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For details of University events, see the ‘Events’ page of the Staff Gateway: www.ox.ac.uk/staff/event-listing
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Degree by Resolution
No notice to the contrary having been received, the following resolution is deemed to have been approved at noon on 23 May.

Text of Resolution
That the Degree of Master of Arts be conferred upon:

Timothy John Lightfoot, Merton

Council of the University

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

Barker, K M, Radcliffe Science Library
Gibson, N J, Medical Sciences Divisional Office
Griffiths, J A, Keble
Holden, C H, Music Faculty
Klinke, I, St John’s
Kuyken, W, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
Nicholas, J, Student Systems Team
Nizami, M A, Faculty of History
Ribe, E M, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
Thomas, D H, Wadham

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

Council

23 May

Voting on Resolution relating to Good Governance of the University in Relation to the Administration of the EJRA Scheme

At the Congregation meeting on 17 May the resolution was rejected (for: 121; against: 149).

Since more than 50 members of Congregation have requisitioned a postal vote on the resolution relating to Good Governance of the University in Relation to the Administration of the EJRA Scheme, the rejection of the resolution in Congregation on 17 May (see supplement (1) to Gazette No 5133, included with this issue of the University of Oxford Gazette) is not confirmed, and a postal vote will now take place.

Signatories to requisition:

Nicholas Barber, Trinity, Law
Patrick Baird, University, Physics
Hugh Jenkyns, St Edmund Hall
Anthony B Watts, Earth Sciences
Heather A Bouman, Earth Sciences
Chris J Ballentine, Earth Sciences
Rosalind E M Rickaby, Earth Sciences
Bernard Wood, Earth Sciences
Frances Ashcroft, Trinity, Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics
Stephen Cameron, Computer Science
David E Logan, Chemistry
S J Ferguson, St Edmund Hall, Biochemistry
L A Goldberg, St Edmund Hall, Computer Science
R M Adlington, Chemistry
V Gouvrneur, Chemistry
Darren Dixon, Chemistry
Michael Willis, Chemistry
George Fleet, Chemistry
Edward Anderson, Chemistry
Stephen Fletcher, Chemistry
Jonathan Burton, Chemistry
Mark Griffith, New English
Christopher Tyerman, Hertford, History
Erica Charters, Wolfson, History
Daniel Isaacson, Wolfson, Philosophy
Rene Banares-Alcantara, New, Engineering Science
A J Venables, Economics
Yves Capdebois, The Queen’s, Mathematical Institute
William Poole, New

Miles Hewstone, New
Vincent Vitale, Theology & Religion
James Orr, Christ Church
Benjamin Caldecott, Smith School of Enterprise and the Environment
Andrew Moore, Regent’s Park, Theology
T J Mawson, St Peter’s, Philosophy
Brian Leftow, Oriel, Theology
Juliane Kerkhecker, Oriel, Classics
John Huber, Oriel, Engineering Science
William Wood, Oriel
Douglas Hamilton, Oriel, Engineering Science
Gonzalo Rodriguez-Pereyra, Oriel, Philosophy
Max Crispin, Oriel, Biochemistry
Hindy Najman, Oriel, Theology
Joel Rasmussen, Mansfield, Theology & Religion
Paul Ewart, Physics
Steven Rose, Physics
C Richard Stone, Somerville, Engineering Science
Martin H Davy, Exeter, Engineering Science
Armin Reichold, Balliol, Physics
Subir Sarkar, Linacre, Physics
John H Cobb, Keble, Physics
Justin Wark, Trinity, Physics
Amanda Cooper-Sarkar, St Hilda’s, Physics
T J Donohoe, Chemistry
M D Smith, Chemistry
R I Cooper, Chemistry
S J Conway, Chemistry
Harry L Anderson, Keble, Chemistry
Kay Davies, Hertford
Angela Russell, St John’s, Chemistry and Pharmacology
Paul Roberts, Chemistry
Stephen G Davies, Magdalen, Chemistry
James E Thomson, St Catherine’s, Chemistry
Jeremy Robertson, Brasenose, Chemistry
Hagan Bayley, Hertford, Chemistry
Fraser Armstrong, St John’s, Chemistry
Peter Edwards, St Catherine’s, Chemistry
Tiancun Xiao, Chemistry
Richard G Compton, St John’s
Sam Thompson, Christ Church, Chemistry
John Pitcher, St John’s
Malcolm Davies, St John’s
John Langton, St John’s
Linda McDowell, St John’s
Jeyaramey Kathirithamby, St Hugh’s
Adrian L Harris, Oncology
Peter W Smith, NPEU, NDPH
Andrew R King, NPEU, NDPH
Brian Hicks, NPEU, NDPH
Manisha Nair, NPEU, NDPH
Jennifer Hollowell, NPEU, NDPH
Rachel Rowe, NPEU, NDPH
Jennifer McManus, NPEU, NDPH
Maria Quigley, NPEU, NDPH
Ursla Bowler, NPEU, NDPH
Karin Bellenger, NPEU, NDPH
Edmund Juszczak, NDPH
David Murray, NDPH
Reinhard Strohm, Wadham, Music
Tim Claridge, Chemistry
Francesca Galligan, Bodleian Libraries
Alan Coates, St Cross, Bodleian Libraries
Harvey Brown, Wolfson, Philosophy
Andrew Steane, Exeter, Physics
M Kunckhuyan-Banks, Law
Denis Galligan, Wolfson, Socio-legal Studies
Geraint Jones, Wolfson, Computer Science
A Deighton, Wolfson, DIPR
Daniel Butt, Balliol
Donald Porcelli, DIPR, Earth Sciences
Janet B Pierrehumbert, Oxford e-research centre
James Benson, Wolfson, Oriental Studies
Stefano Zacchetti, Balliol, Oriental Studies & Theology
Christopher Melchert, Pembroke, Oriental Studies
Wolfgang Melcher, Wolfson, Classics
A Jane Caplan, St Antony’s, History
David Serratt, Linacre, Biochemistry/MSD
David Paley, New
R G Ratcliffe, New
Samson Abramsky, Computer Science
Valentine Cunningham, CCC
Lynn A Robson, Regent’s Park, English
Patrick Hayes, St John’s
David Robertson, Politics and International Relations
Peter McDonald, St Hugh’s
Anne Goriely, WIMM
Peter Mitchell, St Hugh’s
Margaret Watson, Wadham, Bodleian Libraries
Laura Hoyano, Wadham, Law
Dimitry Belyaev, Maths
AJ Wathen, Maths
Xenia de la Ossa, Maths
B Zilber, Maths
P Candelas, Maths
David Seifert, St John’s
Gui-Qiang G Chen, Maths
Ben Hamby, Maths
Jan Kristensen, Maths
John M Ball, Queen’s
James Sparks, Maths
Luis Alday, Maths

Text of Resolution

‘Congregation resolves:

(1) That the EJRA be suspended forthwith pending the publication of the findings of the EJRA Review Committee to all members of the University.

(2) That the EJRA Review Committee now be afforced with at least five members representing and answerable to Congregation.

(3) That the afforced Committee report its findings to Congregation by 1 January 2017.

(4) That Council and all University committees promptly disclose to Congregation all legal advice taken regarding the EJRA.’

(For a full list of the proposers of the resolution and Council’s response, see Gazette No 5131, 5 May 2016, p478.)

