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# Fellows' list

## WARDEN

**Lord Macdonald of River Glaven Kt QC**

## FELLOWS

**E. Jane Garnett**  
Tutor in History and Welfare  
Dean

**Stephen J. Heyworth**  
Maurice Bowra Fellow and  
Tutor in Classics, Secretary  
for the Wine Committee, and  
Steward of Common Room

**Alan W. Beggs**  
John Flemming Fellow and  
Tutor in Economics

**Paul D. Beer**  
Professor of Inorganic  
Chemistry, Braithwaite Fellow  
and Tutor in Chemistry

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**Colin P. Mayer, FBA**  
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Management Studies and  
Sub-Warden

**Cláudia M. Pazos Alonso**  
Senior Research Fellow in  
Portuguese and Brazilian  
Studies and Dean

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Senior Research Fellow in  
Law

**Philip Candelas, FRS**  
Rouse Ball Professor of  
Mathematics

**Oren Sussman**  
Reader in Finance and Tutor  
in Management Studies

**Paul J. Martin**  
Tutor in Politics

**Matthew S. Kempshall**  
Cliff Davies Fellow and Tutor  
in Modern History, Keeper of  
the Gardens, and Secretary  
of Governing Body

**Benjamin C. Berks**  
Professor of Biochemistry  
and Tutor in Biochemistry

**Caroline S. Mawson**  
Senior Tutor and Tutor for  
Admissions

**Carolin Duttlinger**  
Ockenden Fellow and Tutor in  
German

**Ankhi Mukherjee**  
Professor of English and  
World Literatures and Tutor  
in English

**Michael J. Bannon**  
Director of Postgraduate  
Medical Education and  
Professorial Fellow

**Andrew D. Farmery**  
Sir Samuel Scott of Yews  
Fellow and Tutor in Medicine  
and Steward of Common  
Room

**Martin G. Bureau**  
Professor of Astrophysics  
and Lindemann Fellow and  
Tutor in Physics

**Alexander C. Paseau**  
Stuart Hampshire Fellow and  
Tutor in Philosophy

**Mark S. Thompson**  
Tutor in Engineering and  
Tutor for Graduates

**Edmund M. Herzig**  
Masoumeh and Fereydoon  
Soudavar Professor of  
Persian Studies

**Philip R. Bullock**  
Professor of Russian, Yeltsin  
Fellow and Tutor in Russian,  
and Director of Music

**Peter J. Thonemann**  
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Tutor in Ancient History and  
Tutor for Access

**Eric F. Clarke, FBA**  
Heather Professor of Music

**Sarah E. Lamb**  
Kadoorie Professor of  
Trauma Rehabilitation

**Paolo G. Radaelli**  
Dr Lee's Professor of  
Experimental Philosophy

**Christopher Summerfield**  
Professor of Cognitive  
Neuroscience and Tutor in  
Experimental Psychology

**Darren J. Dixon**  
Professor of Organic  
Chemistry, Knowles–Williams  
Fellow and Tutor in Organic  
Chemistry

**Nathalie Seddon**  
Tutor in Biological Sciences

**Margaret Hillenbrand**  
Tutor in Chinese

**Frances J. Lloyd**  
Domestic Bursar

**David G. Conlon**  
Tutor in Mathematics

**Tarunabh Khaitan**  
Hackney Fellow and Tutor  
in Law

**Emma E. A. Cohen**  
Tutor in Human Sciences

**Jane Griffiths**  
Placito Fellow and Tutor in  
English

**Francesco Zanetti**  
Tutor in Economics

**Alexander F. Ritter**  
Roger Penrose Fellow and  
Tutor in Mathematics

**Julie C. Hage**  
Development Director

**Dominic P. Brookshaw**  
Senior Research Fellow in  
Persian and Fellow Librarian

**W. Thomas M. Sinclair**  
Tutor in Philosophy and Tutor  
for Undergraduates

**Thomas W. Simpson**  
Senior Research Fellow in  
Philosophy and Public Policy  
and Senior Treasurer of  
Amalgamated Clubs

**Susan M. Lea**  
Professor of Microbiology  
and EPA Fund Fellow

**Ekaterina A. Shamonina**  
Tutor in Engineering Science

**Alfonso A. Castrejón-Pita**  
Colin Wood Fellow and Tutor  
in Engineering Science and  
Tutor for Race

**Alexander Steel**  
Lee Shau Kee's Sir Man Kam  
Lo Fellow and Tutor in Law

**Lydia C. Gilday**  
JRF in Chemistry

**Fiona M. Powrie, FRS**  
Professor of  
Musculo-Skeletal Sciences

**Sara E. Motta**  
JRF in Astrophysics

**Olivia Vázquez Medina**  
Tutor in Spanish

**Ursula H. M. Martin, FEng**  
EPSRC Research Professor  
in Computer Science and  
Senior Research Fellow

**Karl B. J. Kügle**  
ERC Research Professor in  
Music and Senior Research  
Fellow

**Sakura Schafer-Nameki**  
Fellow and Tutor in  
Mathematics

**Samuel J. Williams**  
Wadham College Law  
Society Fellow by Special  
Election

**Judy Z. Stephenson**  
David Richards JRF in  
Economic History and Tutor  
for Women

**Peter J. Alsop**  
Finance Bursar

**Emily M. L. McLaughlin**  
Fellow and Tutor in French

**Stephan Rauschenbach**  
Fellow and Tutor in Chemistry

**Christina S. M. Benninghaus**  
A. F. Thompson DAAD Fellow  
in Modern History

**Oliver M. Butler**  
Fellow by Special Election  
in Law

**Scott A. Blumenthal**  
JRF in Social Sciences

**Jack J. J. Miller**  
JRF in Medical Sciences

**Andrew Princep**  
Keeley Rutherford JRF in  
Physics

**Monika Gullerova**  
Associate Professor in  
Experimental Pathology and  
Tutor of Medicine

**Laure Zanna**  
David Richards Fellow and  
Tutor in Physics

**Emilia Terracciano**  
Bowra JRF in the Humanities

**Matthew Langton**  
RJP Williams JRF in  
Chemistry

**Fabrizio Caola**  
Fellow and Tutor in Physics

### HONORARY FELLOWS

**Lee Shau Kee**

**Sir Michael Checkland**

**Sir Sydney Giffard, KCMG**

**Professor Peter Day, FRS**

**Wasim Sajjad**

**Rt Hon Sir Christopher  
Rose, PC**

**Sir Franklin D. Berman,  
KCMG, QC**

**Rt Hon The Lord Bragg CH,  
FRS, FBA**

**Peter J. Marshall, CBE, FBA**

**Allan E. Gottlieb, CC, OM**

**Sir Roderick C. Floud, FBA**

**Rt Hon The Lord Dyson, PC**

**The Rt Revd and the Rt  
Hon The Lord Williams of  
Oystermouth, PC, FBA**

**H. Allen O. Hill, FRS**

**The Hon Peter A. S. Milliken,  
PC, FRSC**

**Sir David R. Winkley**

**Rt Hon Sir James Munby**

**Professor Andrew  
Thomson, OBE, FRS**

**Sir Neil Chalmers**

**Kathleen M. Sullivan**

**Professor Sandra D.  
Fredman, FBA, QC**

**Robert Hannigan, CMG**

**Professor Sally L. Mapstone**

**Professor Robert J. C. Young**

**Amelia S. Gentleman**

**Professor Stuart J. Russell**

### FOUNDATION FELLOWS

**Alan Green**

**Michael J. Peagram**

**Joyce Von Bothmer**

**Stephen W. C. Stow**

**J. Kenneth Woods**

**Nicholas C. F. Barber, CBE**

**Anthony C. Preston, CBE**

**Matthew Benham**

**Alasdair J. D. Locke**

**John H. McCall MacBain, OC**

**William W. H. Doo**

**Edwin W. S. Mok**

**Carol A. Richards**

**The Hon N. P. V. Rothschild**

### EMERITUS FELLOWS

**Michael R. Ayers, FBA**

**Colin J. Wood**

**Raymond C. Ockenden,  
Dean Of Degrees**

**Geoffrey A. Brooker, Editor  
of the *Wadham Gazette***

**C. J. Stephen M. Simpson**

**Terence F. Eagleton, FBA**

**Keith G. H. Dyke**

**Sir Roger Penrose, OM, FRS**

**John M. Brown, FRS**

**John D. Gurney**

**Richard E. Passingham, FRS**

**Jeffrey Hackney, Keeper of  
the Archives**

**David J. Mabblerley, AM**

**Nicholas M. J. Woodhouse**

**Stephen J. Goss, Keeper of  
Pictures**

**Christina M. Howells**

**Graham G. Ross, FRS**

**William F. McColl**

**Tao Tao Liu**

**Jeremy P. S. Montagu**

**David J. Edwards**

**Robin W. Fiddian**

**Capt Michel P. Sauvage, RN**

**W. Michael G. Tunbridge**

**J. Bernard O'Donoghue**

**Reinhard Strohm, FBA**

**Nicholas A. Athanasou**

**Ian N. Thompson**

**Andrew P. Hodges**

**C. V. Sukumar**

### KEELEY VISITING FELLOWS

**Claudia Rapp  
Oct 18 – Feb 19**

**Mahsa Shirmohammadi**

### VISITING FELLOW

**Nick Timothy**

### CHAPLAIN

**Revd Dr Jane Baun**

### SUB-DEANS

**Annabella Massey**

**Nhlakanipho Mkhize**

**Joana Perrone MT18**

**Kate Sim HT19-TT19**

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**Michael Abecassis  
French**

**Samuel Altmann  
Economics**

**Richard Ashdowne  
Linguistics**

**Myrto Aspioti  
German**

**Hannah Bailey  
English**

**Guido Bonsaver  
Italian**

**John Dawes  
Neurophysiology**

**Daniel Eakins  
Engineering**

**Carlos Fonseca Grigsby  
Spanish**

**Judith Fox  
Medical Biochemistry**

**Mark Fricker  
Biological Sciences**

**Maziyar Ghiabi  
Persian**

**Stephen Goddard  
French**

**Constance Gornes  
French**

**Jeffrey Hackney  
Law**

**Otared Haidar  
Arabic**

**Adam Handel  
Neurophysiology**

**Duncan Howie  
Medicine**

**Simone Irmscher  
German**

**Sarah Jenkinson  
Chemistry**

**Hiroe Kaji  
Japanese**

**Shio-Yun Kan  
Chinese**

**Jenny Lemke  
German**

**Yiliang Li  
Economics**

**Sofia Lindqvist  
Mathematics**

**Tamer Malak  
College Clinical Teaching  
Associate**

**Max Marcus  
Chemistry**

**Colleen McGregor  
College Clinical Teaching  
Associate**

**Ian McNab  
Clinical Medicine**

**Dimitris Papanikolaou  
Modern Greek**

**James Partridge  
Czech**

**Joe Pitt-Francis  
Computer Science**

**Anca Popescu  
Engineering**

**Oliver Ready  
Russian**

**Autumn Rowan-Hull  
Anatomy**

**Irène Salas  
French**

**Martin Shotter  
Physics**

**George Southcombe  
History**

**Richard Stacey  
Clinical Medicine**

**David Staunton  
Biochemistry**

**C. V. Sukumar  
Physics**

**Cedric Tan  
Biological Sciences**

**Rachel Tanner  
Human Sciences**

**Reinier van Straten  
German**

**Simon Yarrow  
Clinical Medicine**

**Nahid Zokaei  
Experimental Psychology**





## New Editor, new look *Gazette*

The Editor **Geoffrey Brooker**

**AN INCOMING EDITOR** must start by acknowledging his predecessors. In 2018 this is no formality. Ray Ockenden took up the task last year, at short notice following the sudden and tragic death of James Morwood. Readers of the 2017 *Gazette* will know how seamlessly the transition was made. But not only did Ray make it all work under his editorship, he also left everything tidy for his grateful successor.

I have mentioned James Morwood, who was *Gazette* Editor for 14 years – as well as many other things. The news of his untimely death arrived too late for an obituary to be prepared in time for last year's *Gazette*; that lack is remedied here by an excellent appreciation authored by Stephen Heyworth.

We have also lost the companionship this summer of Reza

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Sheikholeslami, retired professor of Iranian Studies; an obituary for him has had to be held over until next year.

On a happier note, you will read autobiographical notes of new Fellows, whether teaching, research or visiting, who join us this year. Perhaps I should add a warm welcome to Jane Baun who – together with “cat” Maggie Mae – replaces Wendy Wale as Chaplain.

A *Gazette* Editor, and especially an inexperienced incomer, is heavily reliant on the people who, mostly behind the scenes, make it all happen. Julia Banfield and Sophie McIntyre handled the aesthetics of this *Gazette*. To them is credit for a change of appearance: somewhat shorter reports, offset by more pictures, in short a pithier style. We hope you will like the result; as always feedback will be welcomed.

As part of this slimmed down pack, you will now find our 2019 events listings included on the very last pages of the *Gazette*, and alumni and friends are warmly welcomed to attend events throughout the year.

The gathering of information, and the keeping of the Editor in order, were expertly handled by Emma Dearman, at the time giving maternity cover for Salome Parker (a daughter Sophia). The experienced Salome returned from leave to bring her expertise to the final stages.

This *Gazette* shows as always a college with all the liveliness, diversity, academic seriousness, and dynamism that we expect, appreciate and encourage. We hope you will enjoy it.

Contributions for the 2019 *Gazette* should be submitted before 31 August 2019.

## Building Wadham's future

The Warden **Ken Macdonald QC**



**AS I WRITE**, our new accommodation building on the Iffley Road is rapidly taking shape. Rising on a fine site in the heart of east Oxford, where generations of Wadham second-years have lived in private rental houses, the Dorothy Wadham Building will provide a safe, well-appointed and beautiful new home for our undergraduates, ensuring that from Michaelmas Term 2019 all will have the opportunity of living in subsidised College-owned housing for the whole of their time at Wadham. At a stroke, one of the last great barriers to a Wadham education for those from less advantaged backgrounds will happily fall away.

At the same time, our lovely Back Quad is home to another major development and the demolition of the old JCR and Goddard Building

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is in full swing. By the time you read this, construction will have started on two new buildings: the William Doo Undergraduate Centre, a social and studying space for students which will be as splendid as any in Oxford, and adjoining it the beautiful new Dr Lee Shau Kee Building, which will house bedrooms, seminar and music rooms, and Oxford's first purpose-built access centre. These twin developments will link our gorgeous foundation quadrangles and gardens with the fine late-twentieth century Bowra Building and the mediaeval cottages along Holywell Street. Our ancient site will be complete at last.

As with the Dorothy Wadham Building, our Back Quad project is a manifestation of our mission to broaden access to this College by reaching out to those communities that have not traditionally thought of Oxford as a university to which they might rightfully aspire – and we are getting our message across. This spring, when newspapers were full of stories, mainly negative, about the University of Oxford's admissions statistics, one positive story shone through as we were singled out by commentators for our commitment to fairness and wider participation. *The Guardian's* front page proclaimed Wadham's success in demonstrating that wider participation drives academic standards up rather than down; *The Times* reported that the Universities Minister himself had praised our work both before a Select Committee and in the House of Commons; peers in the House of Lords approvingly invoked our access programmes; and David Lammy MP, a



persistent critic of Oxford's failure to reach out to marginalised communities, declared that, in contrast to the rest, Wadham is 'putting its money where its mouth is' by investing in the country's first purpose built access centre.

We have received wonderful support from our alumni community for all this work, and I know how many of you welcome and approve Wadham's pioneering role in Oxford and beyond. So, let me express our continuing commitment, our appreciation for all your help and our hope that you will continue to give, so that these lovely new buildings may fulfil their purpose – which is to throw open the gates of our College to all those with the talent and commitment to learn and to grow here. You can name a room, a table, a floor, a bar, even a quadrangle, and in doing so join with us in turning aspiration into reality – Wadham as an international beacon for fair access twinned with academic excellence.

**Architect's image of The Dr Lee Shau Kee Building in the Back Quad**

It has been a great pleasure this year to travel the world meeting alumni in the Far East and on the East and West Coasts of the United States. In Hong Kong, our wonderfully loyal and generous alumni community, many of them former Lee Shau Kee Scholars, turned up in huge numbers, as ever, to welcome us. It was a particular delight to meet members of the Lee family, along with professional colleagues of Dr Lee, and William Doo (Jurisprudence, 1993) and his father, all honoured benefactors of the College. In the United States, we were touched that Amy Wakeland (Politics, 1993), First Lady of Los Angeles, and her husband Eric Garcetti, the Mayor of Los Angeles, held a reception for us in the delightful Mayor's Residence to which a large and welcoming group of our West Coast alumni came. New York was as hospitable and as fun as ever. To each of our overseas supporters: thank you for greeting us,

for encouraging us and, most of all, for your loyalty and friendship.

Of course, the College continues to face challenges. Funding remains uncertain and any cuts in student fees would hit us hard were the government not to make up the sums lost, which is a real possibility. Brexit continues to cast a shadow of uncertainty and we still have little clarity about how it will play out in higher education. However, on that note one thing is sure: we are determined that our community will remain firmly and proudly international in character. Oxford may be situated in the heart of England, but it is not just a British place of learning, nor even simply European. It is a University that belongs to the world – and for our part we relish the strength that accompanies this great expression of intellectual comity and openness and all the diversity that it implies. It is to be found here in Wadham every day.

This year we lost Dr Ian Moore to an unexpected and swift illness. Ian was a much-loved and respected Tutorial Fellow in plant sciences, and the courage and grace with which he lived his final weeks was the mark of the man and an indication of the scale of Wadham's loss. We shall hold a memorial in due course and in the meantime our sincere condolences go to his family.

Leavers this year include Professor Alex Halliday FRS, who goes to head the Earth Institute at Columbia University, Professor Nicholas Athanasou, Dr Sandy Kilpatrick and Dr Jonathan Service. We thank each of them for their camaraderie and for their years of service to the College

and express the hope that we may continue to see them often.

We also extend the warmest of welcomes to Professor Laure Zanna, David Richards Tutorial Fellow in Physics; Dr Fabrizio Caola, Tutorial Fellow in Physics; Dr Emilia Terracciano, Bowra JRF in the Humanities; and Dr Matthew Langton, RJP Williams JRF in Chemistry. Each, we know, will come to love this place and we are delighted to have them here.

In conclusion, let me say that the Wadham that so many of you remember with affection endures: inclusive, unstuffy, warm, inquiring and wholly committed to the enlightenment values of intellectual growth and discovery. Fine young minds continue to be nurtured here by scholars of distinction. Your support and encouragement really do help us to maintain what is valuable in our College, and to protect and to strengthen its values, so that in years to come the exceptional talents of our student body will increasingly be reflected in its steadily growing diversity.

**Foundation Fellow Stephen Stow (Law, 1973) with Ken Macdonald QC at the Topping-Out ceremony at Iffley Road**



# Transformations and a changing environment

Domestic Bursar and Fellow **Frances Lloyd**

The last year has seen a huge amount of building work in and around College, with the on-going construction of the Dorothy Wadham Building on the Iffley Road, and the decant and demolition of the Goddard Building in order to make way for two inspirational buildings on the main site.

**WE HAVE CONTINUED** to work very closely with the professional teams for both building projects to ensure that every detail is considered and the buildings deliver the functionality, practicality and comfort we need, equally important as the architectural elegance. A great deal of time has been spent completing the designs for the internal spaces in the Dorothy Wadham Building. In the 137 en-suite bedrooms, we have incorporated solutions to maximise storage, facilitate different room layouts and hang pictures. We are very excited that we shall be able to welcome our second year undergraduates through the door to this beautiful and thoughtfully-designed new complex in 2019.

A huge amount of work has also taken place to prepare for the arrival, in July, of Beard, the main contractor for the new William Doo Undergraduate Centre and Dr Lee Shau Kee Building. After the end of Trinity Term, we had a short period to complete the decanting of the Goddard Building ready for demolition, alongside the start of the busy conference period. With good planning and tremendous effort and determination from all teams involved in the process, facilities have been temporarily relocated and all the spaces were emptied in time. The JCR has moved to the Okinaga Room, an architect-designed cabin has been built for the JCR kitchen and laundry room, the gym is underneath the JCR Bar, the bike racks have moved to the Fellows' Garden and the IT Office and Conference & Events Office are in Holywell Court. Beard has created its site compound in the Back Quad, accessing their site via the Elephant Gate, and internal strip-outs have begun as part of the first phase of the demolition process. We hope you will be able to find the time to look at our website where we are posting regular updates.



**We are pleased to announce that we have re-gained Fairtrade status**

ceiling with LEDs, providing the same ambient illumination on the walls and ceiling but with lower energy usage and improved fire safety and maintenance.

We are pleased to announce that we have re-gained Fairtrade status and are serving Fairtrade coffee and tea as well as various foods in the New Refectory. We plan to widen the use of Fairtrade goods as part of our new Fairtrade Policy. We have set up a new Sustainability Group and have been working on a new Sustainability Policy. The group will propose annual targets to reduce waste and improve energy usage, as well as other initiatives.

We said a fond farewell to one of our longest serving members of staff, Diana (Di) Surridge. Di retired in September after 36 years' dedicated service as a Scout working in Library Court, the Bursary and most recently in the Library. You can read about Di and some of her memories in the news section of our website.

This article is dedicated to the Domestic Bursary team, including all our casual staff, for providing sterling support throughout the year. Our huge achievements would not have been possible without each and every one.

Aside from the major building projects, we have restored the front face of the King's Arms pub, due to the need to complete urgent repairs, and have refurbished Bowra Staircases 18 and 22. We redecorated externally and internally, and installed new carpets, LED lights, low-flush toilets and thermostatic showers. We have also completed a light refurbishment of the Library Court bedrooms. Our energy-saving projects extended to the Hall this summer where we have replaced the fluorescent tubes in the vaulted



## Non-academic staff list as at 1 July 2018

A big thank you to all team members in the following list, and, of course, our many casual members, for contributing to the College's achievements over the past year.

### Domestic Bursar

Frances Lloyd

### Chaplain

Reverend  
Wendy Wale

### College Doctors

Dr Deborah Waller  
Dr Richard Silvester

### Nurse

Carolyn Ruhle

### Welfare Officer

Emma-Ben Lewis

### DOMESTIC BURSAR'S OFFICE

### Deputy Domestic Bursar

Neil Tindall

### Domestic

Bursar's PA  
Sarah Mitchell-Butler

### HR Manager

Joanne Perkins

### Accommodation

Officer/HR

Assistant

Jo-Ann Wheble

### FINANCE STAFF

### Finance Bursar

Peter Alsop

### P.A. to the Finance Bursar/Fellows' Secretary

Katarina Bjurstedt

### College Accountant

Vince Skeffington

### Senior Bursary Clerk

Jan Lees

### Payroll Officer

Radha Tharmalingam

### Bursary Clerk

Joan Griffin

### Assistant

Accountant

Debbie Taylor

### Finance Assistant

Anthia Cumming

### ACADEMIC OFFICE

### Senior Tutor

Dr Caroline Mawson

### Academic Administrator

Dr Mike Froggatt

### Graduate

Administrator

Heidi Young

### Academic Support

Administrator

Katherine Allen

### Tutorial Office

Administrator

Teo Rnjak

### Access & Outreach

Officer

Dr Hugh Munro

### Admissions Officer

Elizabeth Charlton

### Access Assistant

Dr Catherine Seed

### Academic Records

Manager

Catherine Boyle

### WARDEN'S OFFICE

### Executive Assistant

Rachel Paniagua

(Maternity leave)

Rebecca Moor

(Maternity cover)

### Head of Website

& Communications

Julia Banfield

### Website &

Communications

Officer

Sophie McIntyre

### DEVELOPMENT OFFICE

### Development

Director

Julie Hage

### Deputy

Development

Director

Marco Zhang

### Executive Officer

Rachel Saunders

### Individual Giving

Manager

Zahra Stark

### Research Officer

Angela Jefferson

### Communication

& Events Officer

Salome Parker

(Maternity leave)

Emma Dearman

(Maternity cover)

### Database &

Planning Officer

Rachel Roberts

### Development Office

Administrator

Karen Farr

### LIBRARY

### Librarian

Tim Kirtley

### Assistant Librarian

Francesca Heaney

### Rare Books

Cataloguer

Sandra Bailey

### Persian Studies

Section

Co-ordinator

Mohammad Emami

### CONFERENCE AND EVENTS OFFICE

### Conference &

Events Manager

Jan Trinder

### Conference & Events

Administrative

Assistants

Rebecca Morris

Krista Karppinen

### IT

### Head of ICT

Lee Wootton

### Senior Systems

Administrator

Gordon Berry

### IT & AV Technician

Crispin Raine

### Graduate IT

Assistant

Kyle Grant

### DOMESTIC STAFF: HOUSEKEEPING

### Head of

Housekeeping

Helen Wynn

### Deputy

Housekeeper

Mariola Serednicka

### Housekeeping

Supervisor

Marta Puckovicova

### Staircase Scouts

Bernice Boyce

Victoria Braich

Izabel Cromack

Lisa Edwards

Nivea Franqueira

Liana Girskyte

Nedelina Ivanova

Tasneem Johra

Anne-Marie Kelly

Asma Khanom

Karolina

Kolodziejczyk

Fatima La O Sanchez

Namphueng Phun-

phan

Pilar Mardones

Averil Plant

Sitarani Rai Jabegu

Virginia Rodriguez

Marta Roszak

Sashi Subba

Diana Surrage

Teresa Szawan

Bishnu Thapa

Rupa Thapa

Shanti Thapa

### Warden's Housekeeper

Justyna

Miklaszewska

### General Assistants

Bill Gerrow

Carl Parfett

Gintas Venckevicius

Shomik Mukherjee

Sean Kelly

### KITCHEN

### Head Chef

Neil Mahon

### Sous Chef

Ravi Pothula

### Third Chef

Gary Bainbridge

### Chefs de Partie

Poongaran Chandran

Alex Jeffs

Arpad Takats

Sam Walker

Abderrazak Zouine

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Chef

Adrian Takacs

### Kitchen Porters

Luke Dawson

Gilman Soares

Donato Belo Da Silva

Vicente

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Darren Munt

**Deputy Head Butler**  
Jacqueline Person

**Assistant Butlers**  
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Aliz Filus

Neringa Bernotaite  
(Secondment)

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Diana Ciolcan  
Birtukan Markos  
Maria Rodriguez  
Guillen

**SCR/Hall Assistants**  
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Nedelina Ivanova  
Pauline McCarthy

**Cellarer**  
Agnieszka Sabolova-Lebiedzka

**JCR BAR**

**Bar Steward**  
Chris Davies

**LODGE**

**Head Porter**  
Mark Hogarth

**Deputy Head Porter**  
Terence Nowland

**Porters**  
Alan Slater  
Maria Slater

**Night Porters**  
Tom Walter  
Peter Wheeler  
Diccon Harris

**MERIFIELD**

**Manager**  
Lindsay Kennedy

**Scout**  
Ludovina De Araujo  
(Maternity leave)  
Sreyneang Lim  
(Maternity cover)

**Maintenance Assistant**  
Kris Lambert

**WORKS**

**Building Services Manager**  
Chris Cox

**Maintenance Operations Manager**  
Joanne Yeomans

**Electrician & Supervisor**  
Simon Peedle

**Carpenter/Joiner**  
Fred Pledge  
Stephen Coleman

**Joiner**  
Bruce Mortimer

**Painter**  
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**Maintenance Assistant**  
Kieran Carton

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Andrew Little

**Assistant Gardeners**  
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Sophie Pitts  
Ann Shaw

**SPORTSGROUND**

**Groundsman**  
Martin Cofield

**Boatman**  
George Hudson

**SARAH LAWRENCE PROGRAMME STAFF**

**SLP Director**  
George Southcombe

**SLP Administrator**  
Susan Mattheus

**Leavers** from July 2017 until June 2018

We thank the following former colleagues for their valued contributions and wish them all the best in their future endeavours.

