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Please dispose of your compostable bag in a compost bin, garden waste bin or food waste bin.
Council and Main Committees

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Council of the University

Register of Congregation

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

- Baker, M D, Balliol
- Crane, J M, Pembroke
- Fernando, B A, Worcester
- Higham, C, Medical Sciences Divisional Office
- Hussain, R, University Museum of Natural History
- Iotchkova, V V, Mansfield
- Jiang, Y Y, St Catherine’s
- Lampadaridi, A, Trinity
- Schilt, C J, Linacre
- Watanabe, A M, Blavatnik School of Government

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Congregation

13 June

Elections

COUNCIL

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- Visitors of the Ashmolean Museum
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- Board of the Faculty of Classics
- Board of the Faculty of English Language and Literature
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- Board of the Faculty of Music
- Board of the Faculty of Philosophy
- Board of the Faculty of Theology and Religion

Details are in the ‘Elections’ section below.

Convocation

21 June

Elections

PROFESSOR OF POETRY

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 Dr N Berry at the University Offices, Wellington Square (telephone: (2)80199; email: nigel.berry@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

Somerville

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 Somerville College, approved by the Governing Body on 29 November 2017, 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 15 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 20 May.

The effects of the amendments relate to more closely aligning the statutes with the current practices within the college, modernising and simplifying the statutes where possible. A number of other changes have also been made to the statutes to better reflect the college’s position as a charity, which since 2010 has been registered with the Charity Commission, and to incorporate changes in the University Regulations.

General Notices

Guidelines for academic leave

Academic staff are reminded of the guidelines for applying for and taking leave, which are published on the Personnel Services website: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/personnel/staffinfo/academic/guidelinesforleave.

Encaenia

ENCAENIA CEREMONY

Online registration for the Encaenia ceremony is now open. The ceremony will take place in the Sheldonian Theatre on 26 June. Members of Congregation, staff, students and academic visitors are invited to apply for tickets online at www.ox.ac.uk/encaenia-tickets. Members of Convocation: please email encaenia@admin.ox.ac.uk to request a ticket. The website includes information on this year’s honorands, the registration process, guest tickets, timings of the day and the dress code.

ENCAENIA GARDEN PARTY

Electronic invitations to the garden party will be sent to all current members of Congregation by the University Events Office on 13 May. If you do not receive your invitation by this date, or become a member of Congregation after this date, please email encaenia@admin.ox.ac.uk.

Actively serving retired members of faculty and staff within Congregation are also welcome to attend, as are emeritus professors and those former members of Congregation over 75 who take a deep and active interest in Oxford’s work and success. Please email encaenia@admin.ox.ac.uk if you would like to attend.

LORD CREWE’S BENEF ACTION

Heads of House, Pro-Vice-Chancellors, Heads of Division, holders of the Oxford Degrees of Doctor of Divinity, Civil Law, Medicine, Letters, Science, and Music, the Proctors, the Assessor, the Public Orator, the Professor of Poetry, the Registrar, the outgoing President of the Oxford University Student Union, and the Presidents of the Junior and Middle Common Rooms of Hertford College, Balliol College and St John’s College (as being the colleges of the Proctors and the Assessor) are invited to partake of Lord Crewe’s Benefaction to the University on the morning of the ceremony and then to walk in procession to the Sheldonian Theatre. Holders of the Oxford Higher Degrees (described above) who wish to participate are invited to contact the Events Office at encaenia@admin.ox.ac.uk or on 01865 270568 for more information. All other guests will be contacted directly by the Events Office.
Appointments

Medical Sciences

REAPPOINTMENTS

Heidi de Wet, BSc North West, PhD
Cape Town, Fellow of St Catherine’s and Associate Professor of Physiology, Department of Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics, from 1 October 2019 until retirement

Social Sciences

REAPPOINTMENTS

Dr Cathryn Costello, Associate Professor in International Human Rights and Refugee Law, Department of International Development, from 1 May 2019 until retirement

