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Council and Main Committees

Planning and Resource Allocation Committee of Council

Changes in Regulations

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

Barnett Professor of Social Policy

Explanatory Note

These changes, made on the recommendation of the Social Sciences Board and the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee of Council, update the regulations for the Barnett Professor of Social Policy to reflect current governance arrangements and remove outdated references.

Text of Regulations

In Sect III of Council Regulations 24 of 2002, concerning individual professorships, delete § 296 and substitute (new text underlined, deleted text struck through):

'§ 296. Barnett Professor of Social Policy

1. The Barnett Professor of Social Policy shall 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 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) a two persons appointed by Council;

(5), (6) two a persons appointed by the General Social 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 decreeregulations

concerning the duties of professors and to those Particular Provisions of the same decreeregulations which are applicable to this chair.'

Congregation 15 October

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Council of the University

Register of Congregation

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

Al-Mossawi, M H, Nuffield Department of Orthopaedics, Rheumatology and Musculoskeletal Sciences

Balbus, S A, New College

Barrett, J S, Wolfson

Benson, R B J, St Edmund Hall

Blanco, M D P, Trinity

Booth, P A, Trinity

Cartwright, J A, Jesus

Graham, A B, Jesus

Guerry, E D, Merton

Hoar, L M, Bodleian Accounts

Kennaway, J G, Faculty of History

McTague, J-J, St Peter's

Malmberg, L-E J, Faculty of Social Studies

Paine, D H, IT Services

Parrott, M T, St Catherine's

Poleg, E, Oriel

Service, H, Worcester

Singh, S, Nuffield Department of Orthopaedics, Rheumatology and Musculoskeletal Sciences

Sowerby, R S, Balliol

Stanyek, J E, St John's

Violet, A L, Worcester

Wall, J R N, Merton

Wheale, S J, Bodleian Special Collections

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Congregation 22 October

Degree by Resolution

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Congregation 13 November 2pm

The libraries and their future: topic for discussion

Members of Congregation may be aware from the Congregation webpages that a resolution concerning the libraries was received by the Registrar on 6 July 2012 (the text of the resolution can be found at www.ox.ac.uk/congregation-meeting).

As indicated in the most recent Council briefing note from the Vice-Chancellor (www.admin.ox.ac.uk/council/201112/vcbriefingforcouncilmeetingon9july2012), it had been planned to put the resolution on the agenda of the Congregation meeting on 16 October (week 2). However, following discussion with representatives acting on behalf of the signatories and subsequently at Council, it has been agreed that the proposed debate should be replaced by a Congregation Discussion on the topic of 'The libraries and their future'. This Discussion will take place at the Congregation meeting on 13 November (week 6).

As a consequence of this agreement, the resolution received on 6 July 2012 shall lapse, in accordance with regulation 3.21 of Congregation Regulations 2 of 2002 (www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/529-122a.shtml#_Toc28141440).

Arrangements for the meeting

Attendance at the meeting is open to members of Congregation and to nominated representatives of the Oxford University Student Union (OUSU) as agreed in advance by the Vice-Chancellor. Admittance to the Theatre will be on the production of a valid

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University card and will be on a first-come, first-served basis (places will be reserved for scheduled speakers). The doors of the Sheldonian Theatre will open at 1.45 pm.

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

Advance notice by speakers

Those wishing to speak at the meeting will be expected to limit their contributions to five minutes. As the meeting is expected to close by 4.30 pm, it may not be possible to call all those who wish to speak. If you wish to speak at the meeting, you are asked to indicate this intention in advance by emailing congregation.meeting@admin.ox.ac.uk. It would be helpful if members of Congregation intending to speak would explain briefly (in no more than 25 words) what issues they wish to cover. Names of those who have indicated a wish to speak, together with the issues they wish to raise, will be published on the Congregation website (www.ox.ac.uk/congregation-meeting). This sharing of information may be of use both to other speakers and to those considering attending; it will also be used to provide structure to the order in which speakers are called. Speakers are asked to provide their information as soon as possible, and by **10 am on Monday, 12 November**, at the latest, if they wish to be scheduled to speak. If time permits, those who have not indicated in advance an intention to speak will still be free to do so. The Vice-Chancellor will also invite two nominated representatives of OUSU to speak.

Transcript

It is intended that a transcript¹ of the meeting will be published in the *Gazette* on 22 November and, before then, on the University website (www.ox.ac.uk/congregation-meeting). It is also intended to make a downloadable recording¹ available on the same site. As a result of time constraints, it will not be possible to check the report of the proceedings with individual speakers before publication. Speakers are therefore asked to provide their written texts, if available, to Mr P Burns (Council Secretariat) on the

day of the meeting, or to email them to congregation.meeting@admin.ox.ac.uk by 5 pm on Wednesday, 14 November.

