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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:

Catherine Elizabeth Buckland, Doctoral Training Centre

Helena Channon-Wells, Social Sciences Division

Lyndon Paul Drake, Faculty of Theology & Religion

Cristina McKean, Department of Education

Jessica Margaret Milburn, IT Services

Guillaume Pages, Research Services

Samantha Raynor, Humanities Division

Yeling Tan, Blavatnik School of Government

Jeroen Antonius van Breugel, Development and

Alumni Engagement

Thalia Wallis, Student Welfare and Support Services

Michelle Lorraine Woodworth, Bodleian Libraries

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CONTESTED ELECTION

- Council

Details are in [‘Elections’](#) section below.

Congregation 17 June

(1) Voting on Legislative Proposal: Statute XI: University Discipline and consequential amendments to Statute IX: Officers of the University and Statute XII: Academic Staff and the Visitation Board

Explanatory Note

On 15 October 2024, Congregation approved a resolution to establish a Working Group to review proposed amendments to Statute XI, following concerns which had been raised when the proposals were originally published in [Gazette No 5422, 23 May 2024, p465](#).

The Working Group, chaired by Professor Freya Johnston, and including representatives from the divisions, Conference of Colleges and the Student Union, and relevant Professional Services staff, consulted widely with staff and students over a 9-week period (during the end of Michaelmas term 2024 and the beginning of Hilary term 2025). During its careful consideration of the feedback, the Group was mindful of the need to strike a balance between upholding the University's objectives both of protecting and supporting students and staff and of upholding their rights to free speech and, where relevant, academic freedom. It was also mindful of its remit – to review the proposed amendments to Statute XI previously submitted to Congregation on 11 June 2024, and recommend revisions to that proposal, not to seek to extend or restrict existing provisions within the current statute. The Group also took into account the requirements of the University's regulators and the desire to follow best practice guidance, including the requirements of the new Office for Students' Condition of Registration (E6) on harassment and sexual misconduct and the views of the University working group tasked with considering compliance with that condition.

The Education Committee, the General Purposes Committee and Council have now considered the Working Group's proposals, alongside its careful consideration of the feedback received during the consultation process and detailed rationale for the proposed changes.

The proposed changes are required to:

- allow the University to investigate more cases of serious misconduct without complaints having to be made to the police first. Currently, if a student reports a serious incident, the University may decline to use its disciplinary procedures unless the matter has been reported to the police and they have investigated. This often leads to frustration from students and lengthy processes;

- make the disciplinary process more accessible, clearer, and more effective by consolidating four sets of Regulations and the existing Statute into a shorter and more accessible Statute XI and single comprehensive procedure (with different versions for academic and non-academic matters);
- meet the Office for Students' (OfS) Condition of Registration relating to "harassment and sexual misconduct" by providing a comprehensive and accessible process for considering such allegations against student members – this requirement comes into force from 1 August 2025;
- reduce scope for complaints by introducing greater compliance with the Office for the Independent Adjudicator's (OIA) "Good Practice Framework for Non-Academic Disciplinary Procedures", which is based on the core principles of "accessibility; clarity; proportionality; timeliness; fairness; independence; confidentiality; improving the student experience"; and of procedures being written in straightforward language and following the principles of natural justice;
- enable a more streamlined and agile University response to future developments in sector best practice guidance and regulatory requirements; and
- align the University's procedures more closely with those adopted by many of the colleges.

If the legislative proposal is approved by Congregation, a number of regulations will be discontinued, as recommended by Council.

The changes will be effective from 1 September 2025. For full text of legislative proposal see [Gazette No 5458, 29 May 2025, p562](#).

