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Council and Main Committees

General Purposes Committee of Council

Changes to Regulations

The General Purposes Committee of Council has made the following changes to regulations, to come into effect on **2 February**.

(a) American Standard Companies Professorship of Operations Management

Explanatory Note

The following changes, made on the recommendation of the Social Sciences Division and the Saïd Business School, update the regulations to remove outdated references.

Text of Regulations

In Council Regulations 24 of 2002, concerning individual professorships, delete existing regulation §204 and substitute (new text underlined, deleted text struck through):

'§204. American Standard Companies Professor of Operations Management

1. The University accepts with deep gratitude the munificent benefaction provided by the American Standard Companies Inc. to establish a Professorship of Operations Management which shall be known as the American Standard Companies Professorship of Operations Management.

2. The American Standard Companies Professor of Operations Management shall lecture and give instruction in Operations Management.

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

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

(2) the head of the college to which the professorship shall be for the time being allocated by Council under any decreeregulation in that behalf, or, if the head is unable or unwilling to act, a person appointed by the governing body of the college; (3) a person appointed by the governing body of the college specified in (2) of this clause;

(4), (5) atwo persons appointed by Council;

(5), (6) a person appointed by the General Board;

(6)(7) a person appointed by the <u>Social</u> <u>Sciences</u> Board of the Faculty of Social Studies;

(8),(7)-(9) twothree persons appointed by the Board of the Faculty of ManagementSaïd Business School.

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

(b) Renaming of the Barnett Professorship of Comparative Social Policy and Politics

Explanatory Note

The following changes, made on the recommendation of the Social Sciences Division and the Department of Social Policy and Intervention, rename the professorship so that the name reverts to the Barnett Professorship of Social Policy (as it had been prior to a change in name approved for the duration of the tenure of the last postholder). The opportunity is also taken to remove outdated references.

Text of Regulations

1 In Council Regulations 3 of 2004, concerning the Employment of University Staff, delete 'Barnett Professor of Comparative Social Policy and Politics' and substitute 'Barnett Professor of Social Policy'.

2 In Council Regulations 24 of 2002, concerning individual professorships, delete existing regulation §310 and substitute (new text underlined, deleted text struck through):

'**§310.** Barnett Professor of Comparative Social Policy and Politics

1. The Barnett Professor of Comparative Social Policy and Politics shall undertake research, lecture and give instruction in Social Policy.

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

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

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

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

(4), (5) atwo persons appointed by Council;

(5), (6) two<u>one</u> persons appointed by the GeneralSocial Sciences Board;

(7)-(9) three persons appointed by the Board of the Faculty of Social Studies Department of Social Policy and Intervention.

3. The professor shall be subject to the General Provisions of the <u>decreeregulations</u> concerning the duties of professors and to those Particular Provisions of the same <u>decreeregulations</u>, which are applicable to this chair.'

(c) Renaming of a Professorship of Primary Care Health Sciences

Explanatory Note

A number of posts within Medical Sciences have been given the Nuffield prefix in acknowledgement of the continued receipt by the Medical Sciences Division's clinical departments of the income from Lord Nuffield's Medical Benefaction to the University, and the strategic significance of the subject area. It is now proposed one of the Professors of Primary Care Health Sciences be given a 'Nuffield' prefix. It is not proposed to rename the second Professorship at this time, and therefore the changes below separate the two Professorships in the regulations.

Text of Regulations

1 In Council Regulations 3 of 2004, concerning the Employment of University Staff, delete 'Professors (two) of Primary Care Health Sciences' and substitute 'Nuffield Professor of Primary Care Health Sciences'.

2 Ibid, insert 'Professor of Primary Care Health Sciences'.

3 In Council Regulations 24 of 2002, concerning individual professorships, delete existing §103 and substitute (new text underlined, deleted text struck through):

'**§103.** <u>Nuffield</u> Professorships (two) of Primary Care Health Sciences

1. The <u>Nuffield</u> Professors of Primary Care Health Sciences shall engage in advanced study and research and shall lecture and give instruction in Primary Health Care.

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

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

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

(3) a person appointed by the governing body of the college referred to in paragraph (2) above;

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

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

(10) a person holding a clinical appointment appointed by the Oxfordshire Primary Care Trust (or the relevant successor body in the NHS should that Trust cease to exist).

At least three members of the board, of whom one shall be a professor, shall hold clinical appointments.