¹The transcript and recording may be edited for legal reasons.

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 Mr P Burns at the University Offices, Wellington Square (telephone: (2)70193; email: paul.burns@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

Invitation from Bodleian Libraries

CONSULTATION ON STRATEGIC PLAN (2013-17)

Bodleian Libraries are holding a number of meetings to consult with members of Congregation, students and other readers on its proposed Strategic Plan for 2013-17. The Strategic Plan, being developed in line with the University's strategic plan, is currently in draft format.

Details of event times and locations are below. Please note that the meeting on 24 October is intended principally as consultation with members of Congregation, while the 29 October meeting is intended for students and will be coordinated by OUSU. Please visit www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/strategicplanning2012 to access the current strategic plan and the proposed draft plan. For any queries, please email communications@bodleian.ox.ac.uk.

Congregation

11 am-1 pm, 24 Oct: Bernard Sunley
Lecture Theatre, St Catherine's

Students

5-7 pm, 29 Oct: Martin Wood Lecture
Theatre, Department of Physics

Graduate Awards and Prizes

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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:

WHITE'S PROFESSORSHIP OF MORAL PHILOSOPHY

	<i>Appointed by</i>
The Dean of Christ Church	Mr Vice-Chancellor ¹
Professor M Davies	The President of Corpus Christi Council
Professor C Fabre	Council
Professor B Herman	Council
Professor S West	Humanities Division
Professor R Crisp	Faculty of Philosophy
Professor T Irwin	Faculty of Philosophy
Professor S Scheffler	Faculty of Philosophy
Professor U Coope	Corpus Christi

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

Musical and other Events

Bodleian Libraries

OPEN ACCESS WEEK EVENTS AT OXFORD

The following events take place from 1.10–1.45 pm in the Entrance Hall Lounge, Radcliffe Science Library, unless otherwise noted.

22 Oct: **Oliver Bridle**, 'Y open? Issues in open access for generation Y scientists'

23 Oct: **Dr Amanda Burls**, 'Ethical aspects of open access in health research'

24 Oct: **Ruth Bird**, 'Open law: an international perspective'

24 Oct, Oxford eResearch Centre, 7.30 pm: **Wolfram Horstmann, Alena Ptak-Danchak, Neil Jefferies and Sally Rumsey**, 'Bodley's 'Republic of [Open] Letters'

25 Oct: **Sally Rumsey**, 'Disseminating your research using ORA and Symplectic'

26 Oct, noon: **Karine Barker**, 'A round-up of Open Access and Open Access Week'

26 Oct, RSL Training Room, 2 pm: 'Oxford Wikipedia Editathon: women in science' (a hands-on session following on from the Royal Society 'Women in Science Wikipedia Workshop on 19 October; book for this session at <http://courses.it.ox.ac.uk/detail/ENGR>)

Lectures

Humanities

Faculty of History

ANNUAL SPECIAL FACULTY LECTURE 2012

Professor Gareth Stedman Jones, Cambridge, will lecture at 5 pm on 22 October in the Examination Schools.

Subject: 'Marx and the village community'

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

Physical and Theoretical Chemistry Laboratory

BIOLOGICAL PHYSICS AND SOFT MATTER SEMINARS

The following seminars will be given on Tuesdays at 4 pm in the Martin Wood Lecture Theatre, Clarendon Laboratory. All welcome. Conveners: Professor R Golestanian and Professor A Turberfield

Professor Robijn Bruinsma, UCLA and the Netherlands

23 Oct: to be confirmed

Professor David Bensimon, Paris

6 Nov: 'Are bacteria playing tit-for-tat?'

Professor Judy Armitage

20 Nov: to be confirmed

SOFT MATTER, BIOMATERIALS AND INTERFACES SEMINARS

The following seminars will be given on Tuesdays at 4 pm in the John Rowlinson Seminar Room (PTCL). All welcome. Conveners: Dr R P A Dullens and Professor J Yeomans

Professor Rodrigo Soto, Chile

30 Oct: 'Fluctuations, phase transitions, and capillary phenomena in confined granular matter'

Professor Björn Högberg, Stockholm

13 Nov: 'Design challenges in DNA origami for biomedicine'

Professor Sylvie Roke, Switzerland

27 Nov: 'The origin of the charge on the surface of water: impurities, OH or charge transfer?'

Colleges, Halls and Societies

Nuffield

CENTRE FOR EXPERIMENTAL SOCIAL SCIENCES (CESS) SEMINAR SERIES

The following seminars will be given at 5 pm on Tuesdays in the Butler Room, Nuffield.