(2) Voting on Legislative Proposal: Statute VI: Council (membership) and consequential amendments relating to terms of office for casual vacancies

Explanatory Note

Currently, legislation for Council, its committees and other committees/bodies provides that, when a vacancy occurs other than at the end of a term of office (ie if a member steps down early) – a ‘casual vacancy’ – the newly appointed or elected member takes up their position immediately and holds office for the unexpired residue only of the period of office of the person whom they have replaced. In some cases, this might be as short as one academic term (or less). This creates a number of difficulties for committees, incoming committee members, and for those administering the appointment and election processes with no obvious advantages. It is therefore proposed that the legislation be amended to allow for casual vacancies to be filled for a full term of office instead. In order to tie in start and end dates with the beginning and end of term, it is proposed that, as a default, new members take up office on the first day of the term following immediately upon their appointment

or election. Currently, where there are limits on how long members may serve, eg 2 consecutive full terms of office, an exception is generally made for casual terms of office – ie they do not count towards the limit. For those appointed or elected under the current legislation, that exception will continue to apply. However, if the proposed changes to the legislation are approved, going forward, future limits will be based on full terms of office only. The opportunity is also taken to replace ‘chairman’ with the term ‘chair’ and to change instances of ‘his or her’ to ‘their’.

The opportunity is also being taken to propose the correction of two internal cross references that should have been updated to reflect previous changes to Statute VI (in section 8 (6)).

For full text of legislative proposal see [Gazette No 5458, 29 May 2025, p576](#).

(3) Voting on Changes to Congregation Regulations 2 of 2002: regulations for Congregation for the conduct of business in Congregation

Explanatory Note

Currently, if an amended resolution is unopposed by Council or members of Congregation, the Congregation regulations still require a meeting of Congregation to take place, although the meeting affords no opportunity for Congregation to further amend the resolution. It is therefore proposed that the regulations are altered to remove this requirement.

For full text of resolution see [Gazette No 5458, 29 May 2025, p586](#).

Meeting information

Members of Congregation are reminded that any two members may, not later than **noon on 9 June**, give notice in writing to the Registrar that they wish to oppose or amend any of the legislative proposals or changes to regulations above (see the note on the conduct of business in Congregation below).

If no such notice has been given, and unless Council has declared otherwise or the meeting has been adjourned the agenda items will be declared carried, and the meeting may be cancelled as per Congregation Regulations 2 of 2002 (section 2.23).

Congregation 1 July

The following resolutions will be deemed to be approved at **noon on 1 July** unless by that time the Registrar has received notice in writing from two or more members of

Congregation that they wish the resolution to be put to a meeting of Congregation.

(1) Voting on a Resolution authorising space in the Oxford Molecular Pathology Institute

Explanatory Note

As required by section 4 of Statute XVI, approval of this resolution is requested because of the size of the proposed space allocation.

The Oxford Molecular Pathology Institute houses the University Shared Data Centre (USDC), which was constructed in 2011 to provide specialist server space for IT Services. This resolution seeks to extend the existing allocation for a non-time-limited period due to the ongoing need for this essential facility.

Text of Resolution

That approximately 634 sqm net usable area within the Oxford Molecular Pathology Institute (building 510) be allocated to IT Services, UAS, for a non-time limited period, commencing 20 October 2025.

(2) Voting on a Resolution authorising space in the Robert Hooke Building

Explanatory Note

As required by section 4 of Statute XVI, approval of this resolution is requested because of the size of the proposed space allocation.

The Department of Computer Science's occupation of the Robert Hooke Building (building 160) was most recently allocated in June 2020 for a 5-year period, which represented an extension of an expired 2015 allocation of the same space. Since the previous allocation, the department has marginally increased its occupied area from 1,048 sqm net usable area to a total of 1,097 sqm net

usable area. The department has long term ambitions to consolidate into a purpose-built facility; however, this is not scheduled to occur soon. As such, a non-time-limited space allocation renewal is requested until such time that an alternative accommodation can be provided.

Text of Resolution

That approximately 1,097 sqm net usable area within Robert Hooke Building (building 160) be allocated to the Department of Computer Science for a non-time limited period, commencing 17 June 2025.

(3) Voting on a Resolution authorising space in the Rex Richards Building

Explanatory Note

As required by section 4 of Statute XVI, approval of this resolution is requested because of the size of the proposed space allocation.

