ox.ac.uk.

Examinations and Boards

Examinations for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

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Changes to Examination Regulations

For the complete text of each regulation listed below and a listing of all changes to regulations for this year to date, please see www.ox.ac.uk/gazette/examinationregulations.

Continuing Education Board

FOUNDATION CERTIFICATE IN ENGLISH LITERATURE
(a) to change length of written examination for two papers
(b) to replace written papers on Criticism by portfolio
(c) other minor changes

Humanities Board

HONOUR SCHOOL OF MODERN LANGUAGES
removal of obsolete references

Elections

Contested elections 28 November

The nomination period for these elections closed at 4pm on Thursday, 31 October. All valid nominations received are available online at www.admin.ox.ac.uk/elections and were published in Gazette No 5040, 7 November 2013.

The following elections will be contested.

Nominating Committee for the Vice-Chancellorship

All members of Congregation are entitled to vote in this election.

One person, not also being a member of Council, elected by Congregation

Current/Retiring Member To hold office until

Dr J M Landers, Hertford MT 2015

The following nominations have been received:

Calum A Miller, BA MPhil, Blavatnik School of Government

Nominated by:
Sir Jonathan Phillips, Warden of Keble
Sir Ivor Crewe, Master of University College, Faculty of Social Studies
TP Stern, University College, Faculty of English Language and Literature
NT Woods, University College, Faculty of Social Studies

Candidate statement:
It would be an honour to serve as a member of this Committee. I am seeking election as I believe that I have relevant experience and insights to bring to the work of the Committee.

As the senior administrator in a department, I interact on a daily basis with the central university. As someone working to help establish a new department, I am heavily engaged in supporting teaching and research, in fundraising and in planning strategy in the changing current context of higher education. I believe I therefore have a good insight into the challenges and tasks facing any new Vice-Chancellor.

I have been both an undergraduate and graduate student of the University. On graduating, I served as a Trustee of
University College’s Old Member Trust and chaired for seven years the Trust’s Student Support and Access Committee. I am well apprised of the access and student funding issues that confront the Vice-Chancellor. I also appreciate the importance of the Vice-Chancellor working closely with Colleges to agree the best approach for the collegiate University.

Before joining the Blavatnik School of Government, I served as a senior civil servant and, in my two previous roles, advised the Deputy Prime Minister and Cabinet Secretary. I have a clear understanding of the political context in which the Vice-Chancellor will need to be an effective champion of the University’s interests. In my former roles, I was also closely involved in the selection and appointment processes for many senior public offices.

Julian Savulescu, MB BS BMedSci MA PhD Monash, MA Oxf, Fellow of St Cross, Faculty of Philosophy

**Nominated by:**
- Lord Krebs of Wytham, Principal of Jesus, Faculty of Zoology
- Sir Mark Jones, Master of St Cross
- R S Crisp, St Anne’s, Faculty of Philosophy
- P G Ferreira, Oriel, Faculty of Physics
- M R C Hewstone, New College, Faculty of Psychological Studies
- A R McLean, All Souls, Faculty of Zoology
- A C de O Nobre, New College, Faculty of Psychological Studies
- A J Pollard, St Cross, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- J M C Tracey, Pembroke, Faculty of Psychological Studies, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- S Vogenaer, Brasenose, Faculty of Law

**Candidate statement:**
My reason for standing is that I would like to contribute to a process which elects the best person to this key post who will take the University into the future at a time when academic life, teaching and research are becoming increasingly difficult. I have held the Uehiro Chair in Practical Ethics at the University since 2002, and served on committees including at University level (Committee to Review Donations, the Socially Responsible Investment Review Committee, the Central University Research Ethics Committee, the University of Oxford Registrar’s Advisory Group on Research Ethics), at departmental and divisional levels (Faculty Board, Faculty of Philosophy, Medical Humanities Advisory Group), and at college level (Governing Body, St Cross College, Development Working Group, St Cross College).

**Medical Sciences Board**

Voting in this election is restricted to members of the following faculties: the Faculty of Biochemistry, the Faculty of Clinical Medicine, the Faculty of Physiological Sciences and the Faculty of Psychological Studies.

