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NOTICES

Calendar

6 March

4 March, *Sunday*. Preacher before the University at 11.15 a.m., Rt Rev. Dr A. Jackelen, Bishop of Lund (Hulsean Preacher).

5 March, Monday. End of third quarter of Lent term.

6 March, *Tuesday*. Discussion at 2 p.m. in the Senate-House (see below).

16 March, Friday. Full Term ends.

Discussions at 2 p.m.

Congregations

21 March, Wednesday at 11 a.m. (Installation of the Chancellor)

20 March, Saturday at 10 a.m.

Notice of a Discussion on Tuesday, 6 March 2012

The Vice-Chancellor invites those qualified under the regulations for Discussions (*Statutes and Ordinances*, p. 107) to attend a Discussion in the Senate-House, on Tuesday, 6 March, at 2 p.m., for the discussion of:

- 1. Report of the General Board, dated 8 February 2012, on the establishment of a Professorship of Sustainable Reaction Engineering (*Reporter*, 2011–12, p. 456).
- 2. Report of the General Board, dated 8 February 2012, on the establishment of Professorships of Politics, Engineering, and Genetics (*Reporter*, 2011–12, p. 457).

Joint Report of the Council and the General Board on a retirement policy for University staff: Notice and announcement of Ballot

20 February 2012

The Council has considered the remarks at the Discussion on 24 January 2012 of its Joint Report with the General Board on a retirement policy for University staff (*Reporter*, 2011–12, p. 431). It notes that, of the 13 persons who spoke, five spoke against the proposal to maintain the current retirement age of certain University officers and eight spoke in favour, some with reservations. In view of the importance of the proposed policy, the Council, with the concurrence of the General Board, has agreed to submit a Grace to the Regent House (Grace 3, p. 475) for the approval of the recommendations in the Report and, in accordance with Regulation 7 of the regulations for Graces and Congregations of the Regent House (*Statutes and Ordinances*, p. 108), it has determined that a vote will be taken on the Grace according to the timetable set out below. The Council intends to promote one or more fly-sheets to be circulated with the ballot papers that will address, *inter alia*, specific points raised in the Discussion.

In accordance with Regulation 9 of the regulations for Graces and Congregations of the Regent House (*Statutes and Ordinances*, p. 108) any written proposals of amendments to this Grace, accompanied by the signatures of at least twenty-five members of the Regent House who support the proposal, should be sent to the Vice-Chancellor by 4 p.m. on Friday, 2 March 2012.

NOTICE OF A BALLOT

The Council gives notice that a vote will be taken by postal ballot under the Single Transferable Vote Regulations (*Statutes and Ordinances*, p. 118) on Grace 3 of 22 February 2012.

In connection with this ballot the Registrary will arrange for the printing and circulation of any fly-sheet, signed by ten or more members of the Regent House, which reaches him by 1 p.m. on **Thursday**, **15 March 2012**. Fly-sheets must bear, in addition to the signatures, the names and initials (in block capitals) of the signatories (*Statutes and Ordinances*, p. 112). Voting papers and fly-sheets will be distributed to all members of the Regent House on or before **Tuesday**, **17 April 2012**; the last date for the return of voting papers will be **Friday**, **27 April 2012**.

North West Cambridge: update on progress and the development of proposals for a first phase: Notice

The University last summer gave authority (Grace 2 of 15 June 2011) for the submission of a planning application for University land at North West Cambridge. The new Syndicate for the West and North West Cambridge Estates is conscious that these development plans are of interest to many within the University, and will endeavour to ensure that matters of substance are publicized through further timely updates in the *Reporter*, rather than leaving them to be included in a Report on the next occasion that University approval is sought. This is the first such update.

The outline planning application was submitted in September 2011, and current indications are that the consideration by the local authorities of the outline planning application for the whole site will not be complete before late summer 2012.

The Council reported in October (*Reporter*, 2011–12, p. 82) that it had decided to take forward detailed planning work for a Phase 1 at North West Cambridge preparatory to presenting a case for such a development to the Regent House during the course of 2012. As part of that package of work, a competition to appoint architects for the University elements of the project has been initiated (see http://news.admin.cam.ac.uk/news/2012/01/13/competition-to-find-architects-and-landscape-architects-for-north-west-cambridge/). This initial design work will be carried out within the budget already authorized by the Council.

The intention remains that the financial appraisal of the potential Phase 1 will be refreshed and updated in the summer of 2012, with a view to a Report to the University in the Michaelmas Term.

