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# Council and Main Committees

# Congregation

10 March

#### **Degree by Resolution**

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Congregation			11 March			

#### (1) Declaration of Approval of Resolution authorising the use of space at the Radcliffe Observatory Quarter

#### (2) Declaration of Approval of Resolution authorising the use of space at Osney Mead

No notice of opposition having been given, Mr Vice-Chancellor declared the resolutions authorising the use of space at the Radcliffe Observatory Quarter and Osney Mead approved.

#### **Council of the University**

#### **Register of Congregation**

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

Anderton, N, Department of Engineering Science Barnes, K L, Faculty of Clinical Medicine Chandler, H E, Bodleian Law Library Connolley, R J, Estates Services Edwards, T L, Faculty of Clinical Medicine Gillies, A, Faculty of Clinical Medicine Lovestone, S H, Faculty of Clinical Medicine

Rogers, C, Faculty of Clinical Medicine Satti, I, Faculty of Clinical Medicine von Goldbeck-Stier, A G, Christ Church

#### **Divisional and Faculty Boards**

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

Congregation	19 March
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#### **Admission of Proctors and Assessor**

A Congregation will be held on 19 March in the Sheldonian Theatre for the purpose of admitting to office **Kathryn Blackmon**, BS Clemson, MBA PhD North Carolina, MA Oxf, Fellow of Merton, and **Hubert Ertl**, MA Oxf, PhD Munich, Fellow of Linacre, as Proctors for the ensuing year, and **Paul Martin**, MA DPhil Oxf, Fellow of Wadham, as Assessor for the ensuing year.

#### Congregation 12 June

#### Elections

#### COUNCIL

COMMITTEES REPORTING TO COUNCIL Buildings and Estates Subcommittee Continuing Education Board Nominations Committee Socially Responsible Investment Review

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#### OTHER COMMITTEES AND UNIVERSITY BODIES

Visitors of the Ashmolean Museum Curators of the University Parks Committee for the Ruskin School of Art Visitatorial Board Panel

#### DIVISIONAL BOARDS

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board

#### FACULTY BOARDS

Board of the Faculty of Classics Board of the Faculty of English Language and Literature

- Board of the Faculty of History
- Board of the Faculty of Linguistics,
- Philology and Phonetics
- Board of the Faculty of Oriental Studies Board of the Faculty of Philosophy Board of the Faculty of Theology and Religion

#### 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).

# **Notices**

#### **General Notices**

#### Gazette publication arrangements

The final full *Gazette* of Hilary term will be published on 20 March. A further issue will be published on 27 March, but this will be limited to Council and Congregation business and changes to Examination Regulations. Publication for Trinity term will begin on 24 April.

The deadline for receipt of items for publication in the *Gazette* of 24 April, which includes the Trinity term lecture supplement, will be brought forward because of the Easter office closure: **the deadline for receipt of such items is noon on 9 April**.

#### University Committees: Vacancies for appointment by Council and/or its General Purposes Committee

Council's General Purposes Committee (GPC) invites members of the University (subject to eligibility) to submit expressions of interest in relation to the following vacancies to which it or Council appoints.

Expressions of interest must be received by the Council Secretariat (shirley.mulvihill@ admin.ox.ac.uk, tel: (2)80463) by **4pm on 31 March**.

Any eligible person who wishes to have his or her name put forward for consideration is encouraged to speak with his or her head of division or head of house, and/or with the relevant committee members or officers to obtain more information about the role, prior to submitting an expression of interest. Expressions received from individuals will be collated by the Council Secretariat with those names received through other routes (such as via heads of division, heads of house or committee officers directly). All names will then be reviewed by the Registrar and Vice-Chancellor prior to being forwarded to GPC and/or Council for consideration as the appointing bodies for these committees.

