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## Council and Main Committees

## **Congregation**

**Congregation** 

30 October

#### (1) Declaration of Approval of a Resolution authorising the extension of an existing space allocation in the Alden Press Annexe to the University Museums

No notice of opposition or request for adjournment having been received, the Chair declared the resolution approved.

## (2) Voting on a Resolution concerning the University's Strategic Plan 2018-23

A meeting took place on 30 October to formally put the resolution concerning the Strategic Plan to Congregation. A transcript of the meeting will be published in a future *Gazette* and on the Congregation website.

For the text of the resolution and explanatory note, please see *Gazette* No 5217, 11 October 2018, p75.

#### **Council of the University**

#### **Register of Congregation**

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

Agorastakis, O, Faculty of Clinical Medicine Hirons, M A, St Antony's Kaminski, M, Faculty of Computer Science Lei, M, Keble Marginson, S W, Linacre Oliveras Menor, I, Oriel Richards, L, Sociology Valvo, S, Kennedy Institute of Rheumatology

#### **Congregation**

5 November

#### **Degree by Resolution**

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#### Congregation

13 November

¶ Members of Congregation are reminded that any two members may, not later than **noon on 5 November**, give notice in writing to the Registrar that they wish to speak or intend to ask a question concerning the Vice-Chancellor's Oration (see the note on the conduct of business in Congregation below). If such notice has not been given, and unless Council has declared otherwise or the meeting has been adjourned, the Oration shall be presented and the meeting may be cancelled.

#### Presentation of Vice-Chancellor's Oration

The Oration delivered by the Vice-Chancellor on 2 October will be presented and may be discussed.

The Oration was published as Supplement (1) to *Gazette* No 5216, 10 October 2018.

#### 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 Dr N Berry at the University Offices, Wellington Square (telephone: (2)80107; email: nigel.berry@ 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).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The transcript may be edited for legal reasons.

## **Notices**

#### **Consultative Notices**

#### **Department of Engineering Trust Funds**

On 15 October, General Purposes Committee (GPC) agreed to consolidate a number of small trust funds within the Engineering Department in order to streamline administration, reduce management fees, and facilitate the spending of historical income reserves by providing greater flexibility. It is intended to consolidate the funds into an Engineering Department Prize & Bursary Fund, which will be the subject of new Trust Regulations. The proposal is consistent with Council's policy of consolidating small trust funds and is supported by the Trusts Management Board. In order to facilitate these changes, GPC passed a resolution for the purposes of section 282 of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act"). The approval of GPC and the resolution passed for the purposes of the Act shall be effective 15 days after the date of publication of this notice unless written notice of a resolution, signed by at least 20 members of Congregation and calling upon Council to withhold such approval and such resolution, has been given to the Registrar by noon on 5 November. The full text of the resolutions are set out below.

GPC agreed to:

(i) **approve** on behalf of Council the Trust Regulations for the Engineering Department Prize & Bursary Fund;

(ii) **note** that the gross income of each of the following funds ("the Funds") in its last financial year did not exceed £10,000, that the Funds do not hold any designated land and are not companies or other bodies corporate, and that the Funds hold permanent endowment:

- a. Sheppee Fund
- b. Janson Prize in Electronic Communications
- c. Medtronic Biomedical Engineering Scholarship Fund
- d. Motz Prize in Electrical Engineering;

(iii) subject to the approval at (i), and being satisfied that: it is expedient in the interests of furthering the purposes of each Fund for its property to be transferred; and the new fund has purposes that are substantially similar to all the purposes of each Fund, **resolve** for the purposes of sections 267-274 of the Charities Act 2011 that all the property of the Funds should be transferred to the new Engineering Department Prize & Bursary Fund;

(iv) **resolve** that the resolution at (iii) above be notified to the University Gazette and, provided that no notice of a resolution calling upon Council to annul or amend the proposals is received by the Registrar by noon on the eleventh day after the day on which the proposals are published;

(v) **resolve** that copies be sent to the Charity Commission together with a statement of the University's reasons for passing them. If the Charity Commission requires further steps to be taken the Trusts Administrator is authorised to take such steps as are necessary. Once the above resolutions take effect the Trusts Administrator is authorised to take such steps as are necessary to transfer the property of the Funds in accordance with the above resolutions and any guidance given by the Commission for the purposes of the Charities Act 2011.

