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Council of the University

Nomination of external member of Council

Under regulation 9.3 of Congregation Regulations 2 of 2002, the nomination below shall be deemed to be approved unless not later than 4pm on Friday, 25 July, the Registrar has received from not fewer than 20 members of Congregation a written request for a postal ballot to be taken in respect of that nomination.

Approval of nomination of Mr David Norgrove as an external member of Council

The nomination by Council, under the provisions of section 4 (7)–(10) of Statute VI, of Mr Norgrove as a member of Council for a four-year period from Michaelmas term 2014 to fill the vacancy left by Ms Alice Perkins standing down after two terms as an external member of Council, is submitted for approval.

Notes on the nominated external member of Council

David Norgrove graduated in Modern History (Exeter College, 1971) and has a diploma in Economics from Cambridge and an MSc in Economics from the London School of Economics. He joined the Treasury as an economist in 1972 and subsequently worked on relations with the IMF, in the Central Policy Unit and on a review of public expenditure accounting. He took leave from the Treasury to spend two years working for First National Bank of Chicago. Mr Norgrove was Private Secretary to the Prime Minister, Mrs Thatcher, between 1985 and 1988, before moving to Marks and Spencer in 1988. At Marks and Spencer he held a number of roles including as Divisional Director for Europe and of Menswear, reviewing the business strategy, and in Executive Director roles between 2000 and 2004. He was the first Chair of the Pensions Regulator 2005–10, and chaired the government review of the family justice system 2010–11. He has been a Trustee, Chair of the Audit Committee and Deputy Chair at the British Museum and carried out a review of governance of the Arts Council in 2012. He has chaired the Low Pay Commission since 2009 and has chaired the Family Justice Board, which is charged with the implementation of the Family Justice Review, since 2011. He was chairman of Pensions First, a company offering risk management solutions and analytics to pension schemes, banks and insurance companies in the UK and US, between 2011 and May 2014.

Council of the University

Changes in Regulations

Council has made the following changes in regulations, to come into effect on 8 August.

(a) Regulations relating to the process for the approval of IT capital expenditure

Explanatory Note

It is proposed that a revised approval process be implemented for IT capital expenditure, under which Council, on the recommendation of the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee (PRAC), would approve a three-year rolling budget for IT capital (reviewed annually on the recommendation of PRAC) and IT Committee would be responsible for the management of that budget within the limits set out in Financial Regulations. This provides the IT Committee with the flexibility that is needed to manage changes in technology, requirements and priorities while maintaining strict oversight and accountability. Changes to the Financial Regulations and to the Regulations of PRAC, Capital Steering Group and IT Committee are proposed to put this into effect.

At the same time, the IT Committee is made responsible for any centrally run IT projects that are not funded from the IT capital budget; these are likely to be small in scale but would cover projects funded from, for example, JISC.

Text of Regulations

1 In the Financial Regulations (Council Regulations 1 of 2010), amend regulation 1.5(2) as follows (new text underlined, deleted text scored through):

'(2) Financial Limits to Authorise Expenditure Commitments Tables B, C, D, E and F below summarise the upper internal limits on authority to commit to levels of expenditure (in contract or otherwise). Table B sets out those limits in respect of non-capital departmental expenditure (the rules concerning the authorisation and approval of research projects are set out in regulation 4.1). Table C and D sets out limits in respect of capital expenditure together with reporting requirements. Table ED sets out the limits applicable to investment decisions and Table EF the limits applicable to the financial write-off of bad debts.'

2 Ibid, delete existing Table C and substitute (new text underlined, deleted text scored through):
3 Ibid, insert new Table D as follows:

**Table D Capital expenditure (centrally run IT projects)**

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<th>Limit £000</th>
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**** The IT Capital Budget is determined on a three-year annual rolling basis by Council on the recommendation of PRAC. In respect of the IT capital budget, CSG’s role is to support PRAC in the development of the overall capital budget, of which the IT capital budget is part, but not to make recommendations on individual projects within the IT capital budget. The respective roles of IT Committee, Capital Steering Group and PRAC in respect of the IT capital budget are set out in the regulations governing those committees.

4 Ibid, rename existing tables D–F as E–G respectively and replace all references to them accordingly.

5 In Council Regulations 15 of 2002, Part 5, concerning the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee, amend regulation 5.4 as follows (new text underlined, deleted text scored through):

‘5.4. The committee shall be responsible to Council for monitoring and implementing the University’s Strategic Plan, setting its annual budget, and resource allocation. In particular, it shall be responsible for the following matters:

1) reporting annually to Council on the implementation of the University’s strategic plan through divisional and service plans;

2) making recommendations to Council on updates of the University’s strategic plan, with reference to divisional plans and with regard to financial sustainability;

3) recommending the approval, or reference back, of five-year plans prepared annually by the divisional boards, the Department for Continuing Education, the services, and any other spending sectors, with reference to the University’s financial sustainability and against the priorities set out in the University’s strategic plan, and reporting to Council as appropriate;

4) the preparation and annual updating of a five-year rolling plan for income and expenditure for all aspects of the academic, service, and other activities of the University (in the light of plans referred to under (3) above);

5) making recommendations to Council on the University’s annual budget in the light of the overall plan proposed by the Finance Committee and agreed by Council, the annual operating statements from the academic divisions and other spending sectors, and other relevant information;

6) as part of its annual review of the University’s capital budget, recommending to Council an IT capital budget which will be set and updated on a three-year rolling basis and which will be managed by the IT Committee as set out in the regulations governing that committee;

7) the development, implementation, refinement, and monitoring of resource allocation procedures to enable annual budgets to be set, and the making of recommendations to Council as appropriate;

8) the keeping under review of, and the making of recommendations to Council as necessary on, student numbers, the distribution of students between various categories, and levels of student fee;

9) the monitoring of the work of the academic divisions, the Department for Continuing Education, and the services sector against their approved plans and budgets;

10) the embedding within the University’s processes and culture of greater economy (minimising the cost of an activity), greater efficiency (the relationship between the output of goods and services and the resources used to produce them) and greater effectiveness (the extent to which objectives are met), collectively known as ‘value for money’;

11) the oversight of, and the making of recommendations to Council on, the institutional financial arrangements between the University and the colleges, societies, and Permanent Private Halls in relation to the provision of teaching, research, administration and services;

12) the consideration of termly reports on the progress of the University’s fundraising for capital and recurrent purposes;

13) approval of expenditure on capital projects (other than those within the IT capital budget or other centrally run IT projects) and space allocations and where appropriate reporting to Council on such approvals; and submitting recommendations to Council for expenditure on capital projects (other than those within the IT capital budget or other centrally run IT projects) and space allocations which require approval of Council, all in accordance with the financial limits set out in the Financial Regulations;

14) the consideration of, and the giving of advice to Council on, the use of any resources which are not delegated or allocated to the academic divisions, services, or other bodies (whether trust funds, university reserves, unearmarked benefactions, capital funds, or reserves of any other description);
as appropriate, the consideration of, and the giving of advice to Council on, all aspects of the financial relationships between the University, HEFCE, and other external funding bodies.'

6 In Council Regulations 15 of 2002, Part II, concerning the Capital Steering Group, amend regulation 11.2 as follows (new text underlined, deleted text scored through):

'11.2. The Capital Steering Group shall:

(1) consider and make recommendations to the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee on capital project proposals (excluding those within the IT capital budget approved by Council on the recommendation of PRAC or other centrally run IT projects) in accordance with the financial limits set out in the Financial Regulations;

(2) consider and make recommendations to the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee on any non-recurring revenue projects referred to the Capital Steering Group by the ICT Subcommittee of the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee or by the Buildings and Estates Subcommittee of the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee;

(3) ensure business cases, other than those that are the responsibility of the IT Committee as set out in the regulations governing that committee, have been appropriately prepared, signed by the appropriate officers of the University in accordance with the Financial Regulations and are consistent with the University’s priorities and plans;

(4) consider and make recommendations to the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee on the acquisition, leasing and disposal of land and property in the functional estate;

(5) oversee the financial management of the design and construction of projects submitted in accordance with these regulations (excluding those within the IT capital budget or other centrally run IT projects);

(6) develop a long-term capital plan for submission to the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee.'

7 In Council Regulations 15 of 2002, Part 22, concerning the Information Technology (IT) Committee, amend regulation 22.4 as follows (new text underlined, deleted text scored through):

'22.4. The committee shall be responsible for:

(i) all matters relating to the management, including maintenance, of the University’s central IT policies, facilities and services;

(ii) the management of both the IT capital budget as approved by Council on the recommendation of PRAC and other centrally run IT projects. In particular, the committee shall be responsible for:

(a) the approval of expenditure on capital projects within the IT capital budget or other centrally run IT projects, where appropriate reporting to Council on such approvals; and

(b) overseeing all capital projects within the IT capital budget insofar as they relate to the University’s central IT and in accordance with the approvals given by PRAC and Council or other centrally run IT projects funded from other sources, and monitoring expenditure on those projects;

(c) ensuring business cases in respect of the projects under (i) and (ii) above have been appropriately prepared, signed by the appropriate officers of the University in accordance with the Financial Regulations and are consistent with the University’s priorities and plans;

(d) reporting annually to PRAC on the commitment and expenditure of the IT capital budget;

(e) reporting annually to PRAC on proposals for updating the IT capital budget; and

(f) accounting for the IT capital envelope on the basis of commitment, rather than actual expenditure.