3. The professors shall be subject to the General Provisions of the regulations concerning the duties of professors and to those Particular Provisions of the same regulations which are applicable to the Chair.' **4** Ibid, insert new §104 as follows and renumber existing §104 onwards by plus one:

'§104. Professor of Primary Care Health Sciences

1. The Professor of Primary Care Health Sciences shall engage in advanced study and research and shall lecture and give instruction in Primary Health Care.

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

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

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

(3) a person appointed by the governing body of the college referred to in paragraph (2) above;

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

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

(10) a person holding a clinical appointment appointed by the Oxfordshire Primary Care Trust (or the relevant successor body in the NHS should that Trust cease to exist).

At least three members of the board, of whom one shall be a professor, shall hold clinical appointments.

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

Congregation 15 January

Degree by Resolution

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Congregation

Declaration of approval of a Resolution authorising the use of space in the Robert Hooke Building

No notice of opposition having been given, the Vice-Chancellor declared the Resolution concerning the use of space in the Robert Hooke Building approved.

Council of the University

Register of Congregation

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

Adziman, MF, Lady Margaret Hall Brown, GF, Structural Genomics Consortium Chaney, EJ, St Antony's Desborough, MJR, Linacre Fawkner-Corbett. DW. Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine Gbinigie, O, Primary Care Health Sciences Hood, NR, IT Services Jenkins, DJ, IT Services Kahl, G, IT Services Kambalu, S, Magdalen Kerr, M, Medical Sciences Divisional Office Mittelstadt, BD, Oxford Internet Institute Neilly, JC, St Peter's Van Den Bremer, TS, Worcester Wainwright, RJD, Oriel Whitbourn, JPE, St Stephen's House Wymant, CM, Nuffield Department of Population Health

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1 March

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Social Sciences Divisional Board Board of the Faculty of Law Board of the Faculty of Philosophy

Details are in 'Elections' section below.

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Elections

Board of the Faculty of Philosophy

Details are in 'Elections' section below.

Note on procedures in Congregation

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

Consultative Notices

Permanent Private Hall Supervisory Committee

REVIEW OF REGENT'S PARK COLLEGE

The Permanent Private Hall (PPH) Supervisory Committee, which is appointed by Education Committee, has regulatory, monitoring and reporting functions in relation to the Permanent Private Halls. Under the University's agreement with the halls each of them is to be reviewed in turn over a period of six years. On 14 May the committee will conduct a review of Regent's Park College. The review will focus on issues coming within the PPH Supervisory Committee's terms of reference. These may be found here: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/ statutes/regulations/520-122ll.shtml.

The PPH Supervisory Committee would welcome written comments on any matters falling within the terms of reference. Written comments should be sent to the Secretary to the PPH Supervisory Committee, Rebecca Ehata, Education Policy Support, University Offices, Wellington Square, Oxford OX1 2JD (email: rebecca.ehata@admin.ox.ac.uk), by **20 April**.

University Preachers

Corrigendum:

The original listing of the sermon to be given by **Professor Judith Champ**, DDS, Oscott College, gave the incorrect venue. Professor Champ will deliver the Sermon on the Grace of Humility at 5.30pm on Sunday, 11 February, at Balliol.

General Notices

Revised EJRA Procedure

Following the report of the EJRA Review Group in 2016 (www.ox.ac.uk/sites/files/ oxford/Report%20of%20the%20EJRA%20 Review%20Group.pdf) and the decision of Congregation in May 2017 to make changes to Statute XIV and Council Regulations 3 of 2004 to enact the recommendations that the age of the EJRA be increased by one year to 30 September preceding the 69th birthday and that the coverage be limited to those in grade 8 and above, Council has approved a revised EJRA policy and procedure, which has been published on the Personnel Services website (www. admin.ox.ac.uk/personnel/end/retirement/ acrelretire8+/ejraproc).

The revised extensions procedure will apply to future applications for extended employment, with immediate effect. Those considering submitting an application are reminded that the deadline for applications is now normally two years prior to the EJRA date.

Supporting guidance on retirement and revised forms in support of the extensions procedure are currently being prepared and will be published shortly.

Appointments

Humanities

MERTON PROFESSORSHIP OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

Helen Small, BA (Hons) Victoria New Zealand, PhD Camb, Professor of English Literature, Faculty of English Language and Literature, and Jonathan and Julia Aisbitt Fellow in English Literature, Pembroke, has been appointed to the Merton Professorship of English Language and Literature in the Faculty of English Language and Literature with effect from 1 October 2018. Professor Small will be a fellow of Merton.