Response to remarks made at the Discussion on 7 February: Notice by the Editor

In the *Reporter* of 15 February 2012, a Notice was published in reply to Discussion remarks on the Annual Reports of the Council and the General Board and Reports and Financial Statements for 2010–11 (*Reporter*, 2011–12, p. 453). Under the sub-heading *OIA Pathway 3 Consultation*, the Notice observed that Professor Evans (who had made remarks on this matter) 'commented in particular on statements in that response relating to Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) in which, as Chief Executive of the Improving Dispute Resolution Advisory Service for Further and Higher Education, she has a particular interest.' The Editor of the *Reporter* wishes to clarify that the phrase 'particular interest' in reference to Professor Evans's position as Chief Executive of IDRAS was not intended to imply that Professor Evans had any financial or directly personal interest that she should have declared when she pointed out in her remarks that Alternative Dispute Resolution was worth considering by the University.

Provisional student headcount data: Notice

The Student Statistics Office has now published early provisional student headcount data for 2011–12, which is now available on the web at http://www.admin.cam.ac.uk/offices/planning/sso/headcount/.

VACANCIES, APPOINTMENTS, ETC.

Electors to the Professorship of Comparative Oncology and Genetics: Notice

The Council has appointed members of the *ad hoc* Board of Electors to the Professorship of Comparative Oncology and Genetics as follows:

Professor Anthony Minson, W, in the Chair, as the Vice-Chancellor's deputy

(a) on the nomination of the Council

Professor Jonathan Heeney Professor David Neal

(b) on the nomination of the General Board

Professor Christopher Gilligan, K

Professor Annemarie Kristensen, The Royal Veterinary and Agricultural University, Denmark

Professor Michael Stratton, Wellcome Trust Sanger Institute

(c) on the nomination of the Faculty Board of Veterinary Medicine

Professor Michael Herrtage, *ED* Professor Duncan Maskell, *W*

Professor Elaine Ostrander, National Institute of Health, Maryland

Electors to the Sheila Joan Smith Professorship of Immunology: Notice

The Council has appointed members of the *ad hoc* Board of Electors to the Sheila Joan Smith Professorship of Immunology as follows:

Professor Jeremy Sanders, SE, in the Chair, as the Vice-Chancellor's deputy

(a) on the nomination of the Council

Professor Michael Neuberger, *T* Professor Sir Patrick Sissons, *DAR* (b) on the nomination of the General Board

Dr Mary Carrington, National Cancer Institute at Frederick, Maryland Professor Carl Nathan, Cornell University Professor John Trowsdale

(c) on the nomination of the Faculty Board of Clinical Medicine

Professor Gillian Griffiths, *K* Professor Sir Andrew James McMichael, John Radcliffe Hospital Professor Kenneth Smith, *PEM*

Electors to the Serena Professorship of Italian: Notice

The Council has appointed members of the ad hoc Board of Electors to the Serena Professorship of Italian as follows:

Dr Jennifer Barnes, MUR, in the Chair, as the Vice-Chancellor's deputy

(a) on the nomination of the Council

Dr Adam Ledgeway, *DOW* Professor Brian Richardson, University of Leeds

(b) on the nomination of the General Board

Professor Simon Franklin, *CL*Professor Martin McLaughlin, University of Oxford
Professor Emma Wilson, *CC*

(c) on the nomination of the Faculty Board of Modern and Medieval Languages

Dr William Burgwinkle, *K* Professor Ann Hallamore Caesar, University of Warwick Professor Deborah Howard, *JN*

Vacancies in the University

A full list of current vacancies can be found at http://www.admin.cam.ac.uk/offices/hr/jobs/.

University Lecturer in American History; salary: £37,012–£46,846 a year; closing date: 16 March 2012; further particulars: http://www.hist.cam.ac.uk/jobs; quote reference: JJ13062.

University Lecturer in Classics (Greek Pre-history); salary: £37,012–£46,846 a year; closing date: 5 March 2012; further particulars: http://www.classics.cam.ac.uk/faculty/vacancies/; quote reference: GE12302.

University Lecturer in Classics (Philosophy); salary: £37,012–£46,846 a year; closing date: 5 March 2012; further particulars: http://www.classics.cam.ac.uk/faculty/vacancies/; quote reference: GE12292.

University Lecturer in Industrial and Economic Systems and Structures; salary: £37,012–£46,846 a year; closing date: 11 April 2012; further particulars: http://www.eng.cam.ac.uk/admin/jobsinfo/UL_IndustrialSystems.pdf; quote reference: NA13561.

University Lecturer in Sociology; salary: £37,012–£46,846 a year; closing date: 16 April 2012; further particulars: http://www.sociology.cam.ac.uk/dept/jobs.html; quote reference: JA13581.

