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# Council and Main Committees

## Council of the University

### Changes to Regulations

Council has made the following changes to regulations, to come into effect on **27 November**.

#### (a) Membership of the Social Sciences Divisional Board

##### *Explanatory Note*

The following change, made on the recommendation of the Social Sciences Divisional Board, amends the membership of the board.

##### *Text of Regulations*

In Council Regulations 17 of 2002, concerning the Divisional Boards, amend as follows (new text underlined, deleted text struck through):

'15. The Social Sciences Board shall consist of:

(1) the Head of the Social Sciences Division, who shall be chair;

(2)–(15) the head of department/chair of faculty board for each of the 14 constituent units of the division *ex officio*;

(16)–(18) 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:

(a) the Department of Economics;

(b) the Department of Education;

(c) the Faculty of Law;

(d) the Department of Politics and International Relations;

(e) the School of Geography and the Environment;

(f) the Saïd Business School;

(19)–(20) two 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:

(a) the Department for International Development;

(b) the Oxford School of Global and 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;

(g) the Institute of Archaeology and Research Laboratory for Archaeology and the History of Art;

(h) the Blavatnik School of Government;

(21), (22), (23), (24) the Associate Head of the Social Sciences Division (Education), ~~and the Associate Head of the Social Sciences Division (Research),~~ the Associate Head of Division (Personnel and Equality) and the Associate Head of Division (Doctoral and Research Training) ex officio;

(235), (246) two persons appointed, for a three-year term, under the procedures of the Conference of Colleges. They shall have appropriate experience and understanding of academic policy and finance and be familiar with the subject areas concerned, but should not hold a salaried teaching or research post within the division;'

#### (b) Regulations for St Cross College

##### *Explanatory Note*

The following change, made on the recommendation of St Cross College, amends the details of the Dr Pusey Memorial Fund to those of Pusey House CIO, to reflect its incorporation as a Charitable Incorporated Organisation.

##### *Text of Regulations*

In Council Regulations 11 of 2002, concerning the Regulations for St Cross College, amend as follows (new text underlined, deleted text struck through):

'8. (1) A board ("the Nominating Board") composed of not more than two Official Fellows of the college elected for the

purpose by the governing body and not more than six of the Governors charity trustees of the Charity known as Dr Pusey Memorial Fund Pusey House CIO (registered charity number 1190385) shall nominate suitably qualified persons for Pusey Fellowships at the college.'

#### (c) Regulation for grants under the COVID-19 Emergency Scheme, Round 1

##### *Explanatory Note*

College Contributions are governed by Statute XV which covers both the Oxford College Contributions Fund (OCCF) and the College Contributions Scheme (CCS). The OCCF is held by the University in trust to 'make such grants and loans to colleges for University purposes as may seem desirable'. Distributions from the OCCF to colleges require a regulation to be made by Council (under section 7 of Statute XV). The general purpose of the CCS is to collect contributions from the colleges for University purposes that will also benefit the colleges. The details of the current scheme (CCS 7) are set out in Council Regulations 1 of 2020, which specify that the income collected under CCS 7 shall be fully distributed each year and shall be used (a) to make grants to build endowment in 'recipient colleges' (as determined by the CCC) ('the endowment portion') and (b) to improve undergraduate access in colleges and Permanent Private Halls ('the access portion').

Given the current pandemic situation Council decided to dedicate two years of funds to those colleges with particularly pressing challenges due to the impact of COVID-19, following which the OCCF and CCS will revert to their original purposes. The COVID-19 Emergency Scheme creates a pool of funds consisting of the normal annual distribution from OCCF and the endowment portion (only) of CCS 7 (the requirement that grants be used 'to build endowment' has been temporarily suspended). The grants to be paid this year are therefore coming in part from the OCCF, meaning that a regulation needs to be made by Council.

The total sum available for distribution under the COVID-19 Emergency Scheme

is in the region of £9.5m. The intention is to hold three application rounds. The first application round was intended to enable early support for colleges experiencing particularly pressing needs.

As grants made under the COVID-19 Emergency Scheme consist of funds drawn in part from the OCCF, distributions under this scheme require a regulation to be made by Council.

This regulation authorises the grants which Council has decided to make from (in part) the OCCF, on the recommendations of the College Contributions Committee, following that Committee's consideration of the Round 1 applications submitted in 2020.

#### *Text of Regulations*

The following amounts shall be paid as grants to the colleges named, in each case under (in part) the provisions of section 7 of Statute XV, for application in the financial year shown:

| College                | Purpose   | 2020-21           |
|------------------------|---|-------------------|
| <b>Green Templeton</b> | (a) Loss of student rental income                 | £77,077           |
|                        | (b) Cleaning and signage                          | £62,890           |
|                        | (c) Additional IT to support home working         | £34,040           |
|                        | (d) Support for student induction                 | £1,200            |
|                        | <b>Total</b>                                      | <b>£175,207</b>   |
| <b>Mansfield</b>       | (a) Purchase of PPE equipment                     | £50,000           |
|                        | (b) HR restructuring costs                        | £60,000           |
|                        | (c) Lost tuition fees                             | £168,000          |
|                        | (d) Lost Visiting Student Programme (VSP) income  | £479,000          |
|                        | (e) Loss of Conference and Events income          | £500,000          |
|                        | (f) Contribution towards the loss of other income | £27,000           |
|                        | (g) Feasibility study for accommodation block     | £50,000           |
|                        | <i>Less cost savings achieved</i>                 | <i>(£437,000)</i> |
|                        | <b>Total</b>                                      | <b>£897,000</b>   |
| <b>St Anne's</b>       | (a) Acquisition of additional student rooms       | £121,014          |
|                        | (b) Lost accommodation income                     | £79,378           |
|                        | <b>Total</b>                                      | <b>£200,392</b>   |
|                        | <b>TOTAL</b>                                      | <b>£1,272,599</b> |

The sums listed are maxima. The payment of each grant, and the precise sum payable, shall be dependent on the success with which each college meets certain conditions laid down by Council on the recommendation of the College Contributions Committee.

