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# Council and Main Committees

## Congregation

12 June

### Elections

For results of the elections for Council and the Visitors of the Ashmolean Museum, see 'Elections' section below.

## Congregation

17 June

### (1) Declaration of Approval of the deprivation of a graduate of a degree

### (2) Declaration of Approval of Resolutions authorising the use of space at the Old Road Campus

### (3) Declaration of Approval of Resolution authorising the temporary use of space in Beaver House (Hythe Bridge Street)

### (4) Declaration of Approval of Resolutions authorising expenditure from the Higher Studies Fund

No notice of opposition having been given, Mr Vice-Chancellor declared approved the deprivation of a graduate of a degree and the resolutions authorising the use of space at the Old Road Campus, the temporary use of space in Beaver House (Hythe Bridge Street) and the expenditure from the Higher Studies Fund.

## Council of the University

### Register of Congregation

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

**Brown, G D**, Balliol  
**Cook, J R**, Department of Primary Care Health Sciences  
**Dong, T**, Trinity  
**East, A K**, St Hugh's  
**Harris, S**, RDM Department of Clinical Laboratory Sciences  
**Herring, S L**, Legal Services Office  
**Jefferys, J G R**, Faculty of Biochemistry  
**Jithesh, P V**, RDM Department of Clinical Laboratory Sciences  
**Kelleher, J T**, Wellcome Trust Centre for Human Genetics  
**Landström, C**, Faculty of Anthropology and Geography  
**Morley, D P**, Faculty of Clinical Medicine  
**Nellaker, C**, Faculty of Physiological Sciences  
**Nicholas, B W**, Merton  
**Rizos, E**, Keble

# Congregation

## Congregation

25 June

### Encaenia: Honorary Degrees

#### DOCTOR OF DIVINITY

**The Most Reverend Dr Katharine Jefferts Schori**, PhD, Presiding Bishop and Primate of the Episcopal Church in the United States of America and sixteen other nations

#### DOCTOR OF LETTERS

**Sir Anish Kapoor**, CBE, RA, artist and sculptor, Turner Prizewinner, Honorary Fellow of the Royal Institute of British Architects

**Mr Robert Silvers**, BA Chicago, editor and co-founder of the *New York Review of Books*, Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, Honorary Fellow of the British Academy

#### DOCTOR OF SCIENCE

**Professor Jean-Marie Lehn**, PhD, Honorary Professor of Chemistry, Collège de France, Emeritus Professor, University of Strasbourg, Nobel Prizewinner in Chemistry, Honorary Fellow of the Royal Society of Chemistry, member of the Académie des Sciences, Foreign Associate of the National Academy of Sciences of the USA

#### DOCTOR OF MUSIC

**Sir Harrison Birtwistle**, CH, RAM (Hon FRAM), composer, Visiting Professor at the Royal Academy of Music

¶ Professor Wallace Broecker is no longer able to attend the Encaenia to be held on 25 June.

### 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](http://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](mailto: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](mailto:elections.office@admin.ox.ac.uk)).

# Notices

## Consultative Notices

### Socially Responsible Investment Review Committee

#### STATEMENT ON THE FOSSIL FUEL DIVESTMENT CAMPAIGN

The Socially Responsible Investment Review Committee (SRIRC) is considering a representation from Oxford University Student Union (OUSU) for divestment from all fossil fuel investments held by Oxford University Endowment Management (OUem) on behalf of Oxford University. For the text of the SRIRC's full notice and OUSU's resolution, see [www.admin.ox.ac.uk/councilsec/governance/committees/srirc/srircstatementonthefossilfueldivestmentcampaign](http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/councilsec/governance/committees/srirc/srircstatementonthefossilfueldivestmentcampaign) or *Gazette* No 5057, 24 April 2014.

The SRIRC is responsible for forming an opinion on the question of socially responsible investment that the divestment resolution raises and for advising Council accordingly. At its meeting on 6 March 2014, the SRIRC began detailed discussions on this subject and invites interested parties to submit evidence or views:

- that might inform the committee's consideration of the question of possible divestment from companies 'that participate in exploration for and/or extraction of fossil fuel reserves'; and/or
- on whether there are alternative ways in which the University should engage in the debate about climate change.

The SRIRC will review submissions at its next meeting on 2 July 2014, and will publish a summary of the views received on its website, ensuring that such views are given proper consideration in the eventual recommendation that is made to Council.

Interested parties should send their submissions to [fossilfuelsconsultation@admin.ox.ac.uk](mailto:fossilfuelsconsultation@admin.ox.ac.uk). The deadline for submissions is **23 June**.

