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Council and Main Committees

Congregation 11 June

Election results

COUNCIL

On Thursday, 11 June, the following was duly elected to Council (Divisions of Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences and of Medical Sciences) to serve until the start of MT 2030:

Professor Martin Castell, BSc Exe, PhD Camb, Linacre, Faculty of Materials

[The votes recorded were: for Professor Martin Castell, 906; and for Professor Sir Aziz Sheikh, 770.]

COUNCIL

On Thursday, 11 June, the following was duly elected to Council (non-divisional) to serve until the start of MT 2030:

Tom Adcock, MEng DPhil Oxf, St Peter's, Engineering Science

[The votes recorded were: for Tom Adcock, 442; for Dr Chris Ballinger, 238; for Tony Brett, 331; for David Renton, 159; for Boyd Rodger, 122; and for Professor Guy Thwaites, 370.]

VISITORS OF THE ASHMOLEAN MUSEUM

On Thursday, 11 June, the following was duly elected to the Visitors of the Ashmolean Museum to hold office with immediate effect until the start of MT 2029:

James R Edwards, BSc UWE, DPhil Oxf, Kellogg, Nuffield Department of Orthopaedics, Rheumatology and Musculoskeletal Sciences

[The votes recorded were: for Professor Richard Bulbulia, 546; and for James R Edwards, 927.]

CURATORS OF THE UNIVERSITY PARKS

On Thursday, 11 June, the following was duly elected to the Curators of the University Parks to serve until the start of MT 2030:

Dr Laura Ingle, BM BCh Oxf, MA Camb, Nuffield Department of Primary Care Health Sciences

[The votes recorded were: for Dr Laura Ingle, 787; for Colin Phillips, 276; and for Celeste Sarra, 485.]

BOARD OF THE FACULTY OF LINGUISTICS, PHILOLOGY AND PHONETICS

On Thursday, 11 June, the following were duly elected to the Board of the Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics to serve until the start of MT 2028:

Wolfgang D C de Melo, MPhil DPhil Oxf, MA SOAS, Wolfson, Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics, Faculty of Classics

Gillian C Ramchand, MA Oxf, BSc MIT, PhD Stanford, Magdalen, Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics

Devyani Sharma, BA Dartmouth College, MA PhD Stanford, Worcester, Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics, Faculty of English Language and Literature

Professor Ian Watson, MA MPhil PhD Camb, Christ Church, Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics, Faculty of Modern Languages

[The votes recorded were: for Richard Ashdowne, 11; for Chiara Cappellaro, 19; for Wolfgang D C de Melo, 39; for Professor E Matthew Husband, 24; for Miriam Meyerhoff, 28; for Gillian C Ramchand, 31; for Devyani Sharma, 31; for Professor Ian Watson, 32; and for Professor Sam Wolfe, 27.]

Council of the University

Register of Congregation

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

Katherine Bull, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine
Sarah Casey, Ashmolean Museum of Art and Archaeology
Izabel Chandra, Department of Biology
Alison East, Department of Biology
Karen Emanuel-Williams, Digital Governance Unit
Ricardo Fernandes, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine
Denis Filer, Department of Biology
Thomas Hesselberg, Department for Continuing Education

Thomas Littlejohns, Nuffield Department of Population Health
Zara Mahmood, Saïd Business School
Emma Marsden, Department of Education
Thomas Allan Murphy, New College
Sepiso Dean Mwamelo, Centre for Tropical Medicine & Global Health
Anjalika Nande, Nuffield Department of Primary Care Health Sciences
Michelle Nunn, Nuffield Department of Population Health
Ludovica Serratrice, Department of Education
Lindsay Skoll, Jesus
Cynthia Wright, Nuffield Department of Primary Care Health Sciences

Divisional and Faculty Boards

For changes to regulations for examinations see [‘Changes to Examination Regulations’](#) below.

Congregation

Congregation 22 June

Degree by Resolution

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Congregation 30 June

The following resolution will be deemed to be approved at **noon on 30 June** unless by that time the Registrar has received notice in writing from 2 or more members of

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

Voting on a Resolution authorising space in King Charles House to the Saïd Business School

For explanatory note and full text of resolution see [Gazette No 5496, 11 June 2026, p577](#).