## Congregation

13 October

### Reply to supplementary questions

At the meeting of Congregation on 13 October (see *Gazette* No 5290, 22 October 2020), three supplementary questions were asked. The supplementary questions and the replies, which have been approved by Council, are set out below.

#### **Question 1: Will Congregation be offered a Resolution to approve the Crisis Management Framework and arrangements for updating it? (Dr Sam Wolfe, St Catherine's)**

*Reply:* As set out in Council's reply to question 2(i) in the *Gazette* of 23 July 2020, the Crisis Management Framework as it stood before the COVID-19 crisis was approved by the Security Subcommittee in October 2018. That version took account of the experience gained in the use of the original framework for Tinbergen in 2017. The creation and revision of the Crisis Management Framework did not require the approval of Congregation. Most recently the Crisis Management Framework was triggered early in 2020, with a structure designed to manage the pandemic crisis (as set out on the University's website at <https://staff.web.ox.ac.uk/article/oxfords-crisis-management-framework-explained> (single sign-on required)). As the pandemic has developed, the Crisis Management Framework has been extended and expanded to deal with the developing situation and Council has been kept informed of those further changes. The changes to the framework were agreed by Silver Group, operating under the general delegation by Council to the Vice-Chancellor, as set out in Council's reply to question 2(ii), published in the *Gazette* of 23 July 2020.

#### **Question 2: What are the arrangements for the promised publication of the Minutes of Silver and Bronze as each batch passes the four-month delay period? (Professor Ben Bollig, St John's)**

*Reply:* The minutes of Silver and Bronze groups have been being added to the SharePoint folders (linked from <https://staff.web.ox.ac.uk/article/oxfords-crisis->

# Congregation

management-framework-explained (single sign-on required)) at the end of each month to include all those minutes for the month which was four months previous to it (for example, all minutes for the June meetings were added at the end of October). It is acknowledged that there was some delay to the publication of the May minutes; however, a system is now in place to ensure that these deadlines are met. Further, Council has now decided that henceforth the minutes shall be published with a two-month delay instead of four months (meaning that at the end of November all minutes will be added up to and including the September meetings).

**Question 3: Under what circumstances will Council withdraw its delegation of powers under the Crisis Management Framework and inform Congregation that this has been done? (Professor Ben Bollig, St John's)**

Silver Group operates under delegations to the Vice-Chancellor and to chairs of Council's main committees. The delegations are not specific to the pandemic and have not been made under the Crisis Management Framework. The delegation to the Vice-Chancellor is made under paragraph 50 of Council's Standing Orders. Delegations by the main committees of Council to their chairs are provided for in the standing orders of those committees. The general delegation to the Vice-Chancellor is long standing, and the delegations to the chairs of the main committees of Council were introduced in 2016 following the 2015 self-review of Council (Council paper (C(16)117) of 31 October 2016 at <https://sharepoint.nexus.ox.ac.uk/sites/uasmosaic/governance/Documents/c16117w.pdf?Web=1> (requires single sign-on)).

The Crisis Management Framework is intended to provide a high-level structure allowing the University to respond to a crisis. This is described in the 2018 framework document as being 'An incident that threatens the fabric of the University in terms of its academic delivery, reputation or financial performance to such an extent that exceptional measures are required to ensure protection of human life, the University's assets or reputation.' The meetings of Silver

and Bronze groups will therefore continue whilst the crisis continues. When Council determines that the crisis has ended, the meetings of Bronze and Silver group will stop. The University's website (<https://staff.web.ox.ac.uk/article/oxfords-crisis-management-framework-explained> (single sign-on required)), which is accessible by all members of Congregation, will be updated to reflect this.

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## Council of the University

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### Register of Congregation

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

Cosmidis, J, Wolfson  
Meyerhoff, M, All Souls  
Wood, C G, St Hilda's

### Divisional and Faculty Boards

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

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## Congregation

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16 November

### Degree by Resolution

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## Congregation

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26 November

### Elections

#### CONTESTED ELECTIONS:

Council  
Board of the Faculty of Oriental Studies

#### UNCONTESTED ELECTIONS:

Council  
Curators of the University Libraries  
Curators of the University Parks  
Nominations Committee  
Pool for Constituting Panels under Statute XII  
Socially Responsible Investment Review Committee  
Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Divisional Board  
Board of the Faculty of English Language and Literature  
Board of the Faculty of History  
Board of the Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics  
Board of the Faculty of Philosophy  
Board of the Faculty of Theology and Religion  
Board of the Faculty of Law

#### LAPSED VACANCIES

Details are in 'Elections' section below.

# Notices

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## Note on procedures in Congregation

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¶ Business in Congregation is conducted in accordance with Congregation Regulations 2 of 2002 (<https://governance.admin.ox.ac.uk/legislation/congregation-regulations-2-of-2002>). 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 R Thomas at the University Offices, Wellington Square (telephone: (2)80317; email [rebecca.thomas@admin.ox.ac.uk](mailto:rebecca.thomas@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](mailto:elections.office@admin.ox.ac.uk)).

**While COVID-19 working restrictions remain in place, any notice that needs to be given to the Registrar in writing should be sent by email to [registrar@admin.ox.ac.uk](mailto:registrar@admin.ox.ac.uk). Notices sent to the University Offices may not be received.**

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## General Notices

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### Gazette publication arrangements

We are continuing to publish the *Gazette* in digital format only, as a result of ongoing COVID-19-related working restrictions. Arrangements for archival copies will be made at a later date.

We will continue to send emails to our online subscribers, as well as to our print subscribers, where we have an email address for them, so that they continue to receive the *Gazette* in an available format.