Dr Ezequiel Gonzalez Ocanos, Associate Professor in Qualitative Study of Comparative Political Institutions, Department of Politics and International Relations, from 1 September 2019 until retirement

Musical and other Events

Balliol

MUSICAL SOCIETY CONCERTS
The following concerts will take place at 8.30pm on Sundays in the Hall. Free. All welcome.
19 May: Sara Trickey, violin, and Dan Tong, piano: Mozart, Schubert, Fauré, Franck
2 Jun: Mishka Momen, piano: Mendelssohn, Schumann, Beethoven, Janáček, Brahms

Harris Manchester

THURSDAY LUNCHTIME RECITAL SERIES
The following events will take place at 1.30pm. Free, with retiring collection. No booking required.
9 May: Osiris String Quartet: chamber music, Mozart and Haydn
16 May: The Byrd Chorus: choral music from the Renaissance to 20th century
23 May: Oxford Newcomers’ Choir: folk songs, love songs, and even a hippopotamus!
30 May: Ian Kelleher: solo guitar recital
6 Jun: Josh Jaswon and Nick Costley-White: It’s June–it’s jazz! Saxophone and guitar

13 Jun: Recorders Galore! From Renaissance to Baroque, and swing to modern
20 Jun: End of term celebration: musicians from staff and student body of Harris Manchester

Merton

ORGAN RECITALS
The following recitals will take place at 1.15pm on Thursdays in the chapel. Free. More information: www.merton.ox.ac.uk/organ-recitals.
9 May: Jonathan Clinch
16 May: James Lancelot
23 May: Benjamin Nicholas
30 May: Alexander Finch
6 Jun: Áine Kennedy
13 Jun: Tom Fetherstonhaugh
20 Jun: Alex Little

New College

ORGAN RECITALS
The following recitals will take place at 7.15pm after Evensong on Saturdays. Free.
18 May: Robert Quinney
25 May: Anna Lapwood, Pembroke College, Cambridge
1 Jun: Francesca Massey, Durham Cathedral
15 Jun: Charles Maxtone-Smith

ORGAN MUSIC FOR PENTECOST
8pm, 10 Jun: Timothy Wakerell: Le Vent de l’Esprit

NEW COLLEGE CHOIR
Chorister Open Day
4.30pm, Sat, 15 Jun: Information fair, tea and games for families of boys aged 2–6 interested in a choristership in New College Choir. Short, family-friendly Evensong at 6.15pm. To register: www.new.ox.ac.uk/chorister_open_day_registration or nancy-jane.rucker@new.ox.ac.uk

Oriel

PRE-EVENSONG RECITAL
Craig Ogden will give a guitar recital at 5.15pm on Sunday, 12 May. Free. Followed by choral evensong at 6pm, during which Craig Ogden will perform with the choir, including premiere of Solitude by James Whitbourn. More information: www.oriel.ox.ac.uk/about-college/news/events/events.

Lectures

Humanities

Faculty of English Language and Literature

MEDIEVAL ENGLISH RESEARCH SEMINAR
The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Wednesdays in Lecture Theatre 2, St Cross Building. Conveners: Professor A Orchard, Professor V Gillespie

Lisa Cooper, Wisconsin
15 May: ‘Flesh and blood: Lydgate’s recipe rhetoric’

Thijs Porck, Leiden
22 May: ‘Where the old man does not groan’: old age in the afterlife and Columbanus’s De mundi transitu in Anglo-Saxon England

Julia Boffey, QMUL
29 May: ‘Full many a fresh dité’: Chaucer’s lyrics, and what happened to them

Rosalind Love, Cambridge
5 Jun: ‘Reading Bede reading 1 Samuel for Acca’

19TH-CENTURY RESEARCH SEMINAR
The following seminars will take place at noon on Mondays in Seminar Room A, St Cross Building, unless otherwise noted. Conveners: Dr S Ratcliffe, Dr E Lybeck, Dr F Riddell