The committee shall publish its procedures for exercising these responsibilities from time to time, subject to the approval of Council;

(3) the development and implementation of the University’s strategy relating to IT;

(4) overseeing the development of key performance indicators, including the delivery of value for money;

(5) identifying and leading the management of strategic risk in relation to IT;

(6) developing and maintaining policies and regulations regarding the University’s IT operations; and

(7) all other IT-related matters of an operational or strategic nature.'

(b) Student Health and Welfare Subcommittee of the Education Committee

Explanatory Note

The following changes, made on the recommendation of Education Committee, amend the regulations for the Student Health and Welfare Subcommittee of the Education Committee to (i) allow the Chair of the Subcommittee to be appointed by the Vice-Chancellor on the recommendation of Education Committee, so that the Chair can be drawn from a wider pool than members or former members of Education Committee; (ii) remove the requirement that there shall be an Advisory Panel for the Student Counselling Service; (iii) replace the term ‘person’ with the term ‘individual’, where necessary, to reflect changes to Statute I whereby the term ‘person’ is now understood to mean an internal member, unless otherwise specified; and (iv) replace the term ‘chairman’ with the gender-neutral term ‘chair’.

Text of Regulations

1 In Part 32 of Council Regulations 15 of 2002, concerning the Student Health and Welfare Subcommittee of the Education Committee, amend existing regulation 32.1 and substitute (new text underlined, deleted text scored through):

'32.1. The Student Health and Welfare Subcommittee of the Education Committee shall consist of:

(1) a chairman appointed by the Vice-Chancellor on the recommendation of from among members or former members of the Education Committee;

(2) the Assessor;

(3) the Director of Student Welfare and Support Services;

(4) a Senior Tutor elected by the Conference of Colleges;

(5) a Tutor for Graduates elected by the Conference of Colleges;

(6) a person elected by the Conference of Colleges;
(7) a College Nurse appointed by the Association of College Nurses;

(8) the Head of the Disability Advisory Service;

(9) an individual person elected by the Association of Oxford College Medical Officers;

(10) the Vice-President (Welfare and Equal Opportunities), Oxford University Student Union;

(11) the Head of the Student Counselling Service or his or her nominee.

2 Ibid, delete existing regulations 32.6–32.10 concerning the Advisory Panel for the Student Counselling Service.

(c) Oxford University Museums Board and the Visitors of the Botanic Garden

Explanatory Note

Further to recommendations made by the ASUC review of the Botanic Garden and Harcourt Arboretum, it is proposed that the Director and the Chair of the Board of Visitors of the Botanic Garden become members ex officio of the Oxford University Museums Board (OUMB) and that the Director of the Oxford University Museum of Natural History become a member ex officio of the Visitors of the Botanic Garden. It is also proposed that the terms of reference of the Oxford University Museums Board be amended so as to include oversight of the Botanic Garden. The opportunity has also been taken to (i) replace the term ‘chairman’ with the gender-neutral term ‘chair’, (ii) update an outdated reference to the former Committee for the Museums and Scientific Collections; and (iii) replace the term ‘person’ or ‘member’ with the term ‘individual’, where necessary, to reflect changes to Statute I whereby the term ‘person’ or ‘member’ is now understood to mean an internal member, unless otherwise specified.

Text of Regulations

1 In Council Regulations 15 of 2002, concerning committees reporting directly to Council, delete existing Part 25 regarding the Oxford University Museums Board and substitute (new text underlined, deleted text scored through):

‘Part 25: Oxford University Museums Board

25.1. The Oxford University Museums Board shall consist of:

(1) the Vice-Chancellor (in the chair);
(2) the Pro-Vice-Chancellor with responsibility for the Academic Services and University Collections (to deputise in the chair);
(3) one of the Proctors or the Assessor as may be agreed between them;
(4)–(7) the directors of the University museums and of the Botanic Garden;

(8) the chairman of each of the Boards of Visitors of the University museums and of the Botanic Garden or his or her nominee;

(9)–(11) one person appointed by each of the academic divisional boards, normally to be a member of that board;

(12) one person appointed by the Conference of Colleges;

(13) one member of the Council of the Oxford University Student Union chosen by that Council.

25.2. The board committee may co-opt up to three additional members, preferably with significant collections experience.

25.3. Members shall be appointed for four years in the first instance and are eligible for reappointment. Co-opted members shall be appointed for one year and shall be eligible for reappointment.

25.4. The board shall be responsible for the delivery of the University’s strategic plan insofar as it refers to museums and the Botanic Garden and for the fulfilment of the University’s vision of its museums and Botanic Garden, including:

(1) oversight of teaching and research;
(2) oversight of collections care, including reviews and inspections;
(3) delivery of shared services;
(4) cross-museum policies;
(5) advocacy on behalf of the University museums and Botanic Garden, both within and outside the University.’

2 In Council Regulations 2 of 2003, concerning the Botanic Garden, delete existing regulation 2 and substitute (deleted text scored through, new text underlined):

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2. The Visitors of the Botanic Garden shall be:

(1) a chairman who shall be appointed by the Vice-Chancellor;
(2) the Pro-Vice-Chancellor with responsibility for Academic Services and University Collections;
(3) one of the Proctors or the Assessor as may be agreed between them;
(4) the Sherardian Professor of Botany, who shall be called Keeper of the Botanic Garden;

(5) a person appointed by the Department of Plant Sciences;

(6) a member of Congregation elected by Congregation;

(7), (8) two persons individuals appointed by Council, who need not be members of Congregation;

(9) the Director of the Oxford University Museum of Natural History.’

3 Ibid, delete existing regulation 7 and substitute (deleted text scored through, new text underlined):

‘7. In carrying out their responsibilities the Visitors shall co-operate with the Oxford University Museums Board Committee for the Museums and Scientific Collections in facilitating co-ordination between the University’s museums and scientific collections, particularly with respect to planning, allocation and use of resources, and the development, care, and promotion of the collections as national and international resources both for teaching and research and for public access.’

(d) Income grants and loan from the College Contributions Fund: 2014 application round

Explanatory Note

This regulation authorises the income grants and a loan which Council has decided to make from the Oxford College Contributions Fund, on the recommendations of the College Contributions Committee following that Committee’s consideration of new applications submitted in 2014.

Text of Regulations

(1) The following amounts shall be paid as income grants to the college named, in each case under the provisions of section 5 of Statute XV, for application in the financial year shown:
The sums listed are maxima. The payment of each grant, and the precise sum payable, in each subsequent year shall be dependent on the success with which each college meets certain conditions laid down by Council on the recommendation of the College Contributions Committee.

(2) A sum of £225,000 shall be provided to Mansfield College in the 2014–15 financial year as a loan, under the provisions of section 5 of Statute XV, for maintenance and refurbishment expenditure in that year. The loan shall be repayable on terms set by the College Contributions Committee.

(e) Income grants from the College Contributions Fund: further consideration of an application submitted in 2012

Explanatory Note
This regulation authorises the income grants which Council has decided to make from the Oxford College Contributions Fund, on the recommendations of the College Contributions Committee following reconsideration of an application submitted in 2012.

Text of Regulations
A sum of £360,000 shall be paid in the 2014–15 financial year as an income grant to Worcester College under the provisions of section 5 of Statute XV. The grant is provided for the following purposes:

(i) for maintenance and refurbishment expenditure, a sum of £320,000 (of which £20,000 is to be used as a contribution to the cost of employing an Assistant Bursar); and

(ii) for development office expenditure, a sum of £40,000.

The sums listed are maxima. The payment of this grant shall be dependent on the success with which the college meets certain conditions laid down by Council on the recommendation of the College Contributions Committee.
9. Subject to regulation 10, Council may amend, repeal or add to these regulations in accordance with Part D of Statute XVI, but no amendment is valid if it would cause the Fund to:

(i) cease to be exclusively charitable according to the law of England and Wales; or

(ii) be outside the objects of the University.

10. Any amendment to regulation 3 is an amendment to the main objects of the Fund for the purposes of Part D of Statute XVI and must be approved both by Congregation of the University and subsequently by Her Majesty in Council.

(b) Establishment of the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages Prize and Scholarship Fund

Explanatory Note

These regulations establish the ‘Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages Prize and Scholarship Fund’ for the advancement of education and learning at, or in connection with, the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages, principally but not exclusively through the award of prizes, bursaries and scholarships. It is intended that by resolution of Council (GPC), as trustee, under the Charities Act 2011, the Mendel Friedman Yiddish Conference Fund, Fiedler Memorial Fund, Malcolm Memorial Fund, Gerrans Fund, Gerrans Memorial Fund, Taylorian Special Reserve Fund (MML), McLintock Fund, Harold Lister Sunderland Fund (MML), and Taylorian Special Lectures Fund shall be transferred and administered as part of this new trust fund.

Text of Regulations

In Part 2 of Council Regulations 25 of 2002, concerning trusts, insert new §233 as follows, and renumber existing §§233–391 as §§234–392:

§233. Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages Prize and Scholarship Fund

1. Ten pounds and such further money or property as may be paid or transferred to be held by the University on the same trusts shall be held together as part of the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages Prize and Scholarship Fund (“the Fund”), which shall be held on the trusts declared in this regulation.

2. The Fund includes transfers from the Musgrave Fund, Paget Toynbee Prize Fund, Gerard Davis Prize Fund, Kolkhorst Bequest, Drake Fund for Italian Studies, Marjorie Countess of Warwick Travelling Bursary Fund, Levens Travel Bursary Fund, Arteaga Prize Fund, Fred Hodcroft Prize Fund, Cyril Jones Memorial Prize Fund, Colin Prize Fund, Massart Prize Fund in French Literature, Ramon Silva Memorial Prize Fund in Spoken Spanish, and Beddington Prizes (Modern Languages) Fund.

