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Council and Main Committees

Congregation

20 October

Degree by Resolution

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Council of the University

Register of Congregation

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

Al-Rashid, M N, Wolfson
Barban, N, Nuffield
Biswas, S, Hertford
Cairns, A E, Oriel
Chowdhury, O, New College
Daniels, M J, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
Darowski, A, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
Favereau, M, Faculty of History
Forster, E A H, St Anne's
Gowers, B G, Keble
Hamilton, T B, Hertford
Liccardi, I, Oxford e-Research Centre
Martin, A C, Nuffield Department of Primary Care Health Sciences
Monod, P K, Keble
Nair, S B, IT Services
Nevado-Holdago, A J, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
Nsanzabana, C, Centre for Clinical Vaccinology and Tropical Medicine
Rose, N R, St John's
Schaaf, L J, Bodleian Special Collections
Stockdale, Z C, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine (Strategic)
Valentine, J E, Department of Engineering Science
Venter, C, Merton
Woolley, T E, St John's

Congregation

Congregation

27 October

Degree by Resolution

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Congregation

4 November 2pm

¶ Members of Congregation are reminded that any two members may, not later than **noon on 27 October**, give notice in writing to the Registrar that they wish to speak or to ask a question concerning the Vice-Chancellor's Oration at (1) or intend to oppose or amend the resolution at (2) below (see the note on the conduct of business in Congregation below). If such notice has not been given, and unless Council has declared otherwise or the meeting has been adjourned, the Oration shall be presented and the resolution carried, and the meeting may be cancelled.

(1) Presentation of Vice-Chancellor's Oration

The Oration delivered by the Vice-Chancellor on 7 October will be presented and may be discussed.

¶ The Oration was published as Supplement (1) to *Gazette* No 5072.

(2) Voting on a Resolution authorising the use of space in the St Cross Building

Explanatory Note

The St Cross Building was constructed in the early 1960s to provide accommodation for the libraries, lecture theatres and offices of the Faculties of Law and English, which remain in the building today, and the Institute of Economics and Statistics, which was absorbed into the Department

of Economics in 2000 and relocated to the neighbouring Manor Road Building.

In July 2014, Council gave project approval for Phase II of a project to redevelop the St Cross Building. The key aims of these works are to provide reconfigured and improved space for all building occupants and better access for those with mobility impairments. Phase I of the redevelopment brought vacant space into use, increasing the area available to the Faculty of Law. Phase II will further increase the space available to the faculty, enabling one of its sub-units - the Centre for Criminology - to move into the building.

As the Phase II increase will take the faculty's total allocation within the St Cross Building above the threshold of 600 sqm, a Resolution of Congregation is required, and Council now commends this use of space to Congregation.

Text of Resolution

That approximately 957 sqm net usable area in the St Cross Building (building number 228) be allocated to the Faculty of Law from 15 September 2015 or from the commencement of the construction stage of the project (whichever is the later date) for a period of five years in the first instance.

Congregation

18 November 2pm

Possible changes to Statute XII: topic for discussion

A Discussion on the topic of 'Possible changes to Statute XII' will take place at the Congregation meeting on 18 November (week 6) at 2pm.

In Hilary term 2014, members of Congregation and all University staff were invited to respond to a consultation about possible changes to Statute XII, the statute that governs matters such as discipline, dismissal and grievance procedures for all University staff of grade 6 and above. The consultation identified a number of shortcomings of the present statute and sought views on various amendments that could be made to the statute in order to address them. In the light of the responses received, Personnel Committee has

identified a number of possible changes for discussion, and these are set out in the supplement published with this week's *Gazette*. The Discussion in Congregation will provide an opportunity for views to be expressed before detailed proposals are developed for a second round of consultation.

Following the Discussion at Congregation and the publication of its proceedings in the *Gazette*, there will be an opportunity for University staff to send in by email further comment arising from the Discussion.

Arrangements for the meeting

The meeting will be held in the Sheldonian Theatre. Given the coverage of the statute and the role of the Discussion in the consultation process, employees of the University who are not members of Congregation will be welcome to attend and to speak (on the basis set out below). The meeting will also be open to the nominated representatives of the Oxford University Student Union (OUSU) as agreed in advance by the Vice-Chancellor. Admittance to the theatre will be on the production of a valid University card and will be on a first-come, first-served basis (places will be reserved for scheduled speakers). The doors of the theatre will open at 1.45pm.