Voting

Following the requisition of a postal vote by more than 50 members of Congregation, the resolution will be submitted to a postal vote for confirmation or rejection in accordance with Part 4 of Congregation Regulations 2 of 2002.

Voting papers have been dispatched to members of Congregation on Thursday, 26 May. Completed voting papers must be returned to the Registrar’s Office (University Offices) not later than noon on Thursday, 9 June. Voting papers received after this time will not be counted.

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The transcript of the debate on the resolution is published as Supplement (1) to the Congregation Gazette. For proposed amendments to this legislative proposal see Supplement (2) to the Congregation Gazette No 5130 published with the 28 April 2016 Gazette.

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Resolution regarding the University’s implementation of the PREVENT Legislation

Preamble

1. Compliance with the highest standards of freedom of expression and academic freedom are central to the University’s mission, recognised in the University’s Strategic Plan 2013-2018 (1) and its current Donor Charter. While day-to-day governance is delegated to the administration, Congregation, the sovereign parliament of the University, has the ultimate responsibility to ensure the protection of freedoms for University staff and its broader community. Statute XII, which guarantees academic freedom, is underpinned by three principles:

(1) to ensure that academic staff have freedom within the law to question and test received wisdom, and to put forward new ideas and controversial or unpopular opinions, without placing themselves in jeopardy of losing their jobs or privileges;

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(2) to enable the University to provide education, promote learning, and engage in research efficiently and economically; and

(printed here)
(3) to apply the principles of justice and fairness.

2 The University’s PREVENT Steering Group is currently considering how the University should develop its regulations and procedures on such important matters as the use of IT, the holding of meetings and events, and staff and student welfare. This consideration is distinct from that in the Conferences of Colleges, which has discussed and developed draft policy on how individual colleges are to respond to the PREVENT legislation.

3 The development of the University’s regulation, policies, and procedures in response to the PREVENT legislation raises profound challenges for academic freedom as enshrined in Statute XII, as well as the University’s compliance with pre-existing legal obligations: the Education Act of 1986 and the Education Reform Act of 1988, the Human Rights Act of 1998, and the Equality Act of 2010.

4 The Conference of Colleges brought several versions of its draft on the new PREVENT legislation for due diligence to the Governing Bodies of colleges, with discussion, development, and improvements emerging. Congregation has not yet had the opportunity to provide similar and equally necessary due diligence on the draft policies and regulations emerging from the University PREVENT Steering Committee and its work within the University.

Therefore, Congregation resolves:

1 That any changes to regulations and procedures associated with PREVENT legislation be consistent with the spirit and substance of the templates as agreed by the Conference of Colleges, with the University’s Statutes and Regulations, as well as consistent with UK legislation regarding the rights and freedoms of individuals, namely the Human Rights Act of 1998, the Education Acts of 1986 and 1988, and the Equalities Act of 2010;

2 That the PREVENT Steering Group present the University’s proposed draft policies and procedures for the consideration of Congregation of 6th week of Trinity term 2016, and any proposed draft training by 2nd week of MT 2016;

3 That the University’s PREVENT Steering Group be afforded with a minimum of five elected members of Congregation by 0th week MT 2016.’

Proposed by:

Kevin Hilliard, St Peter’s
Patricia Thornton, Merton
Robert Gildea, Worcester
Armin Reichold, Balliol
Felix Parra Diaz, Worcester
Scott Peterson, Balliol
David Steinsaltz, Worcester
Sophie Marnette, Balliol
Simon Cowan, Worcester
Daniel Butt, Balliol
Richard Earl, Worcester
Nadia Hilliard, Balliol
Peta Fowler, Worcester
Rosalind Thomas, Balliol
Grant Ritchie, Worcester
S A Skinner, Balliol
Michail Peramatzis, Worcester
C Minkowski, Balliol
Alain Viala, Lady Margaret Hall
Grant Lamond, Balliol
Kate Tunstall, Worcester
Andrew Hurrell, Balliol
Caroline Warman, Jesus
Elena Lombardi, Balliol
Katrin Kohl, Jesus
Lesley Abrams, Balliol
Josephine Van Zeben, Worcester
Avner Offer, All Souls
S J Methven, Worcester
Andre Lukas, Balliol
Helen Swift, St Hilda’s
Walter Armbrust, St Antony’s
Sabina Lovibond, Worcester
Anne Deighton, Wolfson
Stephen Williams, Worcester
Morgan Clarke, Keble
Paul Ewart, Worcester
Emma Newcombe
Conrad Leyser, Worcester
V Kingsman
Martin McLaughlin, Magdalen
Bridget Anderson
T J Farrant, Pembroke
Amara Maqood, St Catherine’s
G Hazzun, St Anne’s
Robert Parkin, Wolfson
Ritchie Robertson, Queen’s
Elizabeth Ewart, Linacre
Miles Larmer, St Antony’s
Zuzanna Olszewska, St John’s
Olivia Smith, Wolfson
Stanley Uljaszek, St Cross
Charlie Louth, Queen’s
Leslie Green, Balliol
Philippa Hulley, St Hilda’s
Matthew Gibney, Linacre
Jennifer Oliver, St John’s
Julia Bray, St John’s
Mike Holland, St Hugh’s
David Leopold, Mansfield
Chimene Bateman, New
Jeff Tseng, SEH
Jessica Goodman, St Catherine’s
Teresa Bejan, Oriel
Zofia Stemplowska, Worcester
Benjamin Blonder, Balliol
Ben Jackson, University
David Priestland, St Edmund Hall
Nicholas Bamforth, Queen’s
Karma Nabulsi, SEH
Fiona Macintosh, St Hilda’s
Alexandra Alvergne, Harris Manchester
Nicholas Owen, Queen’s
Franck Duveil, St Antony’s
Susan Valladares, Worcester
Simon Caney, Magdalen
Bernard Sfrin, Worcester
Elizabeth Frazer, New
Donald G Fraser, Worcester
Stuart White, Jesus
Georgina Paul, St Hilda’s
Afi Al-Akiti, Worcester
Catriona Seth, All Souls
Ben Morgan, Worcester
John Parrington, Worcester
Sudhir Hazareesingh, Balliol
Adrian Kelly, Balliol

Response from Council

Council has deemed the resolution to be acceptable to it. The resolution will be formally moved and seconded in Congregation, following which there will be a speech on behalf of Council and the resolution will be put to Congregation.

At its meeting on 16 May, Council gave careful consideration to the resolution and, having noted the close working relationship that exists between the University and the Conference of Colleges working groups, was supportive of it and deemed it to be acceptable. However, Council wished to add the following comments:

‘First, Council is concerned to ensure that the consultation on any changes to existing policies and procedures enables all interested members of the University to respond to it. A formal meeting of Congregation on 31 May at which the resolution is debated may not be the best route to achieve that goal and Council, through the Registrar, wishes to explore with the signatories to the resolution whether some other consultation process (permitting both written responses and open discussion) would be a preferable route to our shared goal. Second, the regulations applicable to the election of members of committees has the consequence that, without the suspension of regulations, it is not possible to achieve the desired goal of affording the membership of the Prevent Steering Group by 0th week of Michaelmas term. It therefore wishes to add members of Congregation to the Steering Group with immediate effect while consideration is given to the process whereby members of Congregation may be elected to the group prior to the completion of its work at the end of the calendar year.’
Since the Council meeting on 16 May, following consultation with the signatories to the resolution, the proposed draft changes to University regulations and procedures associated with the Prevent legislation will be published on the University’s Prevent website (www.ox.ac.uk/staff/working_at_oxford/policies/procedures/prevent-duty). Members of Congregation will be invited to comment on the proposed changes by Friday, 17 June, so that any comments can be taken into account by Council when it is asked to approve the changes later this term.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE MEETING

Attendance and timings

A meeting will be held at 2pm on 31 May in the Sheldonian Theatre to debate and vote on the amended legislative proposal at (1). The resolution at (2) above will also be formally put to Congregation.