#### **General Notices**

#### Professorial Merit Pay exercise 2018

DIVISIONAL COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

#### **Humanities**

Professor N Purcell (in the chair)
Professor J Clackson
Professor S Frith
Professor A George
Professor R Harris
Professor M Lauxtermann
Professor A McGrath
Professor L Marcus
Professor I Rumfitt
Professor N Vincent

#### Medical Sciences

Professor H McShane (in the chair)
Principal of St Hilda's College
Professor H Dockrell
Professor M Freeman
Professor P Lehner
Professor E Robertson
Professor C Schofield
Mr B Taylor

#### **MPLS**

Professor D Bradley (in the chair)
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Professor M Bridson
Professor M Brouard
Professor C Deane
Professor P Grant
Professor M Kaczmarek
Professor M Kwiatkowska
Professor O Leyser
Professor N Peake
Professor B Sheldon
Professor I Shipsey
Professor L Tarassenko

#### Social Sciences

Professor S Whatmore (in the chair)
Principal of Green Templeton College
Warden of Nuffield College
Master of University College
Professor A Davies
Professor Sir Ian Diamond
Professor E Keep
Professor B Parry
Professor M Pollard

#### van Houten Fund

The van Houten Bequest is a fund left by the late Georges van Houten in the 1960s to be used for the benefit of the University. Bids are now being invited for grants to support projects that can be shown to offer a broad strategic benefit to the University, but that do not form part of the normal day-to-day operations of a department and would not easily be funded from other regular sources.

Grants to applicants from within the University are usually in the region of  $\pounds 2,000-\pounds 12,000$ , either given as a one-off award, or spread over two or three years. Grants are also available to organisations external to the University; in such cases,

the amounts awarded are usually lower and there is a cap on the total amount of funding made available to external organisations, which is £25,000 for the current financial year. Projects which would more appropriately be supported from the University's Community scheme (www.ox.ac.uk/local-community/small-community-grants) will be advised to apply to that fund.

The most recent invitation to bid, in November 2017, attracted fourteen applications and resulted in thirteen awards. Grants awarded within the last year have included:

- · a summer school in Medical Humanities;
- a peer support programme for postgraduate students.

The guidelines by which bids are assessed are as follows:

- 1 Bids for grants will be assessed according to the breadth of the benefit to the University offered by the project in question, the strategic importance of the project to the University and the availability of funds. Only in exceptional circumstances will a grant be awarded in respect of a project which benefits a single department.
- **2** Grants will not ordinarily be awarded for purposes for which other trust fund (or similar) support exists within the University, for example the funding of academic scholarships, regardless of whether or not the alternative fund(s) in question are in a position to fund the expenditure proposed.
- **3** Grants will not ordinarily be awarded in respect of costs for which a department might reasonably be expected to hold a budget.
- **4** Grants will not ordinarily be agreed in respect of recurrent activities except to provide:
  - (a) seed funding to support an activity in its first one to three years; or
  - (b) bridging support for one year only where a source of funding is lost and the department/faculty in question is confident that an alternative can be found for the following year.

- **5** Grants will not ordinarily cover the full cost of a project. Departments will be expected to make some contribution, or to use the grant secured by the van Houten Fund to assist in securing other funding (including external funding).
- **6** The extent to which funds may be awarded to external organisations each financial year may be subject to an upper limit, to be set by the General Purposes Committee and reviewed on an annual basis.

The bids will be considered by the Registrar as a gathered field. Bids should be made on the application form which is available from the Secretary of the Fund or from the van Houten Fund webpage: www. admin.ox.ac.uk/finance/trusts/applying/vanhoutenfund. Applications should be sent, preferably as a Word document attached to an email, to the Secretary, Mrs Adrienne Lingard, by **26 November**.

Further information may be obtained from Mrs Lingard via telephone (Oxford 616172), email (adrienne.lingard@admin.ox.ac.uk) or at the University Offices, Wellington Square, Oxford, OX1 2JD. The next invitation to bid will be in Michaelmas term 2019.

#### **Musical and other Events**

#### **Faculty of Law**

PROFESSOR PATRICK ATIYAH -WORKSHOP AND MEMORIAL

A workshop and memorial in honour of Professor Patrick Atiyah will take place beginning at 10am on Saturday, 10 November. Speakers include: **Professor William Twining, Professor James Goudkamp, Professor Hugh Collins, Professor John Gardner, Professor Peter Cane** and **Professor Joanne Conaghan**. Free, but attendees requested to register at: www.law.ox.ac.uk/events.

#### Merton

#### **ORGAN RECITALS**

*1 Nov*: **Tom Fetherstonhaugh**, Organ Scholar

8 Nov: Anthony Hammond, Cirencester Parish Church

*15 Nov*: **Iestyn Evans**, St James's Spanish Place. London

*22 Nov*: **Benjamin Nicholas**, Reed Rubin Organist and Director of Music

29 Nov: Alexander Little, Assistant Organist

#### St Stephen's House

#### **SJE ARTS**

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

*3 Nov*: Corona Strings: Grieg, Delius, Britten, Grace Williams, López-Chávarri

7Nov: Buck & Billie: **Julia Biel** and the Buck Clayton Legacy Band

10 Nov: Alda Dizdari, violin, and Tom Blach, piano: Debussy, Enescu, Elgar, Ravel

16 Nov: Music at Magdalen: pupils from Magdalen College School

17 Nov: Scordatura: Deeds Not Words: compositions by women on protest and resistance

23 Nov: Oxford Bach Choir: Hubert Parry's Songs of Farewell

## Lectures

## **Examinations and Boards**

#### **Social Sciences**

#### Saïd Business School

The following events will take place at the Saïd Business School.

