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Council and Main Committees

General Purposes Committee of Council

Changes in Regulations

The General Purposes Committee of Council has made the following changes in regulations, to come into effect on **21 March**.

(a) Establishment of the Sackler Keeper of Antiquities Endowment Fund

Explanatory Note

These regulations establish 'The Sackler Keeper of Antiquities Endowment Fund' for the purpose of endowing the functions and activities of the Sackler Keeper of Antiquities at the Ashmolean.

Text of Regulations

In Part 2 of Council Regulations 25 of 2002, concerning trusts, insert new §310 as follows, and renumber existing §§310–398 as §§311–399:

'§310. Sackler Keeper of Antiquities Endowment Fund

1. The University receives with gratitude the sum of £500,000 and the commitment of a further £1,500,000 from the Dr Mortimer and Theresa Sackler Foundation to be held as permanent endowment on the trusts declared in this regulation. Further money or property may be paid or transferred to the University as either expendable or permanent endowment to be held on the same trusts. The assets so held will be known as the Sackler Keeper of Antiquities Endowment Fund ("the Fund").

2. The University shall retain as permanent endowment those of the assets in the Fund which are contributed on the express understanding that they are to be treated as permanent endowment ("the Permanent Endowment").

3. The University shall (a) apply the income of the Permanent Endowment; and (b) apply the income and, in its discretion, the capital of the remainder of the Fund, towards the purposes, functions and activities of the Sackler Keeper of Antiquities at the Ashmolean. The Fund shall not be applied to pay the expenses (other than salary) relating to the Sackler Keeper of Antiquities

at the Ashmolean, including the overhead, travel, administrative and pension costs associated with such post.

4. The administration of the Fund, and the application of its income, shall be the responsibility of the Board of Visitors of the Ashmolean.

5. The University may in its absolute discretion in the period ending 21 years from the date of this regulation, instead of applying the income of the Fund in any year, accumulate all or any part of such income by investing it, and holding it as part of the capital of the Fund. The University may apply the whole or any part of such accumulated income in any subsequent year as if it were income of the Fund arising in the then current year.

6. The University shall have power to pay out of the capital or the income of the Fund all costs of and incidental to the creation of the Fund, and the management and administration of the Fund.

7. The University may exercise any of its corporate powers in the management and administration of the Fund in so far as those powers are not inconsistent with these regulations.

8. Regulations 1–10 shall be deemed to be Trust Regulations under the provisions of Part D of Statute XVI.

9. Subject to regulation 10, Council may amend, repeal or add to these regulations in accordance with Part D of Statute XVI, but no amendment is valid if it would cause the Fund to:

- (1) cease to be exclusively charitable according to the law of England and Wales; or
- (2) be outside the objects of the University.

10. Any amendment to regulation 3 is an amendment to the main objects of the Fund for the purposes of Part D of Statute XVI and must be approved both by Congregation of the University and subsequently by Her Majesty in Council.

(b) Establishment of the David Walker Fellowship Fund

Explanatory Note

These regulations establish 'The David Walker Fellowship Fund' for the purpose of supporting the costs of visiting fellows at the Bodleian Libraries.

Text of Regulations

In Part 2 of Council Regulations 25 of 2002, concerning trusts, insert new §363 as follows, and renumber existing §§363–391 as §§364–392:

'§363. David Walker Fellowship Fund

1. The University receives with gratitude the sum of £125,000 from the executors of the estate of David Walker to be held as permanent endowment on the trusts declared in this regulation. Further money or property may be paid or transferred to the University as either expendable or permanent endowment to be held on the same trusts. The assets so held will be known as the David Walker Fellowship Fund ("the Fund").

2. The University shall retain as permanent endowment those of the assets in the Fund which are contributed on the express understanding that they are to be treated as permanent endowment ("the Permanent Endowment").

3. The University shall (a) apply the income of the Permanent Endowment; and (b) apply the income and, in its discretion, the capital of the remainder of the Fund in supporting the costs of visiting fellows at the Bodleian Libraries, to be known as David Walker Fellows. Preference shall be given to those fellows with an interest in the English Renaissance and book illustration and illumination.

4. The administration of the Fund, and the application of its income, shall be the responsibility of the Curators of the University Libraries.

5. The University may in its absolute discretion in the period ending 21 years from the date of this regulation, instead of applying the income of the Fund in any year, accumulate all or any part of such

income by investing it, and holding it as part of the capital of the Fund. The University may apply the whole or any part of such accumulated income in any subsequent year as if it were income of the Fund arising in the then current year.