The Vice-Chancellor has decided that the wearing of gowns shall be optional on this occasion.

Advance notice by speakers

Those wishing to speak at the meeting will be expected to limit their contributions to five minutes. As the meeting is expected to close by 4.30pm, it may not be possible to call all those who wish to speak, and priority will be given to members of Congregation. If you wish to speak at the meeting, you are asked to indicate this intention in advance by emailing congregation.meeting@admin.ox.ac.uk. It would be helpful if those intending to speak would explain briefly (in no more than 25 words) what issues they wish to cover. Names of those who have indicated a wish to speak, together with the issues they wish to raise, will be published on the Congregation website (www.admin.ox.ac.uk/councilsec/governance/congregation). This sharing of information may be of use both to other speakers and to those considering attending; it will also be used to provide structure to the order in which speakers are called. Speakers are asked to provide their information as soon as possible, and by **noon on Friday 14 November** at the latest, if they wish to be scheduled to speak. If time permits, those who have not indicated in advance

an intention to speak will still be free to do so. The Vice-Chancellor will also invite two nominated representatives of OUSU to speak.

Transcript

It is intended that a transcript¹ of the meeting will be published in the *Gazette* of 27 November and, before then, on the University website (www.admin.ox.ac.uk/councilsec/governance/congregation). As a result of time constraints, it will not be possible to check the report of the proceedings with individual speakers before publication.

¹The transcript may be edited for legal reasons.

Congregation 27 November

Elections

DIVISIONAL BOARDS

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board
Social Sciences Board

FACULTY BOARDS

Board of the Faculty of Classics

Details are in 'Elections' section below.

Congregation 4 December

Elections

DIVISIONAL BOARDS

Humanities Board

FACULTY BOARDS

Board of the Faculty of History
Board of the Faculty of Theology and Religion

Details are in 'Elections' section below.

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 distribution changes

From the start of Hilary term 2015, we are changing the way in which deliveries of the *Gazette* are managed. This also affects the other publications delivered alongside the *Gazette*.

WHAT CURRENTLY HAPPENS?

At the moment, when new members of Congregation complete their application form, they are asked to tick a box if they want to receive the *Gazette*. If they tick this box, they receive copies of the *Gazette* to the address registered on their Congregation form, accompanied by *Blueprint* and the *Oxford Magazine*. The limitations of this system are:

- anyone who wishes to receive one of the publications must also have the other two
- members of University and college staff who are not also members of Congregation may not receive these print publications
- deliveries can only be made to certain buildings.

WHAT IS CHANGING?

An opt-in subscription service is now available at www.staffsubs.ox.ac.uk, where any member of University or college staff with an Oxford username (single sign-on account) can:

- opt into receiving email notifications of new online issues of the *Gazette*, *Blueprint*, the *Oxford Magazine* and/or the OUP Annual Report (which can be sent to any email address)
- opt into deliveries of printed editions of the *Gazette*, *Blueprint*, the *Oxford Magazine* and/or the OUP Annual Report, and choose their preferred delivery address from a list of all college or University buildings.

We are also pleased to offer the option for staff to receive email notifications when new issues of *Oxford Today*, the University's alumni magazine, are published online.

WHY IS THIS CHANGE HAPPENING?

- Avoiding waste: we know that we currently send lots of issues of publications to people who don't want them, because we haven't previously been able to record individuals' preferences (which means that, for instance, we are sending 36 issues of the *Gazette* each year to people who only want *Blueprint*).
- Expanding distribution: by having our own database we can offer everyone - not just members of Congregation - access to the *Gazette* and other publications.
- Encouraging readers to access the online *Gazette* instead of receiving print copies.

WHY SHOULD I READ THE GAZETTE ONLINE?

We would like to encourage staff to read the *Gazette* (and *Blueprint*) online, to save environmental and financial resources. Advantages of reading online include:

- Earlier access to content - the *Gazette* and *Blueprint* are available online on Thursday mornings; print copies are not delivered until Fridays.
- We send weekly emails listing all new and important information contained in the latest issue of the *Gazette*, with links directly to those notices and to popular content (such as job vacancies and classified adverts).
- Emails are also sent for each new issue of *Blueprint*, with details of articles and features.
- There are links throughout the *Gazette* straight to further information - no need to type URLs.
- You can read issues on computers, phones, tablets - anywhere you have access to the internet.
- You can download PDFs to your device for reading offline later (or print them if you want hard copies of certain issues/supplements).
- You have access to 20 years' back issues of the *Gazette*, all of which can be searched by year and keyword.