Attendance at the meeting is open to members of Congregation and to nominated representatives of the Oxford University Student Union (OUSU) as agreed in advance by the Vice-Chancellor. Admittance to the theatre will be on the production of a valid University card and will be on a first-come, first-served basis (places will be reserved for scheduled speakers). The doors of the Sheldonian Theatre will open at 1.45pm.

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

Order of business

The Vice-Chancellor will open the meeting at 2pm and set out the procedure and order of business.

(1) Voting on legislative proposal

The amended legislative proposal concerning Statute XII is the first item on the agenda. There will be speeches in support of or in opposition to the amended legislative proposal as time permits, following which the mover will be given the opportunity to respond and the amended legislative proposal will be put to Congregation. Information for those wishing to speak in the debate is provided below.

Voting

Following the speeches on the amended legislative proposal, a vote will be taken. The Vice-Chancellor and the Proctors have determined that voting during the meeting will take place by paper ballot. Members of Congregation will be required to identify themselves on their voting slips by name and signature and by college/department or faculty and to deposit their own voting slips in ballot boxes at the doors of the house. Slips will be sorted and counted by the Proctors, and will subsequently be kept confidentially by the Proctors for six days, after which they will be destroyed.

RESOLUTION (PREVENT)

The resolution will be formally moved and seconded, following which there will be a speech on behalf of Council and the resolution will be put to Congregation. Given that no notice of opposition has been received, the Vice-Chancellor may announce that, in her opinion, the resolution is accepted. If, however, six members of Congregation rise in their places (for example, if they disagree), a vote will be taken by paper ballot.

LEGISLATIVE PROPOSAL (STATUTE XII)

Advance notice by speakers

Those wishing to speak to the legislative proposal as amended will be expected to limit their contributions to five minutes. It may not be possible to call all those who wish to speak. If you wish to speak at the meeting, you are asked to indicate this intention in advance by emailing congregation.meeting@admin.ox.ac.uk preferably by 3pm on Friday, 27 May, and at the latest by 9am on Tuesday, 31 May. It would be helpful if members of Congregation intending to speak could indicate whether they support or oppose the amended legislative proposal and what issues they wish to cover, as this will help to determine the order in which speakers are called. If time permits, those who have not indicated in advance may have an opportunity to speak. The Vice-Chancellor will also invite a nominated representative of OUSU to speak.

Elections

CONTESTED ELECTIONS

Council
Visitors of the Ashmolean Museum

UNCONTESTED ELECTIONS

Council
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Visitorial Board Panel
Humanities Divisional Board
Social Sciences Divisional Board
Board of the Faculty of English Language and Literature
Board of the Faculty of History
Board of the Faculty of Oriental Studies
Board of the Faculty of Philosophy
Board of the Faculty of Theology and Religion

LAPSED VACANCIES

Details are in ‘Elections’ section below.

Note on procedures in Congregation

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

1 The transcript may be edited for legal reasons.
Notices

Consultative Notices

Brasenose College

REVISED STATUTES

The Committee on Statutes before the Privy Council, acting under authority delegated to it by Council, is minded to give consent on behalf of the University to the revised statutes of University College, approved by the Governing Body on 9 March 2016, in so far as such consent is required by section 7 (2) of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1923. The consent of the committee to the amendments to the statutes will be effective 12 days after publication unless written notice of a resolution, signed by at least 20 members of Congregation, calling upon Council to withhold that consent, has been given to the Registrar by noon on Monday, 6 June.

The revised statutes update the existing statutes of Brasenose College following substantive review by the governing body over the last two years. The principal amendments aim to: (i) increase the governing body’s power to delegate to committees; (ii) remove the link between all types of fellow and automatic membership of the governing body; (iii) reflect changes in the law and future-proof the Statutes by (a) removing explicit references to personnel issues; and (b) changing the role of the Visitor as arbiter; and (iv) introduce an explicit permission for the college to borrow through both secured and unsecured loans.

Teaching Excellence Framework Technical Consultation

The government’s consultation Teaching Excellence Framework: Technical Consultation for Year Two was published on 16 May. It may be found on the Department for Business, Innovation and Skills website at www.gov.uk/government/consultations/teaching-excellence-framework-year-2-technical-consultation.

Members of the University are encouraged to contribute views on how the University of Oxford’s response to the consultation should be shaped. Comments may be made by email to edccomms@admin.ox.ac.uk by 9am on 6 June.

Education Committee and Council will consider a draft of the University’s response at meetings on 17 June and 20 June respectively. The response will then be finalised to be submitted by the government’s deadline of 12 July.

General Notices

Car parking: revised charges

Council has agreed to introduce revised charges for permits to park on University land. This notice reports the changes approved and summarises the process by which the recommendations were devised and refined prior to their referral to Council.

REVISED PARKING CHARGES

(a) Peak permits valid in central Oxford or at the Old Road Campus

With effect from 1 October 2016, the annual charge shall be equivalent to 1.25% of the permit holder’s gross contractual salary.

With effect from 1 October 2017, the annual charge shall be equivalent to 1.5% of the permit holder’s gross contractual salary.

With effect from 1 October 2018, the annual charge shall be equivalent to 1.75% of the permit holder’s gross contractual salary.

(b) Other permits and charges

Charges for permits valid at Osney Mead remain unchanged at 0.2% of the permit holder’s gross contractual salary.

Charges for permits valid at the Begbroke Science Park, Ewert House and for off-peak permits remain unchanged at £20 pa.

An administrative fee of £5 will continue to apply for the reissue of a lost permit.

PROCESS

Charges for permits to park on University land were first introduced in 2002. They are generally reviewed on a triennial basis. Changes were previously made in 2005, 2008 and 2012. Initial recommendations, formed by the Car Parking Working Group (CPWG), were scrutinised by the Buildings and Estates Subcommittee (BESC) of Council’s Planning and Resource Allocation Committee (PRAC) in June 2015 and then referred to the Personnel Committee for consideration. Personnel Committee, in turn, referred the recommendations to its Joint Committee with University Support Staff and its Joint Consultative Committee with the UCU before considering the matter itself in Michaelmas term 2015. In February 2016 PRAC approved the revised car parking charges subject to a re-examination of the Public Sector Equality Duty (PSED) analysis by the Advocate for Diversity and Pro-Vice-Chancellor and the Equality and Diversity Unit. This was duly undertaken in May 2016 before onward referral to Council.

JUSTIFICATION FOR POLICY CHANGE

The University has limited parking provision which is under high pressure to meet operational and staff commuting needs. The policies control access to parking and prioritise the allocation of permits according to caring responsibilities, mobility and operational needs.