Professor David Fuller, Durham
20 May: ‘Shakespeare and European Romanticism’

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Dr Tara Puri, Bristol
3 Jun, History of the Book Room: tbc

17 Jun: Speakers from the graduate English research community at Oxford

ROMANTIC RESEARCH SEMINAR
The following seminars will take place at 5.30pm on Tuesdays in the Massey Room, Balliol. Conveners: Professor S Perry, Professor F Stafford

Yasser Khan and Paul Stephens
14 May: ‘Oroonoko and Yarico: performative reconfigurations of the noble savage paradigm’ (YK); ‘Towards a Shelleyan ethics of debt’ (PS)
Examinations and Boards

### Examinations for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

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### Changes to Examination Regulations

For the complete text of each regulation listed below and a listing of all changes to regulations for this year to date, please see https://gazette.web.ox.ac.uk/examination-regulations-0.

#### Medical Sciences

**DOCTOR OF CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY**

- major changes to assessment requirements

**MSC BY COURSEWORK IN PSYCHOLOGICAL RESEARCH**

- change to module name

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Professor Claire Connolly, Cork  
28 May: ‘Making maps: Irish literature in transition, 1780–1830’

Dr Jessica Fay, Birmingham  
11 Jun: ‘Wordsworth's Excursion and The Rainbow of Rubens’

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**18TH-CENTURY LITERATURE AND CULTURE RESEARCH SEMINAR**

The following seminars will take place at 5.30pm in the Massey Room, Balliol, unless otherwise noted. Conveners: Professor R Ballaster, Professor C Gerrard, Professor A Williams, Professor D Taylor, Professor N Pohl, C Edwall, H Brown, A Hardie-Forsyth

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Dr Tess Somervell, Leeds  
21 May, Buttery Archive Room:  
‘Foreknowing and forecasting the weather in 18th-century Georgic’

Professor Henry Power, Exeter  
4 Jun: ‘Pins in mock-heroic verse’

Dr Carly Watson and Dr Clare Bucknell  
18 Jun: ‘Miscellanies and the conversation of culture’ (CW); ‘Becoming Peter Pindar’ (CB)

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**Medical Sciences**

**Oxford University Medical Education Fellows**

**LEDINGHAM LECTURE SERIES**

Dame Fiona Caldicott will be in conversation at 6pm on 9 May at Somerville. To register: www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/ledingham-lecture-series-a-conversation-with-dame-fiona-caldicott-tickets-60120558208.

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**Institutes, Centres and Museums**

**Bodleian Libraries**

**OXFORD SEMINARS IN CARTOGRAPHY**

The following lectures will take place at 4.30pm in the Weston Library Lecture Theatre.

Yossef Rapaport, QMUL  
23 May: ‘Before the portolan charts: lost maps of the sea in the Fatimid Book of Curiosities’

Charlotta Forss, Stockholm  
6 Jun: ‘Rivers and ice: early modern maps of the far north’

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Elections

13 June

Please note: in the lists below, the names listed are simply those of the persons currently in office, whose terms of office are now coming to a close (thereby prompting all the vacancies now advertised for election). When the start date is ‘with immediate effect’ two possible dates are indicated: if the election is uncontested, the candidate deemed elected will take up office as of the close of the nomination period (16 May); if the election is contested, the candidate elected will take up office following the close of the voting period (13 June).

Call for nominations

The nomination period for the elections below will close at 4pm on 16 May.

Council

HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

• One member of Congregation elected by Congregation from members of the faculties in the Divisions of Humanities and of Social Sciences to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2023 (vice Dr K L Blackmon, Merton)

MATHEMATICAL, PHYSICAL AND LIFE SCIENCES AND MEDICAL SCIENCES

• 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 to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2023 (vice Professor M J A Freeman, Lincoln)

Note: Full details of Council’s remit, composition, functions and powers can be found at www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/783-121.shtml. Elected members of Council will ordinarily be expected to serve on a small number of other committees (typically between one and three, usually including at least one of the main committees of Council ie PRAC, GPC, Education Committee, Personnel Committee, Research Committee).