(From January 2015, the *Oxford Magazine* will also be available online.)

However, we know that not everyone can - or wants to - read online editions. We are therefore continuing to make each publication available as a print edition.

WHAT DO I NEED TO DO?

Members of staff

If you have **already set up email alerts** for new online issues of the *Gazette* and/or *Blueprint*, and you want to continue receiving these and not make any other changes, there is nothing you need to do - your email alerts will continue to arrive as before.

If you want to **start receiving email notifications of new online issues** of the *Gazette*, *Blueprint*, the *Oxford Magazine*, the OUP Annual Report and/or *Oxford Today*, visit www.staffsubs.ox.ac.uk and set your preferences.

If you wish to receive (or continue to receive) print copies of the *Gazette* and/or *Blueprint* and/or the *Oxford Magazine*, visit www.staffsubs.ox.ac.uk and set your preferences. **If you don't complete the webform, you will not receive any print copies of any of these publications with effect from January 2015.**

Retired members of Congregation

If you responded to our letter last year confirming that you do still want to receive the *Gazette*, we will continue to send you the *Gazette*, *Blueprint* and the *Oxford Magazine* as before. If you don't want to change this, you don't need to do anything. However, if you would like to change which publications you receive, or the address at which you receive them, please email us at gazette@admin.ox.ac.uk or telephone 01865 280549 to let us know your new preferences.

Paid subscribers

If you have paid for your subscription this academic year, you will continue to receive the *Gazette*, *Blueprint* and the *Oxford Magazine* (or just the *Oxford Magazine*, depending on your subscription) until the end of the 2014/15 academic year. If you don't want to change this, you don't need to do anything. However, if you would like to change which publications you receive, please email us at gazette@admin.ox.ac.uk or telephone 01865 280549 to let us know your new preferences.

Library, common room, reception and porters' lodge copies

These will continue to be delivered as before.

OUP staff

We will contact you by email to confirm your preferences.

Any other readers

If you do not fall into one of the above categories, please see www.ox.ac.uk/subscriptions for information about the options available to you.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, and the answers to frequently asked questions, please see www.ox.ac.uk/gazette/subs.

Selection Committees

Composition of Selection Committees

The composition of the selection committees to the posts below, proceedings to fill which are currently in progress, is as follows:

PRO-VICE-CHANCELLOR (ACADEMIC SERVICES AND UNIVERSITY COLLECTIONS)

	<i>Appointed by</i>
Mr Vice-Chancellor	<i>ex officio</i>
The Principal of Somerville	Council
Professor S Mapstone	Council
Professor A Buchan	Council
Professor R Goodman	Council
Professor A Halliday	Council
Professor S West	Council
The Senior Proctor	Council

HEADSHIP OF THE MATHEMATICAL, PHYSICAL AND LIFE SCIENCES DIVISION

	<i>Appointed by</i>
Mr Vice-Chancellor	<i>ex officio</i>
Sir John Beddington	Council
Professor Sir Keith Burnett	Council
Professor L Gladden	Council
Professor A McLean	Council
Professor Sir Peter Ratcliffe	Council
Professor L Tarassenko	Council
Professor J Wheeler	Council

Lectures

Humanities

Faculties of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics and Medieval and Modern Languages

ROMANCE LINGUISTICS SEMINAR

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Thursdays in room 3, Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages, unless otherwise noted. Convener: Professor Martin Maiden

Dr Pavel Štichauer, Charles
5.30pm, 23 Oct: 'VN compounds in Italian from the 16th century onwards: an exploitation of a word-formation pattern'

Dr Antonio Fortin, Manchester
6 Nov: 'The expressive dimension of Spanish evaluative affixes'

Dr Márcia Cristina do Carmo, UCL
20 Nov: 'Phonological variation in São Paulo Brazilian Portuguese'

Dr Sandra Paoli
4 Dec: 'Between *friulano* and *veneto*: the case of tergestino'

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

Department of Chemistry

ASTOR LECTURE

Professor George Whitesides, Harvard, will deliver the Astor Lecture at 4pm on 31 October in the Mathematical Institute.
Subject: 'Simplicity as a strategy in research. "Simplicity" as a component of invention'