Clinical Lecturer in Virology; limit of tenure: four years; salary: £30,992–£53,663 a year; closing date: 13 March 2012; further particulars: http://www.jobs.cam.ac.uk/job/-13631/; quote reference: PK13631.

Temporary Lecturer in British Economic and Social History, since 1700; limit of tenure: three years; salary: £37,012–£46,846 a year; closing date: 23 March 2012; further particulars: http://www.hist.cam.ac.uk/jobs; quote reference: JJ13541.

Temporary Teaching Associate (Latin Literature); limit of tenure: two years; salary: £27,578–£35,938 a year; closing date: 5 March 2012; further particulars: http://www.classics.cam.ac.uk/faculty/vacancies/; quote reference: GE12752.

The University values diversity and is committed to equality of opportunity.

The University has a responsibility to ensure that all employees are eligible to live and work in the UK.

Appointments and grants of title

The following appointments and grants of title have been made:

APPOINTMENTS

Head of Department

Astronomy. Professor Paul Hewett, CC, appointed from 16 February 2012 to 30 September 2016. (Professor Hewett was previously appointed as Acting Head of Department from 1 January 2012 to 15 February 2012.)

GRANTS OF TITLE

Affiliated Lecturers

Architecture and History of Art. Mr Michael Stuart Driver, CHR, and Reverend Dr John Millington Munns, EM, have been granted the title of Affiliated Lecturer from 1 October 2011 for two years.

Asian and Middle Eastern Studies. Dr Simon Charles Kaner has been granted the title of Affiliated Lecturer from 1 October 2011 for a further two years.

Classics. Dr Joanna Clare Willmott, Q, has been granted the title of Affiliated Lecturer from 1 October 2011 for a further two years.

Experimental Psychology. Dr Emma Jane Louise Weisblatt, G, has been granted the title of Affiliated Lecturer from 1 October 2011 for a further two years.

Geography. Dr Lawrence Andre Frideres, G, has been granted the title of Affiliated Lecturer from 1 October 2011 for two years.

Politics and International Studies. Dr Lawrence Hamilton, CLH, has been granted the title of Affiliated Lecturer from 1 October 2011 for a further two years.

Slavonic Studies. Dr Elena Y. Filimonova has been granted the title of Affiliated Lecturer from 1 October 2011 for a further two years.

Spanish and Portuguese. Ms L. Barata has been granted the title of Affiliated Lecturer from 1 October 2011 for a further two years.

CRASSH Visiting Fellowships and Early Career Fellowships, 2012–13

The Centre for Research in the Arts, Social Sciences, and Humanities (CRASSH) is pleased to announce the results of its competitions for Visiting Fellowships and Early Career Fellowships at CRASSH in 2012–13. A complete list of those who have been awarded fellowships and details of their research projects are available online at http://www.crassh.cam. ac.uk/page/1089/visiting-fellows-2012-13.htm and http://www.crassh.cam.ac.uk/page/1092/early-career-fellows-2012-13.htm.

EVENTS, COURSES, ETC.

Announcement of lectures, seminars, etc.

The University offers a large number of lectures, seminars, and other events, many of which are free of charge, to members of the University and others who are interested. Details can be found on Faculty and Departmental websites, and in the following resources.

The What's On website (http://www.admin.cam.ac.uk/whatson/) carries details of exhibitions, music, theatre and film, courses, and workshops, and is searchable by category and date. Both an RSS feed and a subscription email service are available.

Talks.cam (http://www.talks.cam.ac.uk/) is a fully searchable talks listing service, and talks can be subscribed to and details downloaded.

Brief details of upcoming events are given below.

german/

Divinity Hulsean Lecture: Painting for the powerful?, by Mr N. http://www.divinitv.cam.ac.uk/

> MacGregor OM, Director of the British Museum, on documents/Hulsean/ Hulsean 2012 CURRENT.jpg

7 March 2012

D. H. Green Memorial Lecture: Zwischen Geschichte und http://www.mml.cam.ac.uk/news/ German

Mythos: Die Wartburg als Literaturort vom

Hochmittelalter bis ins 19. Jahrhundert, by Professor

Jens Haustein, on 2 March 2012

Hersch Lauterpacht Memorial Lectures 2012: Jurisdiction http://www.lcil.cam.ac.uk/ Lauterpacht Centre for International Law and admissibility of cases before international courts lectures/hersch lectures.php

and tribunals, by Professor Yuval Shany

Before Van Riebeeck: interactions between later Stone Age http://www.mcdonald.cam.ac.uk/ McDonald Institute for Achaeological Research

communities and 16th century Dutch seafarers along events/ the coastline of South Africa, by Dr Marcelle Olivier, on

22 February 2012

NOTICES BY FACULTY BOARDS, ETC.