If you are a print subscriber and do not wish to receive such emails, or if you would like to set up a new email subscription, please visit [www.staffsubs.ox.ac.uk](http://www.staffsubs.ox.ac.uk) if you are a current member of staff; otherwise, please email [gazette@admin.ox.ac.uk](mailto:gazette@admin.ox.ac.uk).

### Environmental Sustainability Strategy

The University's Environmental Sustainability Strategy aims to achieve net zero carbon and biodiversity net gain by 2035. The draft strategy has now been published and feedback is requested on the overall target, priorities and key issues. Survey participants can choose to enter a prize draw to win one of ten £50 Blackwell's vouchers. The draft strategy and survey can be found at <https://sustainability.admin.ox.ac.uk> (login required).

### Racial Equality Task Force

A new Task Force launches this month to address racial inequality at all levels at Oxford. Based on wide consultation, the Race Equality Task Force will propose a University-wide strategy to address under-representation and both conscious and unconscious discrimination. Reporting to Council and with representatives from across the collegiate University, it will build on the wide range of existing activities that already take place at Oxford, accelerating progress on race equality across the institution. More information: <https://staff.web.ox.ac.uk/article/equality-diversity-and-inclusion-at-oxford-opportunities-for-progress>.

An Open Forum event about the Task Force will take place 1.15–2.30pm on 2 December on Teams Live. To register: <http://newsletter.admin.ox.ac.uk/c/1s4L4mziuXCB85f3bSvyIRYY>.

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## Appointments

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### Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

#### ROUSE BALL PROFESSORSHIP OF MATHEMATICS

**Luis Fernando Alday**, BA MA Balseiro, PhD Sissa, Professor of Mathematical Physics in the Mathematical Institute and Fellow of Hertford, has been appointed to the Rouse Ball Professorship of Mathematics in the Mathematical Institute with effect from 2 November 2020. Professor Alday will be a fellow of Wadham.

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## Recognition of Distinction

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### Recognition of Distinction 2020

#### SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES

**William Allan**, Professor of Greek  
**Ruben Andersson**, Professor of Social Anthropology  
**Sonia Antoranz Contera**, Professor of Biological Physics  
**Elizabeth Ashley**, Professor of Tropical Medicine  
**Michael Barnes**, Professor of Physics  
**Stephen Baxter**, Professor of Medieval History  
**Rebecca Beasley**, Professor of Modernist Studies  
**Geoffrey Bird**, Professor of Cognitive Neuroscience  
**Stuart Blacksell**, Professor of Tropical Microbiology  
**Lapo Bogani**, Professor of Molecular Nanomaterials  
**Francesca Buffa**, Professor of Computational Biology and Cancer Genomics  
**Erzsebet Bukodi**, Professor of Sociology and Social Policy  
**Alvaro Cartea**, Professor of Mathematical Finance  
**Michael Charles**, Professor of Environmental Archaeology

**Yulin Chen**, Professor of Physics  
**Morgan Clarke**, Professor of Social Anthropology  
**Mark Coles**, Kennedy Professor of Immunology  
**Garret Cotter**, Professor of Physics  
**Inge Daniels**, Professor of Anthropology  
**Angour D'Armand**, Professor of Classics  
**John Davis**, Professor of Pharmaceutical Discovery  
**Thomas Douglas**, Professor of Applied Philosophy  
**David Doyle**, Professor of Comparative Politics  
**David Dupret**, Professor of Neuroscience  
**Carolyn Duttlinger**, Professor of German Literature and Culture  
**David Dwan**, Professor of English Literature and Intellectual History  
**Rebecca Eynon**, Professor of Education, the Internet and Society  
**Dominic Furniss**, Professor of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery  
**Jason Gaiger**, Professor of Aesthetics and Art Theory  
**Anthony Gardner**, Professor of Contemporary Art History  
**Jane Gingrich**, Professor of Comparative Political Economy  
**Andrew Gosler**, Professor of Ethno-ornithology  
**David Griffiths**, Professor of Archaeology  
**Nina Hallowell**, Professor of Social and Ethical Aspects of Genomics  
**Todd Hancock Hall**, Professor of International Relations  
**Edward Harcourt**, Professor of Philosophy  
**Heather Harrington**, Professor of Mathematics  
**Catherine Holmes**, Professor of Medieval History  
**Jemma Hopewell**, Professor of Precision Medicine and Epidemiology  
**Laura Hoyano**, Professor of Law  
**Antoine Jerusalem**, Professor of Mechanical Engineering  
**Helen Johnson**, Professor of Ocean and Climate Science  
**Polly Jones**, Professor of Russian  
**Lindsay Judson**, Professor of Ancient Philosophy  
**Renaud Lambiotte**, Professor of Networks and Nonlinear Systems  
**Liora Lazarus**, Professor in Human Rights Law  
**Vili Lehdonvirta**, Professor of Economic Sociology and Digital Social Research  
**Jason Lerch**, Professor of Neuroscience  
**Jamie Lorimer**, Professor of Environmental Geography  
**James McCullagh**, Professor of Biological Chemistry