PHYSICAL AND THEORETICAL CHEMISTRY LABORATORY: THEORETICAL CHEMISTRY GROUP SEMINARS

The following seminars will be given at 4.45pm on Mondays in the John Rowlinson Seminar Room (PTCL) unless otherwise noted. All welcome. Convener: Professor JPK Doye

Dr Edina Rosta, London
27 Oct: 'Catalytic mechanism of phosphate cleavage reactions'

Dr Jochen Blumberger, London
10 Nov: 'Electron transport in proteins and organic semiconductors: insights from molecular computations'

Professor Joel Bowman, Emory
24 Nov: 'Embedded local quantum dynamics using many-body high-dimensional potential energy surfaces: applications to water clusters, ice and liquid'

Department of Plant Sciences

INAUGURAL LECTURE

Professor John Mackay, Wood Professor of Forest Science, will deliver his Inaugural Lecture at 5pm on 6 November in the Examination Schools.
Subject: 'Mapping the future of trees and forests in era of global environmental change - from adaptability to sustainability'

Social Sciences

Department of International Development

CHILDREN AND YOUTH IN A CHANGING WORLD: INTER-DEPARTMENTAL SEMINAR SERIES

The following seminars will be given at 5pm on Tuesdays in Seminar Room 1, Department of International Development, QEH, 3 Mansfield Road. Convener: Caroline Knowles

Nikki Luke and Judy Sebba
4 Nov: 'What influences the education outcomes of young people in care? The interplay of emotional well-being, care history, school environment and local authority context'

Andy Cunningham
11 Nov: 'Kenya's first National Children's Government: implications for educational research, policy and practice'

Jamie McLaren Lachman
18 Nov: 'Development of a randomised controlled trial evaluation of a parenting programme to reduce the risk of child maltreatment in Cape Town, South Africa'

Elaine Chase

25 Nov: '“Becoming adult”: transitions at 18 for young people subject to immigration control in the UK'

Gina Crivello

2 Dec: '“There's no future here”: the time and place of children's migration aspirations in Peru'

Institutes, Centres and Museums

Oxford Martin School

Please note change to advertised date:
 The panel discussion featuring **Professor Charles Godfray**, **Professor Ian Goldin**, **Professor Sarah Harper**, **Professor Yadvinder Malhi** and **Dr Toby Ord** will now take place at 5pm on 18 November.
Subject: 'Is the planet full?'

Colleges, Halls and Societies

St Cross

ST CROSS COLLEGE SERIES IN THE HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY OF PHYSICS

A one-day conference will be held on 22 November at St Cross as the first event in this new series. Free. Details and registration: www.stx.ox.ac.uk/happ/events/wittgenstein-and-physics-one-day-conference.

Subject: 'Wittgenstein and physics'

Examinations and Boards

Examinations for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

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Elections

Examinations for the Degree of Master of Philosophy

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Examinations for the Degree of Master of Science

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Elections

27 November

Nominations for the elections below will close at **4pm on 30 October**.

Divisional Boards

MATHEMATICAL, PHYSICAL AND LIFE SCIENCES BOARD

One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Computer Science

<i>Current/Retiring Member</i>	<i>To hold office until</i>
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Professor M J Wooldridge, Hertford	MT 2017
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For further information, please contact the Secretary (saira.shaikh@mpls.ox.ac.uk).

SOCIAL SCIENCES BOARD

One person elected by and from the academic members of the Saïd Business School

<i>Current/Retiring Member</i>	<i>To hold office until</i>
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Professor R K Westbrook, St Hugh's	MT 2016
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For further information, please contact the Secretary (rachel.meyrick@admin.ox.ac.uk).

Faculty Boards

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF CLASSICS

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

<i>Current/Retiring Member</i>	<i>To hold office until</i>
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Professor M G L Leigh, St Anne's	MT 2015
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For further information, please contact the Secretary (administrator@classics.ox.ac.uk).

Notes:

Nominations in writing for the elections on 27 November, by four members of Congregation other than the candidate, will be received by the Elections Office, University Offices, Wellington Square, up to **4pm on 30 October**.

At least one nomination in respect of each candidate must be made on an official nomination form (available on www.admin.ox.ac.uk/elections/oxonly/forms/index.shtml).

All candidates are asked to note the general requirements which apply to all committee members, as set out in Council Regulations 14 of 2002 (General Regulations of Council for Committees) (www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/519-122.shtml). Current members seeking re-election are also asked to check for specific restrictions on consecutive service.