Mathematical Tripos, Part III, 2012: Amendment

Further to their Notice of 16 November 2011 (Reporter, 2011–12, p. 196), in accordance with Regulations 18 and 19 for the Mathematical Tripos, the Examiners give notice that a candidate may submit an essay on any one of the following additional topics:

Shellard, Chen Primordial non-Gaussianity and large-scale structure

Categorical Galois theory Goedecke

Goedecke Homology in semi-abelian categories Complex multiplication of abelian varieties Scholl

Scholl *p*-adic uniformization

Shepherd-Barron Smoothness results in deformation theory

Shepherd-Barron Jacobians and Prym varieties

Shepherd-Barron Normal subgroups of the Cremona group Altham Analysis of a large and complex data set

Kovalev Ativah-Singer index theorem

Grojnowski Algebraic groups, geometry of the flag variety, combinatorics of the Weyl group

Grojnowski Hodge theory

Grojnowski Rational homotopy theory, and mapping spaces Johnstone Topos-theoretic approaches to quantum theory Juhász Exotic 4-spheres and Khovanov homology Wickramasekera Regularity of energy minimizing maps

Rogers Implied volatility The potential approach Rogers

Bouatta, Butterfield General covariance and background independence in quantum gravity

Evans Theories of spiral structure

Taylor Instabilities in developing ocean fronts Taylor Turbulence and plankton ecosystem dynamics Statistical methods for cancer genomics Tavaré Shadrin B-spline basis condition number Brookes Non-Archimedean amoebae Green The multiplication table Entanglement and entropies Datta

Goldstein Instabilities in dilute suspension of self-propelled microscopic swimmers

Further to their Notice of 26 October 2011 (Reporter, 2011-12, p. 88), the Faculty Board of Mathematics give notice that the following paper has been cancelled:

Paper 8: Kac-Moody and Virasoro algebras

CLASS-LISTS, ETC.

Approved for degrees, diplomas, and certificates

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OBITUARIES

Obituary Notice

SIR ALAN HOWARD COTTRELL, Sc.D., FRS, FREng, Vice-Chancellor, 1977–79, Emeritus Goldsmiths' Professor of Metallurgy, Master of Jesus College, 1974–86, Emeritus Fellow of Jesus College, 1986–2012, Honorary Fellow of Jesus College and of Christ's College, died on 15 February 2012, aged 92 years.

GRACES

Graces submitted to the Regent House on 22 February 2012

The Council submits the following Graces to the Regent House. In accordance with the provisions of Regulation 7 of the regulations for Graces of the Regent House (*Statutes and Ordinances*, p. 107), the Council has determined that a vote shall be taken by ballot on Grace 3 (see the Council's Notice, p. 465). The remaining Graces, other than any which is withdrawn or for which a ballot is requested in accordance with Regulation 8 of those regulations, will be deemed to have been approved at 4 p.m. on Friday, 2 March 2012.

- 1. That an Address to Her Most Excellent Majesty The Queen be sealed with the Common Seal of the University, and presented to Her Majesty on the occasion of the sixtieth anniversary of Her Majesty's accession to the throne.¹
- 2. That Regulation 3 of the regulations for Addresses to The Sovereign and Formal Letters to other universities (*Statutes and Ordinances*, p. 190) be amended by replacing the words 'together with six other members of the University, to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor' by the words 'together with not more than six other members of the University nominated by the Vice-Chancellor; provided that the Vice-Chancellor shall not be required to nominate additional members to the deputation on a particular occasion'.²
- **3.** That the recommendations in paragraph 24 of the Joint Report of the Council and the General Board, dated 12 December 2011 and 30 November 2011, on a retirement policy for University staff (*Reporter*, 2011–12, p. 347) be approved.³
- **4.** That PricewaterhouseCoopers be reappointed, in accordance with Statute F, II, 5, to be the qualified accountants for the audit of the University's financial statements for the financial year 2011–12.

¹ It is expected that the Address will be presented to Her Majesty on 27 March 2012. The text, which has been approved by the Council, will be available for inspection in the University Offices Reception from 24 February. It will be published in the *Reporter* early in the Easter Term together with details of the University's deputation.