A charge of 1% of salary is currently levied both to reduce demand for parking and to incentivise staff to commute by sustainable, non-car modes. To be effective in managing demand, the charge needs to be equivalent to the cost of using the park and ride, the main alternative to driving for staff who do not qualify for a parking permit and who live beyond walking and cycling distance.

Currently the average annual cost paid by full-time staff for a central and Old Road Campus peak permit is £445, substantially less than the current cost of £706.50 to use the park and ride. The policy proposes to increase the charge to 1.75% of salary by 2018 to equalise the average cost of a parking permit with the park and ride. The policy is not designed as a revenue-raising tool.

Appointments

Humanities

CHICHELE PROFESSORSHIP OF MEDIEVAL HISTORY

Julia M H Smith, MA Camb, DPhil Oxf, Edwards Professor of Medieval History, School of Humanities, University of Glasgow, has been appointed to the Chichele Professorship of Medieval History in the Faculty of History with effect from 1 October 2016. Professor Smith will be a fellow of All Souls.

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

HEADSHIP OF SUBDEPARTMENT OF INORGANIC CHEMISTRY

The Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board has conferred the Headship of the Subdepartment of Inorganic Chemistry upon Professor Stephen Faulkner, DPhil Oxf, Professor of Chemistry, for a period of 3 years from 1 October 2016.
Medical Sciences

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

Experimental Psychology (Perception)

Hannah Elizabeth Smithson, MA PhD
Camb, PGCE Durh, Fellow and Tutor of Psychology, Pembroke, and Associate Professor of Experimental Psychology, Department of Experimental Psychology, has been reappointed to the retiring age with effect from 1 July 2016.

Electoral Boards

Composition of an Electoral Board

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

PROFESSORSHIP OF HUMAN GEOGRAPHY

Appointed by

Professor W James, The Vice-Chancellor
Professor W Matti, President of St John's
Professor R Goodman, Social Sciences Division
Professor H Viles, School of Geography and the Environment
Professor S Whatmore, School of Geography and the Environment
Professor G Clark, School of Geography and the Environment
Professor T Barnes, Council
Professor S Curtis, Council
Professor A Grafen, St John's

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

Musical and other Events

Sheldonian Theatre

SLEEPING SENSE: CUTTING-EDGE SCIENCE AND SUBLIME MUSIC

Elin Manahan Thomas and Christopher Bucknall, Orchestra of the Age of the Enlightenment, will perform new music and extracts from works by Purcell and Bach at 7pm on 9 June at the Sheldonian Theatre. Featuring Professor Russell Foster. Free but registration required: sleeping-sense.eventbrite.co.uk.

Exhibitions

Museum of Natural History

27 May–30 Oct: Microsculpture - the insect photography of Levon Biss.

Lectures

Humanities

Oxford Forum event

Professor Alison Jaggar, Colorado and Birmingham, and Dr Scott Wisor, Birmingham, will participate in an Oxford Forum Dialogue at 4pm on 2 June in the Colin Matthew Room, Faculty of Philosophy. Chair: Dr Roxana Baiasu
Subject: ‘Measuring poverty and gender disparity: philosophical and practical issues’

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

Department of Earth Sciences

DEPARTMENTAL SEMINARS

Please note change of arrangements for the following seminars:

3rd Annual Lobanov-Rostovsky Lecture in Planetary Evolution
Ray Pierrehumbert
4pm, 27 May, Martin Wood Lecture Theatre, Clarendon Laboratory: ‘The origins and evolution of exoplanet atmospheres and oceans’

Richard Harrison, Cambridge
Weds, 1 Jun: ‘Magnetic microscopy of metallic meteorites: probing the magnetic state of the early solar system’

Institutes, Centres and Museums

Foundation for Law, Justice and Society

The following events will take place in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium, Wolfson. To register: www.fljs.org/events.

FLIS/CENTRE FOR SOCIO-LEGAL STUDIES

FILM NIGHT

The award-winning film Bridge of Spies will be screened at 7pm on 2 June. Free.

MAX WATSON ANNUAL LECTURE

Professor Alan Paterson, Director, Centre for Professional Legal Studies, Strathclyde, will deliver the Max Watson Annual Lecture 5.30–6.30pm on 7 June.

Subject: “The Supreme Court re-assessed: what do the next 7 years hold for the UK’s final court?”

Examinations and Boards

Supplication for the Degree of Doctor of Letters

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Supplication for the Degrees of Bachelor of Civil Law and Doctor of Civil Law by accumulation

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Examinations for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

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Elections

Contested Elections

The following elections will be contested.

Council

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

Current/Retiring Member To hold office until

Professor J Michie, President of Kellogg

MT 2020

The following nominations have been received:

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

Nominated by:

D A Lievesley, Principal of Green Templeton
Sir Gordon Duff, Principal of St Hilda's
J M Armitage, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
Sir John Bell, Christ Church, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
Professor Dame Valerie Beral, Green Templeton, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
A M Buchan, Corpus Christi, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
K M Channon, Exeter, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
R J Cornall, Corpus Christi, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
J J Kurinczuk, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
P B Sullivan, Magdalen, Faculty of Clinical Medicine

Candidate statement:

I was responsible for forming the Nuffield Department of Population Health (NDPH) in 2013 to bring together groups with complementary skills in population health science. Its aims are to deliver high quality research that has a major impact on global health, as well as to develop the next generation of researchers. Population health science in Oxford was not ranked highly in the 2008 RAE, whereas the new Department ranked top in 2014.

I consider training and career development to be a priority: for example, one of my first actions in NDPH was to fund doctoral Scholarships to attract the best students from around the world; and we've now established departmentally-funded Fellowships to recruit and retain the best scientists. I'm committed to ensuring that all staff have the opportunity to fulfil their potential, as illustrated by NDPH's gender-equality at all grades (including Professorial) and by coordinating efforts to address obstacles (e.g. the lack of adequate nursery provision).

As well as managing NDPH effectively (it has a budget surplus), I'm also Chief Executive of UK Biobank (funded by MRC and Wellcome Trust). In that role, I've been responsible for the successful delivery of this £175M biomedical resource involving 500,000 UK participants, which is available to researchers worldwide for health research that is in the public interest.

Representation on Council would provide me with opportunities to deliver my vision of using resources effectively and developing collaborations across the University, and of helping support career development and equality of opportunity for all staff.

Jonathan Michie, MSc Lond, MA DPhil Oxf, President of Kellogg, Continuing Education

Nominated by:

H R Woudhuysen, Rector of Lincoln, Faculty of English Language and Literature
Baroness Helena Kennedy of the Shaws, Principal of Mansfield, Faculty of Law
R W Ainsworth, Master of St Catherine's, Faculty of Engineering Science
Dame Elish Angiolini, Principal of St Hugh's, Faculty of Law
M J Snowling, President of St John's, Faculty of Psychological Studies
Dame Kay Davies, Hertford, Faculties of Physiological Sciences and of Clinical Medicine
R Hobbs, Harris Manchester, Department of Primary Care Health Sciences
K J Humphries, All Souls, Faculty of History
L Tarassenko, St John's, Faculty of Engineering Science
C J Wickham, All Souls, Faculty of History

Candidate statement:

I'm Director of the Department for Continuing Education and President of Kellogg College: this experience means I bring a fresh perspective to the deliberations of council regarding the future direction of the University. I'm fully supportive of the University's Strategic Plan, which, beyond teaching and research embraces a commitment to civic engagement. As

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

GENERAL REGULATIONS GOVERNING RESEARCH DEGREES

to set absolute minimum for examiners' requests for early vivas at 14 days from examiners' receipt of thesis

Continuing Education Board

MST IN INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS LAW

(a) reduction of summative assessment
(b) other minor changes

Medical Sciences Board/Continuing Education Board

PG PROGRAMME IN EVIDENCE-BASED HEALTH CARE

introduction of two new streams
Professor of Innovation & Knowledge Exchange, I believe in the importance of interdisciplinarity and widening engagement activities which look outwards beyond academia.