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 13 November. 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 27 November**.

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

Advertisements

Elections

4 December

Nominations for the elections below will close at **4pm on 6 November**.

Divisional Boards

HUMANITIES BOARD

One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages

<i>Current/Retiring Member</i>	<i>To hold office until</i>
Dr C B Louth, Queen's	MT 2016

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

Faculty Boards

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF HISTORY

One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of History holding a post on the establishment or under the aegis of the board

<i>Current/Retiring Member</i>	<i>To hold office until</i>
Professor N L Goldman, St Peter's	MT 2015

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

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF THEOLOGY AND RELIGION

One Official Member elected by all members of the faculty as per Regulation 10 of Council Regulations 19 of 2002

<i>Current/Retiring Member</i>	<i>To hold office until</i>
Professor C Fraenkel	MT 2016

Two Ordinary Members elected by and from all members of the faculty exclusive of the persons qualified to be Official Members as per Regulation 10 of Council Regulations 19 of 2002

Current/Retiring Member

Professor M Bockmuehl, Keble	MT 2016
Professor Jan Westerhoff, Mansfield	MT 2016

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

Notes:

Nominations in writing for the elections on 4 December by four members of Congregation other than the candidate will be received by the Elections Office, at the University Offices, Wellington Square, up to **4pm on 6 November**.

At least one nomination in respect of each candidate must be made on an official nomination form (available on www.admin.ox.ac.uk/elections/oxonly/forms/index.shtml).

All candidates are asked to note the general requirements which apply to all committee members, as set out in Council Regulations 14 of 2002 (General Regulations of Council for Committees) (www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/519-122.shtml). Current members seeking re-election are also asked to check for specific restrictions on consecutive service.

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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 4 December**.

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

To hold office until

Advertising enquiries

Email: gazette.ads@admin.ox.ac.uk

Telephone: 01865 (2)80548

Web: www.ox.ac.uk/gazette/classifiedadvertising

Deadline

Advertisements are to be received by **noon on Wednesday** of the week before publication (ie eight days before publication). Advertisements must be submitted online.

Charges

Commercial advertisers: £30 per insertion of up to 70 words, or £60 per insertion of 71–150 words.

Private advertisers: £20 per insertion of up to 70 words, or £40 per insertion of 71–150 words.

See our website for examples of whether an advertisement is considered commercial or private: www.ox.ac.uk/gazette/classifiedadvertising.

Online submission and payment

Advertisements must be submitted and paid for online, using a credit card or debit card, through a secure website. For details, see www.ox.ac.uk/gazette/classifiedadvertising.

Extracts from the terms and conditions of acceptance of advertisements

General

1. Advertisements are accepted for publication at the discretion of the editor of the *Gazette*.

Note. When an advertisement is received online, an acknowledgement will be emailed automatically to the email address provided by the advertiser. The sending of this acknowledgement does not constitute an acceptance of the advertisement or an undertaking to publish the advertisement in the *Gazette*.

2. The right of the *Gazette* to edit an advertisement, in particular to abridge when necessary, is reserved.

3. Advertisements must be accompanied by the correct payment, and must be received by the deadline stated above. *No refund can be made for cancellation after the acceptance of advertisements.*

4. Once an advertisement has been submitted for publication, no change to the text can be accepted.

5. Voucher copies or cuttings cannot be supplied.

Charges

6. Two separate charging arrangements will apply, for commercial and private advertisers. The rates applicable at any time will be published regularly in the *Gazette*, and may be obtained upon enquiry. The rates, and guidance on applicability of each rate, are also available online.

The editor's decision regarding applicability of these rates to an individual advertiser will be final.

Disclaimer

7. The University of Oxford and Oxford University Press accept no responsibility for the content of any advertisement published in the *Gazette*. Readers should note that the inclusion of any advertisement in no way implies approval or recommendation of either the terms of any offer contained in it or of the advertiser by the University of Oxford or Oxford University Press.

Advertisers' Warranty and Indemnity

13. The advertiser warrants:

(i) Not to discriminate against any respondents to an advertisement published in the *Gazette* on the basis of their gender, sexual orientation, marital or civil partner status, gender reassignment, race, religion or belief, colour, nationality, ethnic or national origin, disability or age, or pregnancy.

(ii) That the advertisement does not contravene any current legislation, rules, regulations or applicable codes of practice.