Professor Ulrike Malmendier, Berkeley
23 Oct: 'Experience effects - learning from inflation, stock market and other macroeconomic shocks'

Professor Arno Riedl, Maastricht
30 Oct: 'Coordination in public good problems with heterogeneous populations: on the focality and multiplicity of fairness ideals'

St Antony's

MIDDLE EAST CENTRE: WOMEN'S RIGHTS RESEARCH SEMINARS

The following seminars will be given at 12.45 pm on Wednesdays at the Middle East Centre Library, St Antony's. A light lunch will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Contact: Binesh Hass (binesh.hass@law.ox.ac.uk).

Dörthe Engelcke

24 Oct: 'Family law reform in Morocco and Jordan - a comparative approach'

Parinaz Raisi, KCL

21 Nov: 'Islamic jurisprudence and the internal sources of women's rights in Iran'

Other Institutions

Oxfordshire Mind

Michael Sheen, actor, will lecture on behalf of Oxfordshire Mind (oxfordshire-mind.org.uk) at 5 pm on 26 October in the Taylor Institution. Tickets available on the door: £5 (£3 concessions).

Subject: 'Acting and cinema'

Examinations and Boards

Examinations for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

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Colleges, Halls and Societies

Obituaries

Lady Margaret Hall

Pamela Currie, 1 September 2012;
MA, Fellow and Tutor in German
1966–2000, Emeritus Fellow 2000–12.
Aged 71.

Merton

The Revd Arthur John Franklyn Dulley,
17 August 2012; Postmaster 1950.
Aged 80.

St Hilda's

Christine Joy Laing (*née* Canaway),
8 June 2012; 1955. Aged 75.
Margaret Ellen Joyce Weldhen,
11 September 2012; Exhibitioner 1945.
Aged 87.

St Hugh's

Dr Andrzej Duraliski, October 2012; 1987.
Aged 50.

Elections

Lady Margaret Hall

TO OFFICIAL FELLOWSHIPS

Dr Aziz Aboobaker, MA Camb, PhD Edin,
Genetics (from 1 October 2012)
Dr Brian Bell, BA Newc, MPhil DPhil Oxf,
Economics (from 1 October 2012)
Dr Amin Benaissa, BA Yale, MSt DPhil
Oxf, Classics (from 1 September 2012)
Dr Philip Biggin, BSc Sur, DPhil Oxf,
Biochemistry (from 1 March 2012)
Dr Gianluca Gregori, MS Bologna, MS
PhD Minnesota, Physics (from
1 October 2012)
Dr Sophie Ratcliffe, MA Camb, MPhil
DPhil Oxf, English (from 1 October 2012)

TO A PROFESSORIAL FELLOWSHIP

Professor Robert Stevens, BCL MA Oxf,
Herbert Smith Professor of English
Private Law (from 1 August 2012)

TO A SUPERNUMERARY FELLOWSHIP

Dr Elizabeth Price, MA RCA, PhD Leeds,
Fine Art (from 1 October 2012)

TO RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

Dr Kirsten McConnachie, LLB Glas, LLM
Nott, PhD Belf, Joyce Pearce Junior
Research Fellow in Development
Studies (for 3 years from 1 September
2012)
Ms Emily Paddon, BA Brown, MPhil
Oxf, Rose Junior Research Fellow in
International Relations (for 2 years from
1 September 2012)

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Miscellaneous

Vintage toys needed

Vintage toys, puzzles and games needed for a charity Christmas sale and auction in aid of Helen and Douglas House. No plastic, war toys, books or model railways. Can be 'playworn' but must be in reasonable condition and all games complete. The older the better! We can collect. Please ring Mrs Thomas: 01865 510650.

Piano

Looking for long-term home for Bechstein grand piano due to living abroad, recently restored, delivery free of charge, please contact malpasanna@gmail.com.

Research participants sought

Psychology Experiment: Rituals Study. Researchers at the Centre for Anthropology and Mind are looking for volunteers to participate in a 2-part study on ritual participation. This experiment, run in collaboration with the Department of Psychology, Royal Holloway, aims to examine the meaning of a recently documented ritual, and also the psychological processes involved in ritual participation more generally. The experiment will run over 2 sessions, each lasting 25–40 minutes, involving performing a ritual, filling out questionnaires and participating in a resource allocation task. Volunteers will be paid £15 plus additional payment based on performance in the resource allocation task. For further information and to sign up contact Jonathan Jong: jonathan.jong@anthro.ox.ac.uk.

Have you suffered from depression in the past? Researchers at the Department of Psychiatry are conducting a study on how a new drug treatment affects memory, concentration, ability to learn and how we think. We would like to hear from you if you have suffered from depression and are now feeling better, are aged 25–55, right-handed, a non- or light smoker (less than 5 cigarettes/day) and able to attend 7 visits over 9 weeks. You will be paid a fee for your time and reasonable travel expenses. If you are interested please contact: 07823 880972, 01865 223610 or learningandmemory@psych.ox.ac.uk.