One person from the Department of Paediatrics, the Department of Primary Care Health Sciences and the Nuffield Department of Population Health who is also a member of the Faculty of Biochemistry, the Faculty of Clinical Medicine, the Faculty of Physiological Sciences or the Faculty of Psychological Studies, elected by the members of the Faculty of Biochemistry, the Faculty of Clinical Medicine, the Faculty of Physiological Sciences and the Faculty of Psychological Studies

**Current/Retiring Member**

To hold office until

New position

MT 2017

The following nominations have been received:

Rory Collins, MB BS Lond, MA MSc Oxf, Faculty of Clinical Medicine

**Nominated by:**
- Sir John Bell, Christ Church, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- Professor Dame Valerie Beral, Green Templeton, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- M J Goldacre, Magdalen, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- A M Gray, Wolfson, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- C P Jenkinson, Harris Manchester, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- J J Kurinczuk, Harris Manchester, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- M J Parker, St Cross, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- Sir Richard Peto, Green Templeton, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- P B Sullivan, Magdalen, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- H C Watkins, Exeter, Faculty of Clinical Medicine

**Candidate statement:**
Professor Rory Collins was appointed to head the Nuffield Department of Population Health (NDPH) when it was established on 1 July 2013. This new Department brings together the Clinical Trial Service Unit & Epidemiological Studies Unit, the Cancer Epidemiology Unit, and the Department of Public Health. The aims of the NDPH are to deliver high quality research that has a major impact on population health, as well as to help train and develop the next generation of researchers. Previously, population health research in Oxford was fragmented and the discipline was not well represented at Division or University level (for example, the Medical Sciences Board Strategic Plan for 2011–15 listed detailed research agenda for many disciplines, but nothing on population health). Increased sharing of the complementary skills in various aspects of population health science that currently exist in the NDPH and elsewhere in Oxford (including the Department of Primary Care Health Sciences, Department of Paediatrics, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine, and Radcliffe Department of Medicine) should strengthen the contributions of each of the component parts, while plans to expand expertise in certain areas (such as bio-informatics and record linkage) should enhance our ability to conduct population health research effectively. Representation on the Medical Sciences Board would help with delivering this vision of producing substantial increases in research outputs that have major impacts on health worldwide, and of raising the national and international profile of population health research being conducted in the University of Oxford.

F D Richard Hobbs, MB ChB Brst, MA Oxf, Fellow of Harris Manchester, Department of Primary Care Health Sciences

**Nominated by:**
- P N Aveyard, Wolfson, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- A J Farmer, Exeter, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
- C J Heneghan, Kellogg, Department of Primary Care Health Sciences
- R J McManus, Green Templeton, Department of Primary Care Health Sciences

**Candidate statement:**
Despite our uncertain times, the burgeoning success of Oxford University Medical Sciences remains undiminished by international comparison. It is important to more fully represent the contributions of our applied clinical sciences to this success, complementing the historical strength of basic sciences at Oxford, and our important roles in undergraduate teaching, postgraduate training, and health policy generation. We encompass health at a personal and population level, across all ages, and with strong methodological innovation in disease prevention, epidemiology and trials.

With 36 years of NHS clinical service and 24 years as a clinical scientist and educator,
my career has involved significant roles in helping shape and managing change, especially relating to strategic planning, sustainable research growth, standard setting, personnel management and development, financial planning and monitoring. These skills, of direct relevance to the Divisional Board and to the wider university, were gained via several senior university management roles:

• 8 years as Assistant Dean, Finance and Planning & External Affairs, leading strategy for one of the UK’s largest Medical Schools
• 3 years as Head of Division, plus 3 years as Head of School of Health and Population Sciences (leading academic growth of Departments of Primary Care, Public Health, Epidemiology, and Health Services Research)
• National experience in leading successful organisations, such as Director, NIHR School for Primary Care Research

I therefore have direct expertise in running combined departments and championing applied science, career development, and the importance of teaching. I am also committed to enhancing our collaborative links within and beyond the Division.