## General Notices

### Bodleian Libraries

#### MOVES OF SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

The Bodleian Libraries are completing their renovation of the New Bodleian building, which will reopen to readers and researchers as the Weston Library – the new home for the Bodleian's special collections. The facility will open in phases from late September 2014.

When the reading rooms transfer, many collections will take longer to reach reading rooms than normal. **Readers intending to visit the Bodleian to consult special collections should plan carefully to ensure relevant material is made available for their visit.**

Lists of transferred and readily accessible collections will be published on the website [www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/weston-moves](http://www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/weston-moves) as the moves progress. For further information please email [access.sc@bodleian.ox.ac.uk](mailto:access.sc@bodleian.ox.ac.uk), telephone 01865 277046 or see notice in *Gazette* No 5062, 5 June 2014, p525.

## Appointments

### Humanities

#### DEAN IRELAND'S PROFESSORSHIP OF THE EXEGESIS OF HOLY SCRIPTURE

**Markus Bockmuehl**, BA British Columbia, MA Oxf, MCS MDiv Regent College, Canada, PhD Camb, Professor of Biblical and Early Christian Studies and Fellow and Tutor, Keble, has been appointed to the Dean Ireland's Professorship of the Exegesis of Holy Scripture in the Faculty of Theology and Religion with effect from 1 October 2014. Professor Bockmuehl will be a fellow of Keble.

#### KHALID BIN ABDULLAH AL SAUD PROFESSORSHIP FOR THE STUDY OF THE CONTEMPORARY ARAB WORLD

**Marilyn L Booth**, BA Harvard, DPhil Oxf, Iraq Professor of Arabic and Islamic Studies, Islamic and Middle Eastern Studies, School of Languages, Literatures and Cultures, University of Edinburgh, and Joint Director, Centre for the Advanced Study of the Arab World, Universities of Durham, Edinburgh and Manchester, has been appointed to the Khalid bin Abdullah Al Saud Professorship for the Study of the Contemporary Arab World in the Faculty of Oriental Studies with effect from 1 September 2014 and full time from 1 June 2015. Professor Booth will be a fellow of Magdalen.

## Musical and other Events

### Botanic Garden

#### DROP-IN SESSIONS

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*5 Jul:* Alice Day Picnic Afternoon. Roots, flowers and fruits picnic afternoon: all activities will be root-associated, for this year's 'Underground' Alice Day. Bring a picnic.

*26 Jul:* Flower Power Picnic Afternoon. Music, crafts/growing activity and exploration to find our most beautiful blooms. Bring a picnic.

*9 Aug:* Fruits and Vegetables Picnic Afternoon. Music, crafts/growing activity and exploration to find our fruit and vegetables. Bring a picnic.

*23 Sept, 10.30am–12.30pm:* Super Sunflowers. See our sunflowers at their best, craft/growing activity, story time. Mini tour and more. For under 5s.

### TORCH/Nuffield Department of Population Health

#### PUBLIC HEALTH FILM FESTIVAL

*27–29 Jun:* showcase of film screenings, talks, workshops and social events at the Phoenix Cinema and the Radcliffe Humanities Building. The festival includes a special family day for all ages. Tickets: £2–7. For further details see: [www.torch.ox.ac.uk](http://www.torch.ox.ac.uk).

## Exhibitions

### Bodleian Library

*until 29 Jun:* Reading the Word: the first complete English Bible. Free. A selection of manuscripts from the Wycliffite Bible.

*until 2 Nov:* The Great War: personal stories from Downing Street to the trenches. Free. Letters and diaries of politicians, soldiers and civilians, all in some way connected to Oxford, relating contemporary experiences of the Great War.

# Examinations and Boards

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## Supplication for the Degree of Doctor of Science

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## Examinations for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

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# Elections

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## Election results

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12 June

### Council (Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences and Medical Sciences Divisions)

*Election of one member of Council (from members of the faculties in the Divisions of Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences and of Medical Sciences)*

On Thursday, 12 June, the following was duly elected to Council to hold office until MT 2018:

**Helen McShane**, BSc MB BS PhD Lond,  
Faculty of Clinical Medicine

[The votes recorded were: for Professor McShane, 732; and for Professor Wooldridge, 290.]