The growth in the Department for Continuing Education over the past eight years means Oxford is leading developments in this area globally. I'm committed to strive for recognition of how such activities can increase the diversity of the student body and enrich the culture of the University - and the lives of participating students, plus through media and other channels, influence policy makers and politicians.

As head of house, I participate in Conference of Colleges. I'm a co-opted member of the Social Sciences Divisional Board and also serve on the following University Committees: Council, Education, Finance, Student Number Planning, Student Fees & Support, Impact & Knowledge Exchange, and the Natural History Museum Board. I'm Treasurer to the Oxford Society (the University's alumni association). I was delighted to receive an OUSU 'Outstanding Supervisor' Award for 2015-16.

Beyond Oxford I serve on the Council of the Academy of Social Sciences (whose Audit Committee I chair); the Economic Advisory Board of Defra; and the United World Colleges (UWC) Council. I am Chair of Governors of UWC Atlantic College.

Other Committees and University Bodies

VISITORS OF THE ASHMOLEAN MUSEUM

One member of Congregation elected by Congregation

Current/Retiring Member To hold office until

Sir Mark Jones, St Cross MT 2018

The following nominations have been received:

David W Griffiths, BA PhD Durh, MA status Oxf, Fellow of Kellogg, Sub-faculty of Archaeology

Nominated by:

T C Buchanan, Kellogg, Faculty of History
C W R Davies, Kellogg, Faculty of Social Studies
H F Hamerow, St Cross, Faculty of History, Sub-faculty of Archaeology
A B Hawkins, Faculty of History
M P Smith, Kellogg, Oxford University Museum of Natural History
A I Wilson, All Souls, Faculty of Classics, Sub-faculty of Archaeology

Candidate statement:

I am Reader and Director of Studies in Archaeology at the Department for Continuing Education (OUDCE), and also the department’s Director of Research. In the past I have worked as a professional archaeologist and held a previous lecturing position at UCL. I am a medievalist and have published widely in the field of Anglo-Saxon and Viking studies. Much of my research has centred upon museum collections. The role of the Ashmolean Museum in the University and beyond is of great interest to me. I believe as a Visitor I can contribute an important perspective informed by 16 years of teaching and supervising part-time and professional students at Oxford.

OUDCE (Public Programmes Division) has 14,487 student enrolments across a range of humanities and social science courses (including history, art and architectural history and archaeology). 1,476 of these are studying archaeology, which embraces heritage, professional, landscape, material culture, classical and ancient historical themes. The OUDCE Archaeology Programme makes regular use of the Ashmolean's displays and collections, and museum staff teach and co-ordinate conferences and day-schools. In addition, I am PI of a major HLF-funded archaeological project based on volunteer participation in East Oxford. Over 600 members of the local community have participated and received training in research techniques. As well as excavations and surveys in East Oxford, the project has done pioneering work in connecting the city community to the Ashmolean’s collections through sustained and planned group workshops, undertaken with the co-operation of curatorial staff.

Minhyong Kim, MA Oxf, PhD Yale, Fellow of Merton, Faculty of Mathematics

Nominated by:

R A McCabe, Merton, Faculty of English Language and Literature
D J Paterson, Merton, Faculty of Physiological Sciences
J R W Prag, Merton, Faculty of Classics
S W Saunders, Merton, Faculty of Physics and of Philosophy
A Schekochihin, Merton, Rudolf Peierls Centre for Theoretical Physics

Candidate statement:

I should apologise first that I have no prior practical credentials for this kind of a position to offer other than the rather distant work as a board member of the International Centre for Mathematical Sciences in Edinburgh. However, since arriving at Oxford 5 years ago, I've been a great enthusiast for the museum and its mission. I regularly attend its exhibits and lectures, and have a particular interest in the outreach component of university museums. I collaborated briefly in 2014 with former curator Senta German on an outreach project for students on geometry and art (sadly interrupted by Senta's departure), and would like to create more such opportunities in the future. In a related vein, I have been maintaining a number of dialogues with artists interested in science and mathematics, and gave a plenary lecture at the 2014 Bridges conference on Mathematics, Music, Art, Architecture, Education, and Culture. It is hoped that the view of a devoted non-expert might be useful in the governance of the museum.

Professor Maggie Snowling, BSc Brist, MA Oxf, PhD Lond, President of St John's, Faculty of Psychological Studies

Nominated by:

N G Shrimpton, Lady Margaret Hall, Faculty of English Language and Literature
R R R Smith, Lincoln, Faculty of Classics, Sub-faculty of Archaeology
A J Sturgis, Worcester, Ashmolean Museum of Art and Archaeology
C T Whistler, St John's, Faculty of History

Candidate statement:

As a Head of House in Oxford I am passionate about academic excellence and committed to bringing the opportunities of Oxford to a more diverse community. I am also a strong advocate of the importance of education not only for academic success but also for the well-being of society. I believe the collegiate University has a responsibility to reach out to a wide public and to ensure that all of its activities, cultural and academic, are accessible to everyone regardless of background and educational experience. My own research is at the interface of psychology and education. For many years I have worked on the nature and cause of children's problems with learning and in the past decade have been involved in conducting randomized trials to improve reading and language of children with difficulties, including those who are socially and economically disadvantaged. If appointed as a Visitor to the Ashmolean I would be particularly interested in the museum's education programme and how this might continue to inspire children from the early years upwards as well as making a contribution to the University's outreach efforts by enriching curricula for secondary school students.
Notes:
Nominations in writing for the elections on 9 June, by four members of Congregation other than the candidate, were received by the Elections Office at the University Offices, Wellington Square, up to 4pm on 12 May. Candidates were invited to include with their nomination forms a written statement of no more than 250 words, setting out their reasons for standing and qualifications for the office being sought. These statements are now available online at www.admin.ox.ac.uk/elections/elections.shtml and published in this issue of the Gazette. Voters may wish to wait until they have read these statements before returning their ballot papers.

Ballot papers will be sent out to members of Congregation as soon as possible. Completed ballot papers must be received by the Elections Office not later than 4pm on 9 June.

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

Uncontested Elections
Nominations for these elections closed at 4pm on Thursday, 12 May 2016. As the number of nominations received is no more than sufficient to fill the following vacancies, the candidates nominated below shall be deemed to be duly elected as of Thursday, 12 May 2016 (as per Congregation Regulations 2002, regulations 8.2(3) and 8.2(6); Council Regulations 17 of 2002, regulations 22 and 26; and Council Regulations 19 of 2002, regulations 40 and 44). For the purposes of elections, academic standing is as defined in Council Regulations 22 of 2002, Part 2: Academic Precedence and Standing, made by Council on 26 June 2002.