Notes
Candidates were invited to include with their nomination forms a written statement of no more than 250 words, setting out his or her reasons for standing and qualifications for the office being sought. These statements are now available online at www.admin.ox.ac.uk/elections and are published above.

Ballot papers have been dispatched from the University Offices, using the mailing address provided in the current Register of Congregation. If you have not yet received your ballot paper, please contact the Elections Office at elections.office@admin.ox.ac.uk. Completed ballot papers must be received by the Elections Office not later than 4pm on Thursday, 28 November.

For further information, please contact the Elections Officer (shirley.mulvihill@admin.ox.ac.uk).

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Miscellaneous

Gazette publication arrangements
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Fellowships
Lindemann Trust Fellowships 2014-15: postdoctoral research grants to the USA for scientists. The English-Speaking Union offers grants of $30,000 each for postdoctoral scientists to carry out research in the USA. The Lindemann Trust supports research in the fields of: Astronomy, Biophysics, Chemistry, Engineering, Geology, Geophysics, Mathematics, Physics. Closing date for applications: Mon 17 Feb 2014. For more information, please visit www.esu.org/lindemann.

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Little Treasure Day Nursery. Newly opened this summer, many places for children immediately available: 4.5-hour (£22.50) or 9-hour sessions (£45), starting 8am, 9.30am or 1pm. Excellent staff, lovely facilities, daily outings to Florence Park, library and similar. 3-4-year-old funded places and childcare vouchers accepted either independently; through salary sacrifice, college funding, etc. Contact the manager, Alice, at 49 Oxford Rd, Cowley, OX4 2ER; 01865 777905; www.littletreasuredaynursery.com.

Michaelmas term concert
Schola Cantorum of Oxford presents a late-night concert: Go, Song of Mine. Music by Elgar and Reger, with guest conductor Daniel Hyde and pianist Libby Burgess. 9pm on Fri 22 Nov, in Hertford Chapel. Tickets: £12/£5 concessions from tickets@schola-cantorum.net.

Research participants sought
Are you hotheaded? Do you have a fiery/quick temper? Are you male, healthy, aged 18-55, fluent in English with no history of psychiatric problems? If so, we would love to hear from you! The study involves a questionnaire, then a single antidepressant dose and behavioural/emotional testing session: we will reimburse you for your time/travel. Approved by the University Research Ethics Committee. Contact: fluoxetine.study@psych.ox.ac.uk; tel Oxford 223622 or 223624.

Volunteers sought for study exploring perception in autism. Involves simple visual judgement tasks during MEG and MRI brain-scanning plus standardised tests during one 4-5-hr visit. Needed: right-handed participants aged 18-45 with diagnosis of high-functioning autism/Asperger syndrome (we can’t include individuals with epilepsy, on medication that affects the brain (eg antidepressants), or with metal implants/pacemakers). Full reimbursement for time/travel expenses. Contact Mathura Ravishankar at mathura.ravishankar@ndcn.ox.ac.uk or 01865 224935.

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House swaps

House exchange sought Oxford-Boston (vicinity Arlington MA), Jan–Feb, 4–6 weeks. Detached family home in North Oxford side road. 2 large reception rooms, spacious kitchen/dining area, 3 double bedrooms, 2.5 bathrooms, utility room, south-facing patio and garden, off-street parking. Cleaners included. Utilities extra. Easy access to Summertown shops and city centre. Possible use of car. Ideal for visiting academic family/ couple. Contact: jesmond.blumenfeld@zen.co.uk.

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Notifications of Vacancies

Please refer to the website, or contact the email address shown, for further details of the vacancy. For a full list of vacancies in the University and colleges, see www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/jobs.

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Colleges, Halls and Societies

Keble; Admissions Officer; £25,793–£28,377; noon, 29 November; www.keble.ox.ac.uk
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Lincoln; 6-month (or part-time equivalent) Antiquarian Cataloguer; £26,264–£31,331 pro rata; noon, 29 November; www.lincoln.ox.ac.uk/vacancies
St Peter’s; College Accountant; £50,186–£58,157; 25 November, www.spc.ox.ac.uk/text/70/vacancies.html

External Vacancies

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