3. The University shall retain as permanent endowment those of the assets in the Fund which are contributed on the express understanding that they are to be treated as permanent endowment (“the Permanent Endowment”).

4. The University shall (a) apply the income of the Permanent Endowment; and (b) apply the income and, in its discretion, the capital of the remainder of the Fund (if any), towards the advancement of education and learning at, or in connection with, the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages, principally but not exclusively through the award of prizes, bursaries and scholarships.

5. The administration of the Fund, and the application of its income, shall be the responsibility of the Board of the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages, which may make and amend Standing Orders consistent with these Regulations governing the administration of the Fund and the application of its income.

6. The University shall have power to pay out of the capital or the income of the Fund all costs of and incidental to the creation of the Fund and the management and administration of the Fund.

7. The University may exercise any of its corporate powers in the management and administration of the Fund in so far as those powers are not inconsistent with these regulations.

8. Subject to regulation 9, Council may amend, repeal or add to these regulations in accordance with Part D of Statute XVI, but no amendment is valid if it would cause the Fund to:

(i) cease to be exclusively charitable according to the law of England and Wales; or

(ii) be outside the objects of the University.

9. Any amendment to regulation 3 is an amendment to the main objects of the Fund for the purposes of Part D of Statute XVI and must be approved both by Congregation of the University and subsequently by Her Majesty in Council.

(c) Establishment of the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages General Purposes Fund

Explanatory Note

These regulations establish the ‘Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages General Purposes Fund’ for the advancement of education and learning at, or in connection with, the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages. It is intended that by resolution of Council (GPC), as trustee, under the Charities Act 2011, the Mendel Friedman Yiddish Conference Fund, Fiedler Memorial Fund, Malcolm Memorial Fund, Gerrans Fund, Gerrans Memorial Fund, Taylorian Special Reserve Fund (MML), McLintock Fund, Harold Lister Sunderland Fund (MML), and Taylorian Special Lectures Fund shall be transferred and administered as part of this new trust fund.

Text of Regulations

In Part 2 of Council Regulations 25 of 2002, concerning trusts, insert new §232 as follows, and renumber existing §§232–390 as §§233–391:

§232. Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages General Purposes Fund

1. Ten pounds and such further money or property as may be paid or transferred to be held by the University on the same trusts shall be held together as part of the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages General Purposes Fund (“the Fund”), which shall be held on the trusts declared in this regulation.

2. The Fund includes transfers from the Mendel Friedman Yiddish Conference Fund, Fiedler Memorial Fund, Malcolm Memorial Fund, Gerrans Fund, Gerrans Memorial Fund, Taylorian Special Reserve Fund (MML), McLintock Fund, Harold Lister Sunderland Fund (MML), and Taylorian Special Lectures Fund.

3 Approval of paragraph 2 of the Trust Regulation is conditional on Council (GPC) resolving to transfer the said funds into the new Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages General Purposes Fund and the Charity Commission registering no objections to the transfer.

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3. The University shall retain as permanent endowment those of the assets in the Fund which are contributed on the express understanding that they are to be treated as permanent endowment ("the Permanent Endowment").

4. The University shall (a) apply the income of the Permanent Endowment; and (b) apply the income and, in its discretion, the capital of the remainder of the Fund, towards the advancement of education and learning at, or in connection with, the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages.

5. The administration of the Fund, and the application of its income, shall be the responsibility of the Board of the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages, which may make and amend Standing Orders consistent with these Regulations governing the administration of the Fund and the application of its income.

6. The University shall have power to pay out of the capital or the income of the Fund all costs of and incidental to the creation of the Fund and the management and administration of the Fund.

7. The University may exercise any of its corporate powers in the management and administration of the Fund in so far as those powers are not inconsistent with these regulations.

8. Subject to regulation 9, Council may amend, repeal or add to these regulations in accordance with Part D of Statute XVI, but no amendment is valid if it would cause the Fund to:
   (1) cease to be exclusively charitable according to the law of England and Wales; or
   (2) be outside the objects of the University.

9. Any amendment to regulation 3 is an amendment to the main objects of the Fund for the purposes of Part D of Statute XVI and must be approved both by Congregation of the University and subsequently by Her Majesty in Council.

(d) Alexander Library in the Edward Grey Institute of Field Ornithology

Explanatory Note

These changes record the delegation of managerial responsibility for the trust fund relating to the Alexander Library in the Edward Grey Institute of Field Ornithology from the Life and Environmental Sciences Board (now the Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board) to the Department of Zoology.

Text of Regulations

In Part 2 of Council Regulations 25 of 2002, concerning trusts, in §6 relating to the Alexander Library in the Edward Grey Institute of Field Ornithology, amend regulation 3 as follows (new text underlined, deleted text scored through):

‘3. The bequests of W B Alexander of certain articles of furniture and paintings for the Edward Grey Institute of Field Ornithology and of the residue of his estate for the purposes of the Alexander Library, in the institute, shall be administered by the Life and Environmental Sciences Board

(e) Establishment of a Barclay-Williams Professorship of Molecular Immunology in the Sir William Dunn School of Pathology

Explanatory Note

The following changes, made on the recommendation of the Medical Sciences Board and approved by the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee of Council, establish a new Barclay-Williams Professorship of Molecular Immunology.

Text of Regulations

1 In SCHEDULE Co of Council Regulations 3 of 2004, concerning statutory professorships, after ‘Professor of Neuroimmunology’ insert ‘Barclay-Williams Professor of Molecular Immunology’.

2 In Section III of Council Regulations 24 of 2002, concerning individual professorships, insert new §242 and renumber existing §§242–333 as §§243–334:

§242. Barclay-Williams Professor of Molecular Immunology

1. The University receives with gratitude the sum of £2,400,000 from the CIU Trust and the E P Abraham Research Fund to be held as permanent endowment on the trusts declared in this regulation. Further money or property may be paid or transferred to the University as either expendable or permanent endowment to be held on the same trusts. The assets so held will be known as the Barclay-Williams Professorship of Molecular Immunology Fund ("the Fund").

2. The University shall retain as permanent endowment those of the assets in the Fund which are contributed on the express understanding that they are to be treated as permanent endowment ("the Permanent Endowment").

3. The University shall (a) apply the income of the Permanent Endowment; and (b) apply the income and, in its discretion, the capital of the remainder of the Fund, towards the salary and expenses of the holder of the Barclay-Williams Professorship of Molecular Immunology ("the Professor") and associated overheads. The Professor shall undertake research, lecture and give instruction in Immunology. If the salary, expenses and overheads of the Professor are wholly or partly covered from other sources or there are further funds available, there shall be discretion to apply the income and/or capital of the Fund to support the Professor’s research, or other academic activity in the field of Immunology.

4. The administration of the Fund, and the application of its income, shall be the responsibility of the Medical Sciences Board.

5. The Professor shall be based in the Sir William Dunn School of Pathology and elected by an electoral board consisting of:

(1) the Vice-Chancellor, or if the head of the college specified in paragraph (2) below is the Vice-Chancellor, a person appointed by Council;

(2) the head of the college to which the Chair may be allocated by Council from time to time; or if the head is unable or unwilling to act, a person appointed by the governing body of that college;

(3) a person appointed by the governing body of the college;

(4) (5) two persons appointed by Council;

(6) (9) four persons appointed by the Medical Sciences Board.

6. The University may in its absolute discretion in the period ending 21 years from the date of this regulation, instead of applying the income of the Fund in any year, accumulate all or any part of such income by investing it, and holding it as part of the capital of the Fund. The University may apply the whole or any part of such accumulated income in any subsequent year as if it were income of the Fund arising in the then current year.

7. The University shall have power to pay out of the capital or the income of the Fund all costs of and incidental to the creation of the Fund, and the management and administration of the Fund and the Professorship.
8. The University may exercise any of its corporate powers in the management and administration of the Fund in so far as those powers are not inconsistent with these regulations.

9. Regulations 1–4 and 6–11 shall be deemed to be Trust Regulations under the provisions of Part D of Statute XVI.

10. Subject to regulation 11, Council may amend, repeal or add to these regulations in accordance with Part D of Statute XVI, but no amendment is valid if it would cause the Fund to:

(i) cease to be exclusively charitable according to the law of England and Wales; or

(ii) be outside the objects of the University.

11. Any amendment to regulation 3 is an amendment to the main objects of the Fund for the purposes of Part D of Statute XVI and must be approved both by Congregation of the University and subsequently by Her Majesty in Council.

(1) Establishment of the Ismene Fitch Endowment Fund

Explanatory Note

These regulations establish the Ismene Fitch Endowment Fund for the purpose of providing scholarships to graduate students of Wolfson College or St Antony’s College who are ordinarily resident in Greece.

Text of Regulations

In Part 2 of Council Regulations 25 of 2002, concerning trusts, insert new §177 as follows, and renumber existing §§177–391 as §§178–392:

§177. Ismene Fitch Endowment Fund

1. Upon receipt of a gift of approximately £150,000 from The Ismene Charitable Trust expected shortly after the making of this regulation, the University shall hold such sum as expendable endowment on the trusts declared in this regulation. Further money or property may be paid or transferred to the University as expendable endowment to be held on the same trusts. The assets so held will be known as the Ismene Fitch Endowment Fund (“the Fund”).

2. The University shall apply the income and, in its discretion, the capital of the Fund, towards providing scholarships to graduate

students of Wolfson College or St Antony’s College who are ordinarily resident in Greece.

3. The administration of the Fund, and the application of its income, shall be the responsibility of the Board of Management of the Oxford Graduate Scholarship Fund.