The purpose of this invitation is to broaden the pool of potential candidates brought to the attention of the appointing body. The names put to the appointing body are only suggestions. It should be noted that the appointing body remains free to take its own decision, irrespective of any names received through this route. In particular, to support the commitments made by the University under its equality scheme, the appointing body will take into consideration the overall balance of membership on the body concerned, with reference to the appropriate representation of ethnicity, disability, age and gender.

For links directly to the remit and membership of the committees, please see notice on p352 of *Gazette* No 5053, 6 March 2014.

#### CENTRAL UNIVERSITY RESEARCH ETHICS COMMITTEE (CUREC)

Three members appointed to ensure appropriate representation of areas of research involving human participants or personal data: two (*vice* Professor O J Braddick and Dr H Ertl) to serve with immediate effect until MT 2015 and one (*vice* Professor M Rees) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2018. *Contact*: lindsay. freeman@admin.ox.ac.uk

#### CONFLICT OF INTEREST COMMITTEE

Two members: one member of Congregation from the Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Division (*vice* Professor J A Noble) to serve with immediate effect until MT 2016 and one member of Congregation from the Social Sciences Division (*vice* Professor G S Goodwin-Gill) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2017. *Contact*: sarah.cowburn@admin. ox.ac.uk

## HEALTH AND SAFETY MANAGEMENT SUBCOMMITTEE OF GPC

One member taking into account the overall balance of the committee's membership (*vice* Professor S C Cooper) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2017. *Contact*: julie.black@ safety.ox.ac.uk

#### HONORARY DEGREES COMMITTEE

Two members of Congregation who are not members of Council (*vice* Professor A M Etheridge and Professor Sir David J Watson) to serve from HT 2015 until HT 2016. *Contact*: felicity.burchett@admin.ox.ac.uk

#### **RULES COMMITTEE**

One member of Congregation (*vice* Dr K D Grevling) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2017. *Contact*: james.bufford@proctors. ox.ac.uk

#### OXFORD UNIVERSITY SOCIETY BOARD

One member (*vice* Professor J F Stein) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2018. *Contact*: christine.fairchild@alumni.ox.ac.uk

#### STUDENT DISCIPLINARY PANEL

Three members (*vice* Dr E J Frazer, Dr H O'Donoghue and Dr H A Viles) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2017. *Contact*: sian. griffiths@admin.ox.ac.uk or louise.gullifer@ hmc.ox.ac.uk (Chair)

#### UNIVERSITY CLUB MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Three members: two (*vice* Dr B W Byrne and Ms M J Parrott) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2017 and one (*vice* Mr J Silk) to serve with immediate effect until MT 2015. *Contact*: jon.roycroft@sport.ox.ac.uk

#### Van Houten Fund

The Van Houten Bequest is a fund left by the late M Van Houten in the 1950s to be used 'for the benefit of the University in such ways as the Chancellor, the Vice-Chancellor and Council shall see fit'. The Chancellor, the Vice-Chancellor, Council and the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee agreed in 2005 to delegate responsibility to the Registrar to approve grants subject to a regular report to be made to Council on the decisions taken.

Bids are now being invited for grants from this fund to be used to support projects that do not form part of the normal day-today operations of a department and which would not easily be funded from other regular sources. Recipients within the last year have included:

- 80,000 Hours, a free advisory service for young people interested in ethical careers
- Oxford Hub, the focal point for student social action and volunteering at the University.

Grants to internal applicants are usually in the region of £4,000-£15,000, either given as a one-off award, or spread over two or three years. Grants are also available to organisations external to the University; in such cases, the amounts awarded are usually lower and there is a cap on the total amount of funding provided to external organisations, which is £50,000 for the current financial year.

The most recent invitation to bid, in November 2013, attracted ten applications and resulted in awards for four of those.

The guidelines by which bids are assessed are as follows:

1 Bids for grants will be assessed according to the breadth of the benefit to the University offered by the project in question, the strategic importance of the project to the University and the availability of funds. Only in exceptional circumstances will a grant be awarded in respect of a project which benefits a single department.