**Bikram Ale**  
General Assistant  
11.07.2017

**Daniel Howells**  
Chef de Partie  
26.07.2017

**Mustak Ayub**  
Sub-Dean (Merifield)  
31.07.2017

**Daniel Harkin**  
Sub-Dean (main College)  
19.08.2017

**Lucy Busfield**  
Access Assistant  
25.08.2017

**Catharine Baumann (Rainsberry)**  
Access & Admissions Admin  
15.09.2017

**Robert Thomson**  
Works Manager  
29.09.2017

**Claire Pope**  
Deputy Domestic Bursar  
13.10.2017

**Wanda Skonieczna**  
Scout  
31.10.2017

**Kate Brazier-Toppe**  
Access Assistant  
31.12.2017

**Susan Giles**  
Scout  
20.12.2017

**Shaun Baker**  
General Assistant  
22.01.2018

**Claire Pope**  
Project Support Advisor  
31.01.2018

**Johnathan Ratcliffe**  
Academic Support Administrator  
02.02.2018

**Amy de Jong Daigle**  
Scout  
20.02.2018

**Sarah Petrou**  
Catering Service Assistant  
27.02.2018

**Artur Verissimo-Marques**  
SCR.Hall Assistant  
08.03.2018

**Pawel Chojda**  
Senior Assistant Butler  
15.04.2018

**David Harris**  
Lodge Porter  
20.04.2018

**Emma Farrant**  
Events & Comms Officer (maternity)  
07.05.2018

**Geoff Adby**  
Night Porter  
23.05.2018

**Elisa de Andrade**  
Scout  
11.06.2018

**Claudette Bishop**  
Scout  
12.06.2018

**Florin Pateanu**  
Assistant Butler  
30.06.2018



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## Progress and innovation in uncertain times

The Finance Bursar **Peter Alsop**

Two major building projects are on track; a moderate year for investments and an experimental one for estates.

**IT HAS BEEN** a fantastic year; busy but with tangible results. Finance Bursary activity has been dominated by the new building projects, the estates, and the investments, and in the “engine room” our finance and IT teams have done a tremendous job to support the day to day running of the College.

This time last year, at Iffley Road the demolition was in progress to make way for our new student

accommodation quad, and we were hearing worsening reports of asbestos contamination and buried oil tanks. A year on after site clearance, piling, foundations, basement excavation, and pouring the concrete frame, we see the brickwork going up, the windows being installed, and the roof, partitions and bathrooms being put into place. Under our capable project manager, I am happy to say that the project is currently on programme and on budget. The full cost of the project, including land purchase, is more than £40 million, an eye-watering sum and the biggest single commitment the College has made in modern times. But it has clear benefits for our students, and I look forward to the day when our undergraduates will no longer be subject to the vagaries of the local rental market.

Since our generous lead benefactors supported the vision for the project, great strides have

also been made on the Dr Lee Shau Kee Access Centre and William Doo Undergraduate Centre: planning permission, tendering, moving out of the building, and as I write the demolition is under way. My office window now looks on to heavy machinery and hoardings, but I am optimistic that the end result will be transformational. In parallel with the construction, more alumni and friends have supported the Back Quad appeal and we hope that many of you will donate to this development, and the Access work that it will host. You can see photographs and real-time progress of both projects from the web-cams on the College website. I very much hope that when I write next year, the first project will be complete, and construction of the second well advanced.

The College's investments have performed moderately well this year. Despite volatility in the equity markets, our financial investments have performed well, but we see land and property values softening, and our saleable properties have not yet found suitable buyers. With Brexit impending, and economic and political uncertainties at home and overseas, we are braced for more volatility.

You may remember that last year Wadham students voted to test a new way of setting room rent – offering a slightly higher ‘standard rate’ and a reduced ‘lower rate’ (the one funding the other) for each student to select according to their perceived need and ability to pay. I am happy to report that the Student Union has supported

continuing the scheme this year, and I have had enquiries from other Colleges interested in doing something similar.

On the estates side we have another exciting experiment at Aristotle House, our canal-side property in North Oxford which we plan to redevelop in due course. As an interim measure, we have leased the entire block to Makespace Oxford, a social enterprise which has reconfigured the building to provide affordable offices for many small innovative start-ups with an emphasis on creativity and sustainability. These include artists, textile designers, garment makers and alterations, and extend to music therapy, mental health recovery, and a “library of things” which mends and lends useful equipment to the local community. In a city where space is limited and prices high, as well as avoiding cost and risk, I am optimistic that Wadham College may be able to showcase how partnerships can use empty buildings for wider social good.

I find it both an honour and a pleasure to play my part in running and improving the magnificent institution that is Wadham College. As I consider the College finances, I am constantly reminded that the students, the Fellows, the staff, and I would not be here were it not for the incredible tradition of foresight and generosity that started with the founders, and continued through so many generations of College members whose support has brought us to where we are. We are all enormously grateful.

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## Embracing international access to excellence

Development Director **Julie Hage**

“Universities Minister, Sam Gyimah [...] said more Oxford and Cambridge colleges should be working with pupils before they take their GCSEs. By the time they take their A levels, outreach work is often too late. Mr Gyimah [...] praised Wadham College, Oxford, for the work it had done with younger teenagers and said more should follow suit.

*The Times*, 24 April 2018

**WADHAM HAS LONG BEEN** in the vanguard of widening participation efforts at Oxford and this year, the College's name has repeatedly been highlighted in the national press for its innovative and effective access work. Designed as a comprehensive framework for supporting talented students from all backgrounds on their journey to university and beyond, Wadham's Access to Excellence programme has enabled the College to reach more than 6,400 students in 2017/2018 and 250 schools have benefitted from our programmes. This reflects a doubling of our reach and has been made possible by the generous support and enthusiastic endorsement we receive from our alumni and friends in the UK and abroad. Building on this "life-cycle" approach, we were delighted that our pioneering pre-16 sustained programme in Luton schools was recognised by the Universities Minister as a model to follow, and we were honoured that Secretary Clinton took time during her visit to Oxford to discuss the impact of our pre-16 work too.

More than £35 million has been secured over the past six years towards our Access to Excellence programme, and this year alone the College has received a wonderful £5.1 million in new cash and pledges. 22% of our alumni decided to support the College and every gift makes a genuine difference. The enclosed donor report documents the impact of your generosity in detail, but in this space it seems particularly important to acknowledge how the



**1** Warren East (Engineering, 1980) at the Social Mobility Summit.

**2** At a meeting organised by Lissa Muscatine (European Politics, 1977), second left, Warden Ken Macdonald QC meets with Hillary Rodham Clinton to discuss Wadham's work to widen participation at Oxford.

**3** Edwin Mok (Law, 1979) receives his Foundation Fellowship.

**4** John McCall MacBain (Law, 1980) is presented with the Sheldon Medal, pictured with Emeritus Fellow Jeffrey Hackney.

**5** Benefactors' Garden Party.

**6** 2018 Circles' Debate on Corporate Social Responsibility hosted by Hogan Lovells.







**1** Professor Chris Summerfield in discussion with alumni about his research into AI at the Wadham New York Reception.

**2** Social Mobility Summit on "Access to the Professions", chaired by Melvyn Bragg (History, 1958). **3** Amy Wakeland (Politics, 1993) and her husband Eric Garcetti (Queen's, 1993), mayor of LA, hosted a reception in LA.

**4** Foundation Fellow Alan Green (Chinese, 1948) with his granddaughter at the Benefactors' Garden Party. **5** Wadham alumni at the Oxford Gala Dinner in San Francisco.



resourcefulness of the global Wadham community continues to support the College's efforts in a multitude of ways. It is thanks to our inventive and hardworking Wadham Alumni Society Committee, for example, that we have had Wadham Wednesdays on three continents this year: London, Manchester, Vancouver, San Francisco and Sydney. Moreover, it is thanks to our generous alumni hosts across the world that we have been able to expand and deepen our alumni networks again this year in London, LA, San Francisco, New York and Hong Kong. And it is thanks to wonderful colleagues in the Development Office and across the College that we have been able to welcome more than 1,500 alumni to our Gaudies, Benefactors' Garden Party, Circles' Debate and much more.

### The first-ever dedicated Access Centre in Oxford

As I write this report, the College is ready to break ground in the Back Quad to construct Oxford's first-ever dedicated Access Centre, the Dr Lee Shau Kee Building, along with the associated and fully accessible

William Doo Undergraduate Centre. This development is a powerful symbol of our commitment to widening participation, and the new building will provide an inspirational nexus for all our inbound school events and allow for an integrated approach to the delivery of our activities. Recognised by the *Guardian* as a national first, the newspaper praised Wadham for "putting its money and its precious Oxford real estate where its mouth is, spending an estimated £18 million on a dedicated access centre". Designed by world-renowned AL\_A architects, and with £13.6 million of generous donor funding secured, we are now entering the final phase of this appeal to secure an additional £4 million and deliver the facility by June 2020. We are deeply grateful to all those donors who are working with us to make this development possible, and it will be a great joy to add their names, along with names to come, to internal and external spaces in the new buildings.

Most importantly, we would like to extend a warm welcome to you to join any or all of our events over the coming year.

### Development Council Members

Nicholas Barber CBE 1959  
Frank Berman 1961  
Rory Coonan 1973  
Tom Daniel 1984  
William Doo Jr 1993

Colin Drummond OBE 1969  
Amanda East 1981  
Warren East CBE 1980  
Flora Fraser 1977  
Richard Grigson 1984  
Victor Lee 1993  
Alasdair Locke 1971  
John McCall  
MacBain OC 1980

Maurice Ostro 1985  
Tim Parkes 1973  
Sachin Patel 2001  
Anthony Preston CBE 1974  
Lindsay Sharp 1966  
Heather Stevens CBE 1976  
Stephen Stow 1973  
Chris Taylor 1979  
Kenneth Woods 1950

# Undergraduate admissions: a time for change

Senior Tutor and Tutor for Admissions  
**Dr Caroline Mawson**

It seems to many that the time has come to look more radically at our admissions systems.



**THE PAST YEAR** has seen even more interest than usual in Oxford admissions, including in the supposed fairness (or otherwise) of its procedures; the diversity of its intake; and the responsibilities of the HE sector in supporting the secondary-school system. No member of Wadham will be oblivious to this, and the debate internal to the institution has been as intense as that in the broader media. Wadham's access programmes do much to break traditional intake patterns. Release of data in June 2018, in what will now become an annual exercise, showed University and College targets against Office of Fair Access targets, and on other measures of public interest. From 2015–17 (and taking into account only UK students, that is excluding other EU countries and what is called 'overseas', i.e. the yet wider world): 15.8% of Wadham

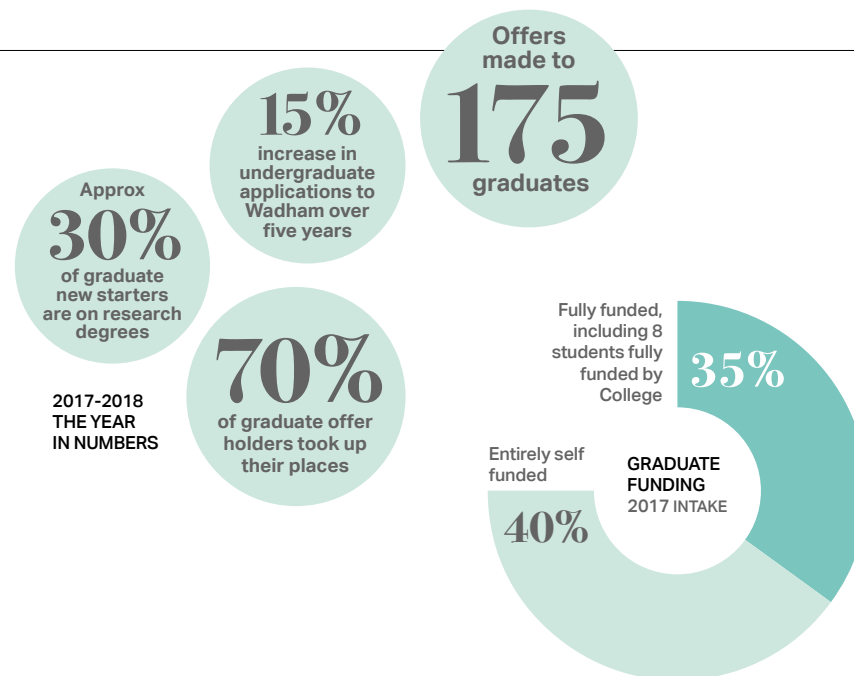


**Wadham's access programmes do much to break traditional intake patterns**

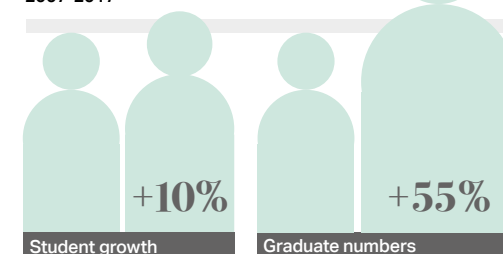
offers (to UK students with ethnicity declared) were made to UK BME students; 68.3 of offers were made to students from the state sector; 10.1% of offers were made to students with an 'ACORN' postcode flag (measuring areas of economic adversity); and 14% of offers were made to students with a POLAR flag (measuring areas of low progression into Higher Education).

Twelve years ago, by collectively agreeing to the 'Common Framework in Admissions', a new level of inter-collegiate co-operation and standardisation was brought in which has undoubtedly improved fairness in admissions, not least in ensuring that no candidate's chance of success is affected by their choice of college (if they make one at all). That framework also brought in other initiatives – that no candidate called should have fewer than two interviews and that conditional offers should be standardised across

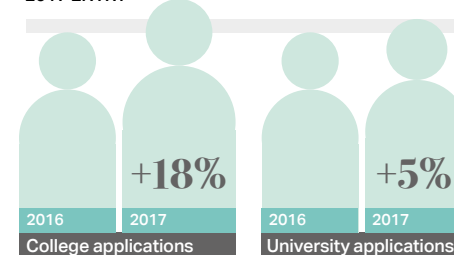
colleges – for example. There are costs in this – fewer candidates can be invited to interview, and colleges have less autonomy in setting higher or lower offers by reference to individual circumstances – but the gain was judged worth the costs. It seems to many that the time has come again to look more radically at our systems. Wadham will listen and contribute thoughtfully to that debate, working in concert with the University to ensure the integrity of the whole without destroying the uniqueness of the College. As yet, the conclusions of Oxford's deliberations are uncertain. We hope alumni, in all sectors and from all generations, feel able to support that process and, at the same time, to support the work done, day-in and day-out, by tutors, students, staff, and our donors, to ensure that our commitment to fair access remains unbounded.



## STUDENT NUMBERS 2007-2017



## 330 GRADUATE APPLICATIONS FOR 2017 ENTRY







Peter Thonemann (Fellow in Ancient History) and Carolin Duttlinger (Fellow in German) receiving their 'Teaching Excellence' Awards from Oxford's Student Union. Respective winners in the categories of 'Most Acclaimed Lecturer' and 'Outstanding Pastoral Support'

## Towards Oxford's first dedicated access centre

Tutor for Access **Peter Thonemann**

Expanding our pre-16 outreach programme, Wadham's access work gains international recognition.

**BEHOLD NOW BEHEMOTH!** – or so one reflects when contemplating the College's Access programme over this past year. Outreach is the chief of all the ways of Dorothy: it moveth its tail like a cedar, and its bones are as strong pieces of brass.

Our two new bones have set so well that it is hard to recall how we ever moved without them. Dr Hugh Munro took over the role of Access and Outreach Officer last September, and Dr Catherine Seed arrived as our Access and Outreach Assistant in January. Both Hugh and Catherine have long professional experience in engaging young people – Hugh as a primary school teacher, and subsequently at the Brilliant Club, and Catherine as a science presenter engaging with schools across Western Australia – and their arrival at the College has been truly transformative.

Our Access programme is driven by a commitment to working with students from under-represented backgrounds at every stage of their educational journey – in the vernacular, get 'em young. Hugh and Catherine have pushed through a dramatic expansion of our flagship

Luton pre-GCSE sustained academic programmes, recognised both within the University and nationally as a model of How To Do It (I spare you the uplifting quotes from OFFA, the Universities Minister, etc). Last year we ran thirty inbound Aspiration Days (whole-day College-based visits with a strong academic focus) for pupils aged 13–15, reaching 762 students from 56 different schools in our link regions.

For post-GCSE students, our year-long curriculum enrichment programme for Year-12 pupils in the London Boroughs of Newham and Tower Hamlets, and our three flagship academic summer schools, continue to go from strength to strength. I write this on the final day of our College-based Classics and Biology summer schools (20–24 August; our

Engineering summer school took place earlier in the summer); it has been an electrifying week, and if even a quarter of the participants end up making successful applications to Wadham, our place in the Norrington Table will go through the roof. We hope to hold the inaugural Wadham Modern Languages summer school in August 2019.

We are now all looking forward (in a manner of speaking) to two years living on a building site, as the Goddard comes down and the Lee Shau Kee and William Doo buildings go up. But it will be eminently worth it to see Oxford's first dedicated access centre standing proud at the heart of the College as a tangible symbol – and so much more than just a symbol – of Wadham's collective commitment to broadening access. Onwards!

**Student volunteers at Wadham's 2018 summer open days**



# Farewell to wonderful Wadham

Chaplain **Revd Wendy Wale**

From touring Italy with the Choir to breakfasts and teas with students, it's been a busy year in Chapel.

**THIS IS SADLY** my final *Gazette* review from the Chapel as Tom, Jonah and I pack our bags and head up north to join the team at Beverley Minster. Being the Chaplain of Wadham College has genuinely been one of the greatest privileges and joys of my life – and I'm certainly leaving with incredibly mixed

**Wadham Chapel Choir on tour in Italy**

emotions. Excited for a new northern adventure but deeply sad at saying goodbye to so many special people.

We've had another great year of Services and Music in the Chapel and I've been grateful for a wonderful and committed group of wardens who help set up and run the services each week, alongside the choir which continues to go from strength to strength.

We've enjoyed growing our relationship with the University Church, and both Rev Will Lamb and Rev James Crockford are becoming regular speakers and friends. We've also enjoyed hearing from Jayne Ozanne about her work in LGBTQ campaigning in the Church as well as others with a passion for the environment, international development, racial equality and refugee support.

Beyond the Chapel I've continued



to enjoy weekly breakfast and tea with a room full of students from across the student body. Jonah has continued to cause mischief and delight as he's been walked, cuddled, stroked, photographed for a national newspaper, and delighted in the students and staff he's come to know and love deeply.

The Chapel Choir has gone from strength to strength under the mighty guiding hand of Dr Katie Pardee. Highlights of their year included recording a CD at Easter which will be available to purchase shortly, and a fabulous tour of Italy in June.

We flew into Pisa and sang in Chiesa

di Sant'Agostino, San Gimignano and San Giorgio in Velabro. The towns and churches were more than impressive and a privilege to sing in.

We joined forces with the choir from Santa Maria Sopra Minerva in Rome which was an impressive wall of sound.

Our final singing opportunity happened at one of Rome's four Papal Basilicas: Saint Paul Outside the Wall. Apparently the third largest church in the world, it was an incredible finale singing during one of the morning Eucharist services with a visiting Bishop from Argentina.

My final privilege is to pass the Wadham Chapel baton to Rev Dr Jane Baun who, along with Maggie Mae (her rescue dog from Romania), will be continuing the adventures from the beginning of October.

The Chapel Choir would like to invite all former members to get in touch, with the aim (in the first instance) of singing in an alumni evensong service in the Chapel followed by a festive dinner in the Hall, sometime in late spring of 2019. Please write to the Development Office at [development.team@wadham.ox.ac.uk](mailto:development.team@wadham.ox.ac.uk) with your contact details and expressions of interest – and spread the word!



## A WARM WELCOME

to Revd Dr Jane Baun, who joins us from Ripon College Cuddesdon, where she previously taught Ethics and Church History. Accompanied by Maggie Mae, a very calm, highly intelligent and stubborn sheepdog-pointer cross, they both look forward to making the rounds of Wadham and getting to know all members of College.



# The Sarah Lawrence Programme – growing in Oxford

Sarah Lawrence Programme SU Rep 2017-18 **Genesis Rico**

In 2017-18 the Sarah Lawrence Programme SU representative was Genesis Rico. During her time at Wadham, Genesis studied politics, development studies and history. Here she looks back over the year.

## OXFORD IS YELLOW AT NIGHT. I

learned this on my first walk towards Wadham, chatting with a fellow student and already making a friend, and continued to find it curious every night. So many of my memories are strikingly golden: I took pictures of the Bodleian and the year's first snow fighting the yellow light for a better aesthetic; wandered after my peers on late-night ghost tours of the city, noting that the yellow lent to deeper, blacker shadows; biked my way back down to the library just before it closed because I'd forgotten an essential book and needed it right that minute to finish my essay. That night, the colour annoyed me, but forgetting that stress, I remember that trip almost fondly. However anxious I was, it's passed; more important to me is that I spent that night in Oxford.

Every day stretched long into the golden night. This was what I'd wanted:

an academic environment that put me to the test and through the wringer, so that I would come out on the other side better for it. I know that, as a student, I have improved greatly and am eager to test what I've learned at Sarah Lawrence and beyond. Yet alongside the Oxford nights spent studying I shall remember the nights I spent with my friends and the Programme. Some nights would culminate in the King's Arms, where I urged my friends to play games with me, but many others were spent gathered in our kitchen, enjoying each other's company. Particularly I remember New Year's Eve, bringing in 2018 with cheer and making our way back home very carefully, again bathed in the yellow light. I spent as much time as possible in Oxford, rarely leaving except to travel in Europe during Easter vacation, and I revelled in every minute of it.

This is how I'll remember Wadham: a place where I learned, grew, and made memories. Though I only spent a single academic year in Oxford, I'm looking forward to returning someday just as I know many of my peers will. That's one of my favourite things about the Programme: no matter the year, each is so enjoyable and unforgettable, we can't wait to go back.



## Sarah Lawrence programme students 2018-2019

Madeline "Maddy" Broderick **SLC**  
Lila Brustad **SLC**  
Emma "Maeve" Campman **SLC**  
Dylan Capossela **SLC**  
Sam Daniel **SLC**  
Olivia Diulus **SLC**  
Alison Ferrante **SLC**  
Jordan Foster **SLC**  
Eleanor Harmon **SLC**  
Alexander Jermann **SLC**

Sarah Klein **SLC**  
Evalena Labayen **SLC**  
Lucia Lansing **SLC**  
Derek Lee **Harvard University**  
Jiayue "Kelly" Liu **SLC**  
Virgil McCorgay **SLC**  
Gwendolyn "Gwen" McLaughlin **SLC**  
Zoya Mirza **SLC**  
Anna Ostrowski **SLC**

Zoe Patterson **SLC**  
Josie Pierce **SLC**  
Emily Pressley **SLC**  
Hazel Pritchard **SLC**  
Kathleen Quaintance **SLC**  
Carlos Raedler **SLC**  
Xinyi "Mel" Song **SLC**  
Brynna Ververs **SLC**  
Zijie "Sebastian" Zhou **SLC**  
Jianlong "Ken" Zhu **SLC**

Above:  
SLP excursion to Bletchley Park.  
L-R: Hannah Rodums, Mary Vitello, Genesis Rico, Annie Willis, Sonika Kadyan

# Conservation, contributions and celebrations

College Librarian **Tim Kirtley**

Once again we have had a very busy year in the library, with conservation work; exciting new gifts; tour planning; and an important staff work anniversary.



**WE WERE VERY PLEASED** to commission conservation work on a number of our rare books: two of our Aldine early Classics books; two copies of Hooke's *Micrographia*; the first two volumes of the *Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society*.

In August we filmed Professor Emma Smith, of Hertford College, discussing our Second, Third and Fourth Shakespeare folios. This complements the wonderful films that she made with us previously, featuring our First Folio. We will also be making a film showing the independent Conservator Arthur Green at work in his studio conserving one of our rare books. The films are all available on the College YouTube channel.

The library was gifted a wonderful set of twenty-one 17<sup>th</sup> century broadsides (posters that served as newspapers – many of those given report on the English Civil War) by Wadham alumnus Bruce Burke, each framed to museum standards. It is very exciting to have ephemera such as this in our collections for the first time. Julian Munby donated twelve books from the library of former College Fellow Reginald Lennard by the Norwegian poet and Wadham alumnus Nordahl Greig, as well as several of Lennard's own works.

Seven plates, published between 1796 and 1806, from the Oxford almanacks that we have deposited on long-term loan at the Ashmolean will be going on tour as part of an exhibition celebrating the Ashmolean's 2016 acquisition of Turner's painting *The High Street, Oxford*. They will spend time on view in galleries in

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Bedford, Worcester and Banbury, and at Blenheim Palace.

Subject to confirming final details, we will be lending to the Oman Across Ages Museum in Nizwa in Oman our first edition copy of *Os Lusíadas*, published in 1572, by Luís de Camões. This epic poem, which celebrates the discovery by a Portuguese explorer of a sea route to India, mentioning Oman along the way, will be on loan for three months for the occasion of the museum's opening in 2020.

Dr Mohammad Emami, our Persian Studies Section Co-ordinator, attended the European Association of Middle East Libraries conference in Budapest, and Sandra Bailey our Antiquarian Books Cataloguer attended a rare books conference in Venice.

2017 saw the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our Assistant Librarian Fran Heaney starting work at Wadham. This great milestone was marked in College by a wonderful celebratory dinner hosted by the Fellow Librarian Professor Dominic Brookshaw. We congratulate Fran on her dedicated and great service. Meanwhile, our library scout Di Surrage has announced her retirement in September 2018. We will very much miss her in the library and thank her for all her hard work in the library over the last five years, and wish her every happiness in her retirement.

**Opposite:**  
Wadham  
Library staff,  
(L-R) Marcus  
Chin,  
Mohammad  
Emami,  
Tim Kirtley,  
Sandra  
Bailey, Fran  
Heaney





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# The 1610 Society

**Colin Drummond** Classics, 1969  
President, 1610 Society.

Warmly welcoming new members.

THE 1610 SOCIETY has the thoroughly congenial role of thanking its members, both those who include a legacy to Wadham in their wills and significant lifetime donors. We do this through the annual 1610 dinner and other special events. We welcome new members because they add to present fellowship and enjoyment and mean future money for the College.

In the nature of things we sadly lose some members each year. This year the following friends passed away (we shall commemorate them at Evensong preceding this year's 1610 dinner).