4. The University may in its absolute discretion in the period ending 21 years from the date of this regulation, instead of applying the income of the Fund in any year, accumulate all or any part of such income by investing it, and holding it as part of the capital of the Fund. The University may apply the whole or any part of such accumulated income in any subsequent year as if it were income of the Fund arising in the then current year.

5. The University shall have power to pay out of the capital or the income of the Fund all costs of and incidental to the creation of the Fund, and the management and administration of the Fund.

6. The University may exercise any of its corporate powers in the management and administration of the Fund in so far as those powers are not inconsistent with these regulations.

7. Regulations 1–9 shall be deemed to be Trust Regulations under the provisions of Part D of Statute XVI.

8. Subject to regulation 9, Council may amend, repeal or add to these regulations in accordance with Part D of Statute XVI, but no amendment is valid if it would cause the Fund to:

(i) cease to be exclusively charitable according to the law of England and Wales; or

(ii) be outside the objects of the University.

9. Any amendment to regulation 2 is an amendment to the main objects of the Fund for the purposes of Part D of Statute XVI and must be approved both by Congregation of the University and subsequently by Her Majesty in Council.

Planning and Resource Allocation Committee of Council

Changes in Regulations

The Planning and Resource Allocation Committee of Council has made the following changes in regulations, to come into effect on 8 August.

(a) Establishment of the Richard Doll Professorship of Epidemiology

Explanatory Note

The following changes, made on the recommendation of the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee, establish a new Richard Doll Professorship of Epidemiology.

The Richard Doll Professorship of Epidemiology in the Nuffield Department of Population Health shall replace the ICRF Readership of Cancer Studies on the retirement of the present incumbent.

Text of Regulations

1 In SCHEDULE C of Council Regulations 3 of 2004, concerning statutory professorships, after ‘Professor of Clinical Biochemistry’ insert ‘Richard Doll Professorship of Epidemiology’.

2 In Section III of Council Regulations 24 of 2002, concerning individual professorships, delete existing regulation §40 and substitute (new text underlined, deleted text scored through):

§40. Cancer Research UK Reader in Cancer Studies, Richard Doll Professorship of Epidemiology

1. The University accepts with deep gratitude the endowment provided by Cancer Research UK for the establishment of a Cancer Research UK Reader in Cancer Studies Richard Doll Professorship of Epidemiology and for the provision of supporting expenditure for the readership professorship.

2. The reader professor shall be elected by an electoral board consisting of:

(i) the Vice-Chancellor, or, if the head of the college specified in (2) of this clause is Vice-Chancellor, a person appointed by Council;

(ii) the head of the college to which the Professorship shall be for the time being allocated by Council under any regulation in that behalf, or, if the head is unable or unwilling to act, a person appointed by the governing body of the college;
§150. Dean Ireland’s Professor of the Exegesis of Holy Scripture

1. The University receives with gratitude the bequest of Dr John Ireland and the generous subsequent settlement made in honour of Mr G A Nops, which together form the endowment fund to support the Dean Ireland’s Professor of the Exegesis of Holy Scripture.

2. The Dean Ireland’s Professor of the Exegesis of Holy Scripture shall lecture and give instruction in the Exegesis of the New Testament Scriptures.

3. The professor shall be elected by an electoral board consisting of:

   (i) the Vice-Chancellor, or, if the Warden of Keble College is Vice-Chancellor, a person appointed by Council on the occurrence of a vacancy to act as an elector on that occasion;

   (ii) the Warden of Keble College, or, if the Warden should be unable or unwilling to act, a person appointed by the Governing Body of Keble College on the occurrence of a vacancy to act as an elector on that occasion;

   (iii) a person appointed by the Governing Body of Keble College;

   (iv) two persons appointed by Council;

   (v) the Head of the Humanities Division, or his or her nominee;

   (vi) three persons appointed by the Board of the Faculty of Theology and Religion.

4. The professor shall be subject to the General Provisions of the regulations concerning the duties of professors and to those Particular Provisions of the same regulations which are applicable to this chair.

5. Council shall have power, subject to the consent of the Council of Cancer Research UK, to amend this regulation, provided that the main object of the endowment, namely the establishment of a senior post in Cancer Studies and the provision of supporting expenditure, is always kept in view.

(b) Dean Ireland’s Professor of the Exegesis of Holy Scripture

Explanatory Note

A substantial donation was pledged in 2014 to endow the Dean Ireland’s Professorship in the Exegesis of Holy Scripture. The proposed changes to the regulations acknowledge the original bequest and the recent pledge.

Text of Regulations

In Section III of Council Regulations 24 of 2002, concerning individual professorships, amend existing §150 as follows (new text underlined, deleted text scored through):

§82. Professor of Orthopaedic Engineering

1. The Professor of Orthopaedic Engineering shall undertake research in and shall lecture and give instruction in that subject and generally promote its study in the University.

2. The professor shall be elected by an electoral board consisting of:

   (i) the Vice-Chancellor, or, if the head of the college specified in paragraph (2) below is Vice-Chancellor, a person appointed by Council;

   (ii) the head of the college to which the professorship shall be for the time being allocated by Council under any regulation in that behalf, or if the head is unable or unwilling to act, a person appointed by the governing body of the college;

   (iii) a person appointed by the governing body of the college specified in paragraph (2) above;

   (iv) two persons appointed by Council;

   (v) three persons appointed by the Mathematical and Physical Sciences Board;

   (vi) three persons appointed by the Medical Sciences Board.

3. The professor shall be subject to the General Provisions of the regulations concerning the duties of professors and to those Particular Provisions of the same regulations which are applicable to this chair.

(d) Renaming of the Professorship of Biomaterials

Explanatory Note

The following changes, made on the recommendation of the Medical Sciences Division and the Nuffield Department of Orthopaedics, Rheumatology and Musculoskeletal Sciences, and the Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Division and the Department of Engineering Science, rename the Professor of Orthopaedic Engineering as the Professor of Biomaterials to better reflect the research domain of the post, and to fit better with nomenclature now used in medicine and biomedical engineering.

Text of Regulations

1. In SCHEDULE A of Council Regulations 3 of 2004, concerning statutory professorships, delete ‘Professor of Orthopaedic Engineering’ and substitute ‘Professor of Biomaterials’.

2. In Section III of Council Regulations 24 of 2002, concerning individual professorships, delete §82 and substitute (new text underlined, deleted text scored through):

   (b) Amending the Title

   (i) delete ‘Professor of Orthopaedic Engineering’ and substitute ‘Professor of Biomaterials’.

Explanatory Note

The changes made on the recommendation of the Social Sciences Division and the Faculty of Law, rename the Professorship of Taxation Law to reflect recent changes to the new agreement between the Law Faculty and the law firm Pinsent Masons LLP.
Text of Regulations

1. In SCHEDULE A of Council Regulations 3 of 2004, concerning statutory professorships, delete ‘Professor of Taxation Law’ and substitute ‘Pinsent Masons Professor of Taxation Law’.


3. In Section III of Council Regulations 24 of 2002, concerning individual professorships, delete §187 and substitute (new text underlined, deleted text scored through):

§187. Pinsent Masons Professor of Taxation Law

The University accepts with gratitude initial funding from KPMG to establish the Pinsent Masons Professor of Taxation Law.

1. The Pinsent Masons Professor of Taxation Law shall lecture and give instruction in Taxation Law.

2. The professor shall be elected by an electoral board consisting of:

   (1) the Vice-Chancellor, or, if the head of the college specified in (2) of this clause is Vice-Chancellor, a person appointed by Council;

   (2) the head of the college to which the professorship shall be for the time being allocated by Council under any regulation decree in that behalf, or, if the head is unable or unwilling to act, a person appointed by the governing body of the college;

   (3) a person appointed by the governing body of the college specified in (2) of this clause;

   (4) a person appointed by Council;

   (5), (6) two persons appointed by the Social Sciences General Board;

   (7)-(9) three persons appointed by the Board of the Faculty of Law.

3.4. The professor shall be subject to the General Provisions of the regulations concerning the duties of professors and to those Particular Provisions of the same regulations which are applicable to this chair.

Council of the University

Register of Congregation

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

Aldridge, H D J N, Development Office
Barkla, S L, Bodleian Digital Library Systems and Services
Brown, G R, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
Childs, T K, Said Business School
Crook, H, RDM Department of Cardiovascular Medicine
Dornik, K E, St John’s
Eggers, A C, Nuffield
Enriques, L, Faculty of Law
Fletcher, K A, Department of Computer Science
McHaffie, L P, Ashmolean Museum
Mann, S R A, Medical Sciences Divisional Office
Ogilvie, A M G, Bodleian Libraries
Ollario, P L, Lincoln
Pagnamenta, A T, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
Papanikitas, A N, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
Ridgway, G R, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
Roscoe-Styler, E, Personnel Services
Stevenson, D C S, Jesus
Wang, H, St Cross
Zitzmann, N, Faculty of Biochemistry/Merton

Divisional and Faculty Boards

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

Degree by Resolution

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Oration by the Vice-Chancellor

Mr Vice-Chancellor will address the House.

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).
Consultative Notices

Consolidation of Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages Trust Funds

On 30 June, the General Purposes Committee (GPC) on behalf of Council approved the consolidation of various existing trust funds into other trust funds by the passing of a resolution for the purposes of section 268 of the Charities Act 2011 (“the Act”). The approval of Council (GPC) and the resolution passed for the purposes of the Act shall be effective 15 days after the date of publication of this notice unless written notice of a resolution, signed by at least 20 members of Congregation and calling upon Council (GPC) to withhold such approval and such resolution, has been given to the Registrar by noon on 8 August. The full text of the resolution is set out below (see also ‘Council and Main Committees’ section above, pp613–14).