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

Current/Retiring Member  To hold office until
Professor R Hobbs, Harris Manchester  MT 2020

The following nomination has been received:
Richard Hobbs, MB CHB Brist, MA Oxf, Fellow of Harris Manchester, Department of Primary Care Health Sciences

Nominated by:
D A Liewesley, Principal of Green Templeton
R Waller, Principal of Harris Manchester, Faculty of Theology
J Michie, President of Kellogg, Continuing Education
Sir John Bell, Christ Church, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
A M Buchan, Corpus Christi, Faculty of Clinical Medicine
Dame Kay Davies, Hertford, Faculties of Physiological Sciences and of Clinical Medicine
M J A Freeman, Lincoln, Faculty of Psychological Sciences
R J Goodman, St Antony’s, Faculties of Anthropology and Geography and of Oriental Studies
I A Walmsley, St Hugh’s, Faculty of Physics
C J Wickham, All Souls, Faculty of History

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

Current/Retiring Member  To hold office until
Professor S N MacFarlane, St Anne’s  MT 2020

The following nomination has been received:
Helena F Hamerow, BA Wisconsin, MA DPhil Oxf, Fellow of St Cross, Faculty of History, Sub-faculty of Archaeology

Nominated by:
Sir Mark Jones, Master of St Cross
R J Goodman, St Antony’s, Faculties of Anthropology and Geography and of Oriental Studies
C H Gosden, Keble, Faculty of Anthropology and Geography, Sub-faculty of Archaeology
T J Morgan, Oriel, Faculty of Classics
C J Wickham, All Souls, Faculty of History
A I Wilson, All Souls, Faculty of Classics, Sub-faculty of Archaeology

Committees reporting to Council

AUDIT AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
One member of Congregation elected by Congregation from among members of the faculties in the divisions of Humanities and Social Sciences who shall not serve on Council or on any committee which in the view of Council has mainline executive authority within the University, or hold any office in the University or any college which involves executive authority

Current/Retiring Member  To hold office until
Professor P N Mirfield, Jesus  HT 2021

The following nomination has been received:
Sarah J Whatmore, BA MPhil PhD Lond, MA Oxf, DSc Brist, Fellow of Keble, Faculty of Anthropology and Geography

Nominated by:
Sir Jonathan Phillips, Warden of Keble
M D Damazer, Master of St Peter’s
M J Browning, Nuffield, Faculty of Social Studies
A C L Davies, Brasenose, Faculty of Law
R J Goodman, St Antony’s, Faculties of Anthropology and Geography and of Oriental Studies
R M Surender, Green Templeton, Faculty of Social Studies
P Tufano, Balliol, Faculty of Management
C J Wickham, All Souls, Faculty of History
A I Wilson, All Souls, Faculty of Classics, Sub-faculty of Archaeology
N T Woods, University College, Faculty of Social Studies

CURATORS OF THE UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES
One member of Congregation elected by Congregation

Current/Retiring Member  To hold office until
Canon Professor S R I Foot, Canon Professor S R I Foot, Christ Church  MT 2020

The following nomination has been received:
Professor David Pyle, MA PhD Camb, Fellow of St Anne’s, Faculty of Earth Sciences

Nominated by:
N E Bowles, St Cross, Faculty of Physics
S Das, Exeter, Faculty of Earth Sciences
D G Fraser, Worcester, Faculty of Earth Sciences
A Jacobs, St Cross, Faculty of Oriental Studies
A D Kelly, Balliol, Faculty of Classics
T A Mather, University College, Faculty of Earth Sciences
S L Waters, St Anne’s, Faculty of Mathematics

NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE
Two persons elected by and from Congregation

Current/Retiring Member  To hold office until
Dr Fernanda Pirie, St Cross  MT 2019
Sir Andrew Dilnot, Sir Andrew Dilnot, Warden of Nuffield  MT 2019

The following nomination has been received:
Dr Anne E Keene, MA Edin, MA MSc Oxf, PhD Brookes, Fellow of Linacre
Nominated by:
The Very Rev Professor Percy, Dean of Christ Church, Faculty of Theology
N D Brown, Principal of Linacre, Faculty of Plant Sciences
H Erlt, Linacre, Faculty of Social Studies
H O Donoghue, Linacre, Faculties of English Language and Literature and of Medieval and Modern Languages
J N P Rawlins, Wolfson, Faculty of Psychological Studies
A F Stokes, Kellogg, Continuing Education
L Tarassenko, St John’s, Faculty of Engineering Science

Other Committees and University Bodies

COMMITTEE FOR THE NOMINATION OF SELECT PREACHERS

Two members of Congregation elected by Congregation

Current/Retiring Member  To hold office until
Dr M D Chapman, Ripon College  MT 2020
Professor L J Gullifer, Harris Manchester  MT 2020

The following nominations have been received:

Mark Chapman, MA DPhil DipTh Oxf, Faculty of Theology

Nominated by:
E A Gemmill, Kellogg, Faculty of History
L J Gullifer, Harris Manchester, Faculty of Law
A E McGrath, Harris Manchester, Faculty of Theology
L V Pitcher, Somerville, Faculty of Classics

M R C Salisbury, MSt DPhil Oxf, Faculty of Music

Nominated by:
P G Fowler, Worcester, Faculty of Classics
M H Goldsmith, Worcester, Faculty of Computer Science
A F Gregory, University College, Faculty of Theology
R L A Saxton, Worcester, Faculty of Music

VISITATORIAL BOARD PANEL

Three persons elected by and from Congregation

Current/Retiring Member  To hold office until
Dr C P Conlon, Oriel  MT 2020
Mr J M Fopma  MT 2020
Dr K J Morris, Mansfield  MT 2020

The following nominations have been received:

Dora Biro, DPhil Oxf, Fellow of St Hugh’s, Faculty of Zoology

Nominated by:
Council, under Regulation 2.(2)(c) of Council Regulations 36 of 2002

Christopher P Conlon, MA Oxf, MD Lond, Fellow of Oriel, Faculty of Clinical Medicine

Nominated by:
Council, under Regulation 2.(2)(c) of Council Regulations 36 of 2002

Stephen Faulkner, MA DPhil Oxf, Fellow of Keble, Faculty of Chemistry

Nominated by:
Council, under Regulation 2.(2)(c) of Council Regulations 36 of 2002

Divisional Boards

HUMANITIES BOARD

One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Philosophy

Current/Retiring Member  To hold office until
Dr A Avramidès, St Hilda’s  MT 2020

The following nomination has been received:

Dr Chris G Timpson, BPhil MA DPhil Oxf, Fellow of Keble, Faculty of Philosophy

Nominated by:
E R F Harcourt, Keble, Faculty of Philosophy
P J E Kail, St Peter’s, Faculty of Philosophy
G J Rodriguez-Pereyra, Oriel, Faculty of Philosophy
T Williamson, New College, Faculty of Philosophy

One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Theology and Religion

Current/Retiring Member  To hold office until
Professor H Najman, Oriel  MT 2020

The following nomination has been received:

Professor H Najman, Fellow of Oriel

Nominated by:
K M Lamb, Harris Manchester
M L Marshall, St Benet’s Hall
J D S Rasmussen, Mansfield
I A Silva, Harris Manchester

SOCIAL SCIENCES BOARD

Three persons elected on a rotational basis by and from academic members of the following units of the division, with each person serving a two year period of office:
(i) the Department of Economics; (ii) the Department of Education; and (iii) the School of Geography and the Environment