The Department of Materials currently occupies a total of 1,696 sqm NUA within the Rex Richards Building (building 271). The majority of space is allocated on a non-time-limited basis, with the remaining portion allocated for a fixed 5-year period expiring on 8 March 2025, following the relocation of the MPLS Doctoral Training Programme to 1–4 Keble Road in March 2020. The Rex Richards Building houses the Centre for Energy Storage Materials Research, which is one of the world's

leading battery technology research labs. This facility is considered central to Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences research for the foreseeable future and as such it is requested that the expired allocation be approved on a non-time limited basis in line with the department's existing allocation within the building.

Text of Resolution

That approximately 860 sqm net usable area within Rex Richards Building (building 271) be allocated to the Department of Materials for a non-time-limited period, retrospectively commencing from 8 March 2025.

Meeting information

Members of Congregation are reminded that any two members may, not later than **noon on 23 June**, give notice in writing to the Registrar that they wish to oppose or amend any of the resolutions above (see the note on the conduct of business in Congregation below).

If no such notice has been given, and unless Council has declared otherwise or the meeting has been adjourned the resolutions will be declared carried, and the meeting may be cancelled.

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 Louise Hasler, Council Secretariat, University Offices, Wellington Square (email: congregation.meeting@admin.ox.ac.uk); questions relating to elections should be directed to the Elections Officer, Ms S L S Mulvihill (email: elections.office@admin.ox.ac.uk).

Notices

Consultative Notices

University's draft Strategic Plan 2025–30

CONSULTATION

Staff are invited to review the draft plan, read the context around how it has been developed, and give feedback [via an online form](#). The consultation period is now open for 2 months and closes on 3 August. Feedback will then be consolidated for review by the relevant committees in early Michaelmas term. For more information: <https://governance.web.ox.ac.uk/draft-strategic-plan-2025-30-consultation>.



Glory bush in the Botanic Garden (©OU Images/Public Affairs Directorate)

Appointments

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

APPOINTMENTS

Stefano Albrecht, PhD Edin; Associate Professor of Computer Science, Department of Computer Science, and fellow of Oriel, from 1 September 2025 to 30 August 2030

Antonio Forte, PhD Imp; Associate Professor of Engineering Science (Solid Mechanics), Department of Engineering Science, and fellow of Pembroke, from 1 September 2025 to 31 August 2030

Social Sciences

PROFESSORSHIP OF CORPORATE LAW

Assaf Hamdani, LLB Hebrew, LLM SJD Harvard, Professor of Law, Tel Aviv University, has been appointed to the Professorship of Corporate Law in the Faculty of Law with effect from 1 January 2026. Professor Hamdani will be a fellow of Jesus.

Visiting Professorships

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

RECONFERRALS

Raf Dewil, PhD KU Leuven; Visiting Professor of Engineering Science, Department of Engineering Science, for a further period of 3 years from 5 July 2025

Musical and other Events

St Hilda's

THURSDAY LUNCHTIME RECITAL SERIES

Recitals take place at 1.15pm on Thursdays in the JdP Music Building. Admission free (no booking necessary), with tea and coffee provided. More information: www.st-hildas.ox.ac.uk/jdp-music-building/events-schedule.

5 Jun: **Harry Jang** and **Guy Barwell**

12 Jun: **Oliver Simpson** (cello)

19 Jun: **Sebastian Zamet** and **Philip Theodorou**

EARLY MUSIC 8: SIRINU

Two performances of the same programme will take place at 4.30pm and 7pm on 10 June in the chapel, 38 St Giles'. Tickets £20; more information: www.st-hildas.ox.ac.uk/jdp-music-building/events/early-music-8-sirinu.

Examinations and Boards

Examinations for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

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Examinations for the Degree of Master of Science

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Elections

Contested election 12 June

The nomination period for the election below closed at 4pm on 15 May. The election on 12 June will be held electronically. An email with further instructions will be sent to eligible voters on Wednesday, 28 May, using the email addresses provided in the electronic register

of Congregation (NB with few exceptions, notably clinical staff, this will be the work address ending ‘ox.ac.uk’). The voting period will close at **4pm on 12 June**. More information: <https://governance.admin.ox.ac.uk/elections>.