**Martin Aitken** Physics, 1941  
**David Andrews-Jones** History, 1942  
**Charles Barnard** PPE, 1950  
**Lindsay Brook** English, 1960  
**Joseph Corcoran**  
**Margaret Forrest**  
**Richard Guy**  
Modern Languages, 1957  
**Basil Hone** Law, 1945  
**Stephen Lawson** English, 1974  
**James Morrison** History, 1944  
**Reza Sheikholeslami**  
**Michael Tomlinson**  
**David Woodford** PPE, 1948  
**Philip Woodward** Mathematics, 1938

1610  
Society  
members  
at the  
September  
reception  
and dinner

In purely numerical terms this sad loss is more than offset by new members joining our ranks and membership continues to increase (now standing at 403). This figure excludes legators about whom we do not know – if you are one please get in touch. Legacies are hugely important to the College, on a rolling basis averaging around £1m pa and representing 20% of Wadham's total philanthropic income.

The past academic year has seen two significant events. Our annual dinner in College in September attracted as usual around 100 attendees. Dinner is perhaps an understatement as the event now includes academic discussions, a presentation by the Warden on progress at the College, Evensong, the dinner itself and an increasingly extended aftermath in the College bar for those who are able to stay the night and partake of College breakfast

the next morning. Perhaps it should be renamed the annual 1610 day. Suggestions are welcome and your hard-working committee will consider the matter.

In January we held a reception at the Royal Society attended by around 40 members and potential members. We had a behind the scenes tour of the Society, with its strong relationship to Wadham since Warden Wilkins' time, courtesy of Professor Alex Halliday. After that there were presentations from the Warden and various members of the committee followed by a reception full of the goodwill and fellowship which all present felt towards Wadham.

In short we believe the Society is in good heart; the individuals change but the vision remains unchanged; and we hope that the Society and more importantly the College will continue to grow and flourish.

Visit to  
the Royal  
Society  
organised  
by the 1610  
Society  
Committee



## 1610 Society Committee Members

**Colin Drummond OBE** 1969, President  
**Diana Blease** 1987  
**Julie Curtis** 1974  
**Rebecca Davis** 1978  
**Jeremy Evans** 1991  
**Tony Halmos** 1969  
**Victoria Harper** 1976

**Ross Hutchison** 1979  
**Sachin Patel** 2001  
**Claudia Pendred** 1977  
**Leon Pickering** 2003  
**Joe Romig** 1963  
**Andrew Smith** 1967  
**Nigel Tricker** 1964



## Wadham Alumni Society

**Sachin Patel** Physics, 2001  
President, Wadham Alumni Society

Alumni engagement, Wadham  
Wednesdays & Bop 'til the JCR drops!

THE SOCIETY exists to encourage links between Wadham alumni and forward our collective interests. I am pleased to report that this year we have made great progress in achieving these objectives.

The Society's social and networking initiatives have proved very popular and continue to gain momentum. Our informal Wadham Wednesday events that started in London are now spreading to other cities including San Francisco, New York and Manchester. We continue to receive interest from alumni in other cities across the world who would like to hold their own local events – this is very easy to do, a public bar or venue being the only requirement. To learn more please contact the Development Office.

The London dinner again proved a thoroughly enjoyable event, with our special thanks to Dr Paul Whittaker for his uniquely entertaining talk and live performance. We shall continue to experiment with formats for this event and in 2019 hope to trial a more informal venue to encourage even greater participation.

Our committee is growing and we continue to seek out enthusiastic new members and also ideas and suggestions for initiatives and events

– please feel free to reach out to any committee members.

Finally I must highlight the "Bop 'til the JCR drops!", the end-of-an-era party to celebrate the JCR Goddard building that many of us will remember so well and is now a building site. This was an incredibly unique and popular event made possible by the hard work and perseverance of Zahra Stark and Rachel Saunders in the Development Office, and committee members Sue Goltzyakova and Jason Leech. We thank them for a fantastic afternoon and evening and I hope the Free Nelson Mandela tradition lives on in the new Undergraduate centre!

Wadham is a special place for us all; the specific reasons why will only ever be known to each of us individually. We alumni are fully supportive of Wadham's pioneering Access to Excellence initiative to ensure that the best of future generations can enjoy the privileges we have enjoyed, regardless of their background and circumstances. If anyone is interested in learning more or contributing to this programme please contact Julie Hage or Marco Zhang in the Development Office, to whom we are deeply indebted for their relentless energy and wholehearted support of the alumni community and our society.

Alumni and friends enjoying a sunny summer's day in the Back Quad as part of the "Bop 'til the JCR drops" event, and at a Wadham Wednesday



### Wadham Alumni Society AGM

Notice is given of the next Annual General Meeting of the Wadham Alumni Society, to be held in association with a briefing on the activities of the College, currently planned for before the Alumni Dinner in College on Saturday 7 September 2019.

### Wadham Alumni Society Committee Members

**Sachin Patel** 2001, President  
**Ross Hutchison** 1979, Vice-President  
**Julian Anderson** 1957  
**Mike Edwards** 2007  
**Duncan Enright** 1982  
**Bruce Gibson** 1986

**Frederic Kalinke** 2007  
**Elizabeth Kim** 2003  
**Jason Leech** 2001  
**Daniel Rolle** 2006  
**Rohit Sen** 1999

Fellows: **Martin Bureau**,  
**Julie Hage**, **Ankhi Mukherjee**  
Development Office Staff:  
**William Parry**, **Rachel Saunders**, **Marco Zhang**





**1** Law Dinner celebrating the careers of Lord Dyson (Classics, 1961) and Sir James Munby (Law, 1967), March 2018.

**2** Student volunteers at

the Benefactors' Garden Party, June 2018.

**3** Hong Kong Reunion, September 2018.

**4** Alumni reunion in Auckland, New Zealand,

February 2018.

**5** 1980-85 Gaudy Group on the steps of Hall, September 2018.

**6** MP Emma Reynolds (PPE, 1997) was guest

speaker at the Wadham Alumni Society Dinner, September 2018.

**7/8** Alumni at the 1965-69 Gaudy, March 2018.



## Law Society

**Sandy Steel** for the Tutors  
**Neil Mirchandani** 1983, for the Committee

Celebrating excellent results and distinguished careers.

### TUTORS' REPORT

A VERY NICE set of results across FHS and Mods this year. Mannat Malhi won the Peter Carter Prize. As for the BCL/ MJur, there were six Distinctions, some very good passes, and subject prizes for Matt Bignell and Jessica Twumasi.

Tutors' news: Oliver Butler, Sam Williams and I each presented papers in Australia over the summer at the biennial Public Law Conference and the Obligations Conference in Melbourne. Many congratulations to Tarun Khaitan, who was awarded the prestigious Letten Prize ([www.law.ox.ac.uk/news/2018-08-03-tarunabh-khaitan-wins-2018-letten-prize](http://www.law.ox.ac.uk/news/2018-08-03-tarunabh-khaitan-wins-2018-letten-prize)). Jeffrey Hackney is a Lecturer at Wadham, Brasenose and St Anne's, teaching Roman Law. The Chancellor also reappointed him as a Clerk of the Market.

We very much look forward to welcoming back members to the annual WCLS dinner in 2019.



**Many congratulations to Tarun Khaitan, who was awarded the prestigious Letten Prize**

### COMMITTEE REPORT

THE HIGHLIGHT of the year was undoubtedly the dinner in March 2018 to celebrate the careers of Lord Dyson and Sir James Munby. Wadham has been privileged to have distinguished alumni sitting as Master of the Rolls and as President of the Family Division at the same time, surely a unique event for the College and one that we wanted to mark with a celebratory dinner. The event drew over 60 attendees who were treated to speeches from both Lord Dyson and Sir James who looked back on their judicial achievements and gave the students words of wisdom for their future careers. Following which, we heard a finely judged tribute to both of them from their near contemporary Joshua Rozenberg, who managed with the greatest finesse to keep dot on the line between gracious compliment and contempt of court.

Earlier that evening, the Society held an EGM at which Lord Dyson's retirement as President was marked and Sir Timothy Holroyde was elected as our new President. We would like to thank Lord Dyson for all he did for the Society as President over many years, and we look forward to Sir Timothy making his mark on the Society in the coming years.

## Medical Society

| **Stephen Goss** Emeritus Fellow

Termly talks covering A&E, clinical research and metabolism were highlights of the year.

OUR TRADITION of termly students' speaker meetings has been particularly stimulating, starting in Michaelmas Term with one of our recent alumni, Dr Adam Handel, now a clinician researcher in the Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences, speaking on "The nude mouse reveals all?". He uses functional genomics to study the basis of immune-mediated neurological disease.

Hilary Term brought us Dr Jo Rainbow, an Accident & Emergency consultant now working mostly in Australia, who had clear memories of her days as an Oxford medical student (and of certain now retired staff who had taught her!). Her specialty is in neonatal and paediatric emergency medicine, for which she is a co-editor of the *Oxford Handbook*. Not only did she have interesting things to say about the development of this area during her time in practice, she had some wisdom about stress and work-life balance in medicine – how part-time working and accommodating motherhood and golf had made practice once again a joy.

Trinity Term's speaker was our own Junior Research Fellow in Medical Sciences, Dr Jack Miller. Jack enjoys the study of metabolism (a man clearly after the writer's heart). His



**The Society continues to support students' travel abroad**

specialty labelled metabolites enable him to take snapshots by magnetic resonance imaging of metabolic stress in the heart. He keeps fit by sprinting from freezer to animal with syringes of supercooled but short-lived compounds.

The Society continues to support students' travel abroad. At the time of writing we have given major support to a clinical student for an Obstetrics and Gynaecology rotation in Mumbai and to a first year student for a five-week internship in vaccine research in the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Maryland. At weekends, she'll be visiting Washington to see national institutions central to US healthcare and politics. As ever, we are specially grateful to members whose generous donations make these grants possible.

Our next triennial reunion is due in 2020: watch this space!



## Wadham Alumni Golf Society

**Richard Chapman**  
Mathematics, 1968

Winning third in the intercollegiate competition, Wadham golfers welcome new members.

THE WADHAM Alumni Golf Society (WAGS) has two fixtures each year: the Intercollegiate competition and the Whitby Cup. The Intercollegiate event always takes place at Frilford Heath and we go into battle for the honour of the College against 20 or so others. The Whitby Cup is a gentler day out, at a new course every couple of years, where only individual honour is at stake and the winner gets to have their picture taken with the cup over dinner in College, before it is whisked away to the silver vaults under the Hall there to remain safe for another year.

In the 2018 Intercollegiate event Wadham came 3<sup>rd</sup> equal out of 19

**Wadham alumni golfers below (L-R): Hywel Davies, Richard Chapman, Haydn Gott, Peter Lennon, Jane Powell, Roger Devlin, Douglas French, John Ford**

colleges, which we take as a very creditable performance for a college not known for producing too many top golfers. We have indeed and somewhat surprisingly won the competition in the recent past (2013) so our aim thereafter has been high. I am hugely grateful to the team of 10 who represented the College in our endeavours this year and to those who have done so in previous years. But as ever with team events we are looking for a few new players, low to mid handicappers, to take over from those stalwarts who have given lots of support in the past.

The Whitby Cup 2017 was played at Temple Golf Club near Henley where the format was to meet for coffee at 11 am, play golf at 12 noon and repair to the College for dinner. In 2017 we were very happy to welcome several new players one of whom, Peter Lennon, I'm pleased to say had the temerity to win the event thus getting his name engraved on the roll of honour on the Whitby Cup.

In 2019 the Intercollegiate event is on Friday 12 April and the Whitby Cup is on Thursday 19 September. Please contact the Development Office if you would like to play – you would be very welcome.



## Student Union

**Jack Wands** PPE, 2016  
SU President 2017-18

Highlights of Wadham SU's exciting year, including working with college officers on the building project.

THIS HAS been an exciting year for Wadham SU. We've put on more events than ever before, had extremely high engagement, and worked closely with College to prepare for the upcoming building project. It has not been without challenges, but with the help of the wider College community we have faced and overcome these challenges and made Wadham a more accessible, vibrant, and exciting place.

We began this year by taking a long, hard look at the SU Committee and how it operates, and decided it needed a reshuffle and rethink. Since then we have been working more transparently, cohesively, and enthusiastically. On top of this we've gotten to work with our two new committee members: the Suspended Students' Officer and the Class Officer.

Over the past year members of the SU Committee have put on incredible events including: the busiest Queerweek we can remember; our biggest ever Wadstock; and our first welfare month! On top of this we have funded countless societies, student drama productions, and sports clubs, as well as raising thousands of pounds for charity. We have also been engaging more and more with other organisations; some notable examples



**Photo credit: Keir Mather (History & Politics, 2016)**

include the Wadham Alumni Society and the Oxford SU, who have helped us tremendously.

We cannot talk about the successes of the SU without highlighting the incredible collaborative work of College officers. It is with their help, advice, and expertise that we have been successful in reaching our goals. We are sure this mutually beneficial relationship will continue to push both the SU and the wider College community to be the best it can be.

Next year will see a lot of changes for Wadham, with the building of brand new facilities. It has been a great pleasure to work closely with College officers to make the project as smooth as possible, and the buildings as high-quality and accessible as possible.

The outgoing SU Committee has high hopes for the future and we are confident that the incoming President, Sulamaan, and the rest of the committee will build on our successes to make 2018-19 even better!



## MCR

**Paula Kaanders** DPhil Neuroscience  
MCR President 2018-19

From a successful graduate conference to arts, crafts, sports and wine tastings, it's been an eventful year.

IT HAS been a wonderfully eventful MCR year! I only recently joined Wadham as a naïve 1<sup>st</sup>-year DPhil student, but I have heard murmurs of an adventurous trip to the Lake District last summer, organised by camping officer Owen. Freshers' Week kicked off the academic year; the events included some hiking in Port Meadow, a pub crawl, live music, a quiz night, cocktails, and a welcome dinner in Hall, all made possible by the efforts of freshers' rep Joel.

We spent most of Michaelmas Term celebrating the holidays. Our members crafted artistic pumpkins in one of our arts & crafts sessions and we served scary cocktails at the bar in the evening. Our social officers are quite obsessed with the holiday season, so our events were Christmas-themed for weeks, including a movie night, arts & crafts sessions, Christmas-themed bar night, and of course the spectacular College Christmas dinner in Hall.

The most (ab)used facility in the MCR is undoubtedly the pool table. It was deemed necessary to settle who deserves to be called the best pool player of them all. This glorious honour was bestowed upon Behnam. To prove that we do also work on our degrees

**Right: The MCR end of year summer party, the ever popular pool table, and the Graduate Conference**

sometimes, social officer Chloe organised a Graduate Conference at which nine MCR members managed to explain their research to a multidisciplinary audience. Wine-and-dine officer Leonie organised many successful exchange dinners with other colleges, but MCR members' thirst is not easily quenched, so we're thankful Sarah-Beth organised wine-tastings to keep them off the street. Sports officer Clara organised a sports day for graduate students in collaboration with other MCRs. The academic year came to an end at our summer party with Pimm's, a live band, face paint, and our newly created tradition: the MCR awards.

It's incredible to have such a dedicated group of active MCR members at Wadham, many of whom have taken up committee positions and have committed to organising amazing new initiatives and events. I'm very proud to be representing this wonderful community in the next academic year!

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**The most (ab)used facility at the MCR is undoubtedly the pool table**



## Lennard Bequest Reading Party 2018

**Peter Thonemann**

Forrest-Derow Fellow and Tutor in Ancient History

Snow, dream-therapy and a novel washing-up system provided a perfect balance to studies.

IN MARCH 2018, as an enchanted dusting of snow descended gently over Wadham College, a party of twelve Wadham undergraduates and three senior members (Ray Ockenden, Peter Thonemann and Raphael Utz) set out for the 47<sup>th</sup> annual Wadham Reading Party in Cornwall. The snow thickened as we arrived at Lamledra, the rambling Edwardian house on the south Cornish coast where Wadham reading parties have stayed for over forty years.

Applications for the reading party were invited from all current Wadham undergraduate students. (The expenses of the reading party have long been underwritten by the generous bequest of a former Wadham history tutor, Reggie Lennard, boosted by subsequent contributions by reading-party alumni.) The twelve successful applicants included students from different year-groups and subject-areas, ranging from Engineering to Classical Archaeology. Our sole repeat participant this year was Ollie Braddy, deservedly promoted from Master of Bins to Tsar of Bins.

This was a year of radical innovation for the reading party. The traditional Asda shopping trip on the first afternoon was replaced by Asda

home-delivery. The first snowball fight in the reading party's history took place on the field below the house, and senior members' duties for the first time included the provision of dream-therapy to student participants, with slightly alarming results. An excellent new washing-up system was introduced by our masterful treasurer Nat Beckett, who celebrated its adoption with a memorably enthusiastic rendition of *Love on Top*.

Seven hours each day were set aside for quiet work and reading, and participants made good use of the week to disentangle problematic topics such as the philosophy of time-travel, galactic astrophysics, and the ethical complexities of Pirrauru, disturbed only by the crackle of excellent fires in the grate (ably managed by our fire-nurturers Pip Beck and Hannah Marshall) and by Rupert Sparling's mysteriously elaborate tea-making rituals.

We made full use of the beautiful beaches and cliff-walks around Lamledra. Georgia Mason and Katie Oldham were inexplicably keen on plunging into bitterly cold seas, Rose Lyddon channelled her inner mountain goat, and various new-born lambs were threatened with

abduction. Evenings were dedicated to outstanding cuisine (produced rota-style by members of the party) and games, the latter presided over with legendary flair by Ray Ockenden. Conor Williets proved perhaps the most effortlessly brilliant player of Mafia ever seen at Lamledra, but a veil is best drawn over his attempt to evoke Sigmund Freud with non-verbal

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**This was a year of radical innovation for the reading party**

noises. Few who were privileged to witness it will ever forget Raphael Utz's rendition of Georgia Mason shape-shifting into a werewolf in a game of Tuscan Charades.

**2018  
Reading  
Party group  
in the snow**







## Cricket

**Harry Langham** English, 2016 for the First XI  
**Tarafa Holford** Law, 2016 for the Second XI

A year of mixed results – a winning streak for the Freebooters while the First XI move into the second division.

### FIRST XI

IT WAS a season of 'what ifs' and 'if onlys' for Wadham this year. A number of very narrow losses at the start of the term, notably against Trinity and New, meant that survival was always set to be an uphill struggle. In spite of this, the team managed a valiant surge towards the back-end of the season. After a crushing victory by forfeit over Brasenose – apparently too scared to field a side, as news of Alex Coonar's (Southwark District U10's) demon doosra spread around Oxford, Wadham set its sights on Merton in the last game of the year. After victory against Brasenose, it looked as though

we needed a win to avoid relegation. Thanks to some Josh Sambrook heroics, a win is precisely what we delivered, scraping over the line on the last ball of the match. Unfortunately, however, in a shocking turn of events, Wadham's great escape was thwarted and next season will see us move onto new challenges, in the Oxford Inter College Second Division.

The year ended with another brilliant President's XI game, followed by an excellent dinner with the Old Boys, which topped off a really fun term of Cricket.

Thanks to Tony for umpiring, to Martin the groundsman, and to all those who played. The season

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### The year ended with another brilliant President's XI game

Harry Langham

certainly proved that there is a direct correlation between how many players you have on your team and how easy it is to win matches. Regardless, everyone's efforts were appreciated, from more conventional cricketers like Mummery and Fraser, to pioneering cricketing wildcards, Coonar and Nelson.

Next season, the sceptre will be passed down to the capable hands of Owen Eddershaw, who I'm sure will do a great job in recovering from the mess that I've left him with, and dragging Wadham 1<sup>st</sup> XI back into the top division.

### SECOND XI – FREEBOOTERS

WADHAM FREEBOOTERS XI triumphed in all matches played, encouraging participation across the College.

The Wadham Freebooters XI thrived this season, with Wadham students of all ages and cricketing experience playing regularly. The annual 1<sup>st</sup> XI v Freebooters XI match at the start of Trinity Term was a great success, 30 players making the journey up to Merifield Sports Ground to get involved in some capacity.

Two notable competitive matches were wins against St Catherine's College and Pembroke College, both going down to the wire and bringing the best out of both sides. Highlights from the St Catherine's contest included the emergence of

“dangerman” Milo Thursfield (PPE, 2016) who, despite not having touched a cricket ball for 10 years, took two wickets in as many balls and changed the tide of the match. Also memorable were catches by Theo Anton (Physics, 2016) and Patrick Collins (Biochemistry, 2016), the latter taking a diving catch to his left in the slips, and the former, despite dropping every catch without fail in practice, taking two difficult high catches when it mattered to pile the pressure on the opposition.

Against Pembroke, Wadham were faced with a University-level pace bowler, yet went on to win by one wicket with barely an over to spare. The game will truly be remembered, however, for Will Sealy's (German, 2017) “ball of the century”, clipping the top of the off stump at a blistering pace and sending the batsman, bemused, back to the pavilion.

In both matches it was refreshing to come up against opposition who shared our Freebooters ethos. Ultimately, Freebooters cricket is an opportunity to play college cricket in an informal, sociable setting, making the most of one's summer afternoons. Determined not to end on a bad note after Brasenose's cancellation of the final match of the season, we played a second intra-college match, allowing all finalists to play their final Wadham cricket match in a fun, relaxed setting; a thoroughly entertaining afternoon for everyone involved.

I am pleased to announce Daniel Gunn (PPE, 2017) as Freebooters captain for next season, and anticipate another successful and enjoyable season.



# Football

**Daniel Rumford** PPE, 2015 1<sup>st</sup> Team Captain, for Men's  
**Natalie Beckett** PPE, 2015 for Women's

Cuppers win for Wadham women and a largely successful year for the men.

## MEN'S FOOTBALL

WADHAM COLLEGE Men's 1<sup>st</sup> Team entered the 2017–18 season with some trepidation. The summer had seen many first-team regulars graduate, and there was uncertainty over whether the team would be able to retain its Premier-Division status.

The season began very successfully. Wadham's first fixture was a home tie against Worcester College which Wadham dominated. A loss to Balliol the following week brought expectations back down to earth; however, by the end of Michaelmas Wadham had racked up a respectable 3 wins from a possible 6 and were sitting comfortably mid table. The term was slightly soured by a second-round cup exit to St Catz in a very tight contest.

Over the break, 16 of the Wadham Firsts squad headed to Hamburg on our annual tour to face VfL Hammonia. Despite a few early setbacks, including injuries in the warm-up and some players feeling worse for wear, the game was a great success. Wadham were able to keep things tight for the first 70 minutes; however, the Germans ended strongly to run out eventual winners 3-1. My thanks to VfL

Hammonia for their warm hospitality and to Josh for his help in the organisation.

Losses to St Catz, Worcester and St John's in Hilary left Wadham teetering on the edge of relegation and in need of a point in our final game against Exeter on the final day of the season. A very cagey game ensued which ended in a stalemate 0-0, gaining the point we needed to stay up.

Wadham 2s and 3s continue to be popular, with over 50 students playing across the season. Off the back of promotion to the top division, Wadham 2s finished a respectable mid-table position and consolidated their status as a top-table side.

Wadham 3s had a brilliant season and continue to encapsulate the best parts about football at Wadham. Under their usual mantra of 'everyone welcome', Captain Roystar09 masterminded not only a league win, but an undefeated one.

I had a great time captaining the team this year and I wish the best of luck for the oncoming season under the stewardship of player-of-the-season Sam James.

Finally, my thanks go to Martin Cofield for once again maintaining a spectacular pitch across the season.



## WOMEN'S FOOTBALL

WADHAM/GREEN-TEMPLETON College Women's Football team has had a successful year, winning the intercollegiate cuppers championship. Everyone was sceptical in the run-up to our first match against Queen's, as all attempts to renegotiate the date of the match to any day other than the day after Queerfest were unsuccessful. The match on this day each year is notoriously one in which Wadham never manages to field a full team. This year, however, we had our sights set on making the final and the team rose to the challenge. With a full team of fifteen people, we beat Queen's 9-0.

Our next match was against Corpus/Pembroke, a team which we had recently lost to in a league match. We weren't worried, and our confidence was rewarded with a final score of 6-3 to Wadham. The final was played the following Friday evening at the Iffley-Road stadium. We were to

**Wadham's  
winning  
women's  
football  
team**

play the Foxes, a team made up of an amalgamation of graduate colleges and the team that had knocked us out of the competition both years previously. Despite the nerves, we were able to remain calm and won the match 4-1. Celebrations continued into the weekend, the cup even making an appearance at Wadham football's home ground, Purple Turtle. A massive thank you to everyone who came and supported; it made a huge difference to our game hearing the cheers for Wadham from the stands.

It has been truly amazing to see the Wadham Women's Football team grow over the years. It seems hard to believe that only two years ago we considered it an achievement to field eleven players. Now, with twenty-two regular players, we are beginning to consider having two women's teams. Big thanks go to Martin Cofield for keeping the pitches pristine, and good luck to incoming captain Molly Weiland (Biology, 2016).

## Rowing

**Jacob Scorey** Economics and Management, 2016 for Men's  
**Francesca Murphy** Engineering Science, 2016 for Women's

A strong and exciting year on the water.

### MEN'S ROWING

IN THE 2017–18 season the Men's Wadham College Boat Club have demonstrated they're one of the most successful clubs in college rowing. With strong numbers permitting us to field three senior boats, we were competitive

on the water, achieving some excellent results this season. Furthermore it has been great to be able to allow so many people to get involved.

Firstly we sent two squads to Christ Church with the first novice boat reaching the quarter finals, an admirable feat. All the novices had learnt a vast



amount in a small space of time and it was a smooth transition bringing them into the senior squad in Hilary.

In Hilary we were able to send two senior squads to Henley Head where M1 beat all other Oxford colleges there and won our category. M2 also performed extremely well getting in the mix with lots of other college first boats. Next came Torpids. Regrettably with a snow storm two days of racing were cancelled; however WCBC men were still able to put in strong performances with M1 sitting 3<sup>rd</sup>, M2 being the second highest M2, and M3 being the highest M3 boat.

Trinity Term is always compact, but luckily our crews remained fairly settled from Hilary Term with just a few returning to strengthen us further.

### WCBC Women at the Summer Eights Dinner

Early in Trinity, M1 were given the opportunity to represent college rowing at BUCS (British Universities & Colleges Sport) and we were pleased to win the final we were placed in from our time trial. The focus of the term however was always Summer Vllls, and the results for this were also strong, with M3 getting 4 bumps and therefore winning 'blades', M2 bumping up 3 positions, and M1 moving into the top 5 of all college crews despite very tough competition.

As well as an exciting year on the water it has been a big one for socials within the club too with curry nights, dinners, bar crawls, and plenty more. The club grows ever closer which in turn helps fuel the success. I believe the future will continue to be bright for men's rowing at Wadham!



## WOMEN'S ROWING

2017-18 has been another strong year for Women's Rowing at Wadham: we won Christ Church Regatta and we are 2<sup>nd</sup> in Torpids and in Summer Eights!

We started the year with a strong intake of committed freshers, who rapidly threw themselves into our training programme and many social events. After 7 weeks of hard work from the novices and our coach Rod, we fielded two boats of keen rowers at Christ Church Regatta. Many Wadhamites came down to the Isis to support our women as they beat around 50 crews over 6 races and won the whole Regatta!