Meeting information

Members of Congregation are reminded that any 2 members may, not later than **noon on 22 June**, give notice in writing to the Registrar that they wish to oppose 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 shall 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 Office (email: elections.office@admin.ox.ac.uk).

Notices

General Notices

Oxford Magazine

An update from the Board of the *Oxford Magazine* has been published online at <https://staff.web.ox.ac.uk/oxford-magazine>.

Appointments

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

APPOINTMENTS

Thomas Rainforth, DPhil Oxf, Associate Professor of Statistics, Department of Statistics, and fellow of Jesus, from 1 September 2026 until retirement

REAPPOINTMENTS

Andrew Daley, Associate Professor of Atomic and Laser Physics, Theory of Quantum Systems, with title of Professor of Quantum Physics, Department of Physics, fellow of Keble, from 10 June 2026 until retirement

Medical Sciences

REAPPOINTMENTS

Randy Bruno, Associate Professor of Neuroscience and Titular Professor of Neuroscience, Department of Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics, has been reappointed to the retiring age with effect from 1 July 2026

Visiting Professorships

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

APPOINTMENTS

Dave Newbold, PhD Brist, Executive Director of National Laboratories, UK Research and Innovation; Visiting Professor in Physics, Department of Physics, for a period of 3 years from 29 May 2026

Eve Schooler, PhD Caltech, RAEng Visiting Professor of Sustainable Computing, Department of Engineering Science; Visiting Professor of Practice, Department of Engineering Science, for a period of 3 years from 1 September 2026

REAPPOINTMENTS

John Singleton, DPhil Oxf, Leader, Magnet Operations, Science and Technology, NHMFL Pulsed-Field facility, Los Alamos; Visiting Professor in Physics, Department of Physics, for a further period of 3 years from 1 August 2026

Graduate Awards and Prizes

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Examinations and Boards

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Changes to Examination Regulations

For the complete text of each regulation listed below and a listing of all changes to regulations for this year to date, please see www.ox.ac.uk/about/how-we-are-run/gazette/changes-to-examination-regulations.

Humanities Board

ASIAN AND MIDDLE EASTERN STUDIES, FHS

- (a) removing erroneous mention of paper 8 for Egyptian as a subsidiary language
- (b) including schedule of papers for Hittite as permitted subsidiary language

FINE ART, MFA

clarification of deadline for performance-only submissions

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board

MATHEMATICAL, PHYSICAL AND LIFE SCIENCES DIVISION, RESEARCH DEGREES

adding Department of Materials to integrated thesis regulations to permit their students to submit a thesis in this way

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Miscellaneous

BCMH Summer Conference: Whither Operational Art. Oxford University Training Corps, Falklands House, Oxpens Rd, OX1 1RX. Sat 20 Jun, 9am to 7pm. The conference papers will look at Operational Art from the Middle Ages to the present day, covering operations across the world. Host: British Commission for Military History. To register and for more information, programme and agenda: www.bcmh.org.uk/bcmh-summer-conference-whither-operational-art.

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Research participants sought

Are you an academic or professional services staff member (PSS) working in a research-related role? We would like to invite you to take part in a study about Research Culture at the University of Oxford. The study explores relationships between PSS and academics and involves taking part in a focus group at the Department of Education (15 Norham Gardens) in Jun. Please fill in the form below to express your interest: <https://tinyurl.com/2fun7enk>.

Antiques wanted and for sale

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Accommodation offered

Comfortable ground floor double room, own shower/WC, for single occupant. Available 1 Oct. Quiet professional home with garden; no other rooms let; conveniently situated (OX4 1SX) near all amenities, river and University sports centre. Close to buses to town centre, Science Park, London and airports. Owner has a cat. Suit quiet, responsible postgraduate or visiting professional. Non-smoker only. £800 pm incl bills/Wi-Fi. Further details: 07552 948170.

Accommodation sought

Temporary accommodation sought for a 3rd-year male medical student from Nagoya City University (Japan) who is going to be conducting studies at the University of Oxford from mid-Aug to mid-Nov. House sharing or independent accommodation within easy commute from the Oxford University Science area would be ideal. Email supervisors: charalampos.sigalas@pharm.ox.ac.uk or paolo.tammario@pharm.ox.ac.uk.