Council

- 1 member of Congregation elected by Congregation from members of the faculties in the Divisions of Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences and of Medical Sciences, to serve until the start of MT 2029 [vice Professor Alexander Schekochihin, Merton]

The following nominations have been received:

Conall Mac Niocaill, BSc PhD NUI, MA Oxf, Fellow of Exeter, Faculty of Earth Sciences

Nominated by:

Professor Baroness Kathy Willis, Principal of St Edmund Hall, Department of Biology
 Professor Thomas Adcock, St Peter's, Department of Engineering Science
 Professor Proochista Ariana, Mansfield, Nuffield Department of Medicine
 Professor Martin Castell, Linacre, Department of Materials
 Dr Richard Earl, Worcester, Mathematics Institute
 Professor Helen Johnson, St Cross, Department of Earth Sciences
 Professor Philipp Kukura, Exeter, Department of Chemistry
 Professor Neil Laws, Keble, Department of Statistics
 Professor David Marshall, St Hugh's, Department of Physics
 Professor Tim Woollings, Pembroke, Department of Physics

Candidate statement:

All organisations are fundamentally about people. At Oxford we are surrounded by world-class colleagues at all levels, and by most measures the University is successful in a global context. Our success, nevertheless, often masks the many challenges the University faces in terms of its finances, crumbling infrastructure, workloads, and the cost-of-living pressures faced by our staff. In addressing these the University will have to make difficult long-term strategic decisions but at the heart of these decisions must lie our core mission of enabling people to do the very best research and teaching, with finances and infrastructure serving that core mission.

I came to Oxford as a Marie Curie research fellow in 1996 and experienced the relative precarity of 17 years as a Departmental Lecturer with stipendiary and non-stipendiary positions at several colleges. I became Professor of Earth Sciences and Tutorial Fellow at Exeter College in 2015. I have served as Associate Head of Department; Tutor for Undergraduate Admissions at Exeter College; and divisional representative on the Admissions Executive. I have been the co-ordinator of the MPLS Opportunity Oxford programme since its inception. Most recently I have served as Junior Proctor, where many of the challenges the University faces were crystallised for me in my work on several major University Committees.

If elected, I will work to ensure that Council's deliberations on the myriad issues that confront it are centred on that core mission and on its people, who make the University what it is.

Professor Catherine Swales, BSc PhD Lond, BM BCh Oxf, Fellow of St Hilda's, Faculty of Clinical Medicine

Nominated by:

Professor Sarah Springman, Principal of St Hilda's
Professor Helen Christian, St Anne's, Department of
Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics
Professor Richard Cornall, Magdalen, Nuffield
Department of Medicine
Professor Matthew Freeman, Lincoln, Sir William Dunn
School of Pathology
Professor Claire Gwenlan, St Hilda's, Department of
Physics
Professor Heidi Johansen-Berg, St Edmund Hall, Nuffield
Department of Clinical Neurosciences
Professor David Paterson, Merton, Department of
Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics
Professor Frances Platt, Merton, Department of
Pharmacology
Professor Jonathan Rees, Pembroke, Nuffield Department
of Orthopaedics, Rheumatology and Musculoskeletal
Sciences
Professor Krina Zondervan, St Edmund Hall, Nuffield
Department of Women's and Reproductive Health

Candidate statement:

As Head of the School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences (SMBMS), I have an established profile in strategic collaborative leadership, capacity-building, financial planning and educational innovation. My experience stems from leading SMBMS, my national roles at the GMC and Medical Schools Council, the development and co-directorship of new and successful Doctoral and Masters programs within and across Divisions, and Governing Body Fellowship. I work with colleagues nationally and across Oxford's divisions, departments, colleges and administrative units, and have a deep understanding of the challenges and opportunities that we collectively face. Through service on committees and boards I consistently advocate for transparency, inclusivity, collegiality, and evidence-based decision-making. I understand the importance of balancing academic freedom with institutional responsibility and at a personal level align attention to detail with maintaining perspective, a breadth of vision and drawing new voices into educational and research narratives. For two decades I have identified key opportunities, mitigated risk and 'solved the right problem', working across disparate systems to unlock new avenues for our students, faculty and professional support staff. As Oxford responds to challenges both within and beyond the institution - from funding pressures and international competition to technological transformation and sustainability – we need to critically re-examine and re-imagine how we deliver on our core values. On Council I will listen, ask challenging questions where needed and bring my experiences to help shape our responses, future directions and priorities, whilst supporting our most valuable elements: student experience, staff development and world-class academic output.

Colleges, Halls and Societies

Obituaries

Christ Church

Michael James Boxall, 28 February 2025; 1970. Aged 73.
James Randall Cowan, 16 February 2025; 1986. Aged 60.
David Arthur Gilkes, 2 January 2025; 1956. Aged 89.
The Revd Richard Haggis, 9 February 2025; 1985. Aged 58.
Martin McLaughlin, 24 January 2025; 1990. Official Student and Tutor in Italian.
Michael Joseph Parker, 2025; 1953.

Robert (Robin) James Lloyd Paul, 2025; 1960.
David Hugh Rice, 17 March 2025; 1961. Official Student and Tutor in Philosophy. Aged 82..
Geoffrey Mark Styles, 8 February 2025; 1988. Aged 55.
Revd. Roderick Cheyne Thorp, 14 March 2025; 1962. Aged 81.
Paul Christopher Hedley Wood, January 2025; 1963. Aged 79.

St Cross

Jack Zussman, 30 August 2024; Fellow 1965–7. Aged 100.



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Research participants sought

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We are looking for 5–8-year-old children with Amblyopia (also known as 'lazy eye') AND 5–8-year-old children with normal vision to participate in our research investigating how Occlusion Therapy (also known as 'patching') changes the brain. Taking part involves coming to Headington, Oxford, for two MRI scans and some eye tests. Participants will be reimbursed. For more information, please email the KOALA study team at koalastudy@ndcn.ox.ac.uk and see our website: <https://tinyurl.com/4fu8kvbyb>.

Having trouble sleeping? We are looking for participants for a new sleep study. If you are 23–65 years old, live and work in Oxford, spend your working day sitting indoors at a desk and use an iPhone you might be eligible to take part. Start by taking our screening survey: https://ecsm.fra1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_42uw0MX5qR3zASW.

Are you aged 18–36 and based in Oxford? Take part in a 4-week study on how video gaming and social media affect wellbeing. The study can be done from home, and participants can earn up to £96. Quick screening survey: <https://bit.ly/433co92>.

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Groups and societies

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Cherwell Archers: a club for staff, postgraduates, alumni and retired staff of the University and associated institutions to enjoy archery for over 50 years. Beginner sessions for Trinity term: 10–noon, Sundays, Balliol's sportsfield, St Cross Rd (continued out of term). We welcome all levels of expertise. To register for beginner sessions please contact the Field Captain, Jeremy Hyde: jeremy.hyde@myphone.coop. Beginner sessions train people in safety and the fundamentals of archery. There is a wide range of equipment for club members to use, but you are also welcome to bring your own. Small fee for beginner sessions (waived for members of Balliol). If you wish to continue with the club, membership is £15pa. We operate under the auspices of Archery Great Britain for safety and insurance purposes, and there is also a subscription fee of £65pa.

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Public Affairs Directorate; Deputy Head of University Communications; £48,235–£57,255; noon, 13 June; https://my.corehr.com/pls/uoxrecruit/erq_jobspec_details_form.jobspec?p_id=179885

Colleges, Halls and Societies

Brasenose; Senior Tutor; £64,228–£74,191 plus college accommodation (if available) or housing allowance of £18,302 pa; 23 June; www.bnc.ox.ac.uk/vacancies

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