(iii) That it is not in any way illegal or defamatory or a breach of copyright or an infringement of any other person's intellectual property or other rights.

You are advised to view our full Terms and Conditions of acceptance of advertisements. Submission of an advertisement implies acceptance of our terms and conditions, which may be found at www.ox.ac.uk/gazette/classifiedadvertising, and may also be obtained on application to Gazette Advertisements, Public Affairs Directorate, University Offices, Wellington Square, Oxford OX1 2JD.

Publication in online *Gazette*

16. Unless the advertiser stipulates otherwise, all advertisements will be published in the online *Gazette* in addition to the printed *Gazette*. At the time of submission of an advertisement, the advertiser may stipulate that he or she does not wish the advertisement to be included in the online *Gazette*. This stipulation: (i) must be made at the time of submission of the advertisement; (ii) cannot later be altered; (iii) will apply to all instances

of publication of an advertisement arranged at the time of submission of that advertisement. Please note that advertisements form part of the online *Gazette* as published and cannot be removed or amended after publication.

Miscellaneous

Information sought

The poet Elizabeth Jennings (1926–2001) was a graduate of St Anne's (1949) and lived most of her life in Oxford. I am currently writing a biography of Jennings and am eager to be in touch with anyone who might have known her. Please contact Dana Greene at green42@gmail.com or 7307 Park Terrace Dr, Alexandria, VA 22307, USA.

Accommodation for tutors sought

OU DCE is looking for accommodation to house summer school tutors and their families during Jul–Aug 2015. Specifically we are looking for 2- or 3-bed houses/apartments within central Oxford (or on a good bus route into the centre) which would be available from around Sat 11 Jul to Sat 1 Aug or Sat 8 Aug (some programmes are 3 weeks, some are 4). Please contact laura.thomlinson@conted.ox.ac.uk.

Study Day on Gerard Manley Hopkins

The Oxford Centre for Spiritual Growth presents a reflective study day exploring the poetry of Gerard Manley Hopkins. Led by Dr Carl Schmidt, Emeritus Fellow of Balliol, with meditations by The Revd Canon Mark Oakley, St Paul's Cathedral, and The Revd Georgie Simpson, Oxford Centre for Spiritual Growth. Sat, 22 Nov, 10am–4pm at Corpus Christi; £35 including refreshments; some concessions available. Booking and prepayment essential. Register interest by contacting Georgie Simpson: info@ocsg.uk.net, 07803 031977, www.ocsg.uk.net.

Grant writing expertise needed

Cruse Bereavement Care offers free counselling support to anyone who is bereaved. In 2013–14 Oxfordshire Cruse provided bereavement support to 294 people ranging in age from 19 to 85. In the current challenging economic climate, Oxfordshire Cruse is in need of help from people with experience in identifying funding and writing grant applications. Please help us help the bereaved. Contact Sarah Westcott on sarahmwestcott@phonecoop.coop or at 01865 251421.

Meetings of the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene (RSTMH)

Two meetings: Vector-borne diseases – 21 Nov, SOAS, London. A 1-day meeting organised in association with various other societies within the Federation of European Societies for Tropical Medicine and International Health (FESTMIH). Registration: <https://rstmh.org/events/vector-borne>. Also:

Research in progress – 10 Dec, IOE, London. A 1-day meeting for young researchers and students to present unpublished research in progress through short oral presentations and posters. Seeking high-quality abstracts from early-career investigators, including PhD students, across all disciplines of global health. Abstract submission and registration (closes 31 Oct): <https://rstmh.org/events/research-progress-2014>.

Department for Continuing Education Open Day

The open day on Tues 4 Nov will feature over 40 events: short lectures, workshops, walking tours, information sessions. The department offers over 1,000 programmes annually for part-time adult learners – from day schools to full-blown Oxford Masters' and DPhils in the Humanities, Social Sciences, Health Sciences. We also partner with other University departments to create bespoke programmes. Join us and learn more! For full information and registration: www.conted.ox.ac.uk/openday.

Abbeyfield Oxford Society

Supported retirement living places now available at Brian Lewis House, St Clement's (a lovely Victorian home). Residents enjoy: an independent lifestyle with no worries about cooking and cleaning; their own ensuite room, communal areas, conservatory and large garden; 24-hour alarm and staff on hand every day. All bills and food included in affordable rent (excl phone calls). For further information, see www.abbeyfieldoxford.org or tel 01865 790439. Registered charity.