**Anna-Maria Misra**, Professor of Global History  
**Joe Moshenska**, Professor of English Literature  
**Andreas Münch**, Professor of Applied Mathematics  
**Gina Neff**, Professor of Technology and Society  
**Andrea Nemeth**, Professor of Neurogenetics  
**Jaideep Pandit**, Professor of Anaesthesia  
**Aris Theodosios Papageorgiou**, Professor of Fetal Medicine  
**Sarah Pendlebury**, Professor of Medicine and Old Age Neuroscience  
**Justine Pila**, Professor of Law  
**John Powell**, Professor of Digital Health Care  
**Kazem Rahimi**, Professor of Cardiovascular Medicine and Population Health  
**Jan Rehwinkel**, Professor of Innate Immunology  
**Armin Reichold**, Professor of Physics  
**Laura Rival**, Professor of Anthropology of Development  
**Tatjana Sauka-Spengler**, Professor of Developmental Genomics and Gene Regulation  
**Elena Seiradake**, Professor of Molecular Biology  
**Joel Shapiro**, Professor of Financial Economics  
**Hannah Smithson**, Professor of Experimental Psychology  
**Susannah Speller**, Professor of Materials Science  
**Andrei Starinets**, Professor of Physics  
**Samuel Staton**, Professor of Computer Science  
**Zofia Stemplowska**, Professor of Political Theory  
**Peter Stewart**, Professor of Ancient Art  
**Mark Stokes**, Professor of Cognitive Neuroscience  
**William Swadlow**, Professor of Law  
**Pawel Swietach**, Professor of Physiology  
**Helen Swift**, Professor of Medieval French Studies  
**Marion Turner**, Professor of English Literature  
**Ellie Tzima**, Professor of Cardiovascular Biology  
**Carlos Vargas-Silva**, Professor in Migration Studies  
**Manu Vatish**, Professor of Obstetrics  
**Andrea Vedaldi**, Professor of Computer Vision and Machine Learning  
**John Vella**, Professor of Law  
**Richard Williams**, Professor of Immunology  
**Tim Woollings**, Professor of Physical Climate Science

## Electoral Boards

### Compositions of Electoral Boards

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

#### DEEPMIND PROFESSORSHIP OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

|                              | <i>Appointed by</i>            |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Professor A Trefethen        | Vice-Chancellor                |
| The Principal of Exeter      | <i>ex officio</i>              |
| Professor M Osborne          | Exeter                         |
| Professor K Atkinson         | Council                        |
| Professor Sir Nigel Shadbolt | Council                        |
| Professor S Howison          | MPLS Division                  |
| Professor M Wooldridge       | Department of Computer Science |
| Professor I Horrocks         | Department of Computer Science |
| Professor S Kraus            | Department of Computer Science |

#### HOPE PROFESSORSHIP OF ZOOLOGY (ENTOMOLOGY)

|                        | <i>Appointed by</i> |
|------------------------|---------------------|
| Dr R Surender          | Vice-Chancellor     |
| The Principal of Jesus | <i>ex officio</i>   |
| Professor T Coulson    | Jesus               |
| Professor J Langdale   | Council             |
| Professor A Douglas    | Council             |
| Professor B Sheldon    | MPLS Division       |
| Professor S Howison    | MPLS Division       |
| Professor P Smith      | MPLS Division       |
| Professor J Memmott    | MPLS Division       |

# Lectures

# Examinations and Boards

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## Medical Sciences

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### Nuffield Department of Primary Care Health Sciences

#### BETTER WORKPLACE

Daphne Romney, QC, will share her findings from her independent report into sexism and harassment at the BMA at 4pm on 16 November online. Chair: Professor Catherine Pope. Registration essential and tickets are non-transferable. More information and to register: [www.phc.ox.ac.uk/daphneromney](http://www.phc.ox.ac.uk/daphneromney).

*Subject:* 'Challenging the "old boys' club" culture in medicine'

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## Institutes, Centres and Museums

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### Oxford University Museum of Natural History

Georgina Ferry, BBC Radio, will deliver a lecture at 7pm on 18 November. To register: <https://event.webinarjam.com/register/116/vyy3xf15>.

*Subject:* 'Minerals, molecules and the Nobel Prize: Dorothy Crowfoot Hodgkin at the University Museum'

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## Examinations for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

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## Examinations for the Degree of Master of Science

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# Colleges, Halls and Societies

## 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>.

### Humanities Board

#### PRELIMS IN MUSIC

to allow more flexibility in order to broaden the curriculum and include other musical genres

### Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board

#### MSC IN MATHEMATICAL AND THEORETICAL PHYSICS

#### FHS OF MATHEMATICAL AND THEORETICAL PHYSICS

- (a) change to submission method
- (b) clarification on programme of study and where dissertation guidelines will be published
- (c) removal of reference to oral examinations

#### MSC IN MATHEMATICAL MODELLING AND SCIENTIFIC COMPUTING

change to submission method and schedule

#### MSC IN MATHEMATICAL AND COMPUTATIONAL FINANCE

#### MSC IN MATHEMATICS AND THE FOUNDATIONS OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

#### MSC IN MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

change to submission method

#### FHS OF ENGINEERING SCIENCE

change to submission method for Group Design Project (B3/B3E) and Report on Project Work

#### FHS OF MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS

regulations discontinued for 2020-21

### Medical Sciences Board

#### MSC IN PRECISION CANCER MEDICINE

correction of assessment title

## Social Sciences Board

#### GENERAL REGULATIONS FOR THE DEGREE OF MSc BY COURSEWORK

introduction of new courses: MSc in Medical Education (part-time) and MSc in Sustainability, Enterprise and the Environment

#### GENERAL REGULATIONS FOR THE DEGREE OF BPhil OR MPhil

introduction of new course: MPhil in Global and Area Studies

#### MSC IN EDUCATION

to rename Learning and Technology pathway

#### MSC IN LEARNING AND TEACHING

simplification of programme structure

#### MSC IN MEDICAL EDUCATION (PART-TIME)

#### MSC IN SUSTAINABILITY, ENTERPRISE AND THE ENVIRONMENT

#### MPhil IN GLOBAL AND AREA STUDIES

#### PGDIP IN AI FOR BUSINESS (PART-TIME)

new course

#### MPhil IN ECONOMICS

- (a) to split existing compulsory 1st-year courses in Microeconomics, Macroeconomics and Econometrics into 'Core' and 'Advanced' versions
- (b) to introduce 2 new methodology courses in Empirical Research Methods and Advanced Maths
- (c) reduction of papers required for Year 2 from 5 to 4
- (d) to reduce thesis word-count from 30,000 to 20,000

#### EMBA

introduction of new Postgraduate Diploma in AI for Business

#### PGDIP IN FINANCIAL STRATEGY (PART-TIME)

#### PGDIP IN GLOBAL BUSINESS (PART-TIME)

#### PGDIP IN ORGANISATIONAL LEADERSHIP (PART-TIME)

#### PGDIP IN STRATEGY AND INNOVATION (PART-TIME)

update to examination arrangements to introduce PGDip in AI for Business

#### PGDIP IN LEARNING AND TEACHING (PART-TIME)

regulations discontinued

## Obituaries

### Merton

David Evans, 4 March 2020; 1955. Aged 83.