2 Grants will not ordinarily be awarded for purposes for which other trust fund (or similar) support exists within the University: for example, the funding of academic scholarships, regardless of whether or not the alternative fund(s) in question are in a position to fund the expenditure proposed.

**3** Grants will not ordinarily be awarded in respect of costs for which a department might reasonably be expected to hold a budget.

**4** Grants will not ordinarily be agreed in respect of recurrent activities except to provide:

(*a*) seed funding to support an activity in its first one to three years; or

(*b*) bridging support for one year only where a source of funding is lost and the department/faculty in question is confident that an alternative can be found for the following year.

**5** Grants will not ordinarily cover the full cost of a project. Departments will be expected to make some contribution, or to use the grant secured by the Van Houten Fund to assist in securing other funding (including external funding).

**6** The extent to which funds may be awarded to external organisations each financial year may be subject to an upper limit, to be set by the General Purposes Committee and reviewed on an annual basis.<sup>1</sup>

Bids for funding should take the form of a written submission outlining the amount requested, how the grant would be used, the benefit that would be conferred to the University, approximate costings, timescales, details of any other funding secured and any further supporting information. Alternatively, an application form is available from the secretary. The bids will be considered by the Registrar as a gathered field. Applications should be sent, preferably as a Word document attached to an email, to the secretary of the fund, Mrs Adrienne Lingard, by **25 April 2014**.

Further information may be obtained from Mrs Lingard (tel: (6)11627, email: adrienne. lingard@admin.ox.ac.uk or at the University Offices, Wellington Square, Oxford, OX1 2JD). The next invitation to bid will be in Michaelmas term 2014.

<sup>1</sup>For the 2012–13 financial year, GPC approved a limit on total external funding of £50,000; the cap for 2013–14 has not yet been agreed but is likely to be similar.

#### Appointments

#### Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

## HEADSHIP OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENGINEERING SCIENCE

Corrigendum:

The Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board has conferred the Headship of the Department of Engineering Science upon **Lionel Tarassenko**, MA DPhil Oxf, CEng, FIET, FMedSci, FREng, Professor of Electrical and Electronic Engineering and fellow of St John's, for a period of 5 years from 1 September 2014.

#### **Graduate Awards and Prizes**

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# 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**

ADVANCED DIPLOMA IN BRITISH AND EUROPEAN STUDIES

(a) to amend assessment requirements(b) to remove reference to pre-sessional examination

(c) other presentational changes

#### **Humanities Board**

**PGDIP IN THEOLOGY** 

amendment of essay submission deadline

#### **Social Sciences Board**

PGDIP IN EDUCATION changes to the general regulations to accommodate new PGDip in Teacher Education

MSC IN TEACHER EDUCATION PGDIP IN TEACHER EDUCATION

new part-time courses

# Colleges, Halls and Societies

## **Elections**

#### Elections

#### Nuffield

SUPERNUMERARY FELLOWSHIP

Eleni Kechagia-Ovseiko, BA MPhil Aristotle, DPhil Oxf

#### GWILYM GIBBON RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

Armin Steinbach, BSc Trent, MEc Berlin, LLM FU Brussels, PhD Munich

## NON-STIPENDIARY RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

Ursula Hackett, BA MPhil Oxf Tim Huijts, BSc MSc PhD Radboud Jon Mellon, BA MSc DPhil Oxf Andreas Murr, MA PhD Essex, Dipl Bamberg

#### VISITING FELLOWSHIPS

John Kay, MA Edin, MA Oxf Gregg McClymont, MA Glas, MA Pennsylvania, DPhil Oxf Sharon White, BA Camb, MSc UCL Sharon Witherspoon

#### ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIPS

Mary Beth Altier, BA Drew, MA PhD Princeton Richard Baldwin, BA Wisconsin, MSc LSE, PhD MIT Stuart Basten, BA MPhil PhD Camb Yekaterina Chzhen, BA American, Bulgaria, MA Central European, IMPALLA Leuven, PhD York Vincent Crawford, AB MA Princeton, PhD MIT Johan Bo Davidsson, MA Birm, MSc Gothenburg, PhD EUI Evelyn Ersanilli, BA MSc Utrecht, PhD **VU** Amsterdam Péter Eső, BA Budapest University of Economics, MA PhD Harvard Jane Gingrich, BA Queen's, Canada, MA PhD Berkeley Cameron Hepburn, BEng LLB Melbourne, MPhil DPhil Oxf Man Yee Kan, BSS MPhil Hong Kong, MSc DPhil Oxf Mark Levels, BSc MSc PhD Radboud Sergi Pardos-Prado, BA MRes UA Barcelona, MRes PhD EUI

Gordon Rausser, BS California State at Fresno, MS PhD California at Davis David Stuckler, BS Texas at Arlington, MPH Yale, PhD Camb Abiye Teklemariam, LLB Addis Ababa,

LLM Tillburg Sarah von Billerbeck, BA Berkeley, MSc Georgetown, DPhil Oxf

#### **Obituaries**

#### Keble

The Revd James Frederick Blades, 20 December 2013; 1953. Aged 89. Christopher Stacey Clark, 18 January 2014; 1945. Aged 87. The Revd Michael John Hardy,

5 January 2014; 1955. Aged 78. Hugh Richard Jackson, 22 February 2014; 1965. Aged 67.

The Revd Canon Alexander Francis Joseph (Sandy) Lofthouse, 9 February 2014; 1951. Aged 83.

John Anthony Tregarthen Richards, 8 December 2013; 1954. Aged 79.

John Imre Bernard Emmanuel Ross, 19 February 2014; 1949. Aged 83. John Harper Shaw, 25 November 2013;

1975. Aged 56. John Andrew Stirrup, 9 January 2014;

1981. Aged 51.

#### Merton

Philip Blakeley, February 2014; Postmaster 1937. Aged 95.

**Professor Stuart Henry McPhail Hall**, 10 February 2014; Rhodes Scholar 1951. Aged 82.

Gerald McLoughlin, 4 January 2014; 1953. Aged 82.

**Colin Wild**, 14 November 2013; 1952. Aged 79.

#### St Hilda's

Joan Hill, 15 February 2014; 1946. Aged 92.

#### Elections

12 June

Nominations for the elections below will close at **4pm on 15 May**.

#### Council

One member of Congregation elected by Congregation from members of the faculties in the divisions of Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences and of Medical Sciences

Current/Retiring Member To hold office until

Professor P A Robbins, Queen's MT 2018

One member of Congregation elected by Congregation from members of the faculties in the divisions of Humanities and of Social Sciences

Current/Retiring Member To hold office until

Dr J B W Nightingale, Magdalen MT 2018

One member of Congregation, not necessarily being a member of any division and not in any case being nominated in a divisional capacity, elected by Congregation

Current/Retiring Member To hold office until

Dr H R Dorkins, St Peter's MT 2018

*Note*: Full details of Council's remit, composition, functions and powers can be found at: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/ statutes/783-121.shtml.

Elected members of Council will ordinarily be expected to serve on a small number of other committees (typically between one and three, usually including at least one of the main committees of Council: ie PRAC, GPC, Education Committee, Personnel Committee, Research Committee).

For further information, please contact the Deputy University Secretary (emma. rampton@admin.ox.ac.uk).

#### **Committees reporting to Council**

#### BUILDINGS AND ESTATES SUBCOMMITTEE

#### One person elected by Congregation

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Professor R G Ratcliffe,	MT 2017
New College	

For further information, please contact the Secretary (ellen.hudspith@admin.ox.ac. uk).

#### CONTINUING EDUCATION BOARD

Two members of the Department for Continuing Education elected by and from among the members of the department

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Dr E A Gemmill, Kellogg	MT 2017
Dr N Ghanea, Kellogg	MT 2017

*Note*: For the purposes of this election, the members of the department are the professors, readers, university lecturers and other staff on grade 8 and above who work in the department.