For further information, please contact the Senior Assistant Registrar (Governance) (nigel.berry@admin.ox.ac.uk).

Committees reporting to Council

BUILDINGS AND ESTATES SUBCOMMITTEE

• One person elected by Congregation to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2020 (vice Professor Martin C J Maiden, Hertford)

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

CURATORS OF THE UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES

• Two members of Congregation elected by Congregation to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2023 (vice Professor Nicholas Purcell, Brasenose, and Professor H R Woudhuysen, Rector of Lincoln)

For further information, please contact the Secretary (richard.ovenden@bodley.ox.ac.uk).

NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE

• Two persons elected by and from Congregation to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2022 (vice Dr Anne E Keene, Linacre, and Sir Andrew Dilnot, Warden of Nuffield)

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

Other Committees and University Bodies

VISITORS OF THE ASHMOLEAN MUSEUM

• One member of the Medical Sciences Division elected by Congregation to hold office with immediate effect to MT 2022 (vice Professor Alastair Wright, St John’s)

• One member of the Social Sciences Division elected by Congregation to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2023 (vice Dr H L Spencer, Exeter)

Note: These elections are provisional, pending approval of proposed changes to Council Regulations 45 of 2002 (to be published in the 2 May issue of the Gazette). Further information on the Visitors can be found at: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/489-112.shtml.

Colleges, Halls and Societies

Obituary

Worcester


Michael Barry Connock, October 2014; 1954. Aged 80.


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

DELEAGY FOR MILITARY INSTRUCTION

- One person elected by Congregation to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2023 (vice Chris Breward, Faculty of Mathematics)

For further information, please contact the Chair (agparker@brookes.ac.uk) or Former Chair (andrew.neil@wolfson.ox.ac.uk).

CURATORS OF THE SHELDONIAN THEATRE

- One member of Congregation elected by Congregation to hold office with immediate effect to MT 2023 (vice S J Payne, Keble, Faculty of Engineering Science)

*Note: Further information on the board can be found at: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/181-084.shtml.

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

NOMINATING COMMITTEE FOR THE VICE-CHANCELLORSHIP

- Two persons not also being members of Council elected by and from Congregation to hold office with immediate effect to MT 2025 (vice Nicholas Bamforth, Queen's, and Professor A W Roscoe, University College)

*Note: Further information on the board can be found at: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/308-072.shtml.

For further information, please contact the Senior Assistant Registrar (Governance) (nigel.berry@admin.ox.ac.uk).

VISITORIAL BOARD PANEL

- Three persons elected by and from Congregation to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2023 (vice Dr Chrystalina Antoniades, Faculty of Clinical Medicine, Professor Heather O'Donoghue, Linacre, and Professor Lesley J Smith, Harris Manchester)

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

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

Divisional Boards

MATHEMATICAL, PHYSICAL AND LIFE SCIENCES BOARD

- One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Chemistry to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2023 (vice Professor Philip Mountford, St Edmund Hall)

- One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Mathematics to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2023 (vice Professor Stephen Faulkner, Keble)

For further information, please contact the Divisional Registrar (laura.gibbs@mpls.ox.ac.uk).

SOCIAL SCIENCES DIVISIONAL BOARD

- One member elected by and from the academic members of the Department of Social Policy and Intervention to hold office with immediate effect to MT 2019*

*Under the regulations governing the composition of Divisional Boards (www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/522-122.shtml#_Toc28140849), the above vacancies fall within the single constituency of ‘two persons elected on a rotational basis by and from academic members of the following units of the division: (a) the Department for International Development; (b) the School for Interdisciplinary Area Studies; (c) the Department of Sociology; (d) the Oxford Internet Institute; (e) the Department of Social Policy and Intervention; (f) the School of Anthropology and Museum Ethnography to hold office with immediate effect to MT 2019’.