Current/Retiring Member  To hold office until
Dr P G Rice  MT 2018
Dr M Tsitiridou Evangelou  MT 2018
Dr D Wojcik, St Peter’s  MT 2018

The following nominations have been received:

Alan Beggs, MA Camb, MPhil DPhil Oxf, Fellow of Wadham, Faculty of Social Studies, Department of Economics

Nominated by:
M J Browning, Nuffield, Department of Economics
I A Crawford, Nuffield, Department of Economics
R G Keller, Department of Economics
M J Stevens, Lincoln, Department of Economics

Susan James Relly, BEd Queensland, MSc DPhil Oxf, Fellow of Green Templeton, Faculty of Social Studies, Department of Education

Nominated by:
J Baird, St Anne’s, Department of Education
H R J Daniels, Green Templeton, Department of Education
T Nunes, Harris Manchester, Department of Education
A E Oancea, Kellogg, Department of Education

Faculty Boards

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

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

Current/Retiring Member  To hold office until
Dr S-M Evangelista, Trinity  MT 2018
Dr E L McAlpine, Keble  MT 2018
Professor P D McDonald, St Hugh’s  MT 2018
Dr M N Mendelsohn, Mansfield  MT 2018
Professor K E Shepherd-Barr, St Catherine’s  MT 2018

The following nominations have been received:

Dr S-M Evangelista, MA MSt DPhil Oxf, Fellow of Trinity

Nominated by:
R L Beasley, Queen’s
F R Johnston, St Anne’s
M M Kean, St Hilda’s
L Pratt, Linacre

R L A Saxton, Worcester, Faculty of Classics
M L Marshall, St Benet’s Hall
J D S Rasmussen, Mansfield
I A Silva, Harris Manchester
Dr Paulina Kewes, MA Gdansk, MA DPhil
Oxf, Fellow of Jesus

Nominated by:
R L Beasley, Queen’s
F R Johnston, St Anne’s
M M Kean, St Hilda’s
L Pratt, Linacre

Professor Rhodri Lewis, MA MSt DPhil Oxf,
Fellow of St Hugh’s

Nominated by:
R L Beasley, Queen’s
F R Johnston, St Anne’s
M M Kean, St Hilda’s
L Pratt, Linacre

Professor Matthew Reynolds, MA, Fellow
of St Anne’s

Nominated by:
K J Murphy, Oriel
H O’Donoghue, Linacre
S P Perry, Balliol
A Smyth, Balliol

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF HISTORY

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

Current/Retiring Member
Dr A Gajda, Jesus
Professor A F F Green, Brasenose
Professor M Harrison, Green Templeton
Professor P J Hämäläinen, St Catherine’s
Dr M Whittow, Corpus Christi

The following nominations have been
received:

Dr Ian Forrest, MA MPhil Glas, MA DPhil
Oxf, Fellow of Oriel

Nominated by:
J C Belich, Balliol
M H Conway, Balliol
L A Roper, Oriel
J L Watts, Corpus Christi

Professor Pekka Hämäläinen, MA PhD
Helsinki, MA Oxf, Fellow of St Catherine’s

Nominated by:
J C Belich, Balliol
M H Conway, Balliol
L A Roper, Oriel
J L Watts, Corpus Christi

Professor Robert Iliffe, BA Leeds, MPhil
PhD Camb, MA Oxf, Fellow of Linacre

Nominated by:
J C Belich, Balliol
M H Conway, Balliol
L A Roper, Oriel
J L Watts, Corpus Christi

Dr David Parrott, MA DPhil Oxf, Fellow of
New College

Nominated by:
J C Belich, Balliol
M H Conway, Balliol
L A Roper, Oriel
J L Watts, Corpus Christi

Dr Sian Pooley, BA MPhil PhD Camb, Fellow
of Magdalen

Nominated by:
J C Belich, Balliol
M H Conway, Balliol
L A Roper, Oriel
J L Watts, Corpus Christi

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF ORIENTAL
STUDIES

Three persons elected by and from among
the members of the Faculty of Oriental
Studies

Current/Retiring Member
Mr D P Brookshaw, Wadham
Professor M D Goodman, Wolfson
Dr L J N Mignon, St Antony’s

The following nominations have been
received:

Martin Goodman, MA DLitt Oxf, Fellow of
Wolfson

Nominated by:
M Hillenbrand, Wadham
C Melchert, Pembroke
U Roesler, Wolfson
D G K Taylor, Wolfson

Zeynep Yurekli-Gorkay, BA MA Istanbul,
PhD Harvard, Fellow of Wolfson

Nominated by:
C Melchert, Pembroke
C Z Minkowski, Balliol
U Roesler, Wolfson
D G K Taylor, Wolfson

Stefano Zacchetti, MA Oxf, PhD Venice,
Fellow of Balliol

Nominated by:
C Melchert, Pembroke
D Rechter, St Antony’s
U Roesler, Wolfson
D G K Taylor, Wolfson

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF PHILOSOPHY

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

Current/Retiring Member
Dr A Avramides, St Hilda’s
Dr P A Lodge, Mansfield
Dr R L Judson, Christ Church
Professor T Williamson, New College

The following nominations have been
received:

Professor Alison Hills, BA MPhil PhD Camb,
Fellow of St John’s

Nominated by:
L Castagnoli, Oriel
U C M Coope, Corpus Christi
J Schear, Christ Church
D M W Wallace, Balliol

Professor S J Mulhall, MA DPhil Oxf, MA
Toronto, Fellow of New College

Nominated by:
L Castagnoli, Oriel
U C M Coope, Corpus Christi
J Schear, Christ Church
D M W Wallace, Balliol

Dr K M Nielsen, MA PhD Cornell, Cand
Magisterii Cand Philologiae Norwegian
ST, Fellow of Somerville

Nominated by:
L Castagnoli, Oriel
U C M Coope, Corpus Christi
J Schear, Christ Church
D M W Wallace, Balliol

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF THEOLOGY
AND RELIGION

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

Current/Retiring Member
Professor M N A Bockmuehl, Keble
The Revd Professor A E McGrath, Harris Manchester
The following nominations have been received:

**Professor M Bockmuehl, MA Oxf, Fellow of Keble**

**Nomination by:**
- P J McCosker, Mansfield
- M L Marshall, St Benet’s Hall
- J D S Rasmussen, Mansfield
- J Zachhuber, Trinity

**Professor A E McGrath, MA DPhil Oxf, Fellow of Harris Manchester**

**Nomination by:**
- P J McCosker, Mansfield
- M L Marshall, St Benet’s Hall
- J D S Rasmussen, Mansfield
- J Zachhuber, Trinity

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

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The following nominations have been received:

**The Revd Professor Mark Chapman, MA DPhil DipTh Oxf**

**Nomination by:**
- K M Lamb, Harris Manchester
- M L Marshall, St Benet’s Hall
- J D S Rasmussen, Mansfield
- I A Silva, Harris Manchester

**Professor M J Edwards, MA DPhil Oxf, Student of Christ Church**

**Nomination by:**
- K M Lamb, Harris Manchester
- M L Marshall, St Benet’s Hall
- J D S Rasmussen, Mansfield
- I A Silva, Harris Manchester

**Professor N Eubank, Fellow of Keble**

**Nomination by:**
- K M Lamb, Harris Manchester
- M L Marshall, St Benet’s Hall
- J D S Rasmussen, Mansfield
- I A Silva, Harris Manchester