Having lost many seniors to graduation and injuries, we had to work super hard on transforming our strong but inexperienced novices into W1 rowers in time for Torpids. In our first race on Wednesday, we came within a metre of the current Headship holders Oriel although we weren't quite close enough to 'bump' them. Sadly, racing on Thursday and Friday was cancelled due to heavy snow. Although Saturday was a repeat of Wednesday, in that we were much faster but could not quite catch Oriel, we were very pleased that

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**We had massively improved and come together as a squad**

Francesca Murphy

our novices were now fully integrated in the squad, and we are ready to catch Oriel next year!

The summer term is always a lot more hectic as racing happens in 5<sup>th</sup> week and everyone fits training around their exams and revision. Despite this, everyone worked hard and Summer Eights arrived in no time at all. Although we lost the Headship on the first day to a very strong Pembroke boat, we managed to hold off Christ Church on Thursday and Friday. Thanks to some very clever coxing, we out-ran Wolfson on Saturday and to us that was a huge victory. Not only had we beaten 6 blues rowers, but we had massively improved and come together as a squad.

Thank you to everyone who has been involved in the boat club so far: the rowers, the alumni, the coaches and everyone who generously supports us through the WCBC Society. Our successes are down to you!



## Rugby

**Sirimon Thomas**  
Biological Sciences, 2015

A great season: demotion, re-promotion and 7s success.

THE TEAM'S journey through the year involved an initial drop from Div2 to Div3, then a hard-won promotion back to Div2, followed by a strong 7s performance.

The joint Wadham/Trinity rugby team had a fantastic 2017–18 season. Last year's hard work, under the visionary captaincy of Conor Williets, launched the club up through a double promotion to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Division. After a mighty battle against Jesus as an opening game to the season, we narrowly lost. A further mix of wins and losses unfortunately led to a return to the 3<sup>rd</sup> division by the end of the Michaelmas league. Come Hilary Term, however, a revolutionised (at least mentally) team set about correcting

this drop. And sure enough, through a lot of stylish play, frequently only involving a 10-man team due to a mysterious and perpetual shortage of players, re-promotion was gained by the end of the Hilary league.

The team also saw great success at the 7s Cuppers competition, notoriously Wad/Trin's best form of the game. During the early rounds, magical victories were gained against Univ and Exeter despite playing both games one man short of the full set. Further success put us through to the Semi-Finals and then the Finals, where we met Benet's. After another epic game, we narrowly lost to take 2<sup>nd</sup> place (not bad for a team that started with only six players!).

All in all, it has been an amazing season and I am sure that, under the leadership of Alex Pentecost, the team will go from success to success next year.

**Above:  
WadTrin  
with  
Oxwash,  
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Kyle Grant  
(Synthetic  
Biology,  
2014)**



## Netball

**Emma Ring**

History and Economics, 2015

Victory in the league for Wadham netballers.

WADHAM'S NETBALL fortunes have gone from strength to strength over the past year, building on the extraordinary development of the squad in the last five years.

Our seconds team took hold of Division 4 following their promotion from Division 5 at the end of last year and refused to let go. Led by team captain Agnes Girling they rose

steadily from 8<sup>th</sup> place throughout two seasons of netball. Ultimately finishing the year in 4<sup>th</sup> place, they demonstrated a brilliant team spirit throughout and proved themselves a promising team for the future.

In Division 1 our first team started the year in 3<sup>rd</sup> place. Before long the Michaelmas league saw us pass

several hefty milestones, not least beating our historic rivals, Catz; however, strong performances from Keble and Somerville meant that victory ultimately eluded us; we finished in second place. Far from deterred, in the following term we reliably fielded a full team even when faced with ice and snow. Ultimately our dedication paid off, and after nine more fixtures and a few more minor injuries we finally won the league, topping 5 divisions of netball that together encompass over 40 teams. This great result was truly testament to the determination of the entire squad, their skills, and their willingness to run to a netball match in between a lecture and tutorial.

Outside of the league, great

performances were put in by all players at both the mixed and women's cuppers tournaments, and most memorably during a match against Wadham's sister college Christ's College, Cambridge. In heavy rain an all-female Wadham team saw off the male-dominated Christ's mixed team with a zeal that both impressed and possibly slightly surprised our opponents.

Netball remained, as it has been during my three years at Wadham, a spirited community in which I've got to know many impressive and lovely people. It was a pleasure and a privilege to captain this great group of players, and I can't wait to hear about their future successes under next year's captain, Agnes Girling.

**Below:**  
Some of the  
squad after  
training

**Left: Netball**  
First Team

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Great performances were put in by all players

Emma Ring



## Squash

**Sirimon Thomas**  
Biological Sciences, 2015

A successful year on the courts, maintaining high positions in the leagues.

AFTER THE hard work of last season, the club was in a strong position and maintained that position throughout the season. In the league, we had 2 men's teams and a women's team putting up serious competition against the other colleges (who all take it too seriously and definitely do not have as much fun as Wadham does). The men's 1<sup>st</sup> V met some very strong teams in their league journey but maintained their position in the premiership division. The men's 2<sup>nd</sup> V had good victories over Somerville and Trinity, also keeping their league position. The women's team also had large successes (possibly more than the men's side due to actually playing most of their games) and are set on a rising trajectory that will undoubtedly continue over the coming years.

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**A good foundation for further progress and lots of fun going forward**

Sirimon Thomas

Cuppers campaigns of both the men and women's clubs saw victory in the first rounds, but unfortunately both lost narrowly in the second round, causing premature ends to the dreams of Cuppers victory.

All in all, this season has built on successes of the previous seasons and set a good foundation for further progress and lots of fun going forward.

## Tennis

**Danial Farooq**  
Engineering Science, 2016

Making tennis more accessible to the wider Wadham community.

MICHAELMAS WAS the business end of our season, with a league match every Wednesday, the team travelling to Nottingham, Warwick and De Montfort Universities. We managed to consolidate our new position in division 2 of BUCS Midlands and are hoping for even more success next year. Hilary involved more competitive fixtures, and Trinity has been focused on training for our biggest fixture of the year: against Cambridge for Varsity. This has meant an exciting shift to Oxford's finest grass courts, which, apart from Wimbledon, are rare in London – where I am from. Trinity Term has also been home to existing friendly exhibition fixtures against the prestigious Hurlingham Club in Kensington and against Eaton Boys. The final term of the year has added an additional challenge, coinciding with finals exams and the month of Ramadan which means no food and water from sunrise to sunset. Ramadan has allowed me to value my time on court even more and really focus on each individual shot, which is often the difference in big matches.

College Tennis started in Trinity.

Compared with last year, when we were fighting to consolidate our exalted place in division one of the intercollegiate league and reached the quarter finals of Cuppers, this year also proved to be exciting. Wadham College holds the strongest players in Oxford, hosting both Blues captains, Saleem Rizvi and Fran Benson, and more squad players. As we already have the opportunity to represent the University, and in order to endorse the inclusive nature of Wadham, we decided to make College tennis as it is supposed to be, an opportunity to make tennis more accessible to the wider Wadham community. Abbas Hussein, the new captain, has been great at doing this by hosting an open session for anyone to participate, and expanding the team beyond the confines of squad players to the many aspiring players: from Luke Stalder, to James Morgan, to DPhil student Marcus Chin, to finalist William Harris and Avishek Mondal, who all represented the friendly spirit of Wadham to the wider University.

This year has been an exciting one for me in tennis from beginning to end.

## Hockey

**Claire Evans**  
Oriental Studies, 2014

Building a stronger side.

WADHAM'S field hockey team has been slowly growing over the past few terms and, following last year's merge with the Trinity team, we were able to enter both the men's and women's leagues and cuppers competitions for the first time in a number of years. Furthermore, thanks to money given by the Wadham SU, the team has purchased new equipment which will allow more people to get involved with the sport. Despite some disappointing results the teams have had the opportunity to train and improve together and a number of Wadham-Trinity players have played for the University teams. It is hoped that the team can build on this year's experience and develop a stronger side for next year's competitions.

## Water Polo

**Joshua Silverbeck**  
Mathematics, 2017

Wadham wins water polo cuppers.

Wadham's water polo team won the cuppers tournament, beating a St John's/ChCh team by one goal in an exciting final to claim the coveted giant rubber-duck trophy. The team, which was joint with Harris Manchester, had to play back-to-back games after comfortably beating Univ in the semi-final, but persevered and held on to a narrow lead.

With restrictions on the number of Blues players allowed in the water at any one time, the less experienced players stepped up and made the difference, despite the fact that some of them were playing in their first water polo match.

**The winning Wadham-Harris Manchester water polo team with their coveted duck trophy**



## Power Lifting

Competing at national level.

Wadham Women's Weightlifting has had an uplifting 2017-18. We have been pleased to welcome lots of new lifters to our team from Wadham and the rest of the university. Highlights of our calendar have included competing at BUCS, regionals and cuppers, where we entered the most female lifters of any college! We have also elected a new committee and had our first official team social. In the coming year some of our lifters are on the road to nationals whilst others continue to make gains in the gym each and every week helped by our wonderful coach Shez. We're excited to welcome even more members next year and continue empowering our women in the gym and beyond.

**Isobel Townend**  
Economics and Management, 2017







## FEATURES

# Wadham in 1618

*As King James attempted to involve fellow Scots in Oxford colleges, Wadham stood firm.*

1618 was an unhappy year for us. It saw the deaths in May of our revered Foundress and in July that of our first Visitor, Bishop Montagu. Then in October, we fell out with the king. James was king of England and of Scotland, a century before the Act of Union created a combined kingdom, and the importation of Scots culture that he sought to promote was not apparently universally welcomed. We are told<sup>1</sup> that when James came to the throne, the statutes of Oxford and Cambridge colleges contained clauses restricting elections to Scholarships, Fellowships and Heads of House to those born in England and Wales. Even restricting Scholarships might do the trick if, as was normal, Fellows could only be elected from amongst Scholars, and Heads from amongst Fellows. Colleges were apparently not happy to change this culture and in 1609 James had threatened a Visitation to revoke what he considered hostile college statutes and to get some Scots onto the Foundations. In 1612, the 1596 statutes of Sidney Sussex, Cambridge, were modified to let in some<sup>2</sup> Scots and Irish, and the King turned his attention to Wadham's new statutes.

These, made early in the new reign, had originally conformed to a traditional restrictive election formulation. Dorothy's original plans for Scholars provided for reserved scholarships from Somerset and Essex with the rest coming from the 'other counties', and our initially submitted statutes had contained similar phrases, including a restriction to the kingdom of England. This had presumably included Wales.<sup>3</sup> But under royal insistence, the Authorised (Latin) Version ultimately stipulated that they should come from the kingdom of Great Britain.<sup>4</sup>

But the king's desire to promote the subjects of his nation of origin was not

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satisfied simply by changing the eligibility. In the autumn of 1618, he wrote to the Warden and Fellows requiring them to elect a buddy of one his court officials, one Walter Durham, a Scot educated at St Andrews, to the next vacant Fellowship. The still-mourning College resisted and despite having lost two of its great protectors, it showed great resourcefulness in dealing with the great and/or the good, and the king ultimately withdrew the pressure, and Walter, who had evidently made a great pest of himself, went elsewhere.<sup>5</sup>

The story comes to life in a contemporary note in the archives<sup>6</sup> from a Fellow, which sets out the high drama. The College's public protestations were technical and, ironically perhaps, based on its royally approved statutes. The objections were threefold: Walter was already an MA, he was overage, and not a Wadham Scholar. But the note suggests that antagonism to the Scots was still in the air and the College feared that the king might think this was racial and not religious<sup>7</sup> discrimination, as Walter was apparently and perhaps plausibly claiming. It is not impossible that Dorothy's original formulations had reflected an anti-Scots attitude that may have prevailed throughout her lifetime. Certainly the Warden and Fellows had left themselves in an awkward position in claiming that they were only acting in accordance with the wishes of their Founders, since they had already elected more Fellows than she originally intended. (It is perhaps no surprise that although James, following earlier monarchs, styled himself King of France, he does not seem to have insisted on the rights of the French to be elected.)

The original note, a translation of which is below, is in a baroque Latin not unlike that of our first Statutes, and has not been previously translated in print. Certainly it would have exceeded my patience, if not my capacity, to translate it. But luckily a third year law student, Mannat Malhi<sup>8</sup>, tamed it for me, and appended hereto is my vulgarised version of her heroic contribution, for which I express my deep appreciation.

In what temper elections of Scots to the Governing Body are conducted nowadays, or from whom they seek supporting letters has, happily, not been revealed to me.

**Jeffrey Hackney<sup>9</sup>**

Emeritus Fellow and Keeper of the Archives

## Appendix: Translation of Wadham Archives 4/31

Although there are a number of things which have happened and which maybe will happen in time to come which it may be profitable for future generations to hear, scarcely anything can be found either more worthy of present attention or for the memory of future generations than what happened to us this year, the 1618<sup>th</sup> year of human salvation.

We had scarcely finished our duty in the commemoration of our most honoured Foundress and of our honoured Visitor, James, Bishop of Winchester, and our eyes were still wet with recent tears, when behold there came about new disruptions, which agitated the whole state of the College and threatened the ruin of our statutes.

For Walter Durham, a Scot by birth, Master of Arts from the university of St Andrews, spurned the College's statutes and bustled about, as if he could overleap them with a bound. He left no stone unturned in trying to fulfil his wish. To this end he came armed with letters from the king, and armed with the counsel of most distinguished friends he began to keenly argue his case in person, urging himself upon now the Warden, now upon the Fellows, and (for he was a little bold by nature) frequently entering their rooms

himself. Some he tempted with threats, others with promises.

He had brought written mandates from the king, which seemed hard to us to resist, but even more difficult to obey; for on one side the anger of the king seemed to hang over us, and on the other that of Almighty God.

There was, at that time, among many of us a degree of hatred of the Scottish by name, on account of the recent invasions, battles, and plundering in the North. Nor was there only a little fear that our most just and wise king would, were the Scotsman to suffer a rejection, suppose that this deed was done as an insult to his race, not from any sort of religious scruple; especially when the Scot himself was threatening this; and the king himself had changed a clause in the statutes which (as it appeared) was unjust towards the Scots.\* And he might suspect that the men who now managed the College held the same opinion as had been previously found for the compilers of the statutes.

Again, since the statutes most strictly stated that no foreigner<sup>10</sup> should be admitted as a Fellow, and we were religiously bound to them by our oath, and because we had exceptionally allowed three to be elected over and above the command of the Foundress (which to us was like a statute), in no way could we escape this double bind<sup>11</sup>; for we would be called both perjured and wicked.

\*from "in the kingdom of England" to "in the kingdom of Great Britain".

<sup>1</sup> *In The History of the University of Oxford, 1997, Oxford, Volume 4, c.4, Professor Kenneth Fincham.*

<sup>2</sup> *They had to have been around for 6 years...*

<sup>3</sup> *The Laws in Wales Acts, 1535 and 1542 will have made this the most likely reading, even if it had not been so before: Elizabeth I styled herself Queen of England and Ireland, but not Wales.*

<sup>4</sup> *See n.1 above, where Professor Fincham sets some of this out,*

*acknowledging the invaluable help of the late and much lamented Cliff Davies, Tutor in History and Fellow, Keeper of the Archives 1963–2016. The statutes are of course in Latin, so this is not an early example of Britain as an English word. And we may of course soon come under pressure from above to re-insert this clause in our statutes...*

<sup>5</sup> *Unknown*

<sup>6</sup> *Wadham Archives 4/31*

<sup>7</sup> *Pass. Gunpowder Treason and*

*Plot was 1605. Above my pay grade.*

<sup>8</sup> *Who had come to Wadham only at the suggestion of a visiting teacher at her school in Australia, James Morwood, quondam editor of this Gazette, now also much lamented.*

<sup>9</sup> *e&oe*

<sup>10</sup> *Extraneous. This may mean 'stranger' ie. not a Wadham scholar. The notion of 'not one of us' may pre-date the 1980s. DW used alienigenus for 'foreigner'.*

<sup>11</sup> *Vinculum geminum*





## BETJEMAN AND BOWRA

*Maurice Bowra, former Warden of Wadham College, became a close friend of the poet John Betjeman.*

The lifelong friendships Betjeman made through Bowra had a lasting effect on the poet, contributing to his subsequent success. Andrew McCallum, Vice Chairman of The Betjeman Society, explores this fascinating tale of friendship.

John Betjeman arrived at Magdalen College, Oxford in 1925 from Marlborough College where, as he made very clear in his verse autobiography *Summoned By Bells*, which covers his earliest memories until shortly after leaving Oxford, he had not been happy (in contrast he records his happiness while at the Dragon School previously). He writes of his arrival at Magdalen:

Privacy after years of public school;  
Dignity after years of none at all –  
First college rooms, a kingdom of my own:  
What words of mine can tell my gratitude?

Bowra (above left)  
and Betjeman  
(above right)

By his own admission, Betjeman did not work, enjoying Oxford life to the full:

I cut tutorials with wild excuse,  
For life was luncheons, luncheons all the way  
And evenings dining with the Georgeoisie.

Betjeman's relationship with his tutor, CS Lewis, was not a happy one and the pair did not get on at all. However, Betjeman came to the notice of Maurice Bowra, then Dean of Wadham, and was one of a circle of undergraduates who would attend his salons:

Dinner with Maurice Bowra sharp at eight –  
High up in Wadham's hospitable quad: [...] I wandered back to Magdalen, certain then,  
As now, that Maurice Bowra's company  
Taught me far more than all my tutors did.

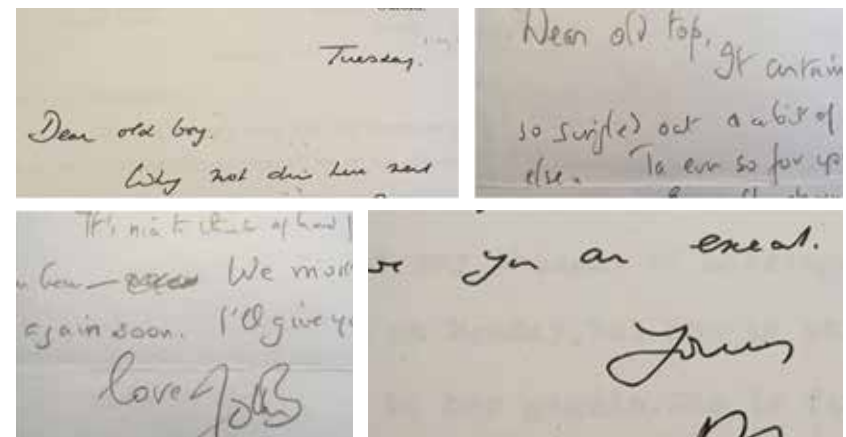
Bowra and Lewis were of the generation of young dons who had served in the final years of World War One; both were born in 1898, both took double firsts in classics and were just eight years older than Betjeman.

Of Betjeman, Bowra is recorded, in conversation with Lord Birkenhead, as having stated: "Betjeman has a mind of extraordinary originality; there is no one else remotely like him."

Betjeman was wont to blame Lewis for his failure to take a degree but in contrast the influence of Bowra and the lifelong friendships he made through Bowra's company had a lasting effect on him and undoubtedly contributed to his subsequent successes as a poet, writer, broadcaster and campaigner.

Betjeman and Bowra's friendship continued until the latter's death. They

Examples  
of the lively  
correspondence  
between Betjeman  
and Bowra



corresponded and would meet, sometimes at the Betjemen family home (after his marriage to Penelope) at Uffington, later at Farnborough or Wantage, and sometimes at the home of their mutual friends Francis and Sibyl Harton at Baulking, near Uffington.

They also shared a love of poetry. One remarkable example is the verse that Bowra wrote for John and Penelope on the birth of their son Paul, in 1937, which under the title "Uffington Downs", ran for some 120 lines (and is in the Wadham archives.)

Betjemen was much affected by Bowra's death in July 1971. It certainly caused him to reflect on his own mortality and it had come just a few weeks before his 65<sup>th</sup> birthday. To Penelope, who was in India at the time, he wrote "Maurice's death will leave Oxford empty and sad for hundreds of us". He described the funeral in a letter to Kenneth and Jane Clark: "We walked in burning heat to Wadham Chapel and there was the coffin in the full chapel and on it pink sprays of flowers." He describes walking round to Holywell Cemetery for the interment in "sweltering heat".

Both Betjemen's and Bowra's biographers have covered their relationship in more detail and Betjemen's daughter, Candida Lycett Green, in her two volumes of her father's collected letters makes many references to Bowra whose name often crops up in his correspondence with others. It is, of course, just possible that more letters between the two men may yet come to light; perhaps even some previously unseen verse by either of them.

**Andrew McCallum**, Vice Chairman of the Betjemen Society

### Andrew McCallum and the Betjemen Society

Andrew McCallum, a member of the Oxford Preservation Trust, leads a guided walk: *Betjemen's Oxford*, which starts outside the Dragon School and ends near Carfax at the Painted Room which used to be the Trust's office.

Betjemen was briefly, from 1946 – 1948, Secretary of the Trust and Bowra was its Chairman from 1951 – 1954 so both men would have known this room and Betjemen would have worked there. Wadham is one of the ports of call on this walk. Another walk led by Andrew, *Betjemen's North Oxford*, is entirely within the North Oxford Conservation Area.

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## THE REMARKABLE MRS WADHAM (SENIOR)

*Joan Wadham, mother of College Founder Nicholas, had 20 children by two husbands before her death, aged 88, in 1553.*

There is no doubt that both the Founder and his wife were remarkable people. They had money, energy, and determination. Nicholas's philanthropy and passion for education were carried through by his wife Dorothy, operating from her house, Edge, high in acombe above Branscombe in Devon. And, as is well known, she never visited Oxford during the whole process of construction and staffing.

But Nicholas's mother, Joan (sometimes referred to as Jane) was also an extraordinary woman, in a different way. She had Cornish blood – her father was a Tregarthen – and she lived to a great age, probably 88. When quite young she first married John Kellaway of Cullompton (the spelling of his

Above: Two carvings of Joan, kneeling behind her two husbands, with her children from each marriage behind her

name has several variants). She bore him no fewer than fourteen children, if one can believe her memorial stone. I can only find seven of them recorded in genealogy sites : George, Elizabeth, Anne, Mary, Catherine, Florence and Agnes. One must assume that several of the others died either at birth or shortly afterwards. Her husband died in February 1531 at the age of 37. She then married John Wadham, an important local Somerset official and JP, who had been born at Edge in 1505 (he lived until 1578), but who lived at Merifield near Ilton. She had six children by him, of whom Nicholas was the first born (in 1532 at Merifield) followed by Johanna (1533, Merifield), Joan (1536, Bristol), Florence (1538, Merifield) and two others. So she must have produced almost a baby a year over a period of twenty years!

In the fine Norman church at Branscombe is a detailed monument to her, carved in stone, and still bearing traces of colour. Nicholas Pevsner suggests it may have been erected by her son Nicholas.

The inscription on the slate below states:

"Here lieth intomb'd the body of a virtuous and antient Gentlewoman descended of the antient House of the Plantagenets sometime of Cornwall, namely JOAN one of the daughters and heirs unto John Tregarthin in the county of Cornwall Esq. She was first married unto John Kelleway Esq. who had by her much issue. After his death she was married to John Wadham of Meryfield in the county of Somerset Esq., & by him had several children. She lived a virtuous & godly life and died in an honourable age.....September in the year of Christ 1583."

The church register gives a little more detail: "Mrs Jone Wadham, wid., was buried the 30th of September 1583."

On the tomb carving, set between two classical columns and below a pediment, are her two husbands, both kneeling. To the left is John Kelleway, in doublet, ruff, hose and academic gown. Behind him on a smaller scale is Joan, kneeling, in ruff and gown with puffed sleeves; and behind her are her children, who seem to be separated into nine girls below and five boys above, all dressed like their parents.

To the right kneels John Wadham in full armour and a ruff, with his helmet and crossed gauntlets in front of him. Behind him appears a second image of Joan – how often do you appear twice on your own gravestone? – with



five children behind her – the official church guide says one more has broken away. It adds that five are girls and one is a boy: Nicholas.

The armorials are very complicated. There are three coats of arms: The lozenge in the centre is Joan's. The Kellaway/Tregarthen arms are to the left; the Wadham/Tregarthen arms are to the right. The six segments of Joan's shield are duplicated on the right side of both the Kellaway and the Wadham shields, as is common heraldic practice: husband to the left, wife to the right.

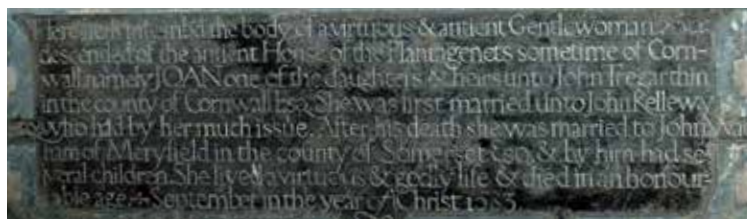
The Kellaway arms are unusual (quartered, on the left): there is a saltire of grozing-irons, or glaziers' snippers, with four Kelway pears between them. The same arms are also to be found in a window of the great hall at Lytes Cary Manor, since Henry Lyte, the great Tudor botanist, in 1546 married a Kellaway, Agnes, as his first wife. This would make Joan the mother-in-law of Henry.

The Wadham arms, on the right-hand shield, yield much greater detail, because a similar shield for the Wadhams, in the south window of the library at Montacute, has been the subject of a commentary by a Herald, Oswald Barron. Top left of the nine segments are the arms of Wadham, a white chevron on a red ground with three roses. Two along are a couple of stags' heads, the arms of Popham. In the middle row on the left below Wadham are the arms of Zouche; and below them on the left is a two-headed eagle over blue and white bars, the arms of Speke, a well-known Somerset family. Third along on the bottom line are the arms of Ralegh. I am unable to identify the other shields, but no doubt there are experts who can help.

I assume the crossed grozing-irons (without the pears) which appear in the top-left segment of Joan's own arms (and in the other two shields) represent Tregarthen. The Tregarthen family also had a crest with a red chevron surrounded by three mermaids, but there is no sign of it here.

If it is correct that Nicholas raised this monument to his mother, which takes such trouble over her husbands, her offspring and her ancestry, then he did her proud.

Reporter **Peter Hill**, a retired BBC correspondent, has published a number of articles on William Arnold, the architect of Wadham College.



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In the fine Norman church at Branscombe is a detailed monument to Joan



# THE 2<sup>ND</sup> YEAR

*"The 2<sup>nd</sup> year is for taking as many lovers as possible," and other invaluable advice.*

It's not good form to name drop, but advice from my wise and trusted friend, Anon, has proved invaluable on many occasions. His modesty (although gender is indeterminate) is matched only by his longevity. Like Banksy he opts for a nondescript nom de plume. Lacking his facility with the elegant phrase, I'm often reduced to quoting him verbatim.

One of Anon's truisms is "Youth is wasted on the young". At 76 I can still easily touch my toes and climb tall trees to top them, but regrettably youth is starting to pass me by.

Francis Bacon claimed "old age is always 15 years older than I am".

If you've been blessed with good health, that's probably true, but 80 – hardly on the far horizon – does seem old to me. The good news is that my pension company recently advised me my average life expectancy is 88. Whether I shall think so at 87 is another matter!