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

PROFESSORSHIP OF MATHEMATICAL FINANCE

Rama Cont, MSc Ecole Normale Supérieure Paris, MSc Habil Paris VI, PhD Paris XI, Diplom Ecole Polytechnique Paris, Professor of Mathematics and Chair in Mathematical Finance, Imperial College London, has been appointed to the Professorship of Mathematical Finance in the Mathematics Institute with effect from 1 July 2018. Professor Cont will be a fellow of St Hugh's.

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:

BLAVATNIK PROFESSORSHIP OF GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC POLICY

	Appointed by
Rector of Exeter, Pro-Vice-Chancellor	Vice-Chancellor ¹
Warden of Nuffield	ex officio
Professor B Ansell	Nuffield
Dr K Weaver	Council
Warden of Keble	Council
Professor S Whatmore	Social Sciences Division
Dean of Blavatnik School of Government	Blavatnik School of Government
Professor P Culpepper	Blavatnik School of Government
Professor R Henderson	Blavatnik School of Government

Revised composition of an Electoral Board

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

WYKEHAM PROFESSORSHIP OF ANCIENT HISTORY

	Appointed by
Master of St Catherine's (in the chair)	Vice-Chancellor ¹
Warden of New College	ex officio
Professor K O'Brien	Humanities
	Division
Dr S Cuomo	Classics Faculty
Professor T Reinhardt	Classics Faculty
Professor J Smith	History Faculty
Professor K Clarke	Council
Professor R Osborne	Council
Professor N Purcell	Council
Professor R Thomas	Council
Professor A Meadows	New College

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

Musical and other Events

Balliol

MUSICAL SOCIETY CONCERTS

The following concerts take place at 8.30pm on Sundays in the hall, unless otherwise noted. Free. All welcome. More information: http://users.ox.ac.uk/-ballmsoc.

21 Jan: **Antonio Galera Lopez**, piano: Granados, Chopin, de Falla

4 Feb: **Anna Dennis**, soprano, **Emma Abbate**, piano: Schumann, Debussy, Respighi, Mussorgsky, Britten

9 Feb, Lecture Room 23: Endellion lecture recital: additional concert (more details to come)

18 Feb: Members' Concert: works by Balliol members and friends

4 Mar: Sean Shibe, guitar: Bach, Villa-Lobos

Pembroke

RECITALS

All recitals will be held at 1.10pm in the Pichette Auditorium. Free.

23 Jan: Henry Chandler, violin, Guy Newbury, piano: Szymanowski, Strauss

30 Jan: George Needham, piano: Schubert

6 Feb: Johanna Harrison, soprano, Guy Newbury, piano: Vivaldi, JS Bach, Ireland, Gurney, Debussy, Poulenc

13 Feb: **Nicola Harrison**, mezzo-soprano and reciter, and friends: jazz trio

20 Feb: Sofia Kirwan-Baez, soprano, Alexander Wilson, piano: Debussy, Britten, de Falla

27Feb: Ken-Ee Choong, piano, Katalin Oldland, violin: JS Bach, Brahms, Rachmaninov

6 Mar: Sydney Gagliano, viola

St Hilda's

JACQUELINE DU PRÉ MUSIC BUILDING

The following events will take place at 7.30pm in the Jacqueline du Pré Music Building, unless otherwise noted. More information and to register: https://jdp.sthildas.ox.ac.uk/events.

1.15pm, 18 Jan: St Hilda's Lunchtime Recital Series

20 Jan: Opera performance composed by **Toby Young**, live-streamed via our website; pre-concert talk at 6.45pm 6pm, 22 Jan: Composer talk with **Steven Montague** as part of the LHN series; livestreamed via our website

11.30am and 2pm, 30 Jan: Moving Music for people living with dementia

4 Feb: Percussion Cushion Concerts with **Rozzy** and Mr Cello: 10am/11am under 5s; noon over 5s

7*Feb*: Soloists of Explore Ensemble perform in Rendezvous I: 'Space-time', livestreamed via our website, as part of the LHN series; composer talk by **John Croft** at 6pm

17 Feb: **Zoe Rahman** performs songs from her new album *Dreamland*, livestreamed via our website; pre-concert talk at 6.45pm

5.30pm, 19 Feb: DANSOX presents a film of Lynne Wake's *New Wave Ballet*

20 Feb: Steven Isserlis and Alexander Melnikov: contemporary Russian works

5.30pm, 1 Mar: Alastair Macaulay gives a DANSOX talk on Fred Astaire

4 Mar: Sir Robert Mayer's Concert features music from the Millbrook Ensemble: 2.30pm under 5s; 4pm over 5s

6pm, 13 Mar: Composer talk with **Marco Donnarumma** as part of the LHN series; livestreamed via our website

6pm, 14 Mar: the JdP's MASH New Music Marathon with Ensemble Isis: works by Howard Skempton and Marco Donnarumma; livestreamed via our website

St Stephen's House

SJE ARTS

The following events will be held at St John the Evangelist church, 109A Iffley Road. More information and tickets: www.sjeoxford.org/events or 01865 613507.