For further information, please contact the Secretary (peter.gambles@admin.ox.ac.uk).

#### NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE

Two members of Congregation elected by Congregation

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Dr J M A Ashbourn, St Cross	MT 2017
Professor D G Fraser, Worcester	MT 2017

For further information, please contact the Secretary (diana.hulin@admin.ox.ac.uk).

#### SOCIALLY RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE

One member of Congregation elected by Congregation from members of the faculties in the divisions of Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences and of Medical Sciences

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Professor G Henderson,	MT 2017
University College	

One member of Congregation elected by Congregation from members of the faculties in the divisions of Humanities and of Social Sciences

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Dr B Caldicott, Smith School of	MT 2017
Enterprise and the Environmen	t

For further information, please contact the Secretary (diana.hulin@admin.ox.ac.uk).

#### Other Committees and University Bodies

#### VISITORS OF THE ASHMOLEAN MUSEUM

Two members of Congregation elected by Congregation

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Vacancy	MT 2018
Vacancy	MT 2018

*Note*: Further information on the Visitors can be found at: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/ statutes/regulations/489-112.shtml.

For further information, please contact the Secretary (christopher.brown@ashmus. ox.ac.uk).

#### CURATORS OF THE UNIVERSITY PARKS

One person elected by Congregation

Current/Retiring Member	To hold
	office until
Dr T Bradshaw, Regent's Park	MT 2020

For further information, please contact the Secretary (lindsay.freeman@admin.ox.ac. uk).

#### COMMITTEE FOR THE RUSKIN SCHOOL OF ART

Two other persons holding teaching posts in the Ruskin School, who shall be elected by all those holding such posts except the Ruskin Master of Drawing under arrangements as per Council Regulation 19 of 2002, regulations 31–39

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Mr M G Bull	MT 2017
Ms D Martin, St John's	MT 2017

For further information, please contact the Secretary (bob.green@ruskin-sch.ox.ac.uk).

#### VISITATORIAL BOARD PANEL

Three persons elected by and from Congregation

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Professor M J Banks, Wolfson	MT 2018
Professor M D Goodman, Wolfson	MT 2018
Professor H A Viles, Worcester	MT 2018

*Note*: Further information on the board can be found at: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/ statutes/353-051a.shtml and www.admin. ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/248-062. shtml.

For further information, please contact the Secretary (felicity.burchett@admin.ox.ac. uk).

#### **Divisional Boards**

### MATHEMATICAL, PHYSICAL AND LIFE SCIENCES BOARD

One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Plant Sciences

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Professor L Dolan, Magdalen	MT 2018
One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Materials	
Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Professor A I Kirkland, Linacre	MT 2018
One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Zoology	
Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until

	office until
Professor B C Sheldon, Wolfson	MT 2018

For further information, please contact the Secretary (saira.shaikh@mpls.ox.ac.uk).

#### **Faculty Boards**

#### BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF CLASSICS

Two persons elected by and from among the members of the Sub-faculty of Ancient History

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Dr L Kallet, University College	MT 2016
Professor I S Lemos, Merton	MT 2016

One person elected by and from among the members of the Sub-faculty of Classical Languages and Literature

Current/Retiring Member	To hold
	office until
Professor A J Willi, Worcester	MT 2016

For further information, please contact the Secretary (administrator@classics.ox.ac.uk).

#### BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

Four persons elected by and from the members of the Faculty of English Language and Literature

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Dr N A Halmi, University College	MT 2016
Dr F R Johnston, St Anne's	MT 2016
Dr L Pratt, Linacre	MT 2016
Professor D J Womersley,	MT 2016
St Catherine's	

For further information, please contact the Secretary (lindsay.rudge@ell.ox.ac.uk).

#### BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF HISTORY

Two persons elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of History holding posts on the establishment or under the aegis of the board

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Professor P J Hämäläinen,	MT 2016
St Catherine's	
Dr M Whittow, Corpus Christi	MT 2016

For further information, please contact the Secretary (administrator@history.ox.ac.uk).

## BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF LINGUISTICS, PHILOLOGY AND PHONETICS

Three persons elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Dr S R Parkinson, Linacre	MT 2016
Dr E M Payne, St Hilda's	MT 2016
Dr P Probert, Wolfson	MT 2016

For further information, please contact the Secretary (susanne.hemmerich@ling-phil. ox.ac.uk).

## BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF ORIENTAL STUDIES

One person elected by the members of the Faculty of Oriental Studies

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Professor B J Ter Haar,	MT 2016
University College	

For further information, please contact the Secretary (thomas.hall@orinst.ox.ac.uk).

#### BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF PHILOSOPHY

Three persons elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Philosophy

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Dr E M Fricker, Magdalen	MT 2016
Professor T H Irwin, Keble	MT 2016
Professor S J Mulhall,	MT 2016
New College	

For further information, please contact the Secretary (tom.moore@philosophy.ox.ac. uk).

#### BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF THEOLOGY AND RELIGION

Five ordinary members elected by and from all members of the faculty exclusive of the persons qualified to be Official Members as per Regulation 19.7

Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Dr M J Edwards, Christ Church The Revd Canon Professor M W Percy, Ripon College Dr J D S Rasmussen, Mansfield Professor C M Tuckett, Pembroke Dr J Zachhuber, Trinity	MT 2016 MT 2016 MT 2016 MT 2016 MT 2016
Two official members elected by all members of the faculty and from the persons qualified to be Official Members as per Regulation 19.7	
Current/Retiring Member	To hold office until
Canon Professor G L Pattison, Christ Church	MT 2016
Professor G G Stroumsa	MT 2016

For further information, please contact the Secretary (frances.jenkins@theology.ox.ac. uk).

#### Notes:

Nominations in writing for the elections on 12 June, by four members of Congregation other than the candidate, will be received by the Elections Office, University Offices, Wellington Square, up to **4pm on 15 May**.

At least one nomination in respect of each candidate must be made on an official nomination form (available at www. admin.ox.ac.uk/elections/oxonly/forms/ index.shtml). Council has decided that nominations should show for each signatory the name and college or department in block capitals. Any names which are not so shown may not be published.

Candidates are 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. In the event of a contested election, these statements will be available online at www.admin.ox.ac.uk/ elections and published in the *Gazette* dated 29 May. Voters may wish to wait until they have read these statements before returning their ballot papers.

Ballot papers will be sent out to members of Congregation as soon as possible after the closing date for nominations. Completed ballot papers must be received by the Elections Office not later than **4pm on 12 June**.

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

## **Advertisements**

#### **Advertising enquiries**

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#### Miscellaneous

#### Gazette publication arrangements

Advertisers are asked to note that the remaining *Gazettes* of Hilary term will be published on 20 and 27 March; the 27 March issue, however, will be limited to University business only, so will not contain classified advertisements. Publication for Trinity term will begin on 24 April. Please note that due to Easter there is an early deadline of 9 April for the *Gazette* to be published on 24 April.

#### **Book fair**

**PBFA Oxford Book Fair** at Oxford Brookes, Headington Campus, Gypsy Lane, Sat 26 Apr (12–6pm) and Sun 27 Apr (10am–4pm). Admission £2. Vast selection of antiquarian and collectable books, prints and ephemera with more than 100 exhibiting booksellers. See: www.oxfordbookfair.org. Tel: 07703 652965.

#### UK Brain Bank for Autism and Related Developmental Research, JR

The developing brain is altered in autism but neuroscientists do not know how or why. Research is needed to understand the causes and biological basis of autism, to develop better interventions to improve the lives of those directly affected by it. Such critical research is hindered by the scarcity of donated human brain tissue. Control tissue, donated by people who do not have autism, is needed for comparison just as much as donations by people who do - and the NHS organ donor scheme does not include brain donation. We particularly want younger people to consider making a pledge to donate their brain after death (the further the brain is from its inception, the more difficult it is to understand the process of its development, so we do not take donations from people over 65 not directly affected by autism). See www. brainbankforautism.org.uk for information and to register as a donor.