GPC, on behalf of Council, agreed to:

(i) note that the gross income of each of the following funds (“the Funds”) in its last financial year did not exceed £10,000, that the Funds do not hold any designated land and are not companies or other bodies corporate, that the Funds hold permanent endowment, and that therefore the Funds comply with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011:

(a) Musgrave Fund
(b) Paget Toynbee Prize Fund
(c) Gerard Davis Prize Fund
(d) Kolkhorst Bequest
(e) Drake Fund for Italian Studies
(f) Marjorie Countess of Warwick Travelling Bursary Fund
(g) Levens Travel Bursary Fund
(h) Arteaga Prize Fund
(i) Fred Hodcroft Prize Fund
(j) Cyril Jones Memorial Prize Fund
(k) Colin Prize Fund
(l) Massart Prize Fund in French Literature
(m) Ramon Silva Memorial Prize Fund in Spoken Spanish
(n) Beddington Prizes (Modern Languages) Fund;

(ii) resolve for the purposes of sections 267–274 of the Charities Act 2011 that all the property of the above-mentioned Funds should be transferred to the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages Prize and Scholarship Fund, GPC being satisfied that:

(a) it is expedient in the interests of furthering the purposes of each of the Funds for its property to be transferred as set out above; and

(b) the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages General Purposes Fund has purposes that are substantially similar to all of the purposes of each of the Funds;

(v) resolve for the purposes of the Charities Act 2011 that half of the property of Harold Lister Sunderland Fund should be transferred to the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages General Purposes Fund, and half to the Craven Fund for the promotion of classical learning and taste, GPC being satisfied that:

(a) it is expedient in the interests of furthering the purposes of the Harold Lister Sunderland Fund for its property to be transferred as set out above; and

(b) the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages General Purposes Fund and the Craven Fund has purposes that are substantially similar to one or more of the purposes of the Harold Lister Sunderland Fund;

(vi) resolve for the purposes of the Charities Act 2011 that one-fifth of the property of Taylorian Special Reserve Fund should be transferred to the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages General Purposes Fund, and four-fifths to the Bodleian Fund of Oxford University Development Trust to be held on trust for the benefit of the Taylor Institution Library. GPC being satisfied that:

(a) it is expedient in the interests of furthering the purposes of the Taylorian Special Reserve Fund for its property to be transferred as set out above; and

(b) the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages General Purposes Fund and the Bodleian Fund of...
Oxford University Development Trust, taken together, have purposes that are substantially similar to all of the purposes of the Taylorian Special Reserve Fund, and

(c) that each of the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages General Purposes Fund and the Bodleian Fund of Oxford University Development Trust has purposes that are substantially similar to one or more of the purposes of the Taylorian Special Reserve Fund;

(vii) resolve that the resolutions at (ii), (iv), (v) and (vi) above be notified to the University Gazette and, provided that no notice of a resolution calling upon Council to annul or amend the proposals is received by the Registrar by noon on the eleventh day after the day on which the proposals are published, resolve that copies be sent to the Charity Commission together with a statement of the University's reasons for passing them. If the Charity Commission requires further steps to be taken the Trusts Administrator is authorised to take such steps as are necessary. Once the above resolutions take effect the Trusts Administrator is authorised to take such steps as are necessary to transfer the property of the Funds in accordance with the above resolutions and any guidance given by the Commission for the purposes of the Chanties Act 2011.

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Division/Education Committee

REVIEW OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

The Board of the Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Division and the Education Committee will jointly conduct a review of the Department of Physics, as part of Council’s programme of rolling reviews of faculties and departments. This review will take place on 10, 11 and 12 November 2014.

The review committee’s terms of reference are:

1 To review the quality of academic activities in the department, by reference to:

   • international standards of excellence
   • action taken since the last review of the department
   • planning statements at department and divisional level, and in the context of the University’s mission statement and corporate plan.

In particular:

(a) the quality of the research of the department, including its participation in interdepartmental, interdivisional and interdisciplinary activities, its research profile and strategy, and future challenges and opportunities;

(b) the quality of undergraduate and graduate programmes and their delivery and related issues, including:

   • access and admissions
   • curriculum design and programme structure
   • teaching, learning and assessment
   • the relationship between teaching and research
   • academic and pastoral support and guidance
   • the provision and use of learning resources (including staff resources)
   • specific arrangements for the pursuit of graduate studies (including research degrees and research training and provision for part-time study)
   • relationships with colleges
   • quality assurance mechanisms;

(c) the organisation of the department, its management structures and the relationship between the department and the division, including such matters as:

   • strategic planning (including relationship to the divisional five-year plans and the University’s Corporate Plan)
   • academic and non-academic staff planning and recruitment
   • student number planning
   • terms of appointment for academic staff, including career development and equal opportunities issues
   • accommodation and future space needs
   • fundraising;

   (d) the relationship (structural and operational) between units within the department, and between the department and cognate subject areas and colleges to which it is linked in teaching and research.

2 To consider the current and long-term financial position of, and funding arrangements for, the department, and its financial strategy.

The Review Committee would welcome written comments on matters falling within its terms of reference, given above. These should be sent to Jared Hutchings (email: jared.hutchings@mpls.ox.ac.uk) by 17 October 2014.

Consultation on possible revisions to Statute XII

The feedback received in the consultation over possible changes to Statute XII is being discussed by the Personnel Committee and Council. It can be read on the consultation website: www.ox.ac.uk/staff/statute_xii.html.

General Notices

Gazette publication arrangements

This is the final Gazette of Trinity term.

The first Gazette of Michaelmas term will be published on 25 September, but will be limited to Council and Congregation business and changes to Examination Regulations. The first full Gazette of next term will be published on 2 October.

Bodleian Libraries

MOVES OF SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

The Bodleian Libraries are completing their renovation of the New Bodleian building, which will reopen to readers and researchers as the Weston Library - the new home for the Bodleian's special collections. The facility will open in phases from late September 2014.

When the reading rooms transfer, many collections will take longer to reach reading rooms than normal. Readers intending to visit the Bodleian to consult special collections should plan carefully to...
Oxford Open Doors

13/14 September: Oxford Open Doors, now in its seventh year, is run by Oxford Preservation Trust in partnership with the University of Oxford. This free weekend provides an annual opportunity for local people to enjoy and discover more about their city. This year our special theme celebrates the 450th anniversary of the birth of William Shakespeare and begins to commemorate World War I in the city. Once again we will be exploring new architecture including much belonging to the collegiate University.

Brochures will be available from the beginning of August. Volunteer stewards are still required; to volunteer, please get in touch at volunteers@oxfordpreservation.org.uk or see www.oxfordpreservation.org.uk.

Professorial Distinction Awards

Between March and October 2013 a gathered field exercise was conducted to consider new or enhanced professorial distinction awards for statutory professors and readers. This was the first such exercise since the scheme was suspended in 2007.

Awards were made solely on the grounds of the perceived merit of the applications. More awards were made in the 2013 exercise than in 2007, which was largely the result of a higher success rate. The success rate was indistinguishable between women and men, and the average award given to women was higher by a small margin.

A report, which includes background information on professorial distinction awards and a gender equality analysis of the exercise, can be read on the Personnel Committee website at https://www1.admin.ox.ac.uk/personnel/oxonly/agendas.

Oxford Learning Institute

TRAINING FOR ADMISSIONS INTERVIEWING

The Oxford Learning Institute will offer the following training opportunities to those responsible for leading or assisting with undergraduate admissions interviewing in 2014:

- a tutored online course for those who expect to take a leading role in admissions interviewing will be available from 4 August to 5 December (with new enrolments being taken until 28 November);
- a non-tutored online course, for those assisting with admissions (eg graduate student ‘helpers’ or note-takers) and experienced tutors who need an update, will be available from 4 August to 19 December;
- an admissions interviewing practice sessions, for new interviewers who have completed the tutored online course, will take place on two half days (30 September and 21 November).

The collegiate University expects all those involved in interviewing candidates for admission to receive appropriate briefings on the process. The compulsory element of these briefings for new staff takes the form of an online course which takes about six hours to complete. New appointees may complete this online course before arriving in Oxford, if they wish to do so. The aim of the course is to show interviewers good practice in order to help them both to make better selections and to avoid claims of unfair treatment from disappointed candidates.

Practice interviews are also offered as an optional extra learning opportunity. To qualify to take part in practice interviews, participants must complete the online course by a deadline three weeks beforehand.

We advise all teaching staff in colleges who have not been involved in interviewing, or have not previously taken this course, to ask senior colleagues whether they will be expected to interview this year and should therefore enrol. Departmental teaching staff may also wish to seek advice from line managers or mentors on whether they are likely to be invited to become involved in admissions this year. Many who do not have a formal college association are nonetheless frequently invited to take part in college admissions processes because of their specific disciplinary expertise.

To book onto any of the above courses please go to the Learning Institute website at www.learning.ox.ac.uk/admissions and follow the links to the course you want. This page provides further information but if more is required, please telephone Kathryn Black on (2)86825.

Appointments

Humanities

PROFESSORSHIP OF HEBREW AND REGIUS PROFESSORSHIP-ELECT

Professor Jan Joosten, lic Dr theol Brussels, ThM Princeton Theological Seminary, PhD Hebrew, habil Strasbourg; Professor of Old Testament Exegesis, Faculty of Protestant Theology, University of Strasbourg, has been appointed to the Professorship of Hebrew in the Department of Oriental Studies with effect from 1 September 2014.

Her Majesty the Queen has approved the appointment of Professor Joosten to the Regius Professorship of Hebrew on 1 October 2014 following the retirement of Professor Williamson. Professor Joosten will be a Student of Christ Church.