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

Faculty Boards

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF CLASSICS

- Two persons elected by and from among the members of the Subfaculty of Classical Languages and Literature to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2021 (lapsed vacancies)

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

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

- Four persons elected by and from the members of the Faculty of English Language and Literature to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2021 (vice Dr Marina Mackay, St Peter’s, Dr Erica L McAlpine, Keble, Professor Lloyd Pratt, St John’s, and Dr Olivia Smith)

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

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF HISTORY

- Eight 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 to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2021 (vice Professor P J Hämäläinen, St Catherine’s, C J Belich, Balliol, D M Hopkin, Hertford, Professor Robert Iliffe, Linacre, M E Mulholland, St Catherine’s, Dr Lucy Wooding, Lincoln, Dr Sian Pooley, Magdalen, and Nicholas Stargardt, Magdalen)

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

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF MUSIC

- Two persons elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Music to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2021 (vice Dr Anne Stoll-Knecht, Jesus, and Mark T Williams, Magdalen)

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

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF PHILOSOPHY

- Three persons elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Philosophy to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2020 (vice Professor S J Mulhall, New College, H Greaves, Merton, and W T M Sinclair, Wadham)

For further information about the Board, please contact the Secretary (catherine.paxton@socscl.ox.ac.uk).
BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF THEOLOGY AND RELIGION

- Three persons elected by and from the members of the Faculty of Theology and Religion to hold office from MT 2019 to MT 2021 (vice Dr R A Ellis, Principal of Regent’s Park, Professor S Gillingham, Worcester, and a vacancy)

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

Notes:

Nominations in writing for the elections on 13 June, by four members of Congregation other than the candidate, will be received by the Elections Office at the University Offices, Wellington Square, up to 4pm on 16 May.

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

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

Candidates are invited to include with their nomination forms a written statement of no more than 250 words, setting out his or her reasons for standing and qualifications for the office being sought.

In the event of a contested election, these statements will be available online at www.admin.ox.ac.uk/elections and published in the Gazette dated 30 May. Voters may wish to wait until they have read these statements before returning their ballot papers. Ballot papers will be sent out to members of Congregation as soon as possible after the closing date for nominations. Completed ballot papers must be received by the Elections Office not later than 4pm on 13 June.

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

Convocation 21 June

Election of the Professor of Poetry

An election by Convocation will be held in Trinity term 2019 in order to elect the Professor of Poetry, to hold office for four years from the first day of Michaelmas term 2019. A meeting of Convocation will be held on Friday, 21 June 2019, to announce the results.

DUTIES AND STIPEND OF THE PROFESSOR

The duties of the Professor are: normally to give one public lecture each term on a suitable literary subject (where the term ‘public lecture’ does not include poetry readings or recitals or other such events); to deliver an inaugural lecture; normally to offer one more event each term (which may include poetry readings, workshops, hosted events etc); to give the Creweian Oration at Encaenia every other year (a duty established by convention); each year, to be one of the judges for the Newdigate Prize, the Jon Stallworthy Prize, the Lord Alfred Douglas Prize and the Chancellor's English Essay Prize; every third year to help judge the prize for the English poem on a sacred subject; and generally to encourage the art of poetry in the University.

The Professor receives a stipend of £12,710 per annum which is increased in line with the annual cost-of-living increases for academic and related staff, plus £40 for each Creweian Oration. The Professor may hold the post in conjunction with another professorship or readership within the University. The post enjoys an association with All Souls College, but there may be occasions when the postholder is offered an association by another college (eg if the postholder has a prior association with another college).

Further particulars for the Professorship are available on the University website (www.ox.ac.uk). Informal enquiries about the post should be addressed to the Chair of the Faculty Board, Professor Ros Ballaster, who can be contacted by email at chain@eill.ox.ac.uk. All enquiries will be treated in strict confidence.