To adapt another cliché, "age, like beauty, is in the eye of the beholder". A word of warning though: "A man who correctly guesses a woman's age may be smart, but he's not very bright" – Lucille Ball.

Pam Ayres was born in 1947, so she's 5 or 6 years younger than me. In a TV interview I saw she reminisced – happily if not nostalgically – about how toilet paper has changed over the years. No, not the merits of hard or soft, but of newspaper put to a secondary use. Apparently, in her childhood home, sheets of newspaper were provided from which you tore off appropriately sized pieces. Visits to her gran were memorable for a move up market. Granny had torn the newspaper into squares which were hung up ready for immediate use. A 1950s precursor of convenience consumerism which sociologists may care to note.

My family was even more upmarket than Pam's gran. We used the *Radio Times*, a page of which neatly divided into 4 equal pieces, then hung on a bent skewer. (The *RT* was then printed on paper similar to, albeit a little superior, to

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the newsprint Pam had, not the glossy coated stuff of today).

The 60s were notorious for the universal availability of rampant free love – except where I was!

This is possibly because I am a confirmed misanthropic sociopath. I blame my tutors. They failed to advise me that "the 2<sup>nd</sup> year is for taking as many lovers as possible" (the advice allegedly given by a female tutor to a female student viz *Oxford Today* Vol 29.1). I scored a duck (sadly, also true of my 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> years).

My very expensive legal team assure me I have a strong case, but Wadham has yet to respond to my claim for compensation.

"Grow old along with me, the best is yet to be," wrote Robert Browning. A surprisingly optimistic view given that it was published in 1864 when he was 52.

I've been blessed with good health and have much to be thankful for, but nothing works as well – physically or mentally – as it used to and I do find myself increasingly looking back through the mists of nostalgia.

I was born and brought up in Tavistock, a small West Devon market town. Only four miles from Cornwall – that might almost have been another country. Dad was a carpenter working on building sites. Mum, who died in 2016 in her 101<sup>st</sup> year, until she married Dad was a domestic servant. She passed the exam to go to the Grammar School, but there were fees, travel and other costs, so that wasn't an option for most working class boys, let alone girls. Her dad was a labourer in a tin mine, so she left school at 14, as had my dad. She was never bitter about it, but just accepted that was life.

I was born on 6 December 1941, my arrival triggering the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor the following day!

The 1944 Education Act and the free library were instrumental in giving me opportunities my parents never had. Little did I appreciate it at the time, but together they radically changed my life from what it would otherwise have been.

In April 2017 the *Observer* printed a letter; "I was an ambitious working class girl who received a middle class education. My parents were bemused by my studious nature. They didn't bother me, but didn't encourage me either."

I'm not sure how true that was for me. I certainly wasn't pushed or offered bribes for good performance. No doubt they were both proud and pleased, but I don't recall they ever said so. They didn't need to. I knew I had their love and support – not something all children are blessed with.

Despite the encouragement of my teachers, I never intended going to University. Nothing unusual about that. At the time only 6% of my age group did so. But an interview for a trainee accountant's job with Fords changed everything. He recommended I think again. I did, went to Oxford (presumably my parents found the money to cover the costs), sat the Wadham Group 3 day entrance exams and have never regretted it.

David Stanbury Modern History, 1960

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## Book Reviews

### HOLD

**Michael Donkor** English, 2003

*Fourth Estate, July 2018*



Michael Donkor's *Hold* has many family resemblances with the postcolonial debut novel. A coming-of-age narrative, it combines the narrative of metropolitan arrival with the constant tug of memory and survivor's

guilt. Highlighting, as it does, the psychic schisms resulting from the African migrant's encounter with monolingual, white, and late-capitalist Europe, it does not shy away from recording the tenuous hold of the idea of Africa as displaced families assimilate or unravel in the Diaspora. Unique about this African Bildungsroman is the use of three young women to articulate the male author's autobiographical fiction: law-abiding Belinda, whose traditionalism masks secrets and terrors; free-spirited Mary, a child-savant whose relationship of dependence on Belinda is reversed in the course of the novel; and Amma, the second-generation Ghanaian, with whom the confusions of racial identity are mapped onto messy adolescent explorations of sexuality and gender. Donkor's writing is perceptive, witty, compassionate. It can forensically describe the interior of a Waitrose or the spectacle of a Ghanaian funeral without making the culture observed seem like an anthropological object. The novel brilliantly

expresses the phenomenology of African femininity – hair, skin, colour, fabric, accent – through set texts of the A-level curriculum or recognisable patterns of cultural betterment and entertainment in twenty-first-century, working-class London. While the language – particularly the translated English Belinda speaks – rings false occasionally, and characters like Amma are denied the fullness of their tragic complexity, *Hold* succeeds as a holding place for exceptional as well as perishable lives as they become women.

**REVIEW BY ANKHI MUKHERJEE**  
Fellow and Tutor in English

### THE MERCHANT OF SYRIA

**Diana Darke** Oriental Studies, 1974

*Hurst Publishers, April 2018*



What future for Syria? Diana Darke finds hope and inspiration in telling the story of a Syrian cloth trader in her latest book, *The Merchant of Syria*.

The book sums up the extraordinary story of Syria in the life of merchant, Abu Chaker. Barely literate, and supporting his mother and sisters from the age of ten, Abu Chaker built up a business empire, despite twice losing everything he had. Diana follows his tumultuous journey, from instability in Syria

and civil war in Lebanon, to his arrival in England in the 1970s, where he rescued a failing Yorkshire textile mill, Hield Bros, and transformed it into a global brand.

"When their father died in late 2013, Abu Chaker's sons asked me if I would write his life story; they realised it could serve as an inspiration to young Syrians seeking sense and purpose in their country's tragedy," said Diana.

*The Merchant of Syria* tells two parallel stories: the life of a cloth merchant and his resilience, and the rich history of a nation built on trade. Over millennia Syria has seen great conflict and turmoil, but like the remarkable story of Abu Chaker, it continues to survive.

"My hope is that by contextualising how people live in modern-day Syria within a framework of how they lived in the past, the reader will come to appreciate the immense potential that exists for Syria's future, thanks to its mercantile tradition," she added.

One theme that pervades the narrative is the vital importance of trust. "Abu Chaker's entire business empire was based on little more than trust and care for his community, worlds away from the corporate culture of today with its short-term focus on profit and shareholders. When he bought Hield and the mill in Bradford, the first thing he did was to take it private, away from the danger of takeover," commented Diana. "The book itself is also an act of trust, from the Chamsi-Pasha family, trusting that I would understand what their father stood for."

The book has attracted a number of positive reviews. Hugh Kennedy, Professor of Arabic at SOAS, University of London describes it as "A unique insight into the country Darke obviously loves".

**REVIEW BY JULIA BANFIELD**  
Head of Website and Communications

### PAIRS

**Bernard Alec Rapkin**  
*Literae Humaniores, 1959*

*CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform, February 2017*



Alec Rapkin's *Pairs* contains multitudes. The subject announced by its title is used deftly, as leit-motif: not done to death, but woven through the volume in poems on medieval effigies of husband and wife, a couple on their

silver wedding anniversary, bull and matador, a surviving twin, mating frogs. What is still more striking, however, are the many and diverse voices Rapkin assumes: although in some poems he speaks as an observer who stands outside the action, a large number ventriloquise a character who is deeply involved in it: a lead-miner defined and destroyed by his work, a bouncer, a pig-keeper humorously hoping to teach his pig to speak, a man 'lying in a ditch somewhere', an embryo. In each of these, it is the unexpected perspective that makes the poem, allowing Rapkin to comment sidelong on contemporary attitudes and values – or, in some cases, the absence of them. In 'Untouched by human hand', for example, the embryo observes how:

grown from stem-cells,  
I'm kept pure,  
uncontaminated,  
in an invisible envelope,

like one with Ebola,  
to be cared for, not touched,  
by latex gloves  
and plastic facemasks;

but experimentally,  
uncertainly, they treat me  
more like a human  
than an untouchable.

This really does give voice to the voiceless, emphasising the human quality that surprises the researchers. Elsewhere, the effect is less engaging, more satirical; in 'Annunciation' a surprised teenage Mary 'was like oh my God!', while a priest who has lost his faith tries not to think of girls and boys.

Despite such diversity, what unites these poems is Rapkin's strong sense of the physical world and his desire to convey it verbally. 'Lead-miner' is a case in point, conveying a fully realised world to the reader:

my body fits roughly  
the dark of this mine-shaft  
my clogs in its foot-slots

a long straw's fuse  
packed with black powder  
explodes dead toadstone

my spirit, like tallow-dip  
flickers and bobs  
in a blob of clay.

With its assonance and internal rhyme linking the precisely realised, separate observations, this demands to be read aloud. Yet such confident use of language is matched by a pronounced awareness of its slipperiness. 'Kids' is a riot of improbable malapropisms ('when the kids play up / it's absolute pendulum; / I can't do a thing with them, / they're just not mandible'); a classics tutor tells the sorry story of his infidelity largely through Latin tags; in 'Ditch that cliché' the speaker acknowledges the impossibility of speaking for oneself, since:

I abhor vacuous clichés, but with all the  
autumn leaves,  
I'm like a babe-in-the-wood; I've had a few  
jars; I'm mellow.

Unlike some of the poems, which almost too neatly mock the linguistic tics of others, this is left intriguingly unresolved; for all his verbosity, we never quite learn what the man is doing in the ditch and what greater disturbance is being expressed through his hatred of cliché. Even he himself seems to be in some doubt, as he concludes punningly, defiantly and open-endedly that:

lying here's mainly a last-ditch stand  
against the cliché:  
it's a cliché to phone home, to turn up  
like a bad penny;  
it takes guts and imagination to lie in a ditch,  
for however long it takes, to make my point,  
such as it is.

Given this playfulness and sensitivity, I was sorry that one of the poems refers to 'pole position' rather than 'poll position', in a way that suggests it's an inadvertent mistake; part of my own rant from the bottom of a ditch would be 'why do people do this? What do they think it means?' – but *The Guardian* does it too, so Rapkin is in good company. Much more important is his ability to get inside the language: there are poems here that delight in its richness as much as others mock its misuse. The really lovely 'Silver poem (in 25 pieces)', in particular, shows Rapkin to be a lyric poet as well as a ventriloquist and wry observer. Its choice of words and its gorgeously unexpected juxtapositions have a beautiful lightness of touch:

a silver slipper bubbles with elixir:  
who'll drink from the heel, who from  
the toe?

a silver hair's a trick of the light:  
pluck it for luck, keep it dark  
a silver bag carries the seeds, like stars  
of our bodies's conjunction

...  
a silver wedding's our insubstantial  
hallmark on running water  
a silver poem turns, elver-deft,  
slippery as the years.

It is not surprising that other poems celebrate craftsmanship, for example a Sheffield craftsman's 'candlestick-shaping by vibrating snarling iron /... rolling, soldering and machine-punch piercing', nor that the beautifully realised account of shaping 'the token or gift of a lovespoon' is explicitly linked with writing, 'the stem of its handle ... shaped throughout slack months of winter' to:

wheels, rosettes, diamonds, heart's  
hope and anchor, lovers' initials  
- so much must the spoon dumbly show

of the worth, both as use and ornament,  
of its tongue-tied maker and giver,  
and the love, that no giver or maker  
- of words even—otherwise tells

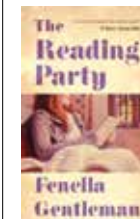
Despite the professed inability to tell, both spoon and poem are eloquent and show Rapkin at his very best – as, in all senses, a maker.

**REVIEW BY JANE GRIFFITHS**  
Fellow in English

## THE READING PARTY

**Fenella Gentleman PPE, 1975**

*Muswell Press, June 2018*



Wadham students who have been fortunate enough to take part in the annual Lennard Reading Party in Cornwall will particularly enjoy the recent novel by Fenella Gentleman, entitled *The Reading Party*, very loosely

based on her memories of sharing in the Cornwall experience in 1976 and 1978. But the novel also recreates the experience of an Oxford college going mixed for the first time, and the narrator is the first woman don at her College. The flavour and costumes, the attitudes and the language of the Seventies (when, as is often said, the Sixties really happened) are particularly well captured in the novel, but the timeless experience of a week of intense study and companionship in lovely surroundings (even though the author has moved the location from Wadham's usual base, and redesigned the house it goes to) will be recognisable to later generations. An impressive first novel, with delicate psychological studies of young people and a strong sense of time and place. It remains to point out that neither the somewhat naïve and impressionable first woman don, nor the rather crusty elderly leader of the party, are portraits of their real-life counterparts.

**REVIEW BY RAY OCKENDEN**  
Emeritus Fellow



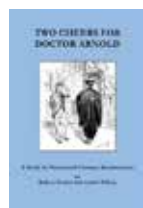
## TWO CHEERS FOR DOCTOR ARNOLD: A study in Nineteenth Century Headmasters

**Robert Stanier**

*Literae Humaniores, 1925*

**and Leslie Wilson** *Modern History, 1926*

*CreateSpace Independent Publishing  
Platform, April 2016*



The interval between the writing of a book and its publication is not normally long. But in this case it was "forty years on" when the original battered manuscript was retrieved, licked into shape and published. Two

Wadham men of 1920s vintage penned it in 1975 after their retirement from schoolmastering, but it did not see daylight in printed form in their lifetime. In my view, the main themes in this most entertaining work are three.

First and foremost, the authors lionise the remarkable group of headmasters who remodelled the public schools at this time. Their first three chapters tell a sad story of anarchy, violence and corruption in the "unreformed" public schools of the late eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries. Admittedly, the unreformed schools have been defended on the ground that the super toughs who survived them made ideal empire builders. (Wellington was thinking of fighting, not games, when he talked about battles won on the playing fields of Eton.) But it is safe to say that without these titanic headmasters the public schools would not have survived the age of reform, to flourish well after the British Empire had gone with Nineveh and Tyre. By broadening the narrowly classical

curriculum, by raising the discipline and moral tone of the schools and by improving living conditions they carried out a most significant revolution. (At the end of the book there is a welcome index of prominent headmasters but, disappointingly, no general index.)

Secondly, this book turns the spotlight on Thomas Arnold, the ablest and best known of the reforming headmasters. (It rightly identifies Thring of Uppingham, who carried some of Arnold's ideas further, as a runner up.) There is no doubt that Arnold's arrival at Rugby in 1828 represents a turning point in public school history. His was a personality that impressed both boys and masters. He did not invent all the methods he used, but in many ways his thinking was original. For example, he was the first pedagogue to make the chapel a centre of school life. I am not entirely clear why the Doctor gets only two cheers.

My third perceived theme is the comprehensive picture of life in the schools during this period which the book provides. Here Stanier and Wilson are very lucky historians because of the work of the Clarendon Commission, established in 1861 to enquire into the nine leading public schools. The Commission's report, twice the length of the Bible, contains evidence from thousands of knowledgeable witnesses. It helped the authors, inter alia, to produce a superb series of chapters covering virtually every aspect of school life. I found the chapter on school rebellions the most riveting. All this is enhanced by the use of charming original illustrations from *Tom Brown's Schooldays*. A good read, I think.

**REVIEW BY EDWARD JONES**  
*Modern History, 1949*

## THE OXFORD ART BOOK

*UIT/Green Books, September 2018*

*The Oxford Art Book*, published in September 2018 by UIT/Green Books, Cambridge, shows the city through the eyes of 65 artists. Out of some 500 submissions, two works by Wadham Librarian Tim Kirtley were selected for inclusion – one of the King's Arms pub which is located on the College site, and the other of the famous Brown's Café in the covered market.







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## In memoriam

Asterisked names indicate that an obituary can be found on the following pages.

1938	<b>Woodward, Philip M.</b>	(Mathematics) died 30 January 2018, aged 98*
1941	<b>Vaughan, David G.</b>	(English) died 27 October 2017, aged 93*
1942	<b>Andrews-Jones, David H.</b>	(Modern History) died 30 January 2018, aged 92*
1942	<b>Dann, A. Bernard</b>	(Modern History) died 15 March 2018, aged 93*
1944	<b>Campbell-Jones, Patrick N.</b>	(Military Short Course) died 28 September 2017, aged 91
1944	<b>Morrison, James S.</b>	(Modern History) died 24 October 2017, aged 91
1945	<b>Harmer, Edward J. B.</b>	(English) died 20 August 2018, aged 96
1945	<b>Holmes, Ronald</b>	(Chemistry) died 11 April 2018, aged 90
1945	<b>Hone, Basil T. A.</b>	(Jurisprudence) died 7 March 2018, aged 91
1946	<b>Hutcheon, Keith Finer</b>	(Engineering Science) died 16 February 2018, aged 89
1946	<b>Rote, John</b>	(PPE) died 13 March 2017, aged 88*
1946	<b>Shihwarg, Alexander "Shura"</b>	(PPE) died 20 August 2018, aged 95*
1947	<b>Pemberton, Richard W. V.</b>	(Modern History) died 3 April 2016, aged 88
1947	<b>Thomas, Gwilym L.</b>	(Modern Languages) died 23 December 2016, aged 90
1948	<b>Brucker, Gene A.</b>	(Modern History) died 9 July 2017, aged 92*
1948	<b>Woodford, David M.</b>	(PPE) died 7 April 2017, aged 86*
1949	<b>Briggs, Paul A. N.</b>	(Mathematics) died 20 September 2016, aged 85*
1949	<b>Field, Mervyn D.</b>	(Physiological Sciences) died 10 August 2017, aged 91
1949	<b>Kay, Gordon M.</b>	(Physiological Sciences) died 1 December 2017, aged 88
1949	<b>Ward, E. Hugh</b>	(Geography) died 2018, aged 87
1950	<b>Black, Leo</b>	(Music) died 14 September 2018, aged 86
1950	<b>Gowar, Michael J.</b>	(English) died 2 May 2018, aged 86
1950	<b>Haddock, John M. W.</b>	(Modern Languages) died 19 May 2018, aged 89
1950	<b>Tomlinson, J. Michael</b>	(Chemistry) died 29 November 2017, aged 86
1952	<b>Esser, Robin C.</b>	(Modern History) died 6 November 2017, aged 84*
1952	<b>Foster, Eric L.</b>	(Physics) died 29 October 2017, aged 91
1952	<b>Young, David A. B.</b>	(Biochemistry) died 17 November 2017, aged 84
1953	<b>Emeleus, C. Henry</b>	(Geology) died 11 November 2017, aged 87*

1953	<b>Jeans, Richard J.</b>	(Literae Humaniores) died 19 September 2018, aged 83
1953	<b>Taylor, David C. L.</b>	(Modern Languages) died 2018, aged 85
1954	<b>Bishop, Edward O.</b>	(Chemistry) died 23 March 2018, aged 82*
1954	<b>Carmichael, James W. S. "Hamish"</b>	(Literae Humaniores) died 19 July 2017, aged 83
1954	<b>Tinsley, Peter A.</b>	(Literae Humaniores) died 21 July 2018, aged 82
1956	<b>Jones, Haydn G.</b>	(History) died 16 February 2018, aged 80
1957	<b>Guy, Richard P.</b>	(Modern Languages) died 25 February 2018, aged 81*
1958	<b>Mais, Robert H. B.</b>	(Chemistry) died 18 September 2018, aged 79
1959	<b>Eady, H. Toby</b>	(Modern History) died 24 December 2017, aged 76
1961	<b>Martin, Robert R.</b>	(BCL) died 30 May 2018, aged 79
1965	<b>Forster, John A.</b>	(Forestry) died 9 July 2014, aged 71*
1965	<b>Sworder, Roger J.</b>	(Literae Humaniores) died 27 October 2016, aged 69
1966	<b>Booker, G. Roger</b>	(Metallurgy) died 3 November 2017, aged 90
1966	<b>McIntyre, David C.</b>	(Modern Languages) died 20 March 2013, aged 66*
1967	<b>Martin, Glenn P. D.</b>	(Literae Humaniores) died 18 March 2018, aged 69*
1967	<b>Mercer, Keith J. H.</b>	(Jurisprudence) died 15 August 2015, aged 69
1968	<b>Morton, Andrew P.</b>	(Oriental Studies) died 13 June 2018, aged 69*
1970	<b>Hall, Alan</b>	(Chemistry) died 3 May 2015, aged 62*
1971	<b>Campbell, Duncan</b>	(PPE) died 13 March 2018, aged 66*
1972	<b>Keeley, Lawrence H.</b>	(Archaeology) died 11 October 2017, aged 69
1974	<b>Lawson, Stephen J.</b>	(English) died 20 July 2018, aged 62
1975	<b>Georgoulas, John G.</b>	(Agricultural Economics) died 22 March 2014, aged 71
1975	<b>Turcot, Mark E.</b>	(BCL) died 12 March 2018, aged 67
1987	<b>Cox, Laura R.</b>	(Modern History & Russian) died 3 October 2018, aged 49
1995	<b>Stacey, John-Patrick</b>	(Physics) died 16 October 2017, aged 40
1997	<b>Clifton, Jane A.</b>	(Jurisprudence) died 9 June 2017, aged 38*

### FELLOW

**Moore, Ian R.** died 31 August 2018, aged 54

### HONORARY FELLOW

**Smith, David C.** died 29 June 2018, aged 88\*

### EMERITUS FELLOWS

**Morwood, James H. W.** died 10 September 2017, aged 73\*

**Sheikholeslami, Ali Reza** died 9 January 2018



## Obituaries



### James Morwood

1943–2017

James Morwood died suddenly on 10 September 2017, aged 73, while swimming when on holiday in northern Greece. He had been at Wadham since 1996, having previously taught at Harrow for 30 years. His publications range very widely across Greek, Latin, English Literature and the ancient world; but above all he was a generous and inspiring teacher and friend.

Born in Belfast on 25 November 1943, James went to St John's, Leatherhead, and then Peterhouse, Cambridge, where he read Classics for Part I, and English for Part II. After taking a Dip Ed at Merton, he found his 'dream job', teaching Classics and English at Harrow. As a teacher he combined a care for academic rigour with a sense of fun, and an eagerness to dramatise. He served as School Librarian and overseer of the school magazine, and he regularly put on plays, inspiring a stream of students including Benedict Cumberbatch, whom he cast as Eliza Doolittle: 'it didn't work – he acted everyone else off the stage' was the climax of James's proud and histrionic remembering of this years later.

He became an increasingly key figure in the teaching of the subject nationally, eager to promote reforms. He taught at the annual Greek summer school of the Joint Association of Classical Teachers virtually every year from 1970 till 2017, often acting as Director. This was central to 'The Cause', his expression for the promotion of classical study as widely as possible, something he continued to work for after arriving in Wadham in 1996, when he was appointed to the Faculty's Grocyn Lectureship, organising and delivering the teaching of Greek and Latin, especially to those taking beginners' courses. Wadham was not an obvious home for a long-term teacher in a Public School, but the College was committed to expanding the range of students taking Classics, and James was an immediate success, his humanity and knowledgeable engagement with literature and music winning over the most doubtful of colleagues. He could quickly find rapport with students too: at the Wadham Classics Summer School last August one sixth-former emerged from her half-hour tutorial saying 'I've just discovered my new favourite person!'

Though he retired from the Grocyn position in 2003, he continued as a Fellow of Wadham for another three years, serving as Dean and Steward of Common Room. He was consummately suited to both roles, convivial and wise, stern with those who treated others badly, but willing to be indulgent with those who made a mistake. Typical is the story of the normally well-behaved student who got summoned to the Dean for stealing lunch from the Refectory: he was totally distraught, paid the money to the College and apologised profusely to the kitchen staff. Nonetheless he was terrified about getting sent down. When he disappeared into James's office, his friends waited nervously nearby. Two hours later the student emerged grinning, having discussed not his canteen crime, but Portuguese literature and a year spent in Brazil, all over a few glasses of sherry.

In retirement James was a model Emeritus Fellow, never interfering, but keen to help out – editing the *College Gazette*, teaching, or buying Twiglets for a party. He was ready to see a student who was finding Greek difficult, and the linguistic star who wanted to try her hand at writing verses. He continued to produce a stream of publications: the list of books he wrote or edited includes primers, readers, grammars and dictionaries for both Greek and Latin; translations of Euripides; commentaries on Euripides, Propertius, and Vergil; guides to Greek tragedy and Vergil; a biography of Hadrian; and studies of the comic dramatist Sheridan, who had been a pupil at Harrow in the 1760s. It is characteristic that some of these were written in collaboration with others – writing, like life, was more enjoyable when shared with friends.

**Stephen Heyworth**

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**One nice (properly announced) visitation was from Mr Morwood, the Dean of Wadham, which was very agreeable. He was collecting information for a colleague who is doing a biography of Maurice**

[i.e. Leslie Mitchell's *Maurice Bowra: a Life*]. Patrick Leigh Fermor in a letter to Henry Hardy, May 2005 (p. 412, in *More Dashing: Further Letters* (Bloomsbury, 2018)).

**Professor  
Sir David Cecil Smith FRS**  
Honorary Fellow and former Fellow  
in Biological Sciences, 1930–2018



David Smith did his undergraduate studies and his DPhil at the Queen's College, Oxford. After service in the Army Intelligence Corps he became a University Lecturer and a Research Fellow in botany at Queen's. He was elected to a Senior Research Fellowship in Biological Sciences at Wadham in 1964. He became an Official Fellow and Tutor in 1971. He was also appointed Tutor for Admissions in 1971, the first holder of that post after the Senior Tutorship was divided into a diminished Senior Tutor and a new Tutor for Admissions.

From 1974 onwards, David made a sequence of career moves which left him relatively little contact with Wadham. He moved to a Professorship at Bristol which he held from 1974–80. Then he returned to Oxford as the Sibthorpe Professor of Rural Economy with a Fellowship at St John's from 1980–87. He was knighted in 1986. From there he became Principal and Vice Chancellor of the University of Edinburgh from 1987–93. His final post was as President of Wolfson College, Oxford, from 1994–2000. David was made an FRS in 1987, and was elected to an Honorary Fellowship at Wadham in 1987.

During his time at Wadham, David was one of the Young Turks who, fronted by Tom Stinton, campaigned for the election of Stuart Hampshire to become Warden following the retirement of Maurice Bowra. He was strongly in favour of the admission of women and, as Tutor for Admissions, he represented

Wadham in inter-college negotiations as to how in detail the change should be made. However, he left Wadham before the first women arrived in 1974.

His research interests were mainly in symbiosis, on which he wrote a book with Angela Douglas of Cornell University.

**By Geoff Brooker**

**David Henry Andrews-Jones**  
1925–2018



Born in 1925, David attended Quainton Hall before progressing to Merchant Taylors', Sandy Lodge, in 1937. A successful, and sport filled, academic school career gained David a place to read PPE at Wadham but he deferred his entry, joining the RNVR in February 1943. He served on board a torpedo ship in Scottish waters during the war, and on board minesweepers in the Mediterranean thereafter.

Going up to Wadham in 1946, David changed course and read Modern History. He boxed for Wadham and played both rugby and association football for the College.

Joining ICI in 1950, David held a number of personnel posts in various UK locations before, in 1970, moving to Metal Box Plc to take up his appointment as Head of Industrial Relations, a newly created post that established relations and procedures with both blue and white collar unions. Retiring from Metal Box in 1985, David was then Personnel Manager at the London Chamber of Commerce from 1986 to 1992, before ending his career with REACH, a skills-based volunteering charity.