WHITE’S PROFESSORSHIP OF MORAL PHILOSOPHY

Jefferson Allen McMahan, BA South, Tennessee, MA Oxf, PhD Camb, Professor of Philosophy, Department of Philosophy, Rutgers University, has been appointed to the White’s Professorship of Moral Philosophy in the Faculty of Philosophy with effect from 1 October 2014. Professor McMahan will be a fellow of Corpus Christi.
Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

APPOINTMENTS

The Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board has conferred the Headship of the Sub-department of Atomic and Laser Physics upon Dieter Jaksch, PhD Innsbruck, Professor of Physics and Fellow of Keble, for a period of 5 years from 1 September 2014. The Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board has conferred the Headship of the Sub-department of Condensed Matter Physics upon Paolo Radaelli, Laurea Milan, MA Oxf, PhD Illinois IT, Dr Lee’s Professor of Experimental Philosophy and Fellow of Wadham, for a further period of 3 years from 1 October 2014.

The Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board has conferred the Headship of the Sub-department of Particle Physics upon Ian Shipsey, BSc Lond, PhD Edin, Professor of Experimental Physics and Fellow of St Catherine’s, for a period of 5 years from 1 August 2014.

Medical Sciences

PROFESSORSHIP OF MUSCULOSKELETAL SCIENCES

Fiona M Powrie, BSc Bath, DPhil Oxf, Sidney Truelove Professor of Gastroenterology and Fellow of Green Templeton, has been appointed to the Professorship of Musculoskeletal Sciences in the Nuffield Department of Orthopaedics, Rheumatology and Musculoskeletal Sciences with effect from 1 October 2014. Professor Powrie has also been appointed as Director of the Kennedy Institute of Rheumatology with effect from the same date. Professor Powrie will be a fellow of Wadham.

PROFESSORSHIP OF TRANSLATIONAL COGNITIVE NEUROSCIENCE

Anna Christina (Kia) De Ozorio Nobre, BA Massachusetts, MA Oxf, MS MPhil PhD Yale, Titular Professor in Cognitive Neuroscience, Department of Experimental Psychology, Director, Oxford Centre for Human Brain Activity, Department of Psychiatry, Warneford Hospital; and Fellow of New College, has been appointed to the Professorship of Translational Cognitive Neuroscience in the Departments of Psychiatry and Experimental Psychology with effect from 1 July 2014. Professor Nobre will be a fellow of St Catherine’s.

Social Sciences

Professor Guido Ascarì, Pavia, MSc PhD Warw. Fellow of Somerville. Associate Professor of Economics, Department of Economics. From 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2019.

Professor Victoria Elliott, BA MPhil Camb, MSc DPhil Oxf, PGCE Leeds. Fellow of St Hilda’s. Associate Professor of English and Literacy Education, Department of Education. From 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2019.

Professor John Gledhill, BA Dub, PhD Georgetown. Fellow of St Cross. Associate Professor in Global Governance, Department of International Development. From 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2019.

Professor Ezequiel González Ocantos, BA MPhil Camb, MA PhD Notre Dame. Fellow of Nuffield. Associate Professor of the Comparative Study of Qualitative Political Institutions, Department of Politics and International Relations. From 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2019.

Professor Beth Greenhough, BSc R’dg, MSc Brist, PhD Open, Fellow of Keble. Associate Professor of Human Geography, School of Geography and the Environment. From 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2019.

Professor Andrew Higgins, BA Melbourne, BCL MPhil DPhil Oxf. Fellow of Mansfield. Associate Professor of Civil Procedure, Faculty of Law. From 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2019.

Professor David Humphreys, BSc Glam, MPhil PhD Camb. Fellow of Green Templeton. Associate Professor in Evidence-based Social Intervention and Policy Evaluation, Department of Social Policy and Intervention. From 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2019.

Professor Ines Moreno de Barreda, BSc Complutense de Madrid, MRes PhD LSE. Fellow of St Peter’s. Associate Professor in Economics, Department of Economics. From 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2019.

Dr Andrea Ruggeri, BA Genoa, MA PhD Essex. Fellow of Brasenose. Associate Professor of Quantitative Methods in International Relations, Department of Politics and International Relations. From 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2019.

Professor Sandy Steel, BA PhD Dipl Camb. Fellow of Wadham. Titular Associate Professor in Law, Faculty of Law. From 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2016.

Visiting Professorships

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

The Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board has reconferred the title of Visiting Professor in Engineering Science upon Professor Robert D Adams, BSc DSc Lond, PhD Camb, for a further period of 3 years from 1 July 2014.

The Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board has reconferred the title of Visiting Professor in Physics upon Professor John Charles Miller, BSc East Ang, MSc DPhil Oxf, for a further period from 1 February 2014 until 31 August 2018.

The Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board has reconferred the title of Visiting Professor in Mechanical Engineering upon David Rugg, BSc Birm, PhD Sheff, for a period of 3 years from 1 July 2014.

Visiting Professorships
Graduate Awards and Prizes

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Electoral Boards

Composition of Electoral Boards

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

**TASSO LEVENTIS PROFESSORSHIP OF BIODIVERSITY**

*Appointed by*

- Professor N Rawlins
- Professor T Guilford
- Professor A Halliday
- Professor T Coulson
- Professor C Godfray
- Professor L Vet
- Professor A McLean
- Dr M Rands
- Professor P Holland

**PROFESSORSHIP OF ORTHOPAEDIC TRAUMA SURGERY**

*Appointed by*

- Professor W James
- Professor C Redfield
- Professor I Tracey
- Professor A Carr
- Professor S Lamb
- Professor C Moran
- Professor F Hamdy
- Professor A Rangan
- Dr J Westbrook
- Professor A Neil

1Appointed by Mr Vice-Chancellor under the provisions of Statute IX, Sect 10 and 11.

Exhibitions

**Museum of Natural History**

Admission free; open daily 10am–5pm. For more information, see: www.oum.ox.ac.uk.

*until 22 Sep*: Wildlife Photographer of the Year

**Pitt Rivers Museum**

Admission, exhibitions and events free. Access via the Oxford University Museum of Natural History. Open: Tue-Sun: 10am-4.30pm, Mon: noon–4.30pm. See: www.prm.ox.ac.uk.

**EXHIBITIONS**

*Star House Pole: early images of the Haida Totem Pole in the Pitt Rivers Museum*  
*until 28 Sep*: a selection of historic images relating to the Haida totem pole now in the Pitt Rivers Museum’s collections, plus several original documents concerning its 1901 acquisition and installation

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

*First World War tours*  
3.15pm every Weds until Armistice Day 2014: free 20-minute tour to consider how this conflict affected people around the world before, during and after 1914–18. Discover the stories behind fascinating and poignant objects from currency to engraved artillery shell cases; from musical instruments to armour.

*Crafty Networking*  
8–9.30pm, 4 Sep: Barnaby Carder, aka ‘Barn the Spoon’, carves functional spoons of all kinds from fresh wood using axes and knives. He will talk on his craft and his transition from apprentice to journeyman to seasoned East End shop owner. Cash bar and entry via the South Door, Robinson Close.

*SATURDAY SPOTLIGHTS*  
General interest gallery talks at 2.30pm

*20 Sep*: Wesley Jacobs, sculptor and director, The Bullpen foundry: ‘Iron here and there
**Lectures**

**FAMILY-FRIENDLY ACTIVITIES**
Drop-in activities for children aged 5+ (children must be accompanied by an adult)

*Every Sun, 2–4pm: Activity backpacks, sorting boxes, trails, colouring sheets and craft activities*

**Pitt Stops**
First Saturday of the month, 1–4pm

*2 Aug: Dreamtime: Australian Aboriginal dreamtime tales and beautiful dot art*

*6 Sep: Light my lamp: make a lantern and discover some unusual ones from around the world*

**Under 5 events**
Drop-in activities for children aged under 5:

*Thurs, 10.30am–12.30pm and 2–4pm*

*11 Sep: Row, row, row your boat!: explore the museum’s boats and make one*

**Summer Holiday Activities**
Drop-in activities on alternate Mondays, 2–4pm: touch real museum objects and make something fun to take home

*4 Aug: Shoes*

*18 Aug: Shields*

*1 Sep: Masks*

**Medical Sciences**

**Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences**

**DEPARTMENTAL SEMINAR**

Dr Rosalyn Moran will deliver a departmental seminar at 1pm on 14 August at the Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences, Level 6, West Wing, John Radcliffe Hospital.

*Subject: ‘Losing control under ketamine: synaptic mediators of the psychotic state’*

**Colleges, Halls and Societies**

**St Catherine’s**

**40TH ANNIVERSARY OF CO-RESIDENCE**

Harriet Sergeant, Jane Platt and Alex Polizzi will take part in an alumnae panel discussion at 6pm on 25 September at RIBA, London. Details: www.stcatz.ox.ac.uk/enterprisingwomen.

*Subject: ‘Enterprising women’*

**Examinations and Boards**

**Leave to Supplicate for the Degree of Doctor of Civil Law**

**Examinations for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy**

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Examinations for the Degree of Master 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.

Education Committee and Planning and Resource Allocation Committee

(1) REMOVAL FROM THE REGISTER OF STUDENTS FOLLOWING SUSPENSION FOR NON-PAYMENT OF FEES

Explanatory Note

The following change makes provision for students who have been suspended as a result of non-payment of University fees to be removed from the Register of Students two terms after the date on which the suspension was imposed. This period is intended to allow the student sufficient time to resolve any financial difficulties that have arisen during their studies, whilst not being so long that a student is suspended indefinitely. It would also allow for an application to be made to the Fees Panel for relief from the suspension in exceptional circumstances. A student who paid their University fees in full during the two-term period would be able to return to their studies following the usual procedures for return to study after a period of suspension. In the case of taught-course students, it may be necessary for a further period of suspension, on a voluntary basis, if too much of the course has been missed. Students who are removed from the Register of Students and who wish to return to study would need to have paid outstanding University fees and would need to apply to Education Committee through their college for reinstatement.