ELECTION PROCEDURES

This election will be conducted electronically by Electoral Reform Services Ltd (ERS) on behalf of the University of Oxford.

All members of Convocation are eligible to nominate a candidate and to vote in this election. Nominations must be made online via www.ersvotes.com/oxfordpoetry19 by 4pm on Thursday, 9 May.

Convocation

Convocation consists of all the former student members of the University who have been admitted to a degree (other than an honorary degree) of the University, and of any other persons who are members of Congregation or who have retired having been members of Congregation on the date of their retirement.

Membership of Convocation is conferred automatically to members of Congregation whose names have been entered in the Register of Congregation and to Oxford degree-holders after having attended a formal degree ceremony (either in person or in absentia). Those wishing to verify their current status as members of Convocation are asked to contact their college secretary or departmental administrator.

The functions of Convocation are set out in the University Statutes (www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/780-121.shtml).

Information for candidates

Candidates must register their intention to stand for election online (www.ersvotes.com/oxfordpoetry19) by 4pm on Thursday, 9 May. Each candidate will have access to a secure area on the ERS website to draft, save and upload supporting materials for publication (such as a photo and candidate statement).

Registered candidates’ names will be published online as prospective candidates until they have been nominated by the required 50 members of Convocation, when their names will be published as official candidates.

Candidates may submit for publication a written statement, of no more than 500 words, setting out their reasons for standing. The statement may include links to websites, podcasts or other social media. The statement must be uploaded by 4pm on Thursday, 9 May. In the event of a contested election, these statements will be published online and in the University Gazette following the close of the nomination period.

Candidates must be of sufficient distinction to be able to fulfill the duties of the post and must not have held the Professorship on a previous occasion. Candidates may choose another person to act as their representative to the University throughout the election (the ‘authorised representative’).

Nominations

All members of Convocation are entitled to nominate a candidate in this election.
Nominations by 50 members of Convocation other than the candidate (who need not be a member of Convocation) must be submitted online (www.ersvotes.com/oxfordpoetry19) by 4pm on Thursday, 9 May. The names of those nominators, whose eligibility to nominate has been verified, will be published online.

Please note that members who register to nominate a candidate will not have to register again to vote (see ‘Voter registration’ below) because membership of Convocation will be verified at the time of submitting the nomination.

Voting arrangements

If the election is not contested the result will be announced online and in the Gazette following the close of nominations. In the event of a contested election, an online ballot will be conducted by the Electoral Reform Services in accordance with the following procedures and the results announced at a meeting of Convocation on Friday, 21 June.

Voter registration

All members of Convocation who wish to vote in this election must register their intention to vote on www.ersvotes.com/oxfordpoetry19 by noon on Thursday, 6 June (BST).

Once you have submitted your request to register, your details will be checked to ensure you are a member of Convocation and eligible to vote in this election. You will be notified by email if your request has been unsuccessful. If you are unable to register online, or have any queries about the registration process, a telephone helpline will be available during the registration period.

Voting

Registered voters will be able to vote online from Thursday, 23 May, until noon on Thursday, 20 June (BST). Voters will be sent instructions on how to vote once their eligibility to vote has been verified.

Result of a contested election

The result of a contested election will be announced in a meeting of Convocation at 3pm on Friday, 21 June, in Convocation House. Members of Convocation wishing to attend the meeting are asked to note that the wearing of gowns is optional. The result will subsequently be reported on the University’s website and published in the Gazette.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Informal enquiries about the post should be addressed to the Chair of the Faculty Board, Professor Ros Ballaster, who can be contacted by email at chair@ell.ox.ac.uk. All enquiries will be treated in strict confidence.

Further information about election procedures may be found in Council Regulations 8 of 2002 (www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/1089-120.shtml).

Those wishing to verify their current status as members of Convocation are asked to contact their college secretary or departmental administrator.

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