### Council (non-divisional)

*Election of one member of Council (not necessarily being a member of any division and not in any case being nominated in a divisional capacity)*

On Thursday, 12 June, the following was duly elected to Council to hold office until MT 2018:

**Anne E Trefethen**, PhD RMCS Cranfield,  
Fellow of St Cross, Faculty of Computer Sciences

[The votes recorded were: for Canon Maltby, 502; and for Professor Trefethen, 564.]

### Board of Visitors of the Ashmolean Museum

*Election of two Visitors of the Ashmolean Museum*

On Thursday, 12 June, the following were duly elected to the Board of Visitors of the Ashmolean Museum to hold office until MT 2018:

**Craig Clunas**, MA Camb, PhD Lond,  
Fellow of Trinity, Faculties of History and of Oriental Studies

**Sir Mark Jones**, BA Oxf, MA Lond, Master of St Cross

[The votes recorded were: for Professor Clunas, 492; for Mr Handa, 341; for Sir Mark Jones, 517; and for Dr Leith Spencer, 485.]

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### Accommodation sought

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**Burgundy (Vézelay):** old and spacious house available for short lets in heart of medieval town, close to 12th-century basilica. Excellent walking country. Also cycling, riding, kayaking, etc. Within Morvan National Park. Flexible rates. Suitable for a couple, for family holidays and for groups of up to 12. See pictures and more information at [www.gitevezelay.co.uk](http://www.gitevezelay.co.uk).

Contact: [jessica0407@talktalk.net](mailto:jessica0407@talktalk.net) or 07980 305775.

**North Yorkshire coast.** Comfortable Georgian house available for holiday lets in Robin Hood's Bay. Large garden, sea views, c/h, private parking. Sleeps 9+ but rates adjusted for couples and small parties. Fully equipped kitchen, dining room and large comfortable sitting room. 3 bedrooms (1 en suite), family bathroom and further small sitting room on first floor. 2 further bedrooms and bathroom on second floor. Contact Val Everton: 07592 590727; [val.everton@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:val.everton@yahoo.co.uk).

**Delightful character cottage** to sleep 6 in the heart of village in Poitevin Marsh, western France. 40 mins to La Rochelle and Atlantic beaches. Private punt, canoe and 2 bikes available to explore fascinating and unusual local area. Availability Jun, last week Jul and all of Sept/Oct. Reasonable rates eg Jun/Sept weeks £495. Contact Linda Eaton on 0033962 332531 or at [linda.eaton@orange.fr](mailto:linda.eaton@orange.fr). See more info at [www.arcais.com](http://www.arcais.com).

**France: Sospel, Maritime Alps.** Unique wooden chalet on large private property near Mercantour National Park. Newly refurbished by local artisan. Ideal spot for nature lovers and hikers; major hiking trail departs from house. Large terrace with panoramic views over valley. Sleeps 2, equipped with small kitchenette, shower, WC. 45 km from Nice, 15 km from Menton and Monaco. Available from £325 pw; email [sarah.norodom@classics.ox.ac.uk](mailto:sarah.norodom@classics.ox.ac.uk) for photos and details.

**Apartment for 2 in Perigordine,** house near Villereal, France, available Jul and Aug, for a month let. See: [www.douce-france-rental.com](http://www.douce-france-rental.com). Tel: +33553365340.

**Naples,** charming and spacious (90sq m) apartment sleeping 4/6 on second floor of traditional building in popular area (10m to central station and trains for archaeological sites). 2 double bedrooms, living room with double sofa bed, dining room, small kitchen, shower room. Furnished in eclectic style mixing antique with retro and modern. Available all year, €600 pw (including linen and weekly housekeeping). For information: [mariasalerno@noos.fr](mailto:mariasalerno@noos.fr).

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# Notifications of Prizes, Grants and Funding

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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](http://www.ox.ac.uk/feesandfunding).

## Matthew Arnold Memorial Prize 2015

Faculty of English Language and Literature; Matthew Arnold Memorial Prize 2015; essay subject: 'She turns back a page, and with more confidence, attempting the seductive, varied tone of a storyteller entrancing a child, begins again. "The sea is calm tonight. The tide is full, the moon lies fair upon the straits – on the French coast the light gleams and is gone."': Ian McEwan, *Saturday*; prize will not be awarded more than once to the same person; open to graduate students; £750; 2 March 2015; [www.english.ox.ac.uk/news-events/prizes-and-studentships](http://www.english.ox.ac.uk/news-events/prizes-and-studentships)