David married Valerie in September 1958 and went on to have three children, Chloë, Gareth (Worcester 1984–1988) and Hilary (who sadly passed away in 2006). David's family, including his six grandchildren, was hugely important to him.

Throughout his life, sport was an integral part of David's life, both as a participant and latterly a spectator. Although his boxing career ended at Wadham, he went on to play rugby, cricket and golf for his school Old Boys' sides and other Clubs; often serving those clubs in one way or another.

David remained a loyal member of the Wadham Society, returning to College dinners and other reunions well into his eighties. He died after an astonishingly yet characteristically brave fight against pneumonia and its aftermath.

**By Chloë Andrews-Jones**

**Edward Oliver Bishop**  
1936–2018

Edward Bishop was born and brought up in Worcester, attending the King's School. He came up to Wadham in 1954 to read Chemistry and gained a First in 1958. He loved Oxford and was pleased to stay on to work for a DPhil under Rex Richards who was developing the then new technique of Nuclear Magnetic Resonance. He continued post-doctorate work in this field, and in 1962 moved to the new University of Sussex as one of the founding members of the Department of Chemistry. During his time at Sussex he became increasingly involved in collaborating with biologists and setting up the Environmental Science course. He was also part of a group which helped to establish chemistry teaching at the new University of

life in Nigeria, and later spent a year at the University of the West Indies in Barbados.

His other great interest was collecting shells, and he amassed a vast collection of both land and marine molluscs. It is hoped that a home for these will be found in a suitable museum.

While at Wadham Edward met Anne, who he married in 1964. Oxford meant a great deal to both of them – an inspiring place in which to study as well as providing the pleasures of punting and Commemoration Balls.

**Paul Anthony Neal Briggs**  
1931–2016

Paul was born on 16 March 1931, in the Horsforth district of Leeds. His formative years were spent in Knottingley after his parents, Arthur and Olive, moved there following his father's appointment as chief chemist at Ferrybridge power station. He was an only child with no close relatives and suffered a long period of illness during his early years, involving a considerable period in a convalescent home. Paul attended the King's School, Pontefract. He was not good at sports, but excellent academically, particularly at mathematics. He was also a keen chess player and used to play for the school club in regional challenges.

In 1949 he gained a scholarship to Wadham, where he studied Mathematics and graduated in 1953. Afterwards he joined the RAF for his national service and, because of his technical background, he was assigned as a wireless fitter. This practical experience helped him to secure a job with Smiths Instruments at Cheltenham. Here he was involved in the development of aircraft avionics, in particular the early research

on automatic landing and take-off, and the associated ground proximity equipment. In the early 1960s he joined the scientific civil service as a mathematician at the National Physical Laboratory, Teddington; it was here that he first encountered computers. The control-engineering team, of which Paul was part, was involved in the development of computer-based industrial control systems and he published a number of papers on the subject. In the late 1960s, it was decided that the team should move to the government's Warren Spring Laboratory at Stevenage. He remained there until its closure in 1993, when he took his retirement. During his time at Warren Spring, he provided mathematical advice to the other scientists and oversaw the laboratory's computer services.

Away from work, Paul was a keen cine photographer. He was an active member of the 'Grasshopper Group', a club of amateur film makers affiliated to the Institute of Amateur Cinematographers. He features in a number of films and was its treasurer for many years. It was through his links with the Group that he met Alice, a pre-war child refugee from Austria. Like Paul, she was very intelligent, and a computer programmer. They married in 1969 and remained together until her death on 29 May 2011.

Because of their joint backgrounds, both Paul and Alice were keen computer users, buying their first personal microcomputer in the 1970s. They also shared a love of books, especially crime fiction; indeed it was sometimes difficult to get into the house for the piles of books. They also liked to watch wildlife in the countryside and, especially, the birds and squirrels enjoying their rear garden at Hitchin.

Declining health meant that Paul was house-bound for the last years of his life and

he died in a local care home on 20 September 2016 after several months in hospital.

**By Melvyn Draper CBE**

### Professor Gene Adam Brucker 1924–2017



Gene Adam Brucker, Shepard Professor of History Emeritus at the University of California Berkeley, is widely credited with having launched a new approach to the Florentine

Renaissance as a leader of a cohort of influential historians studying the society and institutions of a city best known for its artistic monuments and literary lights.

As a committed citizen of his department and the university, he joined a group of younger faculty who, beginning in the 1960s – in the midst of turmoil on the Berkeley campus – transformed the History Department at Berkeley into one of the most renowned and prestigious in the world. Among many other appointments, he served as chair of his department (1969–72), chair of the Academic Senate (1984–86), and on his retirement in 1991 was awarded the Berkeley Citation granted to a select few individuals for their contributions to the Berkeley campus.

His professional engagements were wide-ranging. He was a member of the Institute for Advanced Study in Princeton; elected, in 1979, to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences; President of the Renaissance Society of America which gave him its lifetime achievement award in 2000. In Italy he was a Fellow and later Acting Director at Villa I Tatti of the Harvard Center for Italian Renaissance Studies in Florence.

Brucker was born in rural Cropsey, Illinois in 1924. He attended a one-room schoolhouse in the depths of the Depression and, when his father conceded that he was not suited to farming, enrolled in the University of Illinois. In his freshman year, shortly after the attack at Pearl Harbor, he enlisted in the army and in 1944 shipped out to Europe where he was assigned to a transport equipment depot in Marseille; after VE Day his unit was in transit to Japan when they received news of the bombing of Hiroshima.

Returning to the University of Illinois in 1946, he completed his BA in History and in 1948 earned his MA with a master's thesis on Jean-Sylvain Bailly, the polymath mayor of Paris during the first years of the French Revolution.

Brucker's mentor at Illinois, Professor Ray Stearns, urged him to apply for a Rhodes Scholarship which, against all odds, he won to study for a BLitt degree at Wadham. At Oxford, with the encouragement of an eccentric Italophile tutor, Cecilia Mary Ady, then nearing retirement, Brucker was drawn to the history of Renaissance Italy.

From Oxford and an essay on Machiavelli, Brucker went to Princeton, where, in 1954, he earned a PhD for a dissertation on fourteenth-century Florence under the direction of Joseph Strayer and Theodor Mommsen, one of the German refugees whose broad and deep learning transformed the writing of European history in the New World. Fresh from Princeton, he arrived at Cal in 1954 and taught at Berkeley, though courted by other universities, until his retirement in 1991.

In two major books, *Florentine Society and Politics, 1343–1378* (Princeton University Press, 1962) and *The Civic World of Renaissance Florence* (Princeton University Press, 1977), Brucker wrote what remains

the most detailed account in any language of the ways in which late medieval Florence, a commercial city divided by factional and class strife, became the political, economic and cultural powerhouse of the Renaissance.

**By William Connell and Randolph Starn**

Read more at:  
[www.history.berkeley.edu/in-memoriam-gene-adam-brucker](http://www.history.berkeley.edu/in-memoriam-gene-adam-brucker)

### Duncan Campbell 1951–2018

Duncan Campbell passed away on 13 March 2018, at Bath University, having enriched the lives of all of those around him.

Born in Watford, the eldest of four, Duncan's education took him the length and breadth of the country until his family settled in Weybridge. He attended King's College School in Wimbledon, which he enjoyed immensely, and moved onto Wadham in the early 1970s. Duncan studied PPE, which epitomised his interests in life: how the world worked, the inner workings of the human mind, and how to wind people up.

Duncan married Sally in 1977 and had three sons during the 1980s. During this time, he worked as an IT salesman for a variety of firms; his gift of the gab and badgering persona afforded him a great deal of success.

Duncan and Sally moved to Somerset in 2004, having had their fill of life in the capital. He took great pleasure in the comings and goings of rural life, as well as in the local ales. Once he had retired, he filled his days with his favourite pastimes: sport, politics, and writing opinionated letters to the local newspaper.

Duncan is survived by his wife Sally, and his three sons – Alex, Theo and Max. He is and will be greatly missed.

**By Maximilian Campbell (son)**



## Jane April Clifton 1979–2017

Jane was born on 3 April 1979 at St Thomas' Hospital, London. Jane attended Immanuel Primary School and Devonshire Avenue Primary School where she showed great accomplishment in the piano, clarinet and chess. From an early age Jane's intelligence and appetite for knowledge were apparent to all. In her 11+ examinations Jane ranked top out of 1,800 children, allowing her to enter Nonsuch High School for Girls, where she continued to excel.

At Wadham, Jane's fiercely wise approach to law earned her a deserved and entirely predictable First Class Honours. Partnering with Jane in Roman Law tutorials was a boon: she was able to cut through dense translations of Roman tracts with ease. She made the study of law look challenging but accessible: no mean feat. Aside from law, Jane took great interest in all that the University had to offer, joining the College rowing team and putting together a team from Wadham to try out for BBC's *University Challenge*. Throughout her time at Oxford, she never lost her good cheer and joyful spirit. Jane's laugh was distinctive in its abandon. As someone who was so far away from home during my time at Wadham, Jane was a constant source of comfort and familiarity.

When she left Oxford Jane studied, on scholarship, for the Diploma in Law at the Inns of Court Law School. She was called to the bar in 2001 and worked as a Barrister at Lamb Chambers in the Temple, where her skill and dedication benefited all those she represented. In 2010 she married Tetteh Turkson, a criminal barrister, in a service held in the Gladstone Library of the National Liberal Club. Ciaran was born in 2015 – at St Thomas'

Hospital, London which had years earlier welcomed Jane.

Jane remained committed to Wadham as a greatly valued and respected member of the College's Law Society Committee. Jeffrey Hackney testifies to how Jane continued to display the rare quality of having top-notch common sense as well as intellect while serving on the Committee.

If Jane was able to hear or read all of the incredible things her family, friends and colleagues have said of her after her passing, she would be thoroughly embarrassed. This brings out the best of Jane's qualities: her complete modesty about herself.

Jane leaves behind her family, her wonderful husband, her beautiful son and her friends at Wadham.

By Swati Jhaveri Law, 1997

## Anthony Bernard Dann 1924–2018

Anthony Bernard Dann was born on 6 May 1924 in Harrow, Middlesex, and educated at the City of London School and Wadham College. From 1943–5 he served with the Welsh Guards in Italy and Austria, and then as Commandant of a prisoner-of-war camp at Hursley Park in Hampshire.

In 1946 Bernard returned to Wadham to complete his BA degree in Modern History, and in 1948 was elected President of the Oxford University Liberal Club. In February 1950 he stood as Liberal parliamentary candidate in Wembley North. A contemporary (Alan Knight) recalled that "Wembley North was a bit exceptional because after the first year of our existence we were voted by the *Liberal News* the most active Young Liberal Association in the country. In 1950 Wembley

North had a brilliant young candidate called Bernard Dann... He was a superb speaker and well versed in the art of electioneering."

At this time Bernard was already working in the London office of a company specialising in legal and insurance issues in cargo and passenger shipping. In March 1950, he moved to Liverpool as an articled clerk and later a partner with Rundell and Dale (Richards Hogg Lindley) and so launched his professional career as an Average Adjuster.

From 1958 Bernard served for six years as a councillor on Wallasey Borough Council, and during this time was deputy leader of the Liberals in Wallasey. He subsequently served as a Justice of the Peace on the Wirral magistrates' bench for 27 years (1967–94) and as a member of the Merseyside Police Authority (1983–94) and the Wirral South Community Health Council.

Bernard's professional experience received due recognition when he became chairman of the Association of Average Adjusters in 1975–6, and then chairman of the Liverpool and Glasgow Salvage Association until his retirement (1983–5).

For four years he then served as chairman of Wirral magistrates (1985–9), finally retiring from the bench in 1994.

In 1965 Bernard had become a lay reader in the Church of England at St Luke's Wallasey, and later at St Chad's Irby, and St Bartholomew's Thurstaston. His sermons were appreciated and he did not retire from these duties until 2004.

In his final years, Bernard bore his increasing disabilities with dignity and humour. He died quietly in his sleep at the age of 93 on 15 March 2018, leaving his wife Ruth, his two sons, five grand-children and two great-grand-daughters with fond memories.

By Robert Dann (son)

## Charles Henry Emeleus 1930–2017

Henry was born in Belfast, and before going to Wadham was educated at the Friends' School Lisburn, the Municipal College of Technology Belfast, and the Queen's University where he graduated with first class honours in geology followed by an MSc studying the Western Granites of the Mourne Mountains. He entered Wadham in 1953 to study for his DPhil under the supervision of Professor L R Wager, his thesis being about the Slieve Gullion area.

He went to the University of Durham as a lecturer in April 1957, and spent his career there, being promoted to Senior Lecturer in 1969 and Reader in 1979.

In the geological world, he was well known as a distinguished field geologist and teacher of igneous petrology, and was greatly liked by generations of students. Apart from the undergraduate work, he supervised more than 20 research students. He spent 15 summers in Greenland on research mapping.

After retirement, he continued his research until about six weeks before his death, having been granted a room in the Durham department. Part of the time was spent in 15 spells of field work in the Small Isles and west coast of Scotland.

He published many papers and some books. Among the awards he received were: DSc from Queen's University in 1982; the Chancellor's Medal of Durham University in 2014; Clough Medal Edinburgh Geological Society in 1994 or '95.

He was the first holder of the Collins Medal of the Mineralogical Society of Great Britain 2010, and he was awarded the Prestwich Medal of the Geological Society of London 2016 for his contribution to the advancement of science.

Apart from his work his chief interest was his family. He was also a keen railway enthusiast (both large and model) and gardener, specialising in vegetables and soft fruit for the house.

He leaves his wife, Ruth, his children John, Katherine and Lucy and two granddaughters Catriona and Caitlin.

**By Ruth Emeleus**

## Robin Charles Esser 1933–2017



Robin Esser's career was dedicated to newspapers and to press freedom.

He was born in Harrow in 1933 and read History at Wadham from 1952–5.

While at Wadham he played hockey and edited *Cherwell*, engaging in a circulation battle with its Cambridge rival *Varsity*.

He did his National Service in the King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry and was attached to the army's press team.

He joined the staff of the *Daily Express* in 1960, and became its northern editor. He was for a while consultant editor to the *London Evening News*, but re-joined the *Daily Express* in 1985, then achieving a lifetime ambition in 1986 to become editor of the *Sunday Express*. His final career move was to the *Daily Mail* in 1991, remaining there until 2015.

**Read more at:**  
[www.thetimes.co.uk/article/robin-esser-obituary-s92jcvzrq](http://www.thetimes.co.uk/article/robin-esser-obituary-s92jcvzrq)

## John Ardagh Forster 1942–2014

John Forster served for many years in the Nature Conservancy/Nature Conservancy Council (NC/NCC) as deputy regional officer for north-east Scotland, based initially at Banchory, where NCC conservation and research staff shared accommodation, and subsequently at Aberdeen.

Though he came from Surrey and was educated at Sherborne School and Wadham College, almost all of John's professional career was spent in north-east Scotland, beginning in 1969 in what was at first the Nature Conservancy, later renamed as the Nature Conservancy Council. He served NC/NCC North-East Scotland, first as assistant regional officer and then as deputy to E M Matthew, in charge of up to five assistants. The area covered by this team, together with wardens on the major reserves, included Speyside, Deeside, Kincardine, Gordon, Buchan, Orkney and Shetland.

John oversaw most of the conservation agenda including facilitating much greater protection for Sites of Special Scientific Interest under the new Wildlife and Countryside Act, and the setting up and management of nature reserves, notably the native pinewood at Glen Tanar and the mosaic of woodland, heath and loch at the Muir of Dinnet. This was a big task for such a small number of conservation staff, now greatly strengthened within the new Nature Conservancy Council for Scotland.

John was committed heart and soul to nature conservation and continued to be so, long after he left the NCC, partly through his consultancy, John Forster Associates. He was on his way to a meeting on free trade in Aberdeen when he died, very suddenly, aged 71.

For him, conservation wasn't so much a science as an abiding principle, an equitable means of sharing and saving the Earth's wild resources. Like several of his colleagues, John was obliged, in 1985, to 'cash in' his promotion ticket supposedly for the good of his career, a step that would have entailed a move to another part of Scotland. But he and his family did not want to leave the North-East and, rather than do so, he resigned and took up a new role as careers advisor at Aberdeen University.

At the same time he took on a very active part in his local community, helping to found and develop the Finzean Community Association over many years. Projects in which John was much concerned included rebuilding the village hall, partly financed by the National Lottery, obtaining whose grant entailed a great deal of paperwork, and constructing a new community graveyard in which he sadly became one of the first to be buried. John was also instrumental in establishing the Finzean Community Council, which he chaired for a while.

Latterly, he developed a thoughtful interest in theology and, together with the local minister, organised a reading group to meet regularly to discuss new books on different aspects of religion. His contributions both to nature conservation and to his community were immense.

**By Peter Marren and David Jenkins**

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[www.scotsman.com/news/obituaries/obituary-john-ardagh-forster-1-3511311](http://www.scotsman.com/news/obituaries/obituary-john-ardagh-forster-1-3511311)

## Richard Perran Guy 1936–2018

"Richard Guy was a star, a one-off, one of those all too rare people who lifted the spirits simply by coming into the room. The moment he entered everyone felt as though they had just had a glass of champagne. Irrepressible, ebullient, trailing merriment in his wake."

So began the eulogy given by his old friend Nicholas Barber CBE (Wadham, 1959) at the Thanksgiving Service held in the Temple Church: the same church where Richard had married his wife Deborah (née Owen) with Nicholas as his best man.

Richard, like many of his contemporaries at Kingswood School, was the son of a Methodist minister. Classics was his main subject. But the law piqued Richard's interest early on and he gained a place at Wadham to read the subject. After a year, however, he switched to Modern Languages. There began his love of all things European – the food, wine and culture. He travelled extensively around the continent.

After Oxford he embarked on a commercial career but commerce did not really suit him and he decided to become a barrister. Richard joined the Western Circuit, partly because his family roots were in Cornwall. He was a common lawyer through and through. He would cover a wide range of subjects and, according to Hugh Mercer QC – with whom he co-authored *Commercial Debt in Europe: Recovery and Remedies* – when an interesting new case came in with some intractable problem, he would be like a dog with a bone – turning it over in his mind, popping in and out of the library and calling in on friends who might have an idea worth investigating. No area of the law was too obscure as, true to the traditions of the Bar, he simply saw it

as his role to sort out the client's problem. He particularly enjoyed acting for a group of Cornish farmers when they sought to recover the subsidies they were due from Brussels. He won the case and there wasn't a farming pub in Cornwall where he had to buy his own beer.

The bar was a rich vein of material for his wonderful anecdotes. Richard was a born raconteur and had an effortless way of making people laugh. Most of his stories were true!

Throughout his life Richard was a keen sportsman. He captained the College rugby team and played for the University Greyhounds. After university he played on the wing for the Harlequins. Cricket was another passion. Richard was a member of the MCC and for years was wicket keeper for the Muswell Hill Strollers. They did not have a home pitch but would travel anywhere provided there was a decent pub nearby to repair to afterwards. Richard was a keen walker. He would lead family treks across the Preseli hills and had covered large parts of the Lake District and Cornish coast. Latterly he travelled with a walking group to various Mediterranean countries including Turkey. He had an unorthodox style when playing tennis but loved the game and was on court just two days before he died.

Home was in Islington where Richard and Deborah brought up their family: Benjamin who works for the BBC and Georgina, a lawyer in Paris. They were overjoyed by the arrival of their first grandchild, Mia in December 2017.

**By Deborah Guy**

## Alan Hall FRS 1952–2015



Alan Hall was a highly distinguished molecular biologist.

He studied Chemistry at Wadham from 1970–74, followed by a PhD at Harvard, before taking up molecular biology during post-doctoral work in Edinburgh and Zurich.

From 1981–93 he worked at the Institute of Cancer Research's Chester Beatty Laboratories, during which time he and collaborators discovered key mechanisms in the assembly of actin molecules and their function in cell motility.

In 1993 he moved to the Laboratory for Molecular Cell Biology at University College London, where he was one of the first group leaders in the newly formed laboratory. He served as Director of the Laboratory from 2000–2006.

In his final career move, he moved to a Chair of Cell Biology at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center in New York.

He remained to his death one of the world's leading cell biologists and a committed mentor to generations of younger scientists.

**Read more at:**  
[www.ucl.ac.uk/lmc/b/alan-hall-1952-2015](http://www.ucl.ac.uk/lmc/b/alan-hall-1952-2015)

## Glenn Philip Denton Martin 1949–2018

Glenn Martin came from KCS Wimbledon to Wadham in 1967, to read *Literae Humaniores*, as Classics was then called: he was a pupil, amongst others, of Tom Stinton and George Forrest. He was in the last cohort to do 'old-style' Greats: the Greek and Latin Literature

option was not yet on the table, so studying both Ancient History and Philosophy was compulsory.

On leaving Oxford in 1971, Glenn embarked on a career in finance in the City of London, where he worked with increasing success for the next thirty-four years. He was employed first at Williams and Glyn's Bank (now the Royal Bank of Scotland), where he rose to be Deputy Head of Corporate Planning, before moving on to the Swiss Banking Corporation (now UBS). In 1996 he was appointed Chief Information Officer at Salomon Brothers, and then in 2001 took a similar role at J. P. Morgan Cazenove. The high esteem in which he was held for his expertise in banking technology was recognised by a number of national bodies, such as his receipt of the Best IT Operational Achievement Award across the whole banking sector in 2004.

Tiring of the corporate world of finance, he left the City at the age of 56 and started his own company, called Share Maestro, which he launched in 2007 and ran with enormous success until he was forced by the onset of his final illness to wind down operations. This was basically an equity investment software, with a model, constantly updated, which monitored trends in the equity market and advised clients how best to invest their money. It was greeted with great critical acclaim by the financial press. He also found the time to write a couple of books, *How to Value Shares and Outperform the Market* (2011) and *Successful Stock Market Strategies* (2015). In these he combined his long experience of finance with a clear and lucid style of writing, making these books very accessible. Not surprisingly, in view of their titles, they sold well.

Outside of work, Glenn was an excellent drummer, a passion he started in his school

days and kept with him all his life. He was also an enthusiastic and capable tennis player. A devoted family man, he met his wife Beryl, who also read Lit. Hum., in Oxford, and they had four children. They and Beryl all survive him. Quietly spoken, thoughtful, amusing, and intensely loyal to his friends, Glenn was cruelly struck down by Parkinson's disease, which he bore with fortitude. He will be much missed by all who had the privilege of knowing him.

**By Roger Wilson** *Literae Humaniores*, 1967

## David Coombes McIntyre 1946–2013

When I came up to Wadham in October, 1966, my fellow Modern Languages scholar was David McIntyre – to whom, to this day, I still feel a considerable debt of gratitude for expanding my horizons in countless different ways. David quickly turned out to be very different from me: much more versed in the ways of the world, almost from the start he displayed a healthy dose of scepticism even towards some aspects of university life. This was always tempered, however, with great personal charm, with often caustic humour and a very dry wit. Educated at Maidstone Grammar School, he was already well trained linguistically, particularly in Italian: typically, and bored perhaps with my obsession with Vivaldi's *Four Seasons*, he once spontaneously volunteered to translate for me the sonnets that precede each concerto, doing so overnight in a wry mixture of Baroque pastiche and mockingly contemporary vernacular. Our conversations often went on late into the night and roamed over every topic under the sun, from the most trivial to the most profound. In one such, he revealed that he and his mother, who was a



volunteer warden at Ightham Mote near the family home in Kent, were learning ancient Greek together, for the pleasure of reading Homer in the original. David always seemed to have a touch of the exotic about him: I think he had connections with Canada, which showed in a slight twang in his voice, and his father had once been a professional dancer.

Even on going down David seemed to have no strong idea of what he wanted to do with the rest of his life; but somehow he landed a job as an ASM in a theatre in Scotland! This lasted just a year, but – perhaps as a result of a serious illness that landed him for a spell in the Middlesex Hospital, or perhaps as a result of meeting his future wife Jill – his life then changed direction radically. He settled for a life of bourgeois respectability of the kind none of us had imagined for him, training as a solicitor and then setting up in practice in Oxfordshire, where he remained for many years until retirement. I know nothing of his life, professional or family, after this unexpected move, except that he had two children, Tom and Kitty; though I do sometimes wonder if David was ever mildly amused, or even bemused, at finding himself in so thoroughly respectable a profession.

Sadly I never had the chance to ask him, as by then we had lost touch. It would not surprise me if he regarded Oxford as just one small and relatively unimportant step in life's journey, one that warranted no particular nostalgia. At any rate, our paths did not cross again, and it was not until recently trying to trace him, in the unlikely hope of persuading him to attend a Gaudy, that I learned of David's sadly early death, in Hove in Sussex, some five years past. I hope that his influence on others was as beneficent as it was on me, at Wadham, half a century ago.

**Piers Burton-Page** Modern Languages, 1966

## Andrew Peter Morton 1948–2018

Regular readers of the *Wadham Gazette* may remember Andrew's own highly entertaining memoir of his time at Oxford published in the 2016 edition under the title of "Fleeting Notes of a Wadham Orientalist". Andrew remained a keen student of languages all his life, from French, German and Dutch (self-taught) at Slough Grammar School, to his Chinese at university for which he gained a Davis Scholarship at Wadham in 1968, and then on to a later interest in Russian, Polish and Welsh. Along the way he also developed an acquaintance with Italian, Spanish and Portuguese. The last language he taught himself was Romanian and in all these languages he became proficient enough in both the spoken and the written word to try them out on native speakers and to read the works of literature.

He always revered his dictionaries and his books on grammar and syntax, on one occasion pointing out a whole list of errors to the publishers of a new Polish dictionary, which they were happy to accept. Shortly before his death he had finished the first draft of part of an English translation of a contemporary Romanian novel which was said by those who saw it to be both lively and idiomatic. Whether it was chatting with Romanian bus drivers in Bridgwater or tackling a long Russian novel in the original, he was always ready to take on a challenge, for if anyone can be said to have been born with a linguistic gift it was Andrew. We shared a set on Front Quad in our first year and while I perhaps was busy construing a passage of Aeschylus for a tutorial with Tom Stinton, Andrew would be familiarising himself with *A Little Primer of Tu Fu* or practising his

calligraphy for Anne Lonsdale. When St Mary's Bridgwater wished to provide foreign visitors with translations of their guide leaflet, it was only natural that they should turn to Andrew who produced a number of versions, including in Polish and Russian.

Another of Andrew's great interests was choral singing, something which he took up at Wadham and which came to full flower when he returned from the Far East to live in Somerset, singing tenor in the church choir and his local Choral Society. Memorably, he was able to combine choral singing with his talent for languages when, on two occasions, he visited the monastery of Tikhvin in Russia and joined in the daily activities of the monks, singing with the choir. Of course, singing the offices of the Russian Orthodox service was a bit more demanding than what he was used to in Bridgwater but boldness was always part of Andrew's character, and once he had set his mind on doing something he could rarely be deflected from it. He had the misfortune on one visit to be mugged at the Finland Station in St Petersburg, losing his money and debit card, and on his second visit got stuck in a hotel lift and had to call for help. One can be pretty certain that his cries for assistance were uttered in impeccable and perfectly idiomatic Russian!