Michael John Alan Franks, May 2020; 1946. Aged 92.

William Nicholas Hussey, 20 April 2020; 1957. Aged 82.

### St Hugh's

Pamela Bushing (*née* Moore), 12 May 2020; 1952. Aged 87.

Anne Ransley (*née* Walley), 22 June 2020; 1957. Aged 82.



# Elections

## Contested elections 26 November

The nomination period for these elections closed at 4pm on 29 October. The following elections will be contested and the results determined by an electronic ballot of the eligible electorates. The ballots will be administered by Civica Ltd (CES Votes) on behalf of the University of Oxford. All members of Congregation are eligible to vote in the election to Council; only full members of the Faculty of Oriental Studies are eligible to vote in the election to the Faculty Board. Queries regarding membership of Congregation should be sent to [congregation.membership@admin.ox.ac.uk](mailto:congregation.membership@admin.ox.ac.uk).

Eligible voters were sent an email with further instructions on Tuesday, 10 November. The email from CES Votes will contain links to the candidates' statements and a unique link to the voting website: when voters click on the link, they will be taken to the voting website where they can cast their vote. Voters may wish to read the candidates' statements before completing their electronic vote. The voting period will close at **4pm on 26 November**. The results will be announced on the University website as soon as possible thereafter <https://governance.web.ox.ac.uk/current-elections> and published in the 3 December issue of the *Gazette*.

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

### Council

- One of four members of Congregation elected by Congregation not necessarily being a member of any division and not in any case being nominated in a divisional capacity, to serve until the start of MT 2024 [*vice* Professor Sir Rory Collins, St John's, Clinical Medicine]

*The following nominations have been received:*

**Professor Myles R Allen**, BA DPhil Oxf, Linacre, Faculty of Physics and School of Geography and the Environment

*Nominated by:*

N Leimu-Brown, Principal of Linacre, Department of Plant Sciences  
I Tracey, Warden of Merton, Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences  
K Blundell, St John's, Department of Physics  
D Dorling, St Peter's, School of Geography and the Environment  
C Hepburn, St Edmund Hall, School of Geography and the Environment/Smith School of Enterprise and the Environment  
R Khosla, Somerville, School of Geography and the Environment/Oxford India Centre for Sustainable Development  
B Müller, Wolfson, Environmental Change Institute/School of Geography and the Environment/Faculty of Philosophy  
K Nobre, St Catherine's, Department of Experimental Psychology  
L Rajamani, St Peter's, Faculty of Law  
H Waters, Estates Services

*Candidate statement:*

The implementation of the University's Sustainability Strategy and the recent Congregation motion on fossil fuel divestment will be key issues for Council over the coming years. I have been deeply involved in both developments. As a Professor of Geosystem Science in the School of Geography and the Environment and Director of the new cross-Divisional Oxford Net Zero initiative, with a long-standing association with the Department of Physics and former student of Physics and Philosophy, I have links to Social Sciences, MPLS and Humanities Divisions. Our research in the 2000s identified the need for net zero carbon dioxide emissions to halt global warming, and I have been working on the implications ever since. I am proud that our University is working towards an ambitious commitment to net biodiversity gain and net zero emissions, and that we are taking an evidence-led approach to

prioritise real impact over image. Crucial strategic questions remain open, such as how we navigate a commitment to net zero emissions with our status as a global university committed to a universal and open academe and increasing geographical diversity in staff and student recruitment. On divestment, discussions with students and colleagues on this issue over recent years led to the Oxford Martin Principles for Climate-conscious Investment that form a key component of the Congregation motion. As a former ULNTF, I recognise the need to support those on research-intensive careers, and as a beneficiary of early enlightened decisions on parental leave, I feel particularly strongly about accommodating colleagues' caring responsibilities.

**Professor Sir Rory Collins**, MB BS Lond, BSc Washington DC, MA MSc Oxf, St John's, Faculty of Clinical Medicine

*Nominated by:*

M Snowling, President of St John's, Department of Experimental Psychology  
Sir John Bell, Christ Church, Medical Sciences  
T Boyt, Reuben  
F Essler, Worcester, Department of Physics  
C Fabre, All Souls, Faculty of Philosophy  
M Freeman, Lincoln, Dunn School of Pathology  
H Hamerow, St Cross, Faculty of History  
G Johnson, Christ Church, History of Art Department  
K Nobre, St Catherine's, Department of Experimental Psychology  
G Scream, University College, Head of Medical Sciences Division

*Candidate statement:*

I have served as an elected member of Council on behalf of Congregation since Michaelmas 2016, representing Council on the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee and the Personnel Committee.

My focus has been on encouraging the University to do all it reasonably can to support all of its staff (both academic and non-academic), trying to ensure that its investment in “physical capital” (buildings, equipment) is matched by a similar enthusiasm for investing in its people (“human capital”). In particular, I’ve been closely involved in the University’s decisions to interrogate and address gender-specific salary disparities, to identify gaps in child-care provision, and to commit explicitly to protecting pension rights.

In 2013, I established the Nuffield Department of Population Health (NDPH) to deliver research that has a major impact on population health around the world, as well as to develop the next generation of researchers. I have been committed to ensuring that everyone in NDPH has the opportunity to fulfil their potential (e.g. supporting staff to go on the Women Transforming Leadership Programme) and removing obstacles to doing so (e.g. obtaining good child-care provision on Old Road Campus), as illustrated by NDPH’s gender-equality at all staff grades.