## Chancellor's English Essay Prize 2015

Faculty of English Language and Literature; Chancellor's English Essay Prize 2015; essay subject: To err is human; open to members of the University who on the closing date for receipt of essays have not exceeded four years from the date of their matriculation; prize will not be awarded twice to the same person; £250; 9 March 2015; [www.english.ox.ac.uk/news-events/prizes-and-studentships](http://www.english.ox.ac.uk/news-events/prizes-and-studentships)

## Lord Alfred Douglas Memorial Prize 2015

Faculty of English Language and Literature; Lord Alfred Douglas Memorial Prize 2015; for the best sonnet or other poem written in English and in strict rhyming metre; open to any member of the University registered for a degree of the University; no author may submit more than three entries and the prize will not be awarded more than once to the same person; £500; 27 April 2015; [www.english.ox.ac.uk/news-events/prizes-and-studentships](http://www.english.ox.ac.uk/news-events/prizes-and-studentships)

# Notifications of Vacancies

## Sir Roger Newdigate Prize 2015

Faculty of English Language and Literature; Sir Roger Newdigate Prize 2015; subject of the prize: Shakespeare's Birthday; for the best composition in English verse not exceeding 300 lines; open to undergraduate students who on the closing date of receipt of entries have not exceeded four years from the date of their matriculation; c£450; 9 March 2015; [www.english.ox.ac.uk/news-events/prizes-and-studentships](http://www.english.ox.ac.uk/news-events/prizes-and-studentships)

## Shelley-Mills Prize 2015

Faculty of English Language and Literature; Shelley-Mills Prize 2015; subject of the prize: Shakespeare's Languages; open to undergraduate students; c£80; 9 March 2015; [www.english.ox.ac.uk/news-events/prizes-and-studentships](http://www.english.ox.ac.uk/news-events/prizes-and-studentships)

## English Poem on a Sacred Subject 2016

Faculty of English Language and Literature; English Poem on a Sacred Subject 2016; subject of the prize: 'As rivers of water in a dry place, as the shadow of a great rock in a weary land' (Isa 32.2); for the best composition in blank verse or in any other form of verse rhymed in couplets and stanzas of not less than 60 and not more than 300 lines; open to members of the University who on the closing date for entries for the competition shall have qualified by examination for a degree of the University, or shall hold the degree of MA by incorporation, by decree or by resolution, or shall hold MA status, or shall have qualified by examination for a degree of any other university; c£2,000; Monday of 8th week, Trinity term 2016; [www.english.ox.ac.uk/news-events/prizes-and-studentships](http://www.english.ox.ac.uk/news-events/prizes-and-studentships)

## Hastings-Rashdall Graduate Scholarship

New College; Hastings-Rashdall Graduate Scholarship; open to postgraduate students in any subject who are able to contribute to the liturgy of the college chapel and to assist the Dean of Divinity in raising the profile of the chapel among students; 15 July; [www.new.ox.ac.uk/job-vacancies](http://www.new.ox.ac.uk/job-vacancies) or [nancy-jane.rucker@new.ox.ac.uk](mailto:nancy-jane.rucker@new.ox.ac.uk)

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## Colleges, Halls and Societies

Hertford; Admissions Officer; £23,585-£30,728; 9 July; [www.hertford.ox.ac.uk/about/vacancies](http://www.hertford.ox.ac.uk/about/vacancies)

New College; Clerk of Works; £43,745-£55,375; noon, 11 July; [www.new.ox.ac.uk/clerk-works](http://www.new.ox.ac.uk/clerk-works)

Oriel; PA to the Provost; £30,000-£35,000; 7 July; [www.oriel.ox.ac.uk/content/other-staff-vacancies](http://www.oriel.ox.ac.uk/content/other-staff-vacancies)

Queen's; Schools Liaison, Outreach and Recruitment Officer; grade 6; noon, 11 July; [www.queens.ox.ac.uk/about-queens/vacancies](http://www.queens.ox.ac.uk/about-queens/vacancies)

Trinity; Access and Undergraduate Admissions Officer; 18 July; [www.trinity.ox.ac.uk](http://www.trinity.ox.ac.uk)

Trinity; Graduate and Academic Administrator; 21 July; [www.trinity.ox.ac.uk](http://www.trinity.ox.ac.uk)

Wolfson; Database and Alumni Relations Officer; £21,000-£24,000; 27 June; [www.wolfson.ox.ac.uk/vacancies](http://www.wolfson.ox.ac.uk/vacancies)

## External Vacancies

Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge; 1-year fixed-term career development College Teaching Officer in English; 1 July; [www.cai.cam.ac.uk/vacancies](http://www.cai.cam.ac.uk/vacancies)

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