19 Jan: SJE Arts Next Generation Series: Ducasse Trio, clarinet, violin, piano: Khatchaturian, Stravinsky, Shostakovich, Bartók

24 Jan: Angela Hewitt, piano: JS Bach: The Well-tempered Clavier, Book I

Lectures

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Humanities

Faculty of History

Corrigendum:

HISTORY OF THE EXACT SCIENCES SEMINAR

These seminars will now be held at 5pm on Wednesdays in the Hovenden Room, All Souls, rather the time, day and venue originally published in the lectures supplement.

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

Department of Physics

OXFORD PHYSICS COLLOQUIA SERIES

The following lectures will be given at 3.30pm on Fridays in the Martin Wood Lecture Theatre, Clarendon Laboratory. Tea served afterward. All welcome.

Professor Bruno Leibundgut, TU Munich 26 Jan: 'Supernova 1987 - the first 30 years'

Professor David Sington, TV DOX 2Feb: 'Telling stories about science'

Professor Albert Fert, National Center for Scientific Research

9 Feb: 'When topology and spin-orbit coupling in low dimensions lead to novel directions in spintronics'

Professor Isabelle Baraffee, Exeter 16 Feb: 'A new generation of multidimensional stellar structure models'

Professor Jonathan Gregory, Reading and Met Office

23 Feb: 'Sea level change in the Anthropocene'

Dr Siddharth Ashok Parameswaran 2 Mar: 'Nodal semimetals: exploring "relativistic" fermions and quantum anomalies in solids'

Continuing Education

Graduate seminar programme in social sciences

Professor Philip McCann will give the following seminar at 5.15pm on 18 January in the Stopforth Metcalfe Room, Rewley House. Further details: www.conted.ox.ac. uk/events/view/the-economic-impacts-ofbrexit.

Subject: "The economic impacts of Brexit on the regions of the UK and the EU'

Colleges, Halls and Societies

Nuffield

The Networks Seminar, concerned with the analysis of social networks, will convene on Tuesdays (even weeks) at 5pm in the Butler Room, Nuffield. Individuals from all disciplines welcome. Those interested in presenting research should send an expression of interest to cohen.simpson@ oii.ox.ac.uk or laurin.weissinger@nuffield. ox.ac.uk/news-events/events-and-seminars/?category=1642. Conveners: Cohen R Simpson, Laurin Weissinger

Examinations for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

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Colleges, Halls and Societies

Obituaries

Worcester

Robert David Montgomerie, 17 April 2017; 1958. Aged 79. Nicholas Sandfield Pemberton, 2 January 2018; 1949. Aged 88. The lists of vacancies below include the names of those members whose terms of office are now coming to a close (thereby prompting the elections now advertised). This is for administrative purposes only (to better identify which places are due for election) and does not indicate the members' eligibility or willingness to stand for re-election. Current members who have already served two consecutive full terms are reminded to check if they must now stand down and may only stand for reelection after one full term has passed.

Elections

Call for nominations

The nomination period for the elections below will remain open until **4pm on 1 February**.

Divisional Boards

SOCIAL SCIENCES DIVISIONAL BOARD

- 1 member elected by and from the academic members of the School of Interdisciplinary Area Studies (SIAS), to hold office with immediate effect until MT 2019 [new position]*
- 1 member elected by and from the academic members of the Department of Sociology, to hold office with immediate effect until MT 2019 [new position]*

Notes:

*Under the regulations governing the composition of Divisional Boards, 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; (g) the Institute of Archaeology and Research Laboratory for Archaeology and the History of Art; (h) the Blavatnik School of Government'. The last units elected to this constituency were (i) the Department for International Development and (ii) the Oxford Internet Institute.

For further information about the Board, please contact the Secretary (catherine. paxton@socsci.ox.ac.uk).

Faculty Boards

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF LAW

 One Ordinary Member 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 hold office with immediate effect until MT 2019 [*vice* Lucinda A Ferguson, Oriel]

For further information about the Board, please contact the Secretary (charlotte. vinnicombe@law.ox.ac.uk).