I’m seeking re-election to Council because it is very likely that the next few years will be particularly difficult due to the impact of Brexit, COVID-19 and USS pension issues, making it more important than ever to make the case for the University’s resources being used effectively to support its most precious asset... its people.

### Faculty Boards

#### BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF ORIENTAL STUDIES

- Three persons elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Oriental Studies, to serve until the start of MT 2022 [*vice* Professor Dirk Meyer, Professor Jeremy Johns and Professor Margaret Hillenbrand]

*The following nominations have been received:*

**Professor Diwakar Acharya**, MA Benares, MA Oxf, PhD Hamburg, All Souls

*Nominated by:*

I Bangha, Wolfson  
L Jabb, Wolfson  
J Lowe, Wolfson  
P (R) O’Hanlon, St Cross  
D Rechter, Brasenose  
Y Vevaina, Wolfson

*Candidate statement:*

[No candidate statement received]

**Professor Edmund Herzig**, MA Camb, DPhil Oxf, Wadham

*Nominated by:*

W Armbrust, St Antony’s  
D Rechter, Brasenose  
J Lewis, Wolfson  
U Roesler, Wolfson

*Candidate statement:*

If elected to Faculty Board, I will use the experience gained in more than a dozen years of research, teaching and administration at Oxford, and my knowledge of the wider university, to work for the Faculty’s interests and help it to respond to current and future challenges.

**Professor Dirk Meyer**, drs MA PhD Leiden, MA Oxf, Queen’s

*Nominated by:*

W Armbrust, St Antony’s  
J Lewis, Wolfson  
D Rechter, Brasenose  
U Roesler, Wolfson

*Candidate statement:*

[No candidate statement received]

**Professor Asli Niyazioglu**, PhD Harvard, Exeter

*Nominated by:*

W Armbrust, St Antony’s  
J Lewis, Wolfson  
L Mignon, St Antony’s  
D Rechter, Brasenose  
U Roesler, Wolfson

*Candidate statement:*

[No candidate statement received]

### Uncontested elections

The following elections were uncontested. Following the close of the nomination period on Thursday 29 October 2020, the following were deemed to have been elected unopposed to hold office for the periods indicated.

#### Council

- One of four members of Congregation elected by Congregation from members of the faculties in the Divisions of Humanities and of Social Sciences, to serve until the start of MT 2024 [*vice* Professor Helena Hamerow]
  - **Professor Diego Sánchez-Ancochea**, MPA Madrid, PhD New School For Social Research, St Antony’s, Department of International Development and School of Global and Area Studies
- One of four members of Congregation elected by Congregation from members of the faculties in the Divisions of Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences and of Medical Sciences, to serve until the start of MT 2024 [*vice* Professor Richard Hobbs]
  - **Professor F D Richard Hobbs**, MB ChB Brist, MA Oxf, Harris Manchester, Nuffield Department of Primary Care Health Sciences

#### Committees reporting to Council

##### CURATORS OF THE UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES

- One member of Congregation elected by Congregation, to serve until the start of MT 2024 [*vice* Professor David Pyle, St Anne’s]
  - **Dr AJ Fairweather-Tall**, MA MSt DPhil Oxf, St Peter’s, Humanities Divisional Office

##### CURATORS OF THE UNIVERSITY PARKS

- One person elected by Congregation, to serve until the start of MT 2026 [*vice* Dr Amy Zavatsky, St Edmund Hall]
  - **Dr Laura M Rival**, BA British Columbia, MPhil PhD LSE, Linacre, Department of International Development/School of Anthropology and Museum Ethnography

**NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE**

- One of three members of Congregation elected by and from Congregation; two of whom to serve until the start of MT 2023 [*vice* Dr Joanna Ashbourn and Dr Kate Blackmon] and one to serve until the start of MT 2022 [*vice* Professor Matthew Freeman]
  - **Anne Harkness**, BA CNAA PGDip Oxf Brookes, University Administration and Services

**POOL FOR CONSTITUTING PANELS UNDER STATUTE XII**

- Four members of Congregation to whom Statute XII applies to represent the Division of Humanities, elected by members of Congregation, to serve until HT 2025 [*vice* Ms Karen Brill, Divisional Office; Professor Steven Gunn, Merton and History; Professor Edmund Herzig, Wadham and Oriental Studies; and Ms Lynne Hirsch, Divisional Office]
  - **Karen Brill**, BA Birkbeck, BBS Cape Town, MSt Oxf, Humanities Divisional Office
  - **Professor T William Child**, BPhil MA DPhil Oxf, University College, Faculty of Philosophy
  - **Dr A J Fairweather-Tall**, MA MSt DPhil Oxf, St Peter's, Humanities Division
  - **Dr Elizabeth Gemmill**, BA PhD Manc, MA Oxf, Kellogg, Faculty of History, Department of Continuing Education
- Two of four members of Congregation to whom Statute XII applies to represent the Division of Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences, elected by members of Congregation, to serve until HT 2025 [*vice* Dr Gwen Booth, Divisional Office; Veronica McGowan, Plant Sciences; Professor Aris Katzourakis, St Hilda's, Zoology; and Dr Charlotte Sweeney, Materials]
  - **Janice French**, MBA MA Lond, Chemistry
  - **Dr Jocasta Gardner**, BA MSt DPhil Oxf, Mathematical Institute