For a number of years, Andrew lived in Taiwan – mainland China's renegade foe – where he was a respected and successful freelance translator. He worked on a wide range of commissions, his clients sometimes being private individuals and sometimes corporate bodies like the National Palace Museum in Taipei for whom Andrew translated scholarly essays and catalogue entries. Andrew had previously met his wife, Judith, while doing postgraduate work in the Department of Oriental Books at the Bodleian

and together they settled in Taipei and raised two sons, David and Howard.

Andrew greatly enjoyed Bach and, in particular, his organ music, so it was poignant that he died suddenly on a visit to Leipzig where he had travelled for the annual BachFest. Before leaving he told me he was especially looking forward to hearing the six Cello Suites and the B minor Mass. He was also engaged in a long project of family-history research and had spent the day before his death combing 19th century newspaper sources in the city archive at Halle.

My friendship with Andrew lasted nearly 50 years and scarcely a month went by without the exchange of lengthy letters or even longer phone calls. We often went to chamber music concerts together and Andrew was a shrewd judge of performance. It was a pleasure to know him for so long and admire the linguistic gifts that he put to the service of an enquiring scholarly mind informed by a genial and vivacious attitude to life.

**Tony Barton** Literae Humaniores, 1968

## John Rote 1928–2017

John Rote, beloved friend of Carole Franco, passed away peacefully on 13 February 2017. He was born on 24 March 1928 in the Netherlands to Jan and Johanna Rote. He was educated at Wadham, where he gained a BA in PPE in 1949. As a young man, he fought bravely in the Dutch Underground during World War II.

A great sportsman, he played field hockey in the 1956 Olympics and was a member of the Privateers. He participated in the 1<sup>st</sup> Privateers International Field Hockey Festival, broadening international sports activity in

which Americans join people of other nations in furthering the brotherhood of man.

A true internationalist, John Rote travelled the world as an investment banker and created Tesoro, a company on the New York stock exchange. In addition to his business life, he had a passion for collecting art and sculpture and helped promote the careers of many budding artists around the world.

A religious man of generous spirit, he participated in medical airlifts to deliver medicines to the needy via AmeriCares, and he assisted in raising money to further medical research. He had a dream of creating a Foundation where funds could be used for the many causes he believed in.

He lived for many years in Connecticut and upstate NY, but was a true global citizen. He was generous with his time and would go out of his way to help anyone in need. He will be missed by his family, his many friends and those that knew him around the world.

**Carole Franco**

## Alexander "Shura" Shihwarg 1923–2018

Had it not been for onslaught of the Second World War, Alexander 'Shura' Shihwarg might never have studied PPE at Wadham (1946–49). Born in Harbin, China in 1923 to Russian emigré parents, he was an 18-year-old medical student at Hong Kong University when the Japanese attacked the then British colony on 8 December 1941. A member of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, he retrieved his rifle from under his bed and set off to fight. He was one of the last men to surrender 18 days later.

As a prisoner of war, Shura began writing daily poems. He had been in love with the

form since being given a copy of the *Oxford Book of English Poetry* as a 12-year-old pupil at Tientsin Grammar School. His first three English poems were published in Oxford in 1948, including 'My War'.

"It wasn't peace that finally prevailed  
I went to war, unsummoned and unneeded.  
But though we battled for a dream that failed,  
We stopped a nightmare that would have  
succeeded."

Liberated in 1945, he was too old to recommence medical training. He arrived in Oxford in 1946 where his fierce wit earned him a wide circle of friends, as well as many female admirers. He was once caught scaling the walls of Somerville in the middle of the night. The onset of the Cold War, however, saw him placed under surveillance by MI5 and refused a British passport for 13 years, which prevented him taking a job as foreign correspondent with the *Sunday Times*. Instead he moved to Chelsea and immersed himself in a world of socialites and literati, rubbing shoulders with the likes of Cyril Connolly, Dylan Thomas and Laurie Lee, and setting up several restaurants. He married the war-time diarist Joan Wyndham in 1957 and together they had a daughter, Camilla.

He was devastated by Joan's death from cancer in 2007 but his joie de vivre never dimmed. Right until the end of his life, his London home was filled with visitors from all over the world. Just two months before his death in hospital after a short lung infection, his first collection of poetry, *Mirror, Mirror*, was published by Hopcyn Press.

As he wrote in one of his final poems: "Do not fear to turn the page,/ There lurks a second youth in age,/ And as the sand falls in the glass/ Kick the Grim Reaper up the arse."

**Barbara Davies**

## David George Vaughan 1924–2017



David Vaughan, critic and performer, is best known for preserving the history of dance, through his definitive biographies and painstaking stewardship of the Merce Cunningham Archive.

Reviewing David Vaughan's Cunningham biography in *The Times*, the dance critic Jennifer Dunning called it as complete and clear a portrait of the modern dance choreographer and his epochal work as has ever been published.

David served the Cunningham company and school in various capacities for a half-century. He enhanced the company's reputation worldwide in 1964 when he coordinated a six-month tour to Europe and Asia, with John Cage as music director and Robert Rauschenberg as resident designer and stage manager.

His books included *Frederick Ashton and His Ballets* (1977) and *Merce Cunningham: Fifty Years* (1997).

David came up to Wadham in 1941 to study English and, though he had been a dance aficionado since childhood, did not begin formal training until he was 23. He emigrated to the United States in 1950 to enrol in the School of American Ballet, where Cunningham was teaching.

He made his Broadway debut in 1957 as the parson in a Playwrights' Company production of William Wycherley's *The Country Wife*. He also appeared in *The Boy Friend* in 1970, and performed regularly with Al Carmines in a cabaret revue.

In his book on Frederick Ashton, Vaughan explored *Enigma Variations*, the

choreographer's 1968 narrative ballet about a turning point in a composer's career.

'Only a poet could have conceived a ballet like *Enigma*', he wrote, 'and only the audacity of genius could have brought it off, this use of the resources of classic ballet to achieve a nobility of discourse and carry a weight of metaphor that many would say are beyond its scope – but it is his faith in those resources that makes Ashton a great poet.'

**By Sam Roberts**

Read more at:  
[www.nytimes.com/2017/11/01/obituaries/david-vaughan-dead-chronicler-of-dance-history.html](http://www.nytimes.com/2017/11/01/obituaries/david-vaughan-dead-chronicler-of-dance-history.html)

## Major General David Milner Woodford CBE 1930–2017

David was born in Nairobi, educated at Prince of Wales School where he became head boy, before going up to Wadham in 1948.

After Oxford, David volunteered to do National Service. He was commissioned from Eaton Hall into the Royal Fusiliers and posted to Korea commanding a company on the infamous "The Hook". It was a baptism of fire. After Korea he sailed to Egypt for duties in the Canal Zone and Sudan.

Granted a regular commission, David was posted to Berlin as ADC to the GOC in Berlin who was Colonel of the Regiment, which David would become years later. Here he encountered the double agent George Blake and, when he visited Spandau Prison he regularly met Rudolph Hess, Albert Speer, and other high ranking Nazi figures.

Later, David served in the Gulf, Kenya, Malta, Cyprus and Libya and after that followed Staff appointments.

In 1970, David assumed command of 3<sup>rd</sup> Royal Regiment of Fusiliers and an exacting

tour in Northern Ireland followed. In 1972 David's task was to patrol having retaken the Bogside after 'Bloody Sunday'.

Later that year, as Army Chief of Staff in Cyprus during the troubles, his task was to assist the UN Peacekeeping Force and look after the security of the Sovereign Base Areas.

From 1976–77, David was back in Northern Ireland, afterwards Director of Army Training. From 1984–86 he commanded the Joint Services Defence College at Greenwich.

After retirement he was a member of the Lord Chancellor's Panel of Independent Inspectors until 2000.

David had an adventurous career surviving three helicopter crashes, in Sudan, Cyprus and Northern Ireland. He had boxed for the Regiment, played polo and golf. He commanded widespread respect and affection.

His first marriage was dissolved and he married secondly Carole Westoby who survives him.

**Carole Woodford**

## Philip Mayne Woodward DSc 1919–2018

Philip Mayne Woodward was a mathematician, pioneering radar engineer and world renowned horologist.

Woodward was educated at Blundell's School, and won a scholarship to study Mathematics at Wadham in 1938. He was appointed the college organist. His undergraduate course was interrupted when he was drafted in 1941 to the Telecommunications Research Establishment (TRE), the original home of radar research for the RAF. This led to a career in the Scientific Civil Service which spanned four decades.

Woodward describes this time as 'real research with a real purpose'. Animated by Claude Shannon's theory of communication, Woodward pioneered in 1950 a new approach to the problem of radar signal detection in the presence of random noise, to eliminate all but the wanted information the echoes might contain. His analysis, based on Bayesian probability theory, is now seen as being many years ahead of its time. In 1953 he wrote *Probability and Information Theory, with Applications to Radar*. This work introduced a mathematical technique based on Woodward's Ambiguity Function which over six decades later continues to be used for satellite work.

His publications in the field of random processes led to his being invited in 1956 to take up a visiting lectureship at Harvard University.

Returning to his research base in Malvern, at the Royal Signals and Radar Establishment (RSRE) of the British Ministry of Defence (MoD), now part of the QinetiQ Company, Woodward gathered a mathematical team of exceptional talent to develop techniques

for efficient computer usage in scientific work. In the 1960s this hinged largely on the availability of high-level programming languages.

Woodward retired from his role of Deputy Chief Scientific Officer in 1980. Retirement meant that he could return to his interest in horology. From his experience as a mathematician and analyst of complex systems, he made major contributions to scientific horology. His principal contribution to the horological literature is *My Own Right Time* in 1995, a record of his passion for horology and the design of a series of four mechanical clocks made at his home, largely by hand.

The culmination of his efforts is his masterpiece W5. W5 was built with the simplest of tools, but displays an elegance of concept and design rarely seen in the history of the science. Woodward even built the case, assembling it with intricate but invisible mitre joints. It was acclaimed by Jonathan Betts, the Senior Curator of Horology at the Royal Observatory Greenwich as 'the nearest approach to perfection by any mechanical timekeeper not employing a vacuum chamber'.

Woodward became a Fellow of the British Horological Institute (BHI) and in 1994 he was awarded the Barrett Silver Medal of the BHI. In 2006 the BHI published *Woodward on Time*, a hard-cover collection of 63 articles with new notes by Woodward.

W5 acquired a unique status among amateur and professional clockmakers alike and in 2017 Woodward was delighted to be informed that W5 was going to be part of an exhibition put together by the Clockmakers' Museum at the Science Museum. The exhibition will tell the story of the development of clock and watchmaking in England, and

especially London, from the 16<sup>th</sup> century to the present day.

Woodward received many honours for his work in both radar and horology.

The diversity of his work for the MoD was recognised when in 2000 a new building for information technology was named after him on the site of the former RSRE.

The Royal Academy of Engineering gave Woodward in 2005 its first Lifetime Achievement Award, recognising him as an outstanding pioneer of radar and for his work in precision mechanical horology.

In 2009 the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) awarded him the Denis J. Picard Medal for Radar Technologies and Applications for 'pioneering work of fundamental importance in radar waveform design including the Woodward Ambiguity Function'.

In person Woodward was a kind and generous man with boundless enthusiasm for everything he did. It took only a few minutes of conversation for the power of his intellect to become apparent. He had a rare combination of charisma and intelligence which remained undimmed to the last.

His wife Alice pre-deceased him after a marriage of 57 years.

**Abridged from funeral obituary,  
provided by Suzette Woodward (niece)**



## Fellows' news

### Philip Bullock

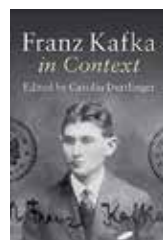
Professor of Russian Literature and Music | Fellow and Tutor in Russian, Wadham College | Director, The Oxford Research Centre in the Humanities

I had fully intended, after returning from a year's sabbatical in Paris last year, to return full-time to my duties as a College Fellow and tutor, but fate did not quite permit that. Instead, in October 2017, I was appointed to serve a three-year term as Director of The Oxford Research Centre in the Humanities (TORCH). Founded in May 2013, TORCH supports research that reaches across traditional disciplinary boundaries, fosters collaborations with non-academic organisations, and helps academics to engage with wider audiences. It's a job that appeals to me very much, given my research interests in both literature and music, as well as my partnerships with a number of cultural organisations, and I've greatly enjoyed the challenge of working with a dynamic and growing team within the Humanities Division. I haven't been entirely absent from Wadham, though, as I continue to teach all of the Russianists here (as well as at my other colleges), sharing tutorial duties with Dr Oliver Ready (a specialist in contemporary Russian literature, and a prize-winning translator, including a version of Dostoevsky's *Crime and Punishment* for Penguin). In addition to my academic writing, I've found myself providing lectures, essays, programme notes and translations for a number of performing arts organisations, including Welsh National

Opera, Wigmore Hall and the Salzburg Festival, and I've found time to present papers at conferences in Cambridge, Florence, Helsinki, Vipiteno, Tallinn and Tübingen, and in March 2018, I was invited to visit Taiwan as a visiting professor at the universities of Hualien, Kaohsiung and Taipei.

### Carolyn Duttlinger

Associate Professor in German;  
Ockenden Fellow and Tutor in German



January 2018 saw the publication of a new Kafka handbook, *Franz Kafka in Context*, edited by me and published by Cambridge University Press. It assembles short and accessible contributions by internationally renowned

Kafka scholars from three different continents, who explore the many different contexts – biographical, cultural, historical and political – which underpin Kafka's writings. By focusing on Kafka's relationship to areas such as dance, photography and architecture, philosophy, religion and the law, the new handbook wants to dispel the still persistent myth of Kafka the isolated genius whose work bears little connection to its times. The book launch on 1 June 2018 was part of a one-day symposium, hosted by the Oxford Kafka Research Centre, of which I am a Director, on Kafka's novel *The Castle* (*Das Schloß*). The editors of the Kafka facsimile edition, Roland

Reuß and Peter Stengle, hosted a student workshop on their new edition of *Das Schloß*, while playwright Ed Harris, who has adapted *The Castle* for Radio Four, spoke about the challenges of adapting Kafka's unfinished and rather meandering novel for the radio. Both events were attended by Wadham undergraduates; the day also involved a very well attended Kafka workshop for sixth form students interested in studying German at university, part of Wadham's well-established access and outreach programme.

### Jane Griffiths

Fellow in English

Jane's latest collection of poems, entitled *Silent in Finisterre*, was published by Bloodaxe Books in 2017. With their kind permission, we reprint 'Thesaurus' below which is dedicated to Jeffrey Hackney.

#### Thesaurus

(for Jeffrey)

Idle as a painted ship Upon a painted Ocean.  
S.T. Coleridge

As you say, idle isn't lazy, but still  
as the sea, those dog days round  
the equator  
when a ship is not a sail.

It's the senses lapped like shipboard,  
the ship lapping the void that is itself,  
all at sea: which is to say, groundless.

And it's the sailors, not engaged in work,  
but light-headed, out of their minds, or  
delirious.  
It's the albatross, out of circulation.

Think of the word as medium — a blue-green transparency leading down and down  
to no solid result. Of the mind in its quick

brown study probing the depths  
like a painter's brush or the fox that jumps  
out of the blue from quay to shipboard.

A fox? you ask. Where did that spring from?  
Oh, I say, it was there in the beginning.  
As idle is the ocean it is hair of the dog.



### Stephen Heyworth

Professor of Latin, Bowra Fellow  
and Tutor in Classics

The start of Michaelmas Term was dominated by James Morwood's funeral and the College event we held in the chapel, the start of Hilary by the Memorial on 4 February; thanks to the many who came and participated it was a splendid, if sad, occasion, and seems to have done justice to a great man. After careful checking, my commentary on *Fasti* 3 was eventually submitted to CUP in March, and it is due to appear in March next year, aptly enough. I celebrated by going to Italy, to Rome for talks at Sapienza and Tor Vergata, and a conference at the BSR on the Tiber in archaeology, cult, and myth, and then a short, first, trip to Sulmona, Ovid's hometown (as

pictured). A number of papers and reviews appeared in the course of the year, on the *Fasti*, the *Corpus Tibullianum*, the wrong division of Horatian *Odes* (online in *Dictynna* 14), and the varied materials on and with which the elegists conceive of words being written (ink, wine, tears, charcoal or milk; on bronze, marble, bark, apples, papyrus, silk, wax, water, air, and human skin). The Oxford Text of the *Fasti* is now my main research focus.



### Tarunabh Khaitan

Associate Professor and Hackney Fellow in Law, Wadham College | Future Fellow, University of Melbourne

In its ruling on 6 September 2018 the Indian Supreme Court declared that part of section 377 of the Victoria-era Indian Penal Code (enacted by the colonial state in 1870) which criminalised consensual adult sex was unconstitutional. Among the reasons for which it made this ruling was that section 377 violated the guarantee of non-discrimination under Article 15 of the Indian Constitution.

In explaining its interpretation of Article 15, two (of five) judges on the bench that delivered a unanimous judgment drew extensively from research on discrimination law by Dr Khaitan. This new interpretation of Article 15 opens up avenues for challenging

multiple forms of discrimination in India.

In this opinion, Justice Chandrachud quoted Dr Khaitan as writing:

"But the salience of a case on discrimination against a politically disempowered minority, based purely on the prejudices of a majority, goes beyond the issue of LGBTQ rights. Indian constitutional democracy is at a crossroads .... Inclusiveness and pluralism lie at the heart of Article 15, which can be our surest vehicle for the Court to lend its institutional authority to the salience of these ideas in our constitutional identity." [para 46]

The citation of Dr Khaitan's work in this landmark case follows his being awarded the prestigious Letten Prize for highlighting unjust inequalities in present-day society.

The Letten Prize is a collaboration between the Letten Foundation and the Young Academy of Norway. The prize is to recognise younger researchers' contributions in the fields of health, development, environment and equality in all aspects of human life. Furthermore, the prize aims to raise public awareness of how research can be used to solve global human development challenges.

Tarun plans to use the prize money to launch an "Indian Equality Law Program" to be hosted at the Melbourne Law School, where he currently holds the Future Fellowship.

### Mark Thompson

Fellow in Engineering Science

Wadham Engineering has had a successful academic year 2017–18 and together with my colleagues Alfonso Castrejón-Pita, Ekaterina Shamonina and Daniel Eakins we are proud to report three Firsts, two 2:1s and one Third from our Finalists.

The UNIQ Engineering summer school, hosted at Wadham and supported generously by our alumni, continues to be an important part of our outreach work. For the second year in a row we are delighted to report that a UNIQ attendee will be arriving as a Fresher at Wadham in October.

My research with the Oxford Mechanobiology Group continues to thrive. Two graduating research students this year are moving into exciting jobs in local spin-out companies. Our Wellcome Trust project with the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore on an affordable prosthetic arm is drawing to a close with the team in India poised to spin out a company to commercialise the work. A final-year DPhil student, Laura Diment, working on prosthetic comfort has been awarded funding to develop their ideas together with ProsFit, a 3D printing socket company set up by Alan Hutchison (1978). In parallel we are working on bioreactor technology, both for commercialisation with MICA Biosystems and for future research planned into in situ testing of biological materials.

### Francesco Zanetti

Tutorial Fellow in Macroeconomics and Quantitative Economics, Wadham College | Associate Professor in Economics, University of Oxford

Francesco had another busy and fruitful year and enjoyed tutoring students in first and second year of the PPE, E&M and H&E programmes. He continued to be part of the Investment Committee, contributing to important financial decisions for the College.

He concluded work for a three-year research grant awarded by the Leverhulme Trust to investigate the effect of news on economic fluctuations. He was awarded a George Webb Medley Fund Grant from the University of Oxford.

He continued editorship of the *Oxford Economic Papers* and *Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics*, in-house journals at the Department of Economics, and was appointed associate editor of the *Journal of Money, Credit and Banking* and co-editor of *Macroeconomic Dynamics*. He spent one month at the Bank of Japan providing advice and expertise, and he visited the International Monetary Fund and the Federal Reserve Board in Washington DC during the summer. He gave seminars at several institutions including the Bank of England, Bank of Russia, Keio University, and Shanghai University, to name a few. His research was presented at several conferences, including the Annual Meetings of the Econometric Society in Philadelphia, the Labour Market Conference at Essex University, and CEPR conferences at the Bank of Italy and the European Central Bank.

He is developing a new framework to study recessions and recovery and he hopes to use sabbatical leave in Trinity 2019 to advance knowledge on this exciting line of research.

## Emeritus Fellows' news

### Jeffrey Hackney

Jeffrey has been re-appointed as Clerk of the Market for a further year.

### David Mabberley

Professor Mabberley's book *Joseph Banks' Florilegium: Botanical Treasures from Cook's First Voyage*, reported last year, has now been published in the US and Italy, and reprinted with corrections by Thames & Hudson in London. It has been awarded the American Botanical Council's James A Duke Excellence in Botanical Literature Award for 2017.

The degree of Doctor of Science honoris causa was conferred on David Mabberley AM by Macquarie University Sydney, where he is an Adjunct Professor in the Faculty of Science and Engineering. The degree was conferred on 19 September 2018.

## New Fellows



### Fabrizio Caola

Fabrizio joins Wadham as a Tutorial Fellow in Physics and Associate Professor in the University's Physics

Department. Fabrizio grew up in Milan, Italy, where he studied Physics and Classical Music. He obtained a PhD in Theoretical Physics from the University of Milan, and a Concert Pianist degree from the city's Conservatorio di Musica G. Verdi. During the last months of his PhD, he moved to Chicago to work as a Fulbright Visiting Student Researcher at the Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory. He then held a postdoctoral position at the Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, before moving back to Europe to continue his investigations as a Fellow in the CERN Theory Department. He recently joined the Institute for Particle Physics Phenomenology at Durham University as a Lecturer.

Fabrizio's work focuses on the study of fundamental interactions. Currently, his main research interests are QCD (the theory that describes strong interactions), Higgs physics and collider phenomenology. In 2018 he was awarded an ERC Starting Grant to develop new theoretical techniques to study Higgs physics at the CERN Large Hadron Collider. He very much looks forward to being part of Wadham tradition in Theoretical Particle Physics.

In his spare time, Fabrizio loves reading a

good book, listening to music and playing piano. His family is originally from a small town in the Italian Alps, and the love of mountains and nature runs in his blood. He is looking forward to exploring the beautiful Oxfordshire countryside.



### Matthew Langton

Matthew is a Royal Society University Research Fellow in the Department of Chemistry, and joins

Wadham as the RJP Williams Junior Research Fellow in Chemistry.

His research interests lie at the interface of supramolecular chemistry (the study of non-covalent interactions between molecules), coordination chemistry and biological chemistry. He is particularly interested in developing stimuli-responsive molecular systems that can be interfaced with lipid bilayer membranes to develop novel bio-nanotechnologies such as artificial cells, nano-reactors and sensors. In Oxford, his team will be focusing on membrane-bound molecular machines: developing artificial molecular systems in which controlled nano-mechanical motion at the molecular level is used to influence the properties and functions of artificial cells.

Matthew studied Chemistry at Lincoln College, Oxford, and began his research career at the same institution, graduating with a DPhil in 2014. From 2015-18, he was an Oppenheimer Early Career Research Fellow in the Department of Chemistry, University of Cambridge, where he developed chemical methods to transduce and amplify

information across lipid bilayer membranes. These systems act as synthetic mimics of membrane signalling proteins, and provide a novel approach to "remote-controlling" chemical reactions inside cell-like systems such as lipid bilayer-confined nano-reactors.

He returned to Oxford in October 2018 to take up his current positions.



### Emilia Terracciano

Dr Emilia Terracciano is the A. W. Mellon Global South Fellow at Wadham College, Ruskin

School of Art and TORCH at Oxford University from September 2018 to September 2021. Her project "Militant, Collaborative, Public: Mural Politics for a Global South", explores the trans-national popularity of the mural form in the non-west in reaction to the introspective development of modern art from the 1930s to the present.

Her research interests include: art, post-coloniality and decolonisation in modern and contemporary South Asia; art and migration; the relationship between art, plantation economies and monocultures; militancy, bio-piracy and botanical conflicts; science fiction; photography, documentary and film.

Emilia is the author of *Art and Emergency: Modernism in Twentieth-Century India* published by IB Tauris in 2017.

Publications include: "Fugitive Lines: Nasreen Mohamedi, 1960-75", *Art Journal*, Summer issue, 2014.

"Abstraction and Photography" in *Twentieth-Century Indian Art* (ed.) Partha



Mitter, Parul Dave Mukherjee and Rakhee Balaram, Skira Publishers (forthcoming).

Emilia has been invited as a contributor to the special issue on "Voice as Form in Contemporary Asian Art", *Oxford Art Journal*, and the special issue devoted to Documents for *ArtMargins* MIT Press.

Her extended essay on the biomorphic sculptures of artist Mrinalini Mukherjee will be included in the Met Breuer (New York) exhibition catalogue published by Shoestring Press. She also regularly writes for the art press including *1000Words*, *Critical Collectives*, *Frieze* and *Photomonitor*.

Emilia has taught in various institutions including: UCL, the Courtauld Institute of Art, the Sotheby's Institute of Art, the Photographers' Gallery and Christie's Education.

At the Ruskin, she teaches the History and Theory of Visual Culture, leading a course, alongside Malcolm Bull, on globalisation, photography and the documentary turn.



**Laure Zanna**

Laure joins Wadham as David Richards Fellow and Tutor in Physics in 2018.

Associate Professor

in Climate Physics, Laure's research focuses on the role of the oceans in climate. The main emphasis is to study the influence of ocean dynamics on regional and global scales, through the analysis of observations and a hierarchy of numerical simulations. Recently, she has worked on a wide range of topics including ocean warming and sea level rise as a consequence of climate change, the use of artificial intelligence to improve ocean/climate simulations, and the impact of ocean-atmosphere interaction on weather and climate in the Euro-Atlantic sector.

Laure completed her PhD in Climate Dynamics at Harvard University before joining Oxford initially as an Oxford Martin Fellow and then an Associate Professor in the Department of Physics. She was a Junior Research Fellow at Balliol College from 2009 to 2011, a lecturer at Christ Church from 2014 to 2017, and a Fellow of St Cross from 2011 to 2018.

## Visiting Fellows



**Claudia Rapp, FBA**

Claudia obtained her DPhil in Modern History at Oxford in 1993 and has since then been a frequent

academic visitor.

She took up her current position as Professor of Byzantine Studies at the University of Vienna in 2011, after 17 years at the University of California, Los Angeles. She is the Director of the Division of Byzantine Research within the Institute for Medieval Research at the Austrian Academy of Sciences.

Her research focuses on the social and cultural history of Late Antiquity and Byzantium, often from the angle of religious history and manuscript studies. *Holy Bishops in Late Antiquity: Christian Leadership in an Age of Transition*, published in 2005, was re-issued in paperback in 2013. Her recent book, *Brother-Making in Late Antiquity and Byzantium: Monks, Laymen and Christian Ritual* (2016) has led to the formation of the Euchologia Project at the Austrian Academy of Sciences that studies prayer books for the use of priests as sources for daily life and social history.

As Scholarly Director of the Sinai Palimpsests Project, she has studied manuscripts at the Monastery of Saint Catherine on multiple visits. Funding through the Wittgenstein Award has enabled her to assemble a team of scholars for the investigation of Mobility, Microstructures

and Personal Agency, a multi-disciplinary exploration of geographical, cultural and social mobility.