#### **Restore Garden Café**

**Spacious café set in award-winning gardens** with delicious food and coffees using organic, fair-trade and local produce where possible. Plants, handmade gifts and cards for sale. Open Mon-Sat, 10am-4pm, Manzil Way, Cowley Rd, Oxford OX4 1YH. All proceeds to Restore, Oxfordshire mental health charity (registered charity number 274222): www. restore.org.uk.

#### **Craft Courses**

Ardington School of Crafts offers short courses with practising craftspeople in beautiful surroundings near Wantage. 150 courses between 1 and 3 days, from stained glass and silver jewellery to textiles and carving, all held in our well-equipped workshops. Unearth your hidden talents and discover why people keep coming back to Ardington School of Crafts. Gift vouchers available. See: www.ardingtonschoolofcrafts. com. Tel: 01235 833433.

#### **Research participants sought**

Healthy volunteers (35-59, right-handed) wanted for a study investigating the brain's response to exercise. The study will involve coming to the John Radcliffe Hospital for an MRI scan and an exercise test. We will test if how fit you are affects the brain. Compensation for time and travel provided. Contact oxfordexercisestudy@gmail.com or 01865 222780.

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History of Art Committee; Laurence Binyon Prize 2014; open to all members of the University who have not exceeded 21 terms from matriculation; for travel to Asia, the Far East or another area outside Europe (not related to academic discipline) to extend knowledge and appreciation of the visual arts; up to £1,000; 27 March; www.hoa.ox.ac. uk/applicants/funding/laurence-binyonprize.html

#### **Chinese Government Scholarships**

Chinese Government Scholarships; open to final-year undergraduates and postgraduates; 3 full scholarships offering up to 7 years of funding, including up to 2 years of Chinese language tuition (if needed); 19 March; www. ox.ac.uk/feesandfunding/graduates/ internationalopportunities/chinese

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Hertford; various scholarships: Carreras Scholarship in Natural Sciences, 2 Mann Scholarships (1 normally in Humanities/ Social Sciences, the other open to all disciplines), Drapers' Scholarship in Arts and Humanities, and Worshipful Company of Scientific Instrument Makers Scholarship (open to those involved in the design of instrumentation, rather than simply its use); each £5,000 pa for 2 years with certain dining rights; 28 March; www.hertford. ox.ac.uk/discover-hertford/graduates/ graduate-scholarships

#### Spalding Scholarship in Neurosurgery

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#### **University of Oxford**

Faculty of Theology and Religion; Oriel and Laing Professorship of the Interpretation of Holy Scripture; 14 April; www.ox.ac.uk/ about\_the\_university/jobs/fp

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Jesus; Access and Career Development Fellow; £29,837; 10 April; www.jesus.ox.ac. uk

Jesus; non-stipendiary Junior Research Fellowship in Engineering; £2,227 salary enhancement; 10 April; www.jesus.ox.ac.uk

Keble; Alumni and Development Officer; £18,000-£23,000; noon, 17 March; www. keble.ox.ac.uk Lady Margaret Hall and Merton; 2 Career Development Fellowships in Economics; £31,644-£34,565; noon, 7 April; www.lmh. ox.ac.uk or stadministrator@lmh.ox.ac.uk

Pembroke; Development Administrator; 9am, 24 March; www.pmb.ox.ac.uk/ vacancies

Queen's; College Office Trainee; £13,977; 3 April; www.queens.ox.ac.uk/aboutqueens/vacancies

Somerville; Fulford non-stipendiary Junior Research Fellowships; noon, 7 April; www. some.ox.ac.uk/jobs

#### **External Vacancies**

University of Cambridge; Sinyi Professorship of Chinese Management; 7 April; www.admin.cam.ac.uk/offices/ academic/secretary/professorships

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