- Four members of Congregation to whom Statute XII applies to represent the Division of Medical Sciences, elected by members of Congregation, to serve until HT 2025 [*vice* Mrs Liz Barnes-Moss, Clinical Neurosciences; Professor Christopher Conlon, Oriel and Clinical Medicine; Miss Gillian Morris, Divisional Office; and Mrs Nicola Small, Primary Care Health Sciences]
  - **Liz Barnes-Moss**, Department of Oncology
  - **Professor Robert Gilbert**, BSc Durh, MA Oxf, PhD Leic, Magdalen, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine
  - **Gillian Morris**, Medical Sciences Divisional Office
  - **Boyd Rodger**, BA Strathc, MBA City, Wellcome Centre for Human Genetics
- Four members of Congregation to whom Statute XII applies to represent the Division of Social Sciences, elected by members of Congregation, to serve until HT 2025 [*vice* Janice French, Business School; vacancy (*vice* Ms Eve Rodgers, Education); Professor Nicholas Van Hear, St Cross and Anthropology; and Ms Charlotte Vinnicombe, Law]
  - **Professor A C L Davies**, MA DPhil Oxf, Brasenose, Law
  - **Professor Andrew Dickinson**, BCL MA Oxf, St Catherine's, Faculty of Law
  - **Dr Nicholas Van Hear**, BA Camb, PhD Birm, St Cross, School of Anthropology
  - **Charlotte Vinnicombe**, BA MA Liv, Law Faculty Office
- Three of four members of Congregation to whom Statute XII applies to represent Gardens, Libraries and Museums (GLAM), elected by members of Congregation, to serve until HT 2025 [*vice* Mrs Aisha Burtenshaw, Ashmolean; Mrs Laura How, Nuffield and Bodleian Libraries; Mr Boyd Rodger, Bodleian Libraries; and Ms Wendy Shepherd, Museum of Natural History]
  - **Aisha Burtenshaw**, LLB Keele, PGDip Brist, Ashmolean
  - **Laura How**, MA Oxf, Bodleian Libraries
  - **Linda Pope**, BSc MSc Port, Bodleian Libraries

- Three of four members of Congregation to whom Statute XII applies to represent University Administration and Services (UAS), elected by members of Congregation, to serve until HT 2025 [*vice* Ms Jennifer Makkreel, Estates Services; Mr Stephen Purbrick, Finance; Ms Sara Smith, EDU; and Mrs Clare Wakeham, Harris Manchester and OLI/ Education]
  - **Christiana (Kirsty) Allen**, MA Oxf, Research Services
  - **Anne Harkness**, BA CNAA PGDip Oxf Brookes, Focus Programme and Planning and Council Secretariat
  - **Sara C Smith**, MA Oxf, University Administration and Services

**SOCIALLY RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENT REVIEW COMMITTEE**

- One member of Congregation from members of the faculties in the Divisions of Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences and of Medical Sciences, elected by Congregation, to serve until the start of MT 2023 [*vice* Professor Harish Bhaskaran, Department of Materials]
  - **Professor H Bhaskaran**, BE Pune, MS PhD Maryland, Wolfson, Department of Materials

**Divisional Boards****MATHEMATICAL, PHYSICAL AND LIFE SCIENCES DIVISIONAL BOARD**

- One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Engineering Science to serve from the start of HT 2021 until the start of MT 2024 [*vice* Professor Martin Booth]
  - **Professor Martin Booth**, MEng DPhil Oxf, Jesus, Department of Engineering Science
- One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Physics to serve from the start of HT 2021 until the start of MT 2024 [*vice* Professor Arzhang Ardavan]
  - **Professor Martin Bureau**, BA Montreal, MA Oxf, PhD Australia, Wadham, Department of Physics

**Faculty Boards****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 serve until the start of MT 2022 [*vice* Professor Katherine E Shepherd-Barr, Professor Lorna M Hutson, Dr H Sullivan and Professor Andrew Klevan]
  - **Dr Kate Kennedy**, PhD Camb, Wolfson
  - **Professor Paulina Kewes**, MA Gdansk, DPhil Oxf, Jesus
  - **Professor Lloyd Pratt**, St John's
  - **Professor Diane Purkiss**, BA Queensland, DPhil Oxf, Keble

**BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF HISTORY**

- Four 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 serve until the start of MT 2022 [*vice* Dr Catherine Holmes, Dr Lucy Wooding, Professor Natalia Nowakowska and Professor Christina de Bellaigue]
  - **Dr John-Paul Ghobrial**, BA Tufts, MPhil Oxf, MA PhD Princeton, Balliol
  - **Dr Adrian Gregory**, MA PhD Camb, MA Oxf, Pembroke
  - **John Nightingale**, MA DPhil Oxf, Magdalen
  - **Professor Natalia Nowakowska**, BA MSt DPhil Oxf, Somerville

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

- Three of four persons elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics, to serve until the start of MT 2022
  - **Richard Ashdowne**, MA DPhil Oxf, University College
  - **Sandra Paoli**, BA MRes PhD Manc, Balliol
  - **Dr Elinor Payne**, MA MPhil PhD Camb, St Hilda's

**BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF PHILOSOPHY**

- Four persons elected by and from the members of the Faculty of Philosophy to serve until the start of MT 2022 [*vice* Professor Hilary C Greaves, Professor Philipp Koralus, Professor Mark A Wrathall and Professor Karen M Nielsen]
  - **Professor Hilary Greaves**, BA Oxf, PhD Rutgers, Merton
  - **Professor Philipp Koralus**, BA Pomona, MA Oxf, PhD Princeton, St Catherine's
  - **Professor Stephen Mulhall**, BA DPhil Oxf, MA Toronto, New College
  - **Professor Mark Wrathall**, PhD Berkeley, JD Harvard, Corpus Christi

**BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF THEOLOGY AND RELIGION**

- Three persons elected by and from the members of the Faculty of Theology and Religion: two to serve until MT 2022 [*vice* Professor Carol Harrison and Professor Hindy Najman]; and one to serve until MT 2021 [*vice* Professor Markus Bockmuehl]
  - **Professor Carol Harrison**, BA MPhil DPhil Oxf, Christ Church
  - **Professor Joshua Hordern**, MA MSt PGDip Oxf, PhD Edin, Harris Manchester
  - **Professor Mark Wynn**, BA MPhil DPhil Oxf, Oriel

**BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF LAW**

- Four 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, to serve until MT 2023 [*vice* Professor Horst Eidenmueller, Professor Luca Enriques, Professor Wolfgang Ernst and Professor Catherine Redgwell]
  - **Professor Horst Eidenmüller**, LLM Camb, MA Oxf, Dr iur habil Munich, St Hugh's
  - **Professor Luca Enriques**, LLB Bologna, LLM Harvard, MA Oxf, PhD Bocconi, Jesus
  - **Wolfgang Ernst**, LLM Yale, MA Oxf, Dr iur habil Bonn, Hon LLD Edin, Hon LLD Vienna, All Souls
  - **Professor Catherine Redgwell**, LLB British Columbia, BA Winnipeg, MSc Lond, All Souls

- Nine 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, to serve until MT 2023 [*vice* Professor Adrian Briggs, Dr Rachel Condry, S Enchelmaier, Dr Imogen Goold, Mr James Goudkamp, Professor Jennifer Payne, Laura C H Hoyano, Dr Thomas Krebs and Professor Fernanda Pirie]
  - **Sanja Bogojević**, LLB KCL, LLM College of Europe, DPhil Oxf, Lady Margaret Hall
  - **Professor Adrian Briggs**, BCL MA Oxf, St Edmund Hall
  - **Ruth Chang**, AB Dartmouth, DPhil Oxf, JD Harvard, University College
  - **Professor Tsilly Dagan**, LLB JSD Tel Aviv, LLM NYU, Worcester
  - **Professor James Goudkamp**, BCL MA MPhil DPhil Oxf, BSc LLB Grad Dip Leg Prac Wollongong, Keble
  - **Laura CH Hoyano**, BA MA JD Alberta, BCL MA Oxf, Wadham
  - **Professor Jennifer Payne**, MA Camb, MA Oxf, Merton
  - **Professor Justine Pila**, BA LLB PhD Melbourne, St Catherine's
  - **Professor Fernanda Pirie**, MSc Lond, MA DPhil Oxf, St Cross

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### Lapsed vacancies

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The following vacancies have lapsed due to insufficient nominations having been received. In accordance with the regulations, they must now 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 by **Thursday, 26 November 2020**.

### Audit and Scrutiny Committee

- One member of Congregation elected by Congregation from among members of the faculties in the Divisions of Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences and of Medical 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 to serve for four years from the start of HT 2021
- 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 to serve for four years from the start of HT 2021

### Buildings and Estates Subcommittee

- One person elected by Congregation, to serve with immediate effect until the start of MT 2023

### Committee for the Nomination of Select Preachers

- Two members of Congregation elected by and from Congregation, to serve until the start of MT 2024

### Nominations Committee

- Two of three members of Congregation elected by and from Congregation; one to serve until the start of MT 2023 and one to serve until the start of MT 2022

### Panel for Constituting the Visitation Board under Statute XII Part C

- Three members of Congregation required to engage in academic teaching and/or research either by their written contracts of employment or by established and agreed practice elected by Congregation, to serve until MT 2024

### Pool for Constituting Panels under Statute XII

- Two of four members of Congregation to whom Statute XII applies to represent the Division of Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences, elected by members of Congregation, to serve until HT 2024
- One of four members of Congregation to whom Statute XII applies to represent Gardens, Libraries and Museums (GLAM), elected by members of Congregation, to serve until HT 2024
- One of four members of Congregation to whom Statute XII applies to represent University Administration and Services (UAS), elected by members of Congregation, to serve until HT 2024
- One member of Congregation to whom Statute XII applies, not necessarily representing any division and not in any case being nominated in a divisional capacity, elected by members of Congregation, to serve until HT 2024

### Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Divisional Board

- One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Zoology
- One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Mathematics to serve from the start of HT 2021 until the start of MT 2024
- One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Chemistry to serve from the start of HT 2021 until the start of MT 2024

### Medical Sciences Divisional Board

- One person from among the staff who are not Heads of Department or statutory professors who are members of the Faculty of Biochemistry, the Faculty of Clinical Medicine, the Faculty of Physiological Sciences and the Faculty of Psychological Studies, elected jointly by the members of the Faculty of Biochemistry, the Faculty of Clinical Medicine, the Faculty of Physiological Sciences and the Faculty of Psychological Studies, to serve until MT 2021

### Social Sciences Divisional Board

- One member elected by and from the academic members of the Department of Economics to serve from the start of HT 2021 until the start of MT 2022
- One member elected by and from the academic members of the Department of Education to serve from the start of HT 2021 until the start of MT 2022
- One member elected by and from the academic members of the School of Geography and the Environment to serve from the start of HT 2021 until the start of MT 2022

### Board of the Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics

- One of four persons elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics, to serve until the start of MT 2022

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## Philippe Wiener-Maurice Anspach Foundation

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Philippe Wiener-Maurice Anspach Foundation; awards for postdoctoral research students interested in conducting research at the Université Libre de Bruxelles (ULB) in any department for up to 1 year; grant plus registration fees; 11am, 7 December; <https://fwa.ulb.be/subsides-et-financements/subsides-doctoraux/?lang=en>

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## Colleges, Halls and Societies

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Linacre; non-stipendiary Junior Research Fellowships; 15 January; [www.linacre.ox.ac.uk/about-linacre/vacancies](http://www.linacre.ox.ac.uk/about-linacre/vacancies)

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Pembroke; Stanley Ho Junior Research Fellowship in Chinese; £30,000; noon, 8 January; [www.pmb.ox.ac.uk/about-pembroke/vacancies](http://www.pmb.ox.ac.uk/about-pembroke/vacancies)

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## External Vacancies

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Rhodes House; 2-year RISE (Schmidt Futures in partnership with the Rhodes Trust) Selection Coordinator; £25,000-£32,000, 23 November; [www.rhodeshouse.ox.ac.uk/contact-staff/staff-vacancies](http://www.rhodeshouse.ox.ac.uk/contact-staff/staff-vacancies)

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