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF PHILOSOPHY

 Three persons elected by and from the members of the Faculty of Philosophy, to hold office with immediate effect until MT 2019 [*vice* Professor Ursula Coope, Corpus Christi; Dr James Grant, Exeter; Professor Hilary Greaves, Merton]

For further information about the Board, please contact the Secretary (rachael. sanders@philosophy.ox.ac.uk).

General Notes:

Nominations in writing for the elections on 1 March, 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 1 February**.

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

All candidates are asked to note the general requirements which apply to all committee members, as set out in Council Regulations 14 of 2002 (General Regulations of Council for Committees) (www.admin.ox.ac.uk/ statutes/regulations/519-122.shtml). Current members seeking re-election are also asked to check for specific restrictions on consecutive service. For further information, please see the eligibility and amendments to nominations sections on the General Information page of the elections website (www.admin.ox.ac.uk/ elections/geninfo.shtml).

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, Candidates' statements will be available online www.admin.ox.ac.uk/elections and published in the *Gazette* dated 15 February. 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 1 March**.

If the number of nominations received by the closing date is no more than sufficient to fill the vacancies, the candidates nominated shall be deemed to be duly elected as of the close of the nomination period on Thursday, 1 February 2018. When required, places will be allocated according to academic standing, as defined in Council Regulations 22 of 2002, Part 2: Academic Precedence and Standing, made by Council on 26 June 2002.

If the number of nominations received by the closing date is less than sufficient to fill the vacancies, those candidates nominated will be deemed elected unopposed, and the remaining vacancies will lapse, in which case, in accordance with the regulations, the places must remain vacant until appointments are made jointly by the Vice-Chancellor and Proctors.

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

Elections	8 March

Call for nominations

The nomination period for the elections below will remain open until **4pm on 8 February**.

Faculty Boards

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF PHILOSOPHY

 One person elected by and from the members of the Faculty of Philosophy to hold office from Trinity term 2018 until MT 2019 [*vice* Dr Chris Timpson, Brasenose]

General Notes:

Nominations in writing for the elections on 8 March, 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 8 February**.

At least one nomination in respect of each candidate must be made on an official nomination form (available on www.admin. ox.ac.uk/elections/forms/index.shtml). All candidates are asked to note the general requirements which apply to all committee members, as set out in Council Regulations 14 of 2002 (General Regulations of Council for Committees) (www.admin.ox.ac. uk/ statutes/regulations/519-122.shtml). Current members seeking re-election are also asked to check for specific restrictions on consecutive service. For further information, please see the eligibility and amendments to nominations sections on the General Information page of the elections website (www.admin.ox.ac.uk/ elections/geninfo.shtml).

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In the event of a contested election, Candidates' statements will be available online at www.admin.ox.ac.uk/elections and published in the *Gazette* dated 22 February. 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 8 March**.

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Miscellaneous

Research Funding

ResearchProfessional.com is an online research funding opportunities database and alerting service. The University has a sitewide licence, so it is freely accessible to anyone with an ox.ac.uk email address. Find out more about ResearchProfessional.com, including user guides and training sessions, on the Research Services website (www.admin.ox.ac. uk/researchsupport/findfunding/rp).

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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, Manzil Way, Cowley Rd, Oxford OX4 1YH. All proceeds to Restore, Oxfordshire mental health charity (registered charity number 274222): www. restore.org.uk.

Oxford University Hospitals NHS Trust

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Research participants sought

The Brain 4 Maths study aims to reveal how the brain supports maths in children and young adults. It involves an MRI scan to collect brain images together with a session involving a series of puzzles. We are recruiting children aged 6, 10 and 14 - and first-year A-Level students. Participants receive a voucher as a thank you. Parents are compensated for their time. More information: laura.epton@ psy.ox.ac.uk, 01865 (2)71414 or http:// ow.ly/9Nf13Oc1U6N.

Want to contribute to scientific research

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Groups and societies

The Oxford University Newcomers' Club at the University Club, 11 Mansfield Rd, OX1 3SZ, welcomes the wives, husbands or partners of visiting scholars, of graduate students and of newly appointed academic and administrative members of the University. We offer help, advice, information and the opportunity to meet others socially. Informal coffee mornings are held in the club every Wednesday 10.30-12 (excluding the Christmas vacation). Newcomers with children (0-4) meet every Fri in term 10.15-11.45. We have a large programme of events including tours of colleges, museums and other places of interest. Other term-time activities include a book group, informal conversation group, garden group, antiques group, opportunity to explore Oxfordshire and an opportunities in Oxford group. Visit our website: www. newcomers.ox.ac.uk.