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Situations vacant

Quarterly arts magazine - freelance editor. Niche quarterly visual arts magazine (artists' prints/printmaking) is looking for a freelance managing and commissioning editor who has the ability to build contacts, has an eye for detail and is computer literate with good copywriting skills. Experience of illustrated publishing and designer/printer liaison desirable. Please email CV and other details to Nick Gingell: nick_gingell@cellopress.co.uk.

The Woolf Institute invites applications for position of Academic Director of the Centre for the Study of Muslim-Jewish Relations. The field of specialisation is open. We would welcome candidates engaged in 1 or more of these research areas: medieval, Ottoman or Mediterranean history; diversity in Europe;

Middle East politics; and the comparative study of law, culture and religion. Successful candidate must demonstrate ability to teach at postgraduate level within Faculty of Middle East and Asian Studies at University of Cambridge. Successful candidate expected to know at least Arabic and preferably another relevant Middle Eastern or European language. Salary negotiable. Please submit cover letter, CV, 1 sample publication and names of 2 referees to Tina Steiner: bs411@cam.ac.uk. Deadline for applications: 23 Nov, with first-round interviews held 6 Dec. Position initially for 3 years, with potential for renewal. Questions welcomed and should be addressed to Dr Shana Cohen: sc736@cam.ac.uk. Web: www.woolf.cam.ac.uk/news/detail.asp?ItemID=548.

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Accommodation sought

My wife and I are looking for either a flat or house to rent from early Jan to end of Mar. We are a Canadian academic couple in our late 60s, non-smokers, and are excellent tenants. Local (Oxford) references available. Please contact: Professor Michael Mackey, michael.mackey@mcgill.ca, www.medicine.mcgill.ca/physio/mackeylab.

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University of Oxford

Faculty of Classics; 9-month Departmental Lecturer in Greek History; £29,249-£35,938; noon, 5 November; www.recruit.ox.ac.uk (vacancy ID 104944)

Faculty of Philosophy; White's Professorship of Moral Philosophy; 10 December; www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/jobs/fp

Department of Social Policy and Intervention; Barnett Professorship of Social Policy; 19 November; www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/jobs/fp

Colleges, Halls and Societies

Merton; stipendiary Lecturership in French (1 January-30 June 2013); £12,257 plus benefits; noon, 2 November; www.merton.ox.ac.uk/vacancies/index.shtml or academic.administrator@merton.ox.ac.uk

Queen's; 5-year College Career Development Fellowship in Law; noon, 16 November; www.queens.ox.ac.uk/about-queens/vacancies

St Antony's; 5-year Aung San Suu Kyi Senior Research Fellow in Modern Burmese Studies; £42,883-£57,581; 28 November; www.sant.ox.ac.uk/people/vacancies

Wolfson; stipendiary JRF in Socio-legal Studies; 4 pm, 1 November; www.wolfson.ox.ac.uk/fellowships

Wolfson; Chef de partie; £16,998; 19 October; www.wolfson.ox.ac.uk/vacancies

External Vacancies

University of Cambridge; Vere Harmsworth Professorship of Imperial and Naval History; 5 December; www.admin.cam.ac.uk/offices/academic/secretary/professorships

Churchill College, Fitzwilliam College, Murray Edwards College, Selwyn College and Trinity Hall, Cambridge; stipendiary Junior Research Fellowships 2013; 18 November; www.chu.cam.ac.uk/applying/fellows/jrf

Darwin College, Cambridge; Moses and Mary Finley Research Fellowship (Ancient History); 7 January; <http://dcsa.dar.cam.ac.uk/node/161> or jg323@cam.ac.uk

Darwin College, Cambridge; non-stipendiary Research Fellowships; 5 November; <http://dcsa.dar.cam.ac.uk/node/161> or jg323@cam.ac.uk

Darwin College, Cambridge; Schlumberger Research Fellowship (in Chemistry, Physics, Geophysics, Mathematics, Engineering (including Chemical Engineering), Biosciences and Materials Science); 5 November; <http://dcsa.dar.cam.ac.uk/node/161> or jg323@cam.ac.uk

Wolfson College, Cambridge; 1-year renewable non-stipendiary Junior Research Fellowships from 1 October 2013; midnight, 31 October; www.wolfson.cam.ac.uk/applying/jrf

Wolfson College, Cambridge; College Archivist and Records Manager; £23,888-£26,150 pro rata (0.4 FTE); noon, 5 November; www.wolfson.cam.ac.uk/jobs

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