Research participants sought

Research project: participants wanted. Are you, or someone you know, interested in taking part in a project that looks at the use of technology? Are you over 60, have issues with sight and hearing and use a piece of technology that supports you to live in your own home? If you are interested in taking part, please get in touch with Dr Kate Hamblin (kate.hamblin@ageing.ox.ac.uk; 01865 612816).

Oxford University Newcomers' Club

The Oxford University Newcomers' Club at the University Club, 11 Mansfield Rd, OX1 3SZ, welcomes the wives, husbands or partners of visiting scholars, of graduate students and of newly appointed academic members of the University. We offer help, advice, information and the opportunity to meet others socially. Informal coffee mornings are held in the club every Wednesday 10.30–12 (excluding the Christmas vacation). Newcomers with children (0–4) meet every Fri in term 10.15–11.45. We have a large programme of events including tours of colleges, museums and other places of interest. Other term-time activities include

a book group, informal conversation group, garden group, antiques group, opportunity to explore Oxfordshire and an opportunities in Oxford group. Visit our website: www.newcomers.ox.ac.uk.

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Large family home with spacious gardens for rent in central Headington. 4 bedrooms, 4 bathrooms. Ideal for University research institutes, hospitals and access to London (£1,950 pm). Available immediately. Contact james.edwards@ndorms.ox.ac.uk.

Flats to let

Charming 2-bedroom flat in north central Oxford (Bardwell Rd), fully furnished, quiet, off-street parking and garage. Best suited to professionals and academics. £1,100 pcm excluding utility bills and council tax. The flat will be vacant from Sept. Longer-term rental preferred. Tel: 01235 770904 evenings or email: b.haist@btinternet.com.

Central north Oxford: available beginning Nov, stylish, spacious lower-ground-floor apartment. 1 double, 1 single bedroom, en-suite bathroom, kitchen, sitting room, conservatory, large private courtyard. Private entrance, 1 off-road parking space, furnished, n-s. 6-month minimum. Single professional. Fantastic quiet location for central Oxford and amenities of Jericho, all within easy walking distance; £1,350 pcm plus utilities and council tax. Tel: 01865 512725 or 07443 226802.

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Accommodation offered

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Female postgrad sought for lovely furnished fourth-floor room in east Oxford. Own shower. Rent negotiable in return for agreed hours of companionship for delightful ex-academic (80) with mild Alzheimer's. Email: penny@pennyjaques.com.

Accommodation sought

German family - professor, judge, 2 children (9 and 7) - looking for 4-bed/3-bed and study house, furnished, to rent from 1 Aug 2015 until 31 Jul 2016. Email: bork@uni-hamburg.de.

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Property for sale

Oxford canal, Wolvercote: narrow boat "Golden Wren". 52 ft, 4 berth (1 double, 1 twin convertible to double), gch, fridge, shower, plumbed toilet etc. BMC 1.5 diesel engine. Well maintained, safety certificate March 2017. Moored Agenda 21 residential mooring, Wolvercote. Cheap, comfortable, characterful accommodation. Price £27,000. Contact: rhys.evans@dpag.ox.ac.uk.

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Students of the University should refer to the Student Funding website for advice on fees and funding at www.ox.ac.uk/feesandfunding.

De Osma Studentship

Vice-Chancellor; De Osma Studentship 2014-15; open to graduate and undergraduate members of Oxford University; to study at Instituto de Valencia de Don Juan, Madrid, for not less than 6 weeks; candidates should be concerned with Spanish studies and have sufficient knowledge of both written and spoken Spanish to make proper use of the Instituto facilities; c£3,000; 28 November; applications to the Vice-Chancellor, University Offices, Wellington Square, Oxford OX1 2JD or anna.alcraft@admin.ox.ac.uk

Europaeum

Europaeum; open to Oxford graduate students to follow an approved programme of study at the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva; at least 3 weeks in 2014-15; €1,000; 5 December; www.ox.ac.uk/students/fees-funding/international/scholarships-exchanges/europaeum

Oxford Martin School

Oxford Martin School; seeking expressions of interest for interdisciplinary research taking a creative approach to the wide range of potential topics under the theme 'Global commons, collective responsibility and market failures'; £100,000-£500,000 pa through partnership scheme; 15 December; www.oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk/research/funding