During her sabbatical, she plans to make headway on her next book. Tentatively entitled *Organized Lay Piety in Byzantium*, it seeks to look at groups of men and women joined by a common purpose within a religious framework, such as the confraternities that walk once a week in icon processions from one church to the next, or the pious men that provide health and hygiene services at the public baths. The research involves consulting a variety of sources in medieval Greek, not only historical and hagiographical narratives, but also material culture, such as manuscripts and lead seals. This study of 'grassroots movements', and their position on the margins of the power structures of state and church, will contribute to a deeper understanding of the internal resilience and dynamism of the people of medieval Byzantium.



**Mahsa Shirmohammadi**

Mahsa Shirmohammadi is a researcher employed by the Centre National de la Recherche

Scientifique (CNRS, France).

In the current academic year she will be visiting the Department of Computer Science at Oxford, where she was a postdoctoral research assistant from 2015 to 2018, working with Dr Stefan Kiefer. Mahsa did her

PhD jointly between ULB in Belgium and ENS Cachan in France and, before that, her first degree at Isfahan in Iran.

Mahsa will be hosted by the Automated Verification group at the University of Oxford. Automated verification concerns algorithmic methods for certifying the correctness and trustworthiness of computer systems. Mahsa's work in the area focuses on games, probabilistic systems, and real-time computer systems. Games are used in automated verification to model strategic situations arising in optimisation and algorithm design. During her visit this year, Mahsa will be interested in determining how much memory and computational power are required for optimal play in multi-player games and games against nature.

Further to this, Mahsa also plans to work on the problem of optimising multiple objectives in real-time computing, e.g. scheduling tasks under various cost constraints. Such problems turn out to be closely related to questions in arithmetic that lie on the border between what can and cannot be solved by algorithmic methods.

Outside of the laboratory, Mahsa is a keen (rather than accomplished) dancer and walker. She will be happy to recruit members of College for trips to explore the Oxford countryside and expeditions to the Holywell Music Room.



**Nick Timothy**

Nick joins Wadham as a Visiting Fellow, starting October 2018.

A columnist for the *Daily Telegraph* and the *Sun*, Nick intends to use his time at Wadham researching political philosophy.

Previously he was Theresa May's joint chief of staff in Downing Street and her special adviser in the Home Office. He is a former Director of the New Schools Network, a charity that helps people to set up free schools, and a former Deputy Director of the Conservative Research Department.

He is the author of *Our Joe* and *Restoring the Balance*, pamphlets about Joseph Chamberlain and the scrutiny of EU laws in Parliament. In addition to his existing newspaper columns, he has written for the *New Statesman*, *Spectator* and *Sunday Times*, and is a regular public speaker on politics and current affairs.

## Alumni news

### 1958 Bragg (CH, FRS, FBA), Melvyn

was recognised in the New Year's Honours list 2018. Lord Bragg has joined the elite Order of the Companions of Honour, a reward for outstanding achievements in the arts, literature, music, science, politics, industry or religion. The order consists of the sovereign, plus no more than 65 Companions of Honour.

### 1959 Turner, Richard H.

has an article published online at <https://hadland.wordpress.com/2018/07/20/dr-john-more/> on the diverse activities of an early Stuart recusant surgeon who inter alia brokered the sale of honours for George Villiers 1st duke of Buckingham, and on his various heirs over a further century.

### 1959 Rapkin, B. Alec

has self-published his latest collection of poems, *Pairs*, on the CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform, February 2017.

### 1961 Kuenssberg (OBE, FRSE, DUniv), Nicholas C.

is Chair of the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland, as of December 2016, and was also elected Fellow of the Royal Society of Edinburgh in February 2018.

### 1964 Levin, Michael H.

has a collection of new and selected poems, entitled *Man Overboard*, published in the US by Finishing Line Press, September 2018. Additionally, *Two Pianos: Playing for Life*, which he co-wrote and co-produced with his wife Nora Jean Levin, premiered in Philadelphia in June. A unique production of live classical music, readings and projections, plus an accompanying exhibition, *Two Pianos* follows the story of three Jewish women who met whilst studying piano at the Leipzig Conservatory, and whose friendships lasted a lifetime, surviving transatlantic separations, war, and the Holocaust.

### 1974 Darke, Diana

has a new book – *The Merchant of Syria; A History of Survival*, published by Hurst, April 2018.

### 1975 Gentleman, Fenella

has a new novel – *The Reading Party*, published by Muswell Press, June 2018.

### 1975 Rasala, Malcolm D.

has recently created [www.10muses.com](http://www.10muses.com) to share the best across the world.

**1977 Murray, Philip E.**

has a new publication - *Getting Them To Get It - Strategies for teaching Mathematics in the Secondary School so it sticks*, published by Create Space Independent Publishing Platform, February 2018.

**1977 Senior, Richard J.**

was selected to take part in the 2017/18 season of *University Challenge*, representing King's College London, against Merton College, Oxford.

**1980 McCall MacBain (OC), John H.**

was presented with the University's highest award, the Sheldon Medal, in October 2017, for his visionary support for the University of Oxford. It was a special honour for the Warden to host the celebratory dinner for John at Wadham.

**1981 Clarke, Gerard J. P.**

is now a partner in Collas Crill, BVI, and an International member at 4-5 Gray's Inn Square.

**1982 Prout (CB), David M.**

was recognised in the New Year's Honours list 2018, appointed Companion of the Order of the Bath (CB). Founded by George I in 1725, the Order of the Bath today recognises senior civil servants and members of the armed forces. Prior to taking up the position of Oxford University Pro-Vice-Chancellor

for Planning and Resources in September 2017, Dr Prout enjoyed a distinguished career in government, serving most recently as Director General for the £50 billion High Speed 2 programme.

**1984 Yalden, Robert M.**

is now Sigurdson Professor in Corporate Law and Finance at the Faculty of Law at Queen's University (Canada), after 25 years of private practice with Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt LLP.

**1991 Gentleman, Amelia S.**

has won the *Private Eye's* prestigious Paul Foot Award 2018 in recognition of her investigative journalism, campaigning and reporting on the Windrush scandal. In a series of news reports published earlier this year, Amelia exposed how the Government's 'hostile' stance on immigration had led to citizens being wrongly detained and deported, while others were denied healthcare, work, housing benefits and pensions.

**1992 Henighan, Stephen P. G.**

has had three new books published in 2018: *Blue River and Red Earth*, a collection of 11 short stories published by Cormorant Books (Toronto); a translation from Portuguese of Ondjaki's *Transparent City*, published by Biblioasis; *Human and Environmental Justice in Guatemala* (co-written and co-edited with Candace Johnson), published by University of Toronto Press. His recent awards include Insight Grant, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, 2016-2021 and

Research Leadership Chair, College of Arts, University of Guelph, 2017-2020.

**1994 Shiu, Lik K.**

has written a book on the legacy of Sir Winston Churchill, published in China by Enrich Publishing and *Hong Kong Economic Journal*, 2015. Although not accessible to English readers, it has been reviewed by an English website: [www.winstonchurchill.org/publications/finest-hour/finest-hour-176/books-arts-legacy-of-winston-churchill/](http://www.winstonchurchill.org/publications/finest-hour/finest-hour-176/books-arts-legacy-of-winston-churchill/)

**1995 Cooper, Erna R.**

has a new monograph, *Aesthetics, Values and Autobiography in the Works of Willa Cather and Marguerite Duras*, published by Peter Lang, August 2018. This comparative critical study of Willa Cather and Marguerite Duras reveals the blurring of fiction and autobiography in their works, focusing on their concerns for women, children and the socially marginalised. The study highlights issues of power and authority relevant to the study of feminism and women's writing during and after the world wars.

**1996 Stewart (née Nicholson), Helen M.**

and Nigel are delighted to announce the birth of their son, Alexander Francis, born on 13 August 2018 in Yorkshire.

**2000 Wong, Nicol M.**

married Roderick Lai on 5 February 2017 on Waiheke Island, Auckland, New Zealand. They were proud to be joined (and even officiated by) several close friends who they have met through the Oxford Cambridge Society of Hong Kong.

**2003 Donkor, Michael**

has a debut novel, *Hold*, published by Fourth Estate, July 2018.

**2003 Handel, Adam E. And Katharine R. (née Bilous)**

have a baby boy, James Theoden Handel, born on 20 November 2017 in Oxford.

**2004 Hernández, Gleider**

and Patrick Knaap are delighted to announce the adoption of Abel Léon Knaap Hernández, who was born in Durham on 5 March 2016. He was welcomed into the Knaap Hernández household on 8 December 2016.

**2011 Tidball, Marie**

was shortlisted as a Role Model in the University of Oxford Vice-Chancellor's Diversity Awards for her work in raising the profile of disability.



## 2012 Wood, Alex

has been working in the theatre industry since graduating in 2015. His debut play, *Nine Foot Nine*, made its world premiere at the Bunker Theatre in June 2018 and also ran at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival in August. The gender-focused play was originally showcased at the Royal Court in March, as part of their International Women's Day programme, and was also shortlisted for the 2018 LET Award. Through his work as an associate artist at Sleepless Theatre, he endeavours to promote accessibility in the theatre community for both audiences and performers that identify as disabled or neurodiverse.

## 2015 Tootle, Jonathan

is currently embarking on a teaching career in Blackpool and has been awarded a Wadham Teach First bursary, supporting him into his career and aiding him to raise the aspirations of school students.

## 2016 Belcourt, Billy-Ray

has become the youngest ever winner of the Griffin Prize (2018), Canada's biggest poetry prize, for his debut book of poems, *This Wound is a World* (Frontenac House, 2017). He also won the 2018 Robert Kroetsch City of Edmonton Book Prize and the publication was named the Most Significant Book of Poetry in English by an Emerging Indigenous Writer at the 2018 Indigenous Voices Awards.

# Degrees

Each year, Wadham welcomes undergraduate students who wish to take their degrees in person (it is also possible to take them in absentia); degree days are occasions to meet former College contemporaries and to share a day of celebration with family and friends. All degree ceremonies are held in the Sheldonian Theatre.

The University invites students in their final year to book a place at a degree ceremony. Dates are available for ceremonies taking place between July and the following May after the completion of studies. This automatic invitation is sent to most undergraduate and graduate students in the November/December of their final year. DPhil and some other research students will receive their invitation once they have been granted leave to supplicate. Alternatively, students may prefer to graduate at a slightly later stage, taking the opportunity to revisit the College, perhaps with other members of their year group; in that case they should apply to [admin@wadham.ox.ac.uk](mailto:admin@wadham.ox.ac.uk) to see what dates are available. The College in fact is happy to welcome back as graduands any of its former students – there is no time limit involved.

Wadham is pleased to host graduands for drinks, lunch and a family tea on the day of their degree ceremony. Once a graduand has a confirmed date for a ceremony, the Academic Office will write, giving further details. Graduands will also be asked to provide information about any special

requirements for the day. Following the ceremony, degree certificates will be handed personally to graduands or, in the case of those taking a degree immediately after completing their courses, posted securely from the Degree Conferrals Office of the University.

Former students who hold an Oxford BA degree (but not a BA from elsewhere) may apply to take their MA degree in the 21<sup>st</sup> term from their matriculation. Former students who matriculated in or before Michaelmas Term 2012 (for those who had Senior Status, in or before Michaelmas 2013) may take the MA as from Trinity Term 2019.

It is possible only to take one degree in person at the same ceremony. If a graduand wishes to take two or more degrees (for example a BA and an MA), one of the degrees will be conferred in person (usually the higher degree); the other degree(s) will then be conferred in absentia, at the same ceremony.

Dress Code: Current graduates will be aware that the dress code ("sub-fusc") has been relaxed in some respects in order to avoid causing stress to those taking Final Examinations. Since graduation is anything but a stressful event, but retains a reasonable measure of formality, graduands will be expected to present themselves in the traditional "sub-fusc" dress.

Those not wishing to graduate in person can opt to do so in absentia. Current final year students will be able to indicate this in responding to the University's invitation sent

out during their final year of study. Former students should contact the Academic Office for guidance on applying via the 'Historic Graduands' route. Further details are on [www.wadham.ox.ac.uk/students/graduation](http://www.wadham.ox.ac.uk/students/graduation).

It is with much regret that we have to inform you of the University's decision to cut back on ceremony guest tickets. Therefore, with effect from July 2019, ceremony guest tickets will be limited to two tickets per graduand (previously three). This is due to changes in the Sheldonian Theatre and more limited capacity there.

All graduands are reminded that it is essential for any outstanding tuition fees with the College and/or the University to be cleared before they will be presented for a degree.

When a former student has taken his or her degree in person or in absentia (including BA or undergraduate Master's degrees), they are automatically admitted to Membership of Convocation and thus become life members of the University. As Members of Convocation, graduates may vote for the Professor of Poetry and for the next Chancellor of the University. They are also accorded special privileges in College; in particular, dining rights at High Table (at normal cost) and they will also be invited at regular intervals to Gaudies.

Further information can be obtained by writing to the Dean of Degrees c/o Teodora Rnjak, Academic Office, on 01865 277947, by email at [admin@wadham.ox.ac.uk](mailto:admin@wadham.ox.ac.uk) or by going to the College website at [www.wadham.ox.ac.uk/students/graduation](http://www.wadham.ox.ac.uk/students/graduation).

# Donations

With grateful thanks for all those below who have supported the College so generously over the last year, as well as those who have given anonymously. All these donations have been received between the dates of 1 August 2017 and 31 July 2018.

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All donors who give regularly, whether monthly or annually, regardless of amount, receive a special listing in the *Gazette*, as well as invitations to the annual Circles' Debate and Benefactors' Garden Party. Their ongoing commitment helps us to plan for the future and regular giving reduces administration costs, which enables us to raise our sights and do even more for Wadham students.

## Ⓝ Member of the Nicholas Circle

Donors who give at least £1,000 per year receive all the benefits of membership in the Wilkins Circle, as well as an invitation to join the Warden for a special event at the Circles' Debate. We are proud that membership of the Nicholas Circle is growing, as more and more alumni take the lead in making substantial gifts for the benefit of those who follow in their footsteps.

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In addition to the benefits associated with membership in the Wilkins and Nicholas Circles, donors who give at least £5,000 per year receive a complimentary invitation to all of our events throughout the year. Gifts at this level can be transformational for our students and members of the Dorothy Circle join an exclusive list of alumni and friends who are Wadham's most important change-makers.

## † Deceased

### Foundation Fellows

Alan Green (1948)  
Michael Peagram (1962)  
Joyce von Bothmer  
Stephen Stow (1973)  
Kenneth Woods (1950)  
Nicholas Barber (1959)  
Anthony Preston (1974)  
Matthew Benham (1986)  
Alasdair Locke (1971)  
John McCall MacBain (1980)  
William Doo  
Edwin Mok (1979)  
Carol Richards  
Nat Rothschild (1990)

## ALUMNI

### 1894

Robert Crawford †

### 1921

Thomas Griffiths †

### 1938

Edward Broadhead Ⓢ  
Philip Woodward †

### 1940

Sidney James Ⓢ

### 1941

Edward Burn Ⓢ

### 1942

David Andrews-Jones †  
Bernard Dann †

### 1943

Howard Bamforth Ⓝ  
Kenneth Cook Ⓢ  
Frederick Smith Ⓢ  
Arthur Wain Ⓢ  
Geoffrey White Ⓢ

### 1944

Anonymous †  
Peter McLean Ⓢ  
Christopher Pitcher Ⓢ  
Nigel Roberts Ⓢ

### 1945

Sir Sydney Giffard Ⓢ  
Ronald Holmes †  
Basil Hone †  
Norman Howard Ⓢ  
Roger Orcutt Ⓢ

### 1946

Ralph Blumenau Ⓢ  
David Cashdan Ⓝ  
Lionel Lightman Ⓢ  
Julius Lunzer Ⓢ  
Willis Marker Ⓢ  
Paul Mercier Ⓢ  
Arthur Mildon †

### 1947

Fred Cornish Ⓢ  
Peter Kearns  
Gordon Wyatt †

### 1948

Thomas Badgery Ⓢ  
Brian Brooke-Smith Ⓢ  
Jim Cocke  
Tony Cotton Ⓢ  
Ian Grant Ⓢ  
Alan Green Ⓝ  
John Hewson Ⓢ  
Albert Hibbert Ⓢ  
Leslie Norman Ⓢ  
John Roberts Ⓢ  
Colin Sanders †  
Eddie Tyson Ⓢ  
Paul Williams Ⓢ

### 1949

Keith Anderson Ⓢ  
Richard Blackmore Ⓢ  
Paul Briggs †  
David Brokensha †  
Mort Chambers Ⓢ  
Hilary Gosling Ⓢ  
John Hargreaves  
W E O Jones Ⓢ  
Alan Madgwick †  
Thomas Ragle  
Tony Smith Ⓢ  
Alec Stephen Ⓢ

John Thwaites Ⓢ  
Tony Wray Ⓢ

### 1950

Richard Allen Ⓢ  
Alan Jarvis Ⓢ  
Edmund Keeley Ⓢ  
Bryan Knight Ⓢ  
Joseph Molloy Ⓢ  
John Mountford Ⓢ  
Gordon Mungeam Ⓢ  
John Peers Ⓢ  
John Rhodes Ⓢ  
Peter Stanley Ⓢ  
Michael Tomlinson †

### 1951

Ian Barfoot Ⓢ  
Colin Campbell Ⓢ  
Sandy Common Ⓢ  
Alan Forey Ⓢ  
David Hodgson Ⓢ  
Michael Joyce Ⓢ  
Alastair Macgeorge Ⓢ  
David Mountain Ⓢ  
Philip Parker Ⓢ  
David Parry Ⓢ  
Timothy Peck Ⓢ  
Keith Saunders Ⓢ  
Anthony Warner Ⓢ

### 1952

Robin Allen Ⓢ  
Bernard Bligh Ⓢ  
Alistair Boyd Ⓢ  
Antony Branfoot Ⓢ  
Laurie Brown Ⓢ  
Robin Esser †  
Eric Foster †  
Kenneth Green Ⓢ  
Ivan Holliday Ⓢ  
Roy Hotchkiss Ⓢ

Eric Johnston (W)  
 Richard Lowndes (W)  
 Evelyn Morgan (W)  
 Graham Morris (W)  
 John Norman (W)  
 Peter Placito † (W)  
 Clive Sheppey (W)  
 Bryan Short

**1953**

Anonymous (W)  
 Roger Almond (W)  
 John Andrews CBE (W)  
 Brian Dimmock (W)  
 Martin Dodsworth (W)  
 Henry Emeleus † (W)  
 Colin Gamage (W)  
 Nicholas Hassall (W)  
 Anthony Higgs OBE (W)  
 Jim Lahore (N)  
 David Lamb (W)  
 Christopher Lewis (W)  
 David Malia (W)  
 John Manners (W)  
 Paul Mapplebeck (W)  
 Walter Mason (W)  
 Martin Mauthner (W)  
 Peter Ockleston (W)  
 Peter Phillips (W)  
 Geoff Power (W)  
 Michael Shave † (W)  
 David Taylor † (W)

**1954**

Christopher Bryan (W)  
 Bob Carnell (W)  
 Neil Cheshire (W)  
 Tom Clayton (W)  
 David Edsall (W)  
 David Foster (W)  
 Derek Hateley (W)  
 Gordon Mabb (W)  
 Peter Marshall CBE (W)

Allan Mears (W)  
 Anthony Merifield (W)  
 Colin Oakley (W)  
 John Phalp (W)  
 Peter Pickering (W)  
 Peter Pullar-Strecker (W)  
 Ridley Rhind (W)  
 Michael Rich (N)  
 Peter Tinsley † (W)  
 Peter Whitfield (W)

**1955**

Anonymous (N)  
 David Barnett (W)  
 David Brewer (W)  
 Hugh Chaun (W)  
 James Currey (W)  
 John Davies (W)  
 Martin Hening (W)  
 Peter Highton † (W)  
 Ken Hooper (W)  
 Noel Kershaw (W)  
 John Margetts (W)  
 Keith Medford (W)  
 Derek Miller † (W)  
 Hugh Richmond (W)  
 Martin Squire (W)  
 Terry Wheeler (W)

**1956**

David Arrandale (W)  
 David Brandwood (N)  
 Michael Checkland (W)  
 Bernard Colyer (W)  
 Cliff Davies † (W)  
 John Davison (W)  
 James Douglas (N)  
 John Ducker (N)  
 Alan Farquharson (W)  
 Terence Greany (W)  
 Jeremy Hamand (W)  
 Gerald Hare (W)  
 John Hawes (W)

Peter Hole (W)  
 Haydn Jones † (W)  
 Tony Lydon (W)  
 Peter Meanley (W)  
 Robin Miller (W)  
 David Mills (W)  
 Jon Rayman (N)  
 Martin Read (N)  
 Alan Robinson (W)  
 Peter Sanders CBE (W)  
 Edward Tribe (W)  
 Tony Twigger (W)  
 Christopher Tyack (W)  
 Ian Vellins (W)  
 Patrick Woodrow (W)

**1957**

Anonymous (W)  
 Julian Anderson (W)  
 John Collins (W)  
 James Cornish (W)  
 Peter Craven (W)  
 Ian Crawford (W)  
 Jim Ducker (W)  
 Arthur Dyball (W)  
 Thomas Gelehrter (N)  
 Richard Hinchliffe (W)  
 Roger Keys (W)  
 Marcus Lofting (W)  
 Arthur Lowthian (W)  
 Tony Macro (W)  
 Roland Miller (W)  
 Michael Putin (W)  
 Clive Robertson (W)  
 Sir Christopher Rose (W)  
 Roger Simpson (W)  
 David Tatham (W)  
 David Taylor (W)  
 Martin Warner (W)  
 Richard Watts (W)

**1958**

Anonymous (W)  
 Alan Blaikley (W)  
 Robert Bomford (W)  
 John Bonnycastle (N)  
 Howard Burchell (W)  
 David Cronin (W)  
 Michael Goddard (N)  
 Edward Hudson (N)  
 Barrie Jacobs (W)  
 Owen Johnson (N)  
 Brian Jones (W)  
 Ron Ledgard (W)  
 Robert Mais † (W)  
 David Mannion (W)  
 Roger Pritchard (W)  
 Lance Reynolds (N)  
 John Rhind (W)  
 David Walker (W)  
 Tito Williams (W)  
 Colin Wilsdon (W)  
 Thomas Wiseman (W)

**1959**

Anonymous (W)  
 Nicholas Barber CBE (N)  
 Philip Barnard (W)  
 Peter Bird (W)  
 John Blease (W)  
 Duncan Bythell (W)  
 Mike Clapham (W)  
 Michael Guy (W)  
 Jeffrey Hackney (W)  
 Richard Hobbs (W)  
 Richard Hollinshead (W)  
 Derek Lea (W)  
 John Lee (W)  
 Tom Lyon (N)  
 Michael Montgomery (W)  
 Christian Puritz (W)  
 Peter Rhodes (W)  
 Andrew Thomson (W)

Richard Turner (W)  
 David Williams (W)

**1960**

Anwar Akbar (W)  
 Michael Allen (W)  
 David Barnard (W)  
 Sir David Blatherwick OBE (W)  
 Lindsay Brook † (W)  
 Anthony Burton (W)  
 Brian Cove (W)  
 Mike Davenhill (N)  
 Stuart England (W)  
 Paul Fox (N)  
 Neil Gerrard (W)  
 Dermot MacDermott (W)  
 David Manners (W)  
 Stephen Mawson (N)  
 Jon McLin (W)  
 Paul Mordin (W)  
 Jonathan Persse (W)  
 Gordon Phillips (N)  
 Nicholas Rau (W)  
 Joseph Riley (W)  
 David Stanbury (W)  
 David Tall (W)  
 Richard Thwaites (W)  
 Jim Tomlinson (N)  
 Mark Weston (N)

**1961**

Rod Bayliss (W)  
 Adrian Benjamin (W)  
 Sir Frank Berman (D)  
 Lloyd Bircher (W)  
 Francis Carpenter (D)  
 David Cast (W)  
 Bob Coursey (W)  
 Martin Cropp (W)  
 David Dare (W)  
 The Right Hon The Lord Dyson (W)

Sir Roderick Floud (W)  
 Robin French (W)  
 Humphrey Graham (W)  
 Roger Heath (W)  
 David Ingles (W)  
 Dai Jenkins (W)  
 Nick Kuenssberg OBE (N)  
 Jeffrey Lee (W)  
 Andy Littlejones (W)  
 Richard Maber (W)  
 Peter McNeill (W)  
 Alan Petty (W)  
 Alan Poletti (W)  
 Tony Rawsthorne (W)  
 David Robbins (W)  
 Brian Rosen (W)  
 Neil Sanders (W)  
 Ian Standen (W)  
 Christopher Wilcox (W)  
 Vernon Wong (W)

**1962**

Jonathan Atkinson (W)  
 Julian Booth (W)  
 Paul Bowen (N)  
 James Bretherton (W)  
 Louis Cohen (W)  
 Stuart Cohn (W)  
 Ed Durbin (W)  
 George Dyson (W)  
 Christopher Gear (W)  
 Paddy Grafton-Green (W)  
 Wal Gray (W)  
 Peter Griffin (W)  
 John Griffiths (W)  
 Paul Harris (N)  
 David Jay (W)  
 Barry Kidson (N)  
 David May (W)  
 Peter McClintock (W)  
 Bob Miller (W)  
 Alan Murphy (W)  
 Simon Nicholson (W)



Robert Padgett (N)  
 Michael Peagram  
 John Preston (W)  
 Ian Ramsay (W)  
 John Rich (W)  
 Michael Roebuck (W)  
 Tony Seaton  
 Rodney Sharp (W)  
 Ronnie Stewart (D)  
 Christopher Sugg (W)  
 Mike Weston (W)

**1963**

Anonymous (W)  
 Roger Allen (W)  
 Peter Anderson (W)  
 William Brown CBE (W)  
 Bill Butler (W)  
 Derek Cannon (W)  
 Wellington Chan  
 Tony Denny (N)  
 Michael Eastwood (W)  
 Alec Fisher (W)  
 Haydn Gott (W)  
 Robin Harris (W)  
 John Hicks (W)  
 Robin Hiscock (W)  
 Roger Hopson (W)  
 Stephen Houghton (W)  
 Ralph Jones (W)  
 Hugh Kolb (N)  
 Roy Lockett (W)  
 Peter Maybury (W)  
 Anthony Mellor-Stapelberg (W)  
 Ian Miller (W)  
 Patrick Mitchell (N)  
 Clive Newton (W)  
 John Rayman (N)  
 Joe Romig (N)  
 Allan Salem (W)  
 Christopher Saunders (W)  
 Neil Sullivan (W)  
 Lawrence Waggoner

Paul Wilkinson (W)  
 Peter Williams (W)  
 Graham Wilson (N)

**1964**

Anonymous (W)  
 Ian Boag (W)  
 Andrew Boyd (W)  
 David Burns (W)  
 Anthony Cullis (W)  
 Richard Denning (W)  
 Martin Gardham (W)  
 John Harley (W)  
 Alan Jackson (W)  
 David Jordan (W)  
 Michael Lake  
 Paul Lebwohl  
 Robert Littman (W)  
 Roger Morgan (W)  
 Neville Pressley (W)  
 Peter Quint (W)  
 Chris