Students who are currently suspended for non-payment of University tuition fees will be contacted and informed of this change in regulation. They will be given two terms from the date of notification of the sanction of removal from the Register of Students rather than two terms from the date of the original suspension in which to pay outstanding University fees.

Text of Regulations

With immediate effect

In Examination Regulations 2013, ptI127, ll4-19, as amended by Gazette, Vol 144, No 5056, 27 March 2014, amend as follows (deleted text scored through, new text underlined):

‘(d) In the event that any fee or continuation charge payable by the student, or the relevant instalment towards such a fee, remains unpaid after the due date of payment it shall be the duty of the Bursar of the student’s college, or the Registrar for programmes where fees or charges are usually paid directly to the University, or the Head of the student’s department for programmes where fees or charges are usually paid directly to the department, to notify the student concerned that, in the event that the fees or charges due have not been paid in full within four weeks from the date of such notification, the student shall ordinarily be liable for suspension from access to the premises and facilities of the University (including the Examination Schools and other places of examination). The student shall be informed that, apart from in exceptional circumstances, they will be suspended from the end of such four-week period until such time as outstanding fees or charges have been paid, at which point they may apply for reinstatement, or until two terms have elapsed, at which point they will be removed from the Register of Students. The Bursar or Head shall also inform the Registrar that he or she has so notified the student concerned; and if the fees or charges due have not been paid in full within the specified four-week period, the Bursar or Head shall inform the Registrar of the position, whereupon, subject to the other provisions of this clause, the University shall have the right, having considered the circumstances of the case, forthwith to suspend the student concerned from access to the premises and facilities of the University. If the fees or charges due have not been paid in full within two terms of the date of any suspension imposed under this clause, the University shall have the right, having first considered the circumstances of the case, to remove the student from the Register of Students. A student may apply to Education Committee for reinstatement to the Register of Students. Any such reinstatement, which is not automatic, will be conditional upon payment of all outstanding fees.’

(2) REFUND OF FEES POLICY IN THE MATHEMATICAL INSTITUTE

Explanatory Note

The general arrangement in relation to refund of fees is that, if a student withdraws or suspends their status on or before Monday of Week 4 of any term, the fees payable in respect of that term will normally be reimbursed to the student. The regulations currently allow for different refund policies to apply in the Said Business School and in Continuing Education, in respect of programmes for which these departments, rather than the colleges, collect fees. The present change makes provision for the Mathematical Institute, also, to operate different refund policies: that department collects fees for certain
MScs, and for the MSc in Mathematical Finance in particular, which is a part-time, modular, two-year professional Master's course targeted at people working in international financial institutions, for which a high proportion of students are funded by City institutions. Education Committee and the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee have agreed that it is reasonable for special refund policies to apply.

**Text of Regulations**

**With immediate effect**

In *Examination Regulations* 2013, p1127, ll20–26, as amended by *Gazette*, Vol 144, No 5056, 27 March 2014, substitute (new text underlined):

'(b) On application by their society, or by the Head of the student's department for programmes where fees are usually paid directly to the department, and subject to the approval of Council's Education Committee, some part of the fee for an academic year may subsequently be returned to those who do not work in Oxford as a result of suspension or withdrawal, for the whole of that year. The general rule agreed by Council is that, for each complete term not spent working in Oxford, one third of the annual fee shall be returned. In addition, if a student withdraws or suspends their status on or before Monday of Week 4 of any term the fees payable in respect of that term will generally be reimbursed to the student. Certain programmes which have been granted permission to charge non-refundable deposits and programmes within the Department for Continuing Education, the Mathematical Institute, and the Said Business School may operate different refund policies.'

**3 DOCTORAL TRAINING PROGRAMME IN CARDIOVASCULAR MEDICINAL CHEMISTRY**

**Explanatory Note**

The following change makes provision for a new four-year doctoral training programme in Cardiovascular Medicinal Chemistry, which is funded by the British Heart Foundation, to charge fees for up to 12 terms. This is in line with the arrangements for other four-year doctoral programmes of this type.

**Text of Regulations**

**With effect from 1 October 2014**

1 In *Examination Regulations* 2013, p907, ll16–22, as amended by *Gazette*, Vol 144, No 5055, 20 March 2014, substitute (deleted text scored through, new text underlined):

7. **DOCTORAL TRAINING PROGRAMMES**

1. **Programmes covered by these regulations**

These regulations shall apply to all research students registered on the following programmes, irrespective of the division or department they are based within for their research project:

   (i) Centres for Doctoral Training: Autonomous Intelligent Machines and Systems; Biomedical Imaging; Cyber security; Diamond Science and Technology; Gas Turbine Aerodynamics; Healthcare Innovation; Industrially Focused Mathematical Modelling; New and Sustainable Photovoltaics; Oil and Gas; Partial Differential Equations; Analysis and Applications; Renewable Energy Marine Structures; Science and Application of Plastic Electronic Materials; Science and Technology of Fusion Energy; Statistical Science; Systems Approaches to Biomedical Science; Synthesis for Biology and Medicine; Synthetic Biology; and Theory and Modelling in Chemical Sciences;

   (ii) Doctoral Training Centres in: Life Sciences Interface, and Systems Biology;

   (iii) Doctoral Training Partnership in Environmental Research;

   (iv) Doctoral Training Partnership in Interdisciplinary Bioscience;

   (v) Students for the DPhil in Cardiovascular Medicinal Chemistry.

The programmes listed in (i), and (ii) and (v) shall be under the supervision of the Board of the Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Division.'

2 Ibid, p1125, l15–10, as amended by *Gazette*, Vol 144, No 5057, 24 April 2014, substitute:

'(d) the number of termly University fees payable by candidates registered for a DPhil through one of the following doctoral training programmes shall not exceed twelve: Autonomous Intelligent Machines and Systems; Cardiovascular Medicinal Chemistry; Cyber Security; Environmental Research; Healthcare Innovation; Industrially Focused Mathematical Modelling; Interdisciplinary Bioscience; Life Sciences Interface; New and Sustainable Photovoltaics; Oil and Gas; Partial Differential Equations; Analysis and Applications; Science and Technology of Fusion Energy; Synthesis for Biology and Medicine; Systems Approaches to Biomedical Science; Systems Biology;

(e) the number of termly University fees payable by candidates registered for a DPhil through one of the following doctoral training programmes shall not exceed twelve: Biomedical Imaging; Statistical Science; Synthetic Biology. Candidates registered for one of these doctoral training programmes, who are admitted by the University of Warwick, Bristol or Nottingham, and who hold the status of Probationer Research Student at Oxford shall not normally pay more than three termly University fees while at Oxford;

(f) the number of termly University fees payable by candidates registered for a DPhil through one of the following doctoral training programmes shall not exceed twelve: Diamond Science and Technology; Gas Turbine Aerodynamics; Renewable Energy Marine Structures; Science and Application of Plastic Electronic Materials. Candidates for these programmes may count towards this figure up to the equivalent of three termly University fees paid to the relevant partner university;

(g) the number of termly University fees payable by candidates registered for a DPhil through the doctoral training programme in Theory and Modelling in Chemical Sciences shall not exceed twelve. Candidates registered for a DPhil through this doctoral training programme may count up to three termly University fees paid while working for the MSc in Theoretical and Computational Chemistry towards this figure.'
The following regulations make formal provision for additional charges to be made for fieldwork on certain courses, and for students to be required to keep statutory residence and pursue their studies in Oxford during extended terms in subjects where this is not already provided for. The opportunity is taken to standardise the wording regarding extended terms by replacing the wording in regulations where extended terms are already stated, and to refer to the relevant website that provides details of the dates concerned.

Text of Regulations

With immediate effect

Honour School of Chemistry

1. In Examination Regulations 2013, p172, delete III–8 and substitute:

‘Candidates for Part II are required to keep statutory residence and pursue their studies at Oxford during a period of at least 38 weeks in three terms for the dates shown at: www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/university_year/dates_of_term.html’.

Honour School of Materials Science

2. Ibid, p322, delete II23–27 and substitute:

‘Candidates for Part II are required to keep statutory residence and pursue their studies at Oxford during a period of at least 37 weeks in three terms for the dates shown at: www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/university_year/dates_of_term.html. The divisional board may, on the’.


Honour School of Molecular and Cellular Biochemistry

4. Ibid, p386, II27–31 and substitute:

‘Candidates for Part II are required to keep statutory residence and pursue their studies at Oxford during a period of at least 28 weeks in three terms for the dates shown at: www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/university_year/dates_of_term.html’.

Master of Business Administration

5. Ibid, p803, after I28, insert:

‘Candidates are required to keep statutory residence and pursue their studies at Oxford during a period of at least 36 weeks in three terms for the dates shown at: www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/university_year/dates_of_term.html’.

6. Ibid, renumber paras 3, 4 and 5 as paras 4, 5 and 6.

Qualifying Examination in the Principles of Clinical Anatomy

7. Ibid, p974, after I2, insert:

‘Candidates are required to keep statutory residence and pursue their studies at Oxford during a period of at least 27 weeks in three terms for the dates shown at: www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/university_year/dates_of_term.html’.