6. The University shall have power to pay out of the capital or the income of the Fund all costs of and incidental to the creation of the Fund, and the management and administration of the Fund.

7. The University may exercise any of its corporate powers in the management and administration of the Fund in so far as those powers are not inconsistent with these regulations.

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(2) be outside the objects of the University.

10. Any amendment to regulation 3 is an amendment to the main objects of the Fund for the purposes of Part D of Statute XVI and must be approved both by Congregation of the University and subsequently by Her Majesty in Council.'

Council of the University

Register of Congregation

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

Fresen, J L, Faculty of Statistics

Herrington, W G, Faculty of Clinical Medicine

Masud, S, Faculty of Clinical Medicine

Ovseiko, P V, Jesus

Reed, R C, St Anne's

Riddle, C L, Research Services

Rolfe, A W, Corpus Christi

Sakellaridis, D, Careers Service

Wilson, F C, St John's

Congregation

Congregation 10 March

Degree by Resolution

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Congregation 11 March

The meeting of Congregation is cancelled. The sole business comprises questions to which no opposition has been notified and in respect of which no request for adjournment has been received, and Mr Vice-Chancellor will accordingly declare the resolutions carried without a meeting under the provisions of Sect 7 (1) of Statute IV.

(1) Voting on a Resolution authorising the use of space at the Radcliffe Observatory Quarter

(For explanatory note and text of resolution see *Gazette* No 5051, 20 February 2014, p326.)

(2) Voting on a Resolution authorising the use of space at Osney Mead

(For explanatory note and text of resolution see *Gazette* No 5051, 20 February 2014, p326.)

Congregation 19 March

Admission of Proctors and Assessor

A Congregation will be held on 19 March in the Sheldonian Theatre for the purpose of admitting to office **Kathryn Blackmon**, BS Clemson, MBA PhD North Carolina, MA Oxf, Fellow of Merton, and **Hubert Ertl**, MA Oxf, PhD Munich, Fellow of Linacre, as Proctors for the ensuing year, and **Paul Martin**, MA DPhil Oxf, Fellow of Wadham, as Assessor for the ensuing year.

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 Mrs F Burchett at the University Offices, Wellington Square (telephone: (2)80199; email: 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).

Notices

Consultative Notices

Proposals for Honorary Degrees to be conferred at the Encaenia in 2015, and for Degrees by Diploma

Members of Congregation are encouraged to suggest the names of people on whom such degrees might be conferred. Encaenia honorary degrees are conferred at the University's annual ceremonial event and degrees by diploma are conferred on heads of state and royalty. When considering possible honorands, the Honorary Degrees Committee will focus on individuals in the following categories:

- 1** those of high academic distinction in the fields of research and scholarship of specific interest to the University of Oxford
- 2** those distinguished in the visual, literary, musical and performing arts
- 3** those distinguished in business and industry
- 4** those who have played a distinguished role in public life, for example in contributing to progress and change in society
- 5** those who have made a significant contribution to the activities of the University of Oxford – such individuals would normally also fall into one of the categories above.

Within those categories, the Honorary Degrees Committee will aim to produce a balanced list, which takes account of the global dimension that characterises this University's activities. The Honorary Degrees Committee therefore encourages the nomination of individuals of conspicuous distinction with particular reference to diversity.

Honorary degrees will not be conferred on anyone who holds, or who has retired from, a resident teaching, research or administrative post within the University or in any college or other society, except in exceptional circumstances such as distinguished service outside the terms of his or her paid service.

Nominations should be sent on the approved application form, which is available from the Secretary to the Honorary

Degrees Committee (tel: (2)80199, email: felicity.burchett@admin.ox.ac.uk) or can be downloaded by staff logging into the University of Oxford Single Sign-On system (www1.admin.ox.ac.uk/councilsec/governance/committees/hondeg). The completed form should be sent to the Secretary to the Honorary Degrees Committee, University Offices, Wellington Square, or by email to felicity.burchett@admin.ox.ac.uk by **9 May**, under 'Strictly Confidential' cover.

While informal soundings within the University will often be desirable, every effort should be made to ensure that publicity is not at any stage given to any specific proposal for the conferral of an honorary degree. All nominations will be considered in strict confidence by the Honorary Degrees Committee, which submits its report to Council at the beginning of Michaelmas term. After discussion, Council will report back to the Honorary Degrees Committee, which will arrive at a list of honorands to put to Congregation.