² The current regulation specifies that the Chancellor shall be accompanied when presenting a Loyal Address to The Sovereign by the Esquire Bedells and by the Vice-Chancellor, the Orator, the Proctors, the Registrary, and six other members of the University to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor. The Vice-Chancellor has received information indicating that on this occasion the complete deputation specified by the regulation cannot be accommodated at Buckingham Palace (other Privileged Bodies will also present Addresses at the same ceremony). It is therefore proposed to amend the regulation to permit the Vice-Chancellor to nominate not more than six additional members to the deputation, but to remove the requirement to do so on every occasion that an Address is presented.

³ See the Council's Notice on p. 465.

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Congregation of the Regent House on 18 February 2012

A Congregation of the Regent House was held at 2 p.m. All the Graces that were submitted to the Regent House (*Reporter*, 2011–12, p. 459) were approved.

The following degrees were conferred:

"Vj ku'eqpvgpv'j cu'dggp'tgo qxgf ''cu'kv'eqpvckpu'r gtuqpcrlkphqto cvkqp'r tqvgevgf ''wpf gt''vj g'F cvc'Rtqvgevkqp''Cev0

J. W. NICHOLLS, Registrary

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COLLEGE NOTICES

Elections

Darwin College

The Fellows of Darwin College have much pleasure in announcing the election of Professor Christine Mary Rutherford Fowler, M.A., Ph.D., FRAS, FRGS, as the next Master of Darwin College in succession to Professor William Brown, M.A., CBE, who retires on 30 September 2012. Professor Fowler will be inducted as Master on 1 October 2012.

Emmanuel College

The following have been elected into Junior Research Fellowships for three years from 1 October 2012:

Daniel Popa, L.S., *Rome* Lucy Razzall, B.A., *JE* Annie Ring, B.A., *Leeds*

Kings College

Elected to a Professorial Fellowship for five years with effect from 1 October 2012:

Arjun Appadurai, B.A., *Brandeis*, M.Phil., Ph.D., *Chicago*

Elected to a Junior Research Fellowship for three years with effect from 1 April 2012:

Surabhi Ranganathan, B.A., *Bangalore*, LL.M., *New York*

Vacancies

Newnham College: Associate Lectureships in History; tenable: from 1 October 2012, only in conjunction with another appointment; closing date: 16 March 2012; further particulars: http://www.newn.cam.ac.uk/joining-newnham/academic-posts/.

Events

Emmanuel College: An organ recital will take place at 6.30 p.m. on Friday, 2 March 2012, in Emmanuel College Chapel. The concert will be given by Dr David Ponsford (organ) and the programme will be as follows:

Stanley: Overture *The Power of Music* Clérambault: *Suite du deuxième ton*

J. S. Bach: An Wasserflüssen Babylon (BWV 653)

J. S. Bach: Prelude and Fugue in E flat major (BWV 552)

Further details are available at http://www.emma.cam.ac.uk/collegelife/events/#1369.

SOCIETIES, ETC.

Antiquarian Society

The Society's next lecture will take place at 6 p.m. on Monday, 5 March 2012, preceded by the Society's Annual General Meeting at 5.45 p.m., at the Law Faculty Building, West Road. Tom Williamson will give a lecture entitled *Explaining regional landscapes: medieval fields and farms in eastern England.* Further details are available at http://www.camantsoc.org/events.html.

Philosophical Society

The Society's next lecture will take place at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 27 February 2012, in the Bristol-Myers Squibb Lecture Theatre, Department of Chemistry, Lensfield Road. Professor Ali Alavi will give a lecture entitled *Quantum chemical games of life*. Further details are available at http://www.cambridgephilosophicalsociety. org/lectures.shtml.

EXTERNAL NOTICES

Oxford Notices

Sub-department of Atmospheric, Oceanic, and Planetary Physics: Halley Professorship of Physics; closing date: 30 April 2012; further particulars: http://www.ox.ac.uk/about the university/jobs/fp/.

Department of Social Policy and Intervention: Professorship of Sociology and Social Policy; closing date: 19 March 2012; further particulars: http://www.ox.ac.uk/about_the_university/jobs/fp/.

St Catherine's College: Graduate Scholarships; award: £1,500–£5,000; closing date: 9 March 2012; further particulars: http://www.stcatz.ox.ac.uk/vacancies/graduate-scholarships-current.

St Edmund Hall: Director of Development; salary: negotiable; closing date: noon on 8 March 2012; further particulars: http://www.seh.ox.ac.uk.

St Antony's College: (South East European Studies at Oxford): A. G. Leventis Visiting Fellowship in Contemporary Greek Studies (2012–13); stipend: £20,000 a year; closing date: 19 March 2012; further particulars: http://www.sant.ox.ac.uk/seesox or email julie.adams@sant.ox.ac.uk.

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