**Professor J Rasmussen, BA Kansas, MDiv Boston, AM PhD Harvard, MA Oxf, Fellow of Mansfield**

**Nomination by:**
- K M Lamb, Harris Manchester
- M L Marshall, St Benet’s Hall
- A C Pinsent, Harris Manchester
- I A Silva, Harris Manchester

**Professor W Wood, PhD Chicago, Fellow of Oriel**

**Nomination by:**
- K M Lamb, Harris Manchester
- M L Marshall, St Benet’s Hall
- A C Pinsent, Harris Manchester
- I A Silva, Harris Manchester

**Professor J Zachhuber, MA MSt DPhil Oxf, Dr theol habil Humboldt, Fellow of Trinity**

**Nomination by:**
- K M Lamb, Harris Manchester
- M L Marshall, St Benet’s Hall
- J D S Rasmussen, Mansfield
- I A Silva, Harris Manchester

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Nominations in writing for the elections on 9 June, by four members of Congregation other than the candidate, were received by the Elections Office at the University Offices, Wellington Square, up to 4pm on 12 May. For further information, please contact the Elections Officer (shirley.mulvihill@admin.ox.ac.uk).

**Lapsed Vacancies**

As no nominations were received, the following vacancies have now lapsed and, in accordance with the regulations, must remain vacant until an appointment is made jointly by the Proctors and Vice-Chancellor.

Any eligible member of Congregation who wishes to be considered for appointment to one of these vacancies is asked to contact the Elections Officer (shirley.mulvihill@admin.ox.ac.uk) by 2 June.

**NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE**

One of two persons elected by and from Congregation to hold office until Michaelmas term 2019.

**HUMANITIES BOARD**

One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Classics to hold office until Michaelmas term 2020.

One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages to hold office until Michaelmas term 2020.

One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Music to hold office until Michaelmas term 2020.

One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Oriental Studies to hold office until Michaelmas term 2020.

**MATHEMATICAL, PHYSICAL AND LIFE SCIENCES BOARD**

One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Mathematics to hold office until Michaelmas term 2020.

One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Physics to hold office until Michaelmas term 2020.

**SOCIAL SCIENCES BOARD**

One person elected by and from academic members of the School of Geography and the Environment to hold office until Michaelmas term 2018.

**BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF CLASSICS**

Two persons elected by and from among the members of the Sub-faculty of Ancient History to hold office until Michaelmas term 2018.

One person elected by and from among the members of the Sub-faculty of Classical Languages and Literature to hold office until Michaelmas term 2018.

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

One of five persons elected by and from the members of the Faculty of English Language and Literature to hold office until Michaelmas term 2018.

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

Three persons elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics to hold office until Michaelmas term 2018.
Advertisements

Miscellaneous

Research ethics committee seeks members

Are you willing to be a lay member for the Oxford Tropical Research Ethics Committee? OxTREC reviews University medical research proposals to be conducted abroad. Lay members must live near Oxford, attend 6 meetings annually and have no specialist interest in healthcare. Otherwise anyone can apply. Experience of tropical countries is an advantage. Reasonable travel expenses are allowed for this voluntary post. Please email oxtrecaadmin.ox.ac.uk if interested.

UK Brain Bank for Autism and Related Developmental Research, JR

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

Restore Garden Café

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

Research participants sought

Oxford Biobank Study. Healthy volunteers needed aged 30–50 to attend a 1-hour visit at the Oxford Centre for Diabetes, Endocrinology and Metabolism (OCDEM), Churchill Hospital, Oxford. Visit includes measurements of blood pressure, body shape and blood sampling for analysis, including blood glucose and cholesterol. We also perform a DEXA scan measuring total and regional body fat. For further information: www.oxfordbiobank.org.uk or 01865 857284.

Trial of TB vaccines in healthy adults: we are looking for volunteers in the Oxford area for a trial comparing BCG when given as an injection with BCG given as an aerosol. If you are aged 18–50, in good health, have never received BCG and have not taken part in a trial where TB vaccines have been used, you may be eligible to participate. To find out more, visit: https://www.trialspark.com/trials/tb041.

Oxford’s Department of Psychiatry is looking for healthy volunteers aged 18–40 to participate in a study investigating how antidepressants change the processing of emotions in people with different personality traits. The study involves receiving a 4-week treatment with a common antidepressant or placebo (Ethics Ref: NRES Oxford B 12/ SC/0118). To assess whether your personality profile matches our study objectives, please fill in the questionnaire that you can find following this link: http://tinyurl.com/researchproject-aep.

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Children’s Football Teams at the University Club

The Junior Football section at the University Club on Mansfield Rd provides coaching and competitive football matches for boys and girls from reception to year 7 (5–12 years old). Experienced players are welcome to try out for our U8-U12 teams, and beginners are welcome to attend coaching for under 6 and under 7 mixed teams and U10 girls. Email enquiries to jr-fixtures@mansfieldroad.co.uk.

Arts Festival

Oxford Festival of the Arts 17 Jun–2 Jul 2016. A two-week celebration of culture and the arts in venues throughout Oxford featuring talks, performances and workshops for all the family across the fields of music, theatre, art, literature, comedy and film. Festival guests include Sam Mendes, Ben Okri, John Simpson, Maggi Hambling, Alastair Sooke, the Tallis Scholars, Shappi Khorsandi, Roderick Williams and Will Gompertz. Visit www.artsfestivaloxford.org for details.

Network Meta-Analysis Course

3rd Network Meta-Analysis Course 4–6 July 2016, Oxford. How to appraise, interpret and publish a network meta-analysis: a 3-day course for clinicians, researchers and policy-makers wishing to expand their knowledge of indirect and mixed treatment comparisons in the context of clinical effectiveness evaluation. The course takes place at Wolfson College, with formal lectures and small group activities. For more information please contact: lucy.curtin@psych.ox.ac.uk.

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Houses to let

Beautifully renovated (2016) Victorian house in Jericho to let from 11 Dec 2016 to 4 Mar 2017. 5 mins from both the University and city centre and from Port Meadow. 3 double bedrooms, sitting room, study, big kitchen and living area with an Aga and Bulthaup kitchen. 2 bathrooms; garden facing south-west. £2,000 pm. Parking permit. Contact: 07711 537766.

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Trinity College, Cambridge: 12-hour College Lectureship and Fellowship in Law; £38,985–£57,045; 5pm, 17 June; www.trin.cam.ac.uk/content/college-lectureship-and-fellowship-law

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Pembroke: 1-year fixed-term stipendiary Lecturer in Pure Mathematics; £8,590–£9,661; 8 June; www.pmb.ox.ac.uk/discover-pembroke/vacancies

Queen’s, Junior Dean; 3 June; www.queens.ox.ac.uk/junior-dean

St Benet’s Hall: Maintenance and Housekeeping Manager; £25,000–£28,000; 1 June; www.st-benets.ox.ac.uk/vacancies

St Hilda’s: 3-year stipendiary Lectureship in German (from 1 October 2016); £12,885–£13,664; noon, 16 June; www.st-hildas.ox.ac.uk/6-hour-stipendiary-lectureship-german

College Lectureship and Fellowship in Law; £38,985–£57,045; 5pm, 17 June; www.trin.cam.ac.uk/content/college-lectureship-and-fellowship-law

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