Philippe Wiener-Maurice Anspach Foundation

Philippe Wiener-Maurice Anspach Foundation; scholarship for DPhil students to conduct research at the Université Libre de Bruxelles in 2015-16; 5 December; www.ox.ac.uk/students/fees-funding/international/scholarships-exchanges/wiener

St John's College, Cambridge: fully funded scholarships

St John's College, Cambridge; fully funded scholarships for 2015: Benefactors' Scholarships (any discipline), Craik Scholarship (Physiological Psychology), J C Hall Scholarship (Law), Paskin Scholarship (Archaeology or Philosophy), Pelling Scholarship (History); open to those who have obtained a place at St John's by 1 April 2015 for MPhil/PhD; £13,600 pa maintenance grant plus approved college/university fees; www.joh.cam.ac.uk/scholarships-studentships/graduate-scholarships

St John's College, Cambridge: Louis Cha Scholarship

St John's College, Cambridge; Louis Cha Scholarship; open to postgraduate students who have obtained a place at St John's by 1 March 2015 for MPhil/PhD in the literature, history and culture of early and dynastic China (pre-1912); £13,600 pa maintenance grant plus approved college/university fees; www.joh.cam.ac.uk/scholarships-studentships/graduate-scholarships

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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Headship of the Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Division

The University wishes to appoint a scientist of distinction to take on the leadership of the Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Division, succeeding Professor Alex Halliday, FRS. This is an exciting opportunity to build on strong foundations and to shape the development of science at a premier research-intensive university. The Head of Division will provide leadership to formulate and advance an ambitious vision that encompasses our research agenda and educational strategy, and which seeks to connect our work more strongly with the other divisions of the University and our many external partners. A key priority is the development and delivery of a bold and exciting plan to renew and refresh the division's physical estate.

Deadline for applications: **28 November**. Start date: 1 September 2015 at the latest. For more details about the post and full application instructions, see www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/jobs/fp.

Applications are particularly welcome from women and black and minority ethnic candidates, who are under-represented in academic posts in Oxford.

Other University vacancies

Saïd Business School; L'Oréal Professorship of Marketing; 15 December; www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/jobs/fp

Department of Economics; Professorship of Economic History; 8 December; www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/jobs/fp

Colleges, Halls and Societies

Brasenose; stipendiary Lecturer in English; £12,757–£14,348 pro rata plus allowances; 3 November; www.bnc.ox.ac.uk/vacancies/academic-vacancies/1295-stipendiary-lecturership-in-english-2015

Christ Church, Merton and St John's; Junior Research Fellows in Arts and Sciences (from Michaelmas term 2015); £22,030 plus accommodation allowance; noon, 28 November; www.merton.ox.ac.uk/jrfs

Merton; stipendiary Lecturer in Mathematics; £4,689 plus benefits; noon, 10 November; www.merton.ox.ac.uk/jobs

Nuffield; Research Officer, Centre for Experimental Social Sciences; £24,259–£28,694; 17 November; www.nuffield.ox.ac.uk/About/Vacancies

St Peter's; Assistant Junior Dean; £2,904 plus meals and accommodation; 31 October; www.spc.ox.ac.uk/content/vacancies-and-scholarships

University College; Junior Research Fellowship in Philosophy or Politics; £21,597 plus benefits; noon, 19 November; www.univ.ox.ac.uk/content/junior-research-fellowship-philosophy-or-politics

University College; stipendiary Lecturership in Philosophy; £11,339–£12,753 for 8 months plus benefits; noon, 7 November; www.univ.ox.ac.uk/content/stipendiary-lecturership-philosophy

Wolfson; Apprentice Chef; £2.73 ph (first-year apprenticeship rate); 31 October; www.wolfson.ox.ac.uk/vacancies

Wolfson; Doctoral Life-Writing Scholarship; up to 3 years' college fee plus £5,500 annual stipend; 7 November; www.wolfson.ox.ac.uk/news/doctoral-life-writing-scholarship-2014-15

External Vacancies

University of Cambridge; Professorship of Manufacturing Engineering; 24 November; www.admin.cam.ac.uk/offices/academic/secretary/professorships

University of Cambridge; Van Geest Professorship; 30 November; www.admin.cam.ac.uk/offices/academic/secretary/professorships

Clare College, Cambridge; 2 3-year stipendiary Junior Research Fellowships in any Arts discipline (from 1 Oct 2015); 5pm, 8 December; <http://jrf.clare.cam.ac.uk>

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