Oxford Research Staff Society (OxRSS)

is run by and for Oxford research staff. It provides researchers with social and professional networking opportunities, and a voice in University decisions that affect them. Membership is free and automatic for all research staff employed by the University of Oxford. For more information and to keep up to date, see: web: www.oxrss.ox.ac.uk; Facebook: http://fb.me/oxrss; Twitter: @ ResStaffOxford; mailing list: researchstaffsubscribe@maillist.ox.ac.uk.

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Houses to let

Furnished house to rent for academic year 2018-19. Suitable for visiting academic family. Quiet, detached, sunny, in north Oxford village within ring road. Near good local primary, secondary, private schools, local shop/post office, pubs, church, canal, river, playgrounds and Port Meadow. Well connected with bus/cycle routes. 3 bedrooms, 2 studies, 1.5 bathrooms, enclosed gardens, off-street parking, use of allotment, 2 polite resident cats. House swap considered. Rent negotiable, *c£2*,000 pm. Email: nicola.watson@open. ac.uk.

Spacious, detached, furnished family

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Accommodation offered

Graduate Accommodation Office

The Graduate Accommodation Office provides affordable accommodation to full-time graduate students of the University. Please see www.admin.ox.ac. uk/graduateaccommodation. Academic visitors, staff and part-time students may wish to register for Student Pad, a website where private landlords advertise for tenants associated with the University: www.oxfordstudentpad.co.uk.

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

Australian National University: Student Exchange

Australian National University; Student Exchange; open to graduate research students in any subject to undertake a period of study or research in Australia; travel grant to cover economy return travel and visa; 28 February; www.ox.ac. uk/students/fees-funding/international/ scholarships-exchanges/anu

Gladstone Memorial Trust: Travel Awards

Gladstone Memorial Trust; Travel Awards 2018; open to Oxford and Cambridge undergraduates not in their final year; to provide an opportunity to travel abroad and extend winners' knowledge of foreign countries; eight or more awards of up to £600 each; 5 February (interviews 5 March in London); www.gladstonememorialtrust. org

St Antony's: Wai Seng Senior Research Scholar in Asia-Pacific Studies

St Antony's; Wai Seng Senior Research Scholar in Asia-Pacific Studies; open to all matriculated DPhil students of the University in fields such as modern history, social sciences, education and human geography whose research involves the study of the Asia-Pacific; £9,000 maintenance grant; 2 March; www.sant. ox.ac.uk/sites/default/files/wai_seng_senior_ research_scholarship.pdf

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Centre for Criminology, Faculty of Law, in association with Green Templeton; Associate Professorship in Criminology; £46,336-£62,219; noon, 26 January; www. ox.ac.uk/about/jobs/academic/index/ ac26342j

Colleges, Halls and Societies

Exeter; non-stipendiary Visiting Fellowships 2018–19; noon, 12 February; www.exeter. ox.ac.uk/vacancies/visiting-fellowshipsnon-stipendiary

Oriel; Scout (20 hrs pw); £8.45 ph plus benefits; 19 January; www.oriel.ox.ac.uk/ people/vacancies/scout-0 Oriel; Night Porter; *c*£21,800 plus benefits; 22 January; www.oriel.ox.ac.uk/people/vacancies/night-porter

Pembroke; Academic Registrar; 31 January; www.pmb.ox.ac.uk/vacancies

Pembroke; Computing Technician; 30 January; www.pmb.ox.ac.uk/vacancies

Pembroke; part-time Centre Administrator, Oxford Changing Character of War Centre; 31 January; www.pmb.ox.ac.uk/vacancies

Pembroke; temporary part-time Development Data Research Assistant; 24 January; www.pmb.ox.ac.uk/vacancies

St Anne's; Database and Research Officer; £32,793; noon, 22 January; www.st-annes. ox.ac.uk/about/job-opportunities

St Catherine's; Academic Officer (Tutorial); noon, 25 January; www.stcatz.ox.ac.uk/ academicofficertutorial

St Hugh's; stipendiary Lecturer in English; £13,248; 4pm, 23 February; www.st-hughs. ox.ac.uk/discover/work-for-us/#

External Vacancies

Oxford Union; Librarian-in-Charge; 21 January; www.oxford-union.org/ vacancies

University of Cambridge; John Humphrey Plummer Professorship; 22 January; www. hr.admin.cam.ac.uk/professorships

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