#### **ENGAGING WITH HUMANITIES**

**Dominic Scott** will speak at 12.30pm on 7 November. Registration required: https://ewhscott.eventbrite.com.

**Dr Jim Harris** will speak at 12.30pm on 5 December. Registration required: https://ewhharris.eventbrite.com.

#### DISTINGUISHED SPEAKER SEMINAR

**Syl Saller**, Diageo plc, will be in conversation with **Peter Tufano** at 5.45pm on 6 December. Registration required: https://dss\_saller.eventbrite.com.

#### ART AT OXFORD SAÏD (BUSINESS)

**Ruth Knowles** will speak at 5.45pm on 15 November. Registration required: https://artknowles.eventbrite.com.

## Examinations for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

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## Colleges, Halls and Societies

## **Elections**

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#### **Obituaries**

#### St Hilda's

Judith Ann Blanks (*née* Hughes), 11 May 2018; 1954. Aged 82. Gillian Elizabeth Raven (*née* Wisbey), 18 October 2018; 1977. Aged 59.

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#### **Elections**

22 November

#### **Call for nominations**

The nomination period for the elections below closed at 4pm on 25 October.

#### **Divisional Boards**

#### **HUMANITIES DIVISIONAL BOARD**

 One person elected by and from among the members of the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages to hold office wie to MT 2020 [vice Dr Charlie Louth, Queen's]

#### **Faculty Boards**

#### BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF HISTORY

 One person elected by and from the members of the Faculty of History to hold office wie to MT 2019 [vice Dr Jon Parkin, St Hugh's]

The following nomination has been received:

**Dr Lucy Wooding**, MA DPhil Oxf, Fellow of Lincoln

#### Nominated by:

Professor George Garnett, St Hugh's Dr Ian Forrest, Oriel Dr Siân Pooley, Magdalen Dr Sarah Mortimer, Christ Church

## BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF ORIENTAL STUDIES

 Two persons elected by and from the members of the Faculty of Oriental Studies to hold office wie to MT 2020 [vice Professor Martin Goodman, Wolfson; Dr Zeynep Yurekli-Gorkay, Wolfson]

#### Notes:

Nominations in writing for the elections on 22 November, by four members of Congregation other than the candidate, were received by the Elections Office, at the University Offices, Wellington Square, up to 4pm on 25 October.

Candidates were 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.

## Examinations for the Degree of Master of Science

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## Examinations for the Degree of Master of Philosophy

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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 8 November. 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 22 November**.

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 8 November. 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**

29 November

#### Call for nominations

The nomination period for the election below will close at **4pm on 1 November**.

#### **Divisional Boards**

#### **HUMANITIES DIVISIONAL BOARD**

 One person elected by and from the members of the Faculty of History to hold office wie to MT 2020 [vice Dr Perry Gauci, Lincoln]

For further information, please contact the Secretary (lynne.hirsch@humanities.ox.ac. uk).

#### **Faculty Boards**

#### BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF PHILOSOPHY

 Three persons elected by and from the members of the Faculty of Philosophy to hold office wie to MT 2019 [vice Professor William Mander, Harris Manchester; Dr James Studd, Lady Margaret Hall] and wie to MT 2020 [vice Dr Anil Gomes, Trinity]

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

#### Notes:

Nominations in writing for the elections on 29 November, 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 November.

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 that apply to all committee members, as set out in Council Regulations14 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.

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#### The developing brain is altered in autism

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#### **Accommodation Offered**

#### Graduate Accommodation Office

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We are looking for a responsible academic of any age who would like to house sit for us during Hilary term 2019. The house is in north Oxford, well equipped and comfortable; we need someone who could take care of two cats while we are abroad. Details to be discussed. Please contact Ruth.Harris@history.ox.ac.uk.

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#### **Colleges, Halls and Societies**

Balliol; Alumni Officer; £24,492-£31,910; 19 November; www.balliol.ox.ac.uk/balliolpeople/vacancies/2018/october/alumniofficer

Nuffield; Postdoctoral Research Officer -Centre for Social Investigation; £30,394-£31,616; 26 November; www.nuffield.ox.ac. uk/the-college/jobs-and-vacancies

#### **External Vacancies**

Christ's College, Cambridge; 3-year fixedterm Janeway Post-Doctoral Research Fellowship and College Teaching Officer in Economics; noon, 20 November; www. christs.cam.ac.uk/vacancies-christs-college

Downing College, Cambridge; Kim and Julianna Silverman Research Fellowship in Physical and Biological Natural Sciences, Engineering or Computer Science; £22,013-£26,243; noon, 7 December; www.dow.cam. ac.uk/join-downing/academic-vacancies

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