The names of people on whom degrees by diploma and honorary degrees have recently been conferred may be found in the *University Calendar*, 2013–14, pp535–9.

This year's honorands are:

Sir Harrison Birtwistle
 Professor Wallace Broecker
 The Most Revd Dr Katharine Jefferts Schori
 Sir Anish Kapoor
 Professor Jean-Marie Lehn
 Mr Robert Silvers.

General Notices

Gazette publication arrangements

The final full *Gazettes* of Hilary term will be published on 13 and 20 March. A further issue will be published on 27 March, but this will be limited to Council and Congregation business and changes to Examination Regulations. Publication for Trinity term will begin on 24 April.

The deadline for receipt of items for publication in the *Gazette* of 24 April, which includes the Trinity term lecture supplement, will be brought forward because of the Easter office closure: **the deadline for receipt of such items is noon on 9 April.**

University Committees: Vacancies for appointment by Council and/or its General Purposes Committee

Council's General Purposes Committee (GPC) invites members of the University (subject to eligibility) to submit expressions of interest in relation to the following vacancies to which it or Council appoints.

Expressions of interest must be received by the Council Secretariat (shirley.mulvihill@admin.ox.ac.uk, tel: (2)80463) by **4pm on 31 March.**

Any eligible person who wishes to have his or her name put forward for consideration is encouraged to speak with his or her head of division or head of house, and/or with the relevant committee members or officers to obtain more information about the role, prior to submitting an expression of interest. Expressions received from individuals will be collated by the Council Secretariat with those names received through other routes (such as via heads of division, heads of house or committee officers directly). All names will then be reviewed by the Registrar and Vice-Chancellor prior to being forwarded to GPC and/or Council for consideration as the appointing bodies for these committees.

The purpose of this invitation is to broaden the pool of potential candidates brought to the attention of the appointing body. The names put to the appointing body are only suggestions. It should be noted that the appointing body remains free to take its own decision, irrespective of any names received through this route. In particular, to support the commitments made by the University under its equality scheme, the appointing body will take into consideration the overall balance of membership on the body concerned, with reference to the appropriate representation of ethnicity, disability, age and gender.

CENTRAL UNIVERSITY RESEARCH ETHICS COMMITTEE (CUREC)

Three members appointed to ensure appropriate representation of areas of research involving human participants or personal data: two (*vice* Professor O J Braddick and Dr H Ertl) to serve with immediate effect until MT 2015 and one (*vice* Professor M Rees) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2018

Further information:

Remit: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/520-122e.shtml

Current Membership: <https://www1.admin.ox.ac.uk/councilsec/governance/committees/committeemembership/centraluniversityresearchethics/committeemembership>

Contact: lindsay.freeman@admin.ox.ac.uk

CONFLICT OF INTEREST COMMITTEE

Two members: one member of Congregation from the Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Division (*vice* Professor J A Noble) to serve with immediate effect until MT 2016 and one member of Congregation from the Social Sciences Division (*vice* Professor G S Goodwin-Gill) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2017

Further information:

Remit: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/520-122ff.shtml

Current Membership: <https://www1.admin.ox.ac.uk/councilsec/governance/committees/committeemembership/conflictinterestcommittee/membership>

Contact: sarah.cowburn@admin.ox.ac.uk

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANAGEMENT SUBCOMMITTEE OF GPC

One member taking into account the overall balance of the committee's membership (*vice* Professor S C Cooper) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2017

Further information:

Remit: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/520-122k.shtml

Current Membership: <https://www1.admin.ox.ac.uk/councilsec/governance/committees/committeemembership/healthandsafetymanagement/committeemembership>

Contact: julie.black@safety.ox.ac.uk

HONORARY DEGREES COMMITTEE

Two members of Congregation who are not members of Council (*vice* Professor A M Etheridge and Professor Sir David J Watson) to serve from HT 2015 until HT 2016

Further information:

Remit: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/520-122l.shtml

Current Membership: <https://www1.admin.ox.ac.uk/councilsec/governance/committees/committeemembership/honorarydegreescommittee/membership>

Contact: felicity.burchett@admin.ox.ac.uk

RULES COMMITTEE

One member of Congregation (*vice* Dr K D Grevling) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2017

Further information:

Remit: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/244-062.shtml

Current Membership: available upon request to the Secretary

Contact: james.bufford@proctors.ox.ac.uk

OXFORD UNIVERSITY SOCIETY BOARD

One member (*vice* Professor J F Stein) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2018

