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Council of the University

Register of Congregation

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

Badman, NJR, Exeter MacLennan, KM, IT Services O'Connor, JD, Blackfriars

Congregation

26 November

Elections

CONTESTED ELECTIONS:

Council

Board of the Faculty of Oriental Studies

Details are in 'Elections' section below.

Note on procedures in Congregation

¶ 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); 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).

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. Notices sent to the University Offices may not be received.

General Notices

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.

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University Calendar 2020-21

The online version of the 2020–21 *University Calendar* has been published at https://gazette.web.ox.ac.uk/university-calendar. It will be updated on a termly basis.

The print version will be published later in Michaelmas term. Because the *Calendar* is now available online to all staff, and because many copies of the *Calendar* were being printed needlessly, we are continuing to restrict print distribution to those individuals who are unable to access the online edition. All library copies will still be printed and distributed.

Lectures

Examinations and Boards

Institutes, Centres and Museums

Oxford University Museum of Natural History

Steve Backshall, wildlife presenter and explorer, will present a live, interactive puzzle in the museum at 7pm on 4 December. More information: www. oumnh.ox.ac.uk/mystery-at-the-museum. Subject: 'Mystery at the museum'

Examinations for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

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Colleges, Halls and Societies

Elections

Obituaries

Merton

Paul Michael Rowe, 18 May 2020; 1995. Aged 42.

St Hugh's

Jennifer Scanlan (*née* Michael); 3 November 2020; 1950. Aged 88. Dame Rachel Waterhouse (*née* Franklin); 14 October 2020; 1941. Aged 97.

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.

Eligible voters were sent an email with further instructions on Tuesday, 10 November. The email from CES Votes contains 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 longstanding 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 Screaton, 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 genderspecific 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:

 $[No\, candidate\, statement\, received]$

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New College; Todd-Bird non-stipendiary Junior Research Fellowship in Clinical Medicine; 10 December; https://isw. changeworknow.co.uk/new_college_oxford/ vms/e/careers/search/new

New College; Herbert Nicholas Junior Research Fellowship in Politics; 14 December; https://isw.changeworknow. co.uk/new_college_oxford/vms/e/careers/ search/new

New College; Juliana Cuyler Matthews Junior Research Fellowship in Modern Languages; 11 January; https://isw. changeworknow.co.uk/new_college_oxford/ vms/e/careers/search/new Queen's; Associate Professorship (or Professorship) in Black British History, c1900-present; 14 December; www.queens. ox.ac.uk/vacancies

St Hilda's; Tutorial Fellow and Associate Professor of World Literatures in English; 22 January; www.sthildas.ox.ac.uk/content/ vacancies

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