Preliminary Examination in Medicine

8. Ibid, p977, after I24 insert:

‘Candidates for Part I are required to keep statutory residence and pursue their studies at Oxford during a period of at least 30 weeks in three terms for the dates shown at: www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/university_year/dates_of_term.html’.

9. Ibid, p980, after II9 insert:

‘Candidates for Part II are required to keep statutory residence and pursue their studies at Oxford during a period of at least 30 weeks in three terms for the dates shown at: www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/university_year/dates_of_term.html’.

Second Examination for the Degree of Bachelor of Medicine

10. Ibid, p982, after I45 insert:

‘Candidates in year 1 are required to keep statutory residence and pursue their studies at Oxford during a period of at least 40 weeks in three terms for the dates shown at: www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/university_year/dates_of_term.html’.

11. Ibid, p983, after I23 insert:

‘Candidates in year 2 are required to keep statutory residence and pursue their studies at Oxford during a period of at least 48 weeks in three terms for the dates shown at: www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/university_year/dates_of_term.html’.

12. Ibid p984, after I6 insert:

‘Candidates in year 3 are required to keep statutory residence and pursue their studies at Oxford during a period of at least 48 weeks in three terms for the dates shown at: www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/university_year/dates_of_term.html’.

Regulations on Financial Matters

13. Ibid, p1015, after II7 insert:

‘Candidates are required to keep statutory residence and pursue their studies at Oxford during a period of at least 35 weeks in three terms for the dates shown at: www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/university_year/dates_of_term.html’.

1. In the following programmes of study, additional charges will be made for fieldwork that is a requirement of the programme:

- BA Archaeology;
- BA Biological Sciences;
- BA Classical Archaeology & Ancient History;
- BA Geography;
- BA Geology (pre-2012 entrants only);
- MEarthSci (pre-2012 entrants only);
- MPhil Latin American Studies; and
- MSc Water Science, Policy and Management.

2. Other programmes of study may carry additional charges for optional fieldwork, projects or placements that are not a requirement of the programme.’

15. Ibid, renumber existing §§8–11 as §§9–12.

(5) LATE PRESENTATION FEE

Explanatory Note

The following change makes provision for late presentation fees in the Financial Matters Appendix to the Examination.
Regulations, alongside provision for fees for late entries and late alteration of options. The fee for all these cases is set at £40. Provision for all of these fees is already included in the Regulations for the Conduct of University Examinations. The current change provides for the three cases to be listed together in the Financial Matters section. The fee in each case will be £40 in 2014/15. The proposed addition of late presentation fees is shown by underlining. The opportunity is also taken to amend inaccurate references.

Text of Regulations

With effect from 1 October 2014

1 In Examination Regulations 2013, p121, l15-27, as amended by Gazette, Vol 144, No 5056, 27 March 2014, amend §7 as follows (deleted text scored through, new text underlined):

§7. Fees payable by candidates on registration, entry for an examination, application for leave to supplicate, resubmission of a thesis for certain circumstances, or supplicating for admission to or accumulation of certain degrees

1. Fees are payable in the following circumstances. Fees are reviewed on an annual basis with the fees for the current academic year available from www.ox.ac.uk/feesandfunding/fees/information/maxlib/otherfees or from the Planning and Resource Allocation Section. In the case of circumstances described in (a)–(c) and (d) below, and if University fees as defined in §1 are payable in respect of the same term, fees for given in (a)–(c) and (d) below do not apply.

... (d) For late entry for examinations:

(i) where a candidate proposes to offer a subject or part of the examination which has already been offered by a candidate who entered by the due date and no change in the conduct of the examination is involved;

(ii) where the provisions of (i) are not satisfied but the chair of examiners is willing to consent.

(e) For late alteration of options:

(i) where a candidate proposes to offer a subject or part of the examination which has already been offered by a candidate who entered by the due date and no change in the conduct of the examination is involved;

(ii) where the provisions of (i) are not satisfied but the chair of examiners is willing to consent.

(f) For late submission of a thesis or other exercise:

2 Ibid, renumber existing (f)–(i) as (g)–(j).

Humanities Board

PHIL IN MUSIC

removal of obsolete reference

PHIL IN THEOLOGY
to reword current regulations

PHIL/MST IN MODERN JEWISH STUDIES
title changes

MTH IN APPLIED THEOLOGY
(a) to permit award of distinction
(b) to clarify that extensions are not permitted

MST IN BIBLICAL INTERPRETATION,
CHINESE STUDIES, ISLAMIC ART AND ARCHAEOLOGY, JAPANESE STUDIES,
JEWISH STUDIES, KOREAN STUDIES,
MODERN JEWISH STUDIES AND ORIENTAL STUDIES
deadline change

MST IN GENERAL LINGUISTICS AND COMPARATIVE PHILOLOGY
new option

HONOUR SCHOOL OF MODERN LANGUAGES
change in prescribed texts

HONOUR SCHOOL AND PRELIMS IN EUROPEAN AND MIDDLE EASTERN LANGUAGES AND ORIENTAL STUDIES
simplification of course structure

Medical Sciences Board

DOCTOR OF CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY/PGCERT IN SUPERVISION OF APPLIED PSYCHOLOGICAL PRACTICE
to incorporate new course within regulations alongside existing course

MSC IN GLOBAL HEALTH SCIENCE
substantial changes following creation of Nuffield Department of Population Health

HONOUR SCHOOL OF MEDICAL SCIENCES
amendment accidentally omitted from changes published on 26 September 2013

FIRST EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF MEDICINE, PART II
to change format of examination for Subject 8, Psychology for Medicine, following significant syllabus revision

SECOND EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF MEDICINE
(a) to incorporate details of extended terms
(b) amendment to personnel approved to make progression decisions
(c) clarification of arrangements for oversight of Vocational Skills in Year 3 and oversight of Year 1
(d) integration of assessments for specialties in Year 2 under ‘Community-based Subjects’, including Geratology, Dermatology, Palliative Care, Primary Care, Population Health 2: Public Health

HONOUR SCHOOL OF MOLECULAR AND CELLULAR BIOCHEMISTRY
changes to the assessment of Part II options

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION IN MEDICINE, PARTS I AND II
(a) to incorporate details of extended terms for Years 1 and 2
(b) to change format of core Paper 1, Part I, from written paper to online examination

QUALIFYING EXAMINATION IN THE PRINCIPLES OF CLINICAL ANATOMY
to incorporate details of extended term associated with completion of course and relevant examination
PGCERT IN SUPERVISION OF APPLIED PSYCHOLOGICAL PRACTICE  
new course

Social Sciences Board

DPhil in Archaeology  
to change upper word limit for Transfer of Status written work

MPhil in Classical Archaeology  
to change deadline for pre-set essay titles submission

MPhil in Russian and East European Studies  
clarification of existing regulations: candidates who fail one or more final examinations can re-take them once the following year

MSC in Cognitive and Evolutionary Anthropology  
to change deadline for Paper I assignments submission

MSC in Criminology and Criminal Justice

MSC in Criminology and Criminal Justice (Research Methods)  
to rename core course and option course

MSC in Education  
to replace ‘Research Design and Methodology’ pathway with ‘Research Training’ pathway

MSC in Public Policy in Latin America  
withdrawal of programme

MSC in Social Anthropology  
to align syllabus content better with syllabus titles

MST in Archaeology  
to change deadline for dissertation title submission

MST in Classical Archaeology (I)  
(a) to change deadline for dissertation and pre-set essay titles submission  
(b) deletion of reference to optional course in conjunction with British School at Athens

MST in Classical Archaeology (II)  
to reinstate option paper left out by mistake last year

BCL and MJUR  
BCL, MJUR and MSC in Law and Finance  
change to option course title

Prelims in History and Politics

Prelims in PPE  
to change ‘Introduction to Politics: the Theory and Practice of Demography’ paper to reflect introduction of reformed Quantitative Methods teaching

PGDip in Learning and Teaching in Higher Education  
references to ‘Graduate Studies Committee’ changed to ‘Academic Committee’

Colleges, Halls and Societies

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Merton

Hugh Alexander Evans, 9 May 2014; 1943. Aged 89.
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Miscellaneous

Gazette publication arrangements
Advertisers are asked to note that this is the final Gazette of Trinity term. Publication for Michaelmas term will begin on 25 September. Please note, however, that the 25 September issue will be limited to University business only, so will not contain classified advertisements. The first issue of the 2014-15 academic year to carry advertisements is published on 2 October. The usual deadline will continue to apply (see above).

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Chadwick Memorial Lecture
The Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene Chadwick Memorial Lecture will take place on Wed 24 Sept, 7-8pm in the Chadwick Lecture Room, Merton College.
Sheldonian Theatre. Christopher J. Murray, University of Washington, will speak on the topic of ‘Measuring progress in malaria: challenges and options for the future’. Free ticketed event: booking is essential as spaces are limited. To attend please RSVP to Gerri McHugh at info@rstmd.org.

G L S Shackle Biennial Memorial Lecture St Edmund’s College, Cambridge. is pleased to announce the 5th in a series of biennial lectures in memory of the late Professor G L S Shackle. The guest speaker on Thurs 6 Nov 2014 will be Professor Christoph Loch, Director of the University of Cambridge Judge Business School. A poster and further information can be found at www.st-edmunds.cam.ac.uk/news/shackle_lecture.2014.

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University of Cambridge; Herchel Smith Professorship of Pure Mathematics; 30 September; www.admin.cam.ac.uk/offices/academic/secretary/professorships

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Queens’ College, Cambridge; Junior Research Fellowship in Economic History (from 1 October 2015); from £20,972 plus benefits; noon, 5 September; www.queens.cam.ac.uk/general-information/vacancies

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