Further information:

Remit: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/181-084.shtml#_Toc86825840

Current Membership: www.alumni.ox.ac.uk/page.aspx?pid=564

Contact: christine.fairchild@alumni.ox.ac.uk

STUDENT DISCIPLINARY PANEL

Three members (*vice* Dr E J Frazer, Dr H O'Donoghue and Dr H A Viles) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2017

Further information:

Remit: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/352-051a.shtml#_Toc28142345

Current Membership: available upon request to the Secretary

Contact: sian.griffiths@admin.ox.ac.uk or louise.gullifer@hmc.ox.ac.uk (Chair)

UNIVERSITY CLUB MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Three members: two (*vice* Dr B W Byrne and Ms M J Parrott) to serve from MT 2014 until MT 2017 and one (*vice* Mr J Silk) to serve with immediate effect until MT 2015

Further information:

Remit: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/statutes/regulations/181-084.shtml#_Toc86825838

Current Membership: available upon request to the Secretary

Contact: jon.roycroft@sport.ox.ac.uk

Visiting Professorships**Medical Sciences**

The Medical Sciences Board has conferred the title of Visiting Professor of Psychiatry on **N Craddock**, BA, MB ChB, MA, PhD, FMedSci, FRCPsych, MMedSci, MRCPsych, for a period of 3 years from 25 February 2014.

Graduate Awards and Prizes

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Musical and other Events**Merton**

A weekend of services and concerts for Passiontide will be held at Merton 4–6 April. For full listings, further information and bookings see: www.merton.ox.ac.uk/event/passiontide-merton.

4 Apr, 4pm: Talk by **David Stancliffe** ('The Passion as liturgy': £3); *6.30pm:* talk by **Meurig Bowen**, **Simon Jones** and **Gabriel Jackson** ('Introducing the Passion'); *7.30pm:* *The Passion of the Lord* with Merton choir, **Stephen Hough**, **Jon Laukvik**, **Matthew Martin**, **William Whitehead**, **Emma Tring**, **Ben Johnson**. Conductor: **Benjamin Nicholas** (£20).

5 Apr, 2pm: Pergolesi's *Stabat Mater* with **Eloise Irving**, **Jeremy Kenyon**, **Benjamin Nicholas** (£15); *4.30pm:* talk by **Nicholas Cranfield** ('Painting the Passion': £5); *6pm:* Choral Evensong with Merton choir; *7.30pm:* Festival Dinner in Merton Hall (£45); *9.30pm:* Ensemble 45 (*Lamentations of Jeremiah* and *Miserere*: £10)

6 Apr, 10.30am: Sung Eucharist with Merton choir; *5pm:* Bach's *St Matthew Passion* with Merton choir, **Dame Emma Kirkby**, **James Oxley**, **Giles Underwood**, **Grace Durham**, **Nicholas Pritchard**, **James Birchall**. Accompanied by Oxford Baroque. Conductor: **Benjamin Nicholas** (£10–£40).

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Gazette publication arrangements

Advertisers are asked to note that the remaining *Gazettes* of Hilary term will be published on 13, 20 and 27 March; the 27 March issue, however, will be limited to University business only, so will not contain classified advertisements. Publication for Trinity term will begin on 24 April. Please note that due to Easter there is an early deadline of 9 April for advertisements to be included in the *Gazette* to be published on 24 April.

Book fair

PBFA Oxford Book Fair at Oxford Brookes, Headington Campus, Gypsy Lane, Sat 26 Apr (12–6pm) and Sun 27 Apr (10am–4pm). Admission £2. Vast selection of antiquarian and collectable books, prints and ephemera with more than 100 exhibiting booksellers. See: www.oxfordbookfair.org. Tel: 07703 652965.

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House swaps

Academic couple visiting Oxford in May seek house swap with Palermo (Sicily), or flat/room in shared flat to rent, in Oxford or close. Whole month or less. Please contact: mario.lavezzi@unipa.it (Mario and Lidia).

Flats to let

North and central north Oxford furnished 2-bedroom apartments. North: 1 double 1 single bedroom, bathroom, large lounge and kitchen available from late Mar at £875 pcm. Central north: 1 double 1 single bedroom, bathroom and shower room, lounge, kitchen from May at £995 pcm plus utilities and council tax. Convenient for Summertown and all University departments. Suitable for visiting academics and professionals, couple or single. Tel: 01865 516144. Email: a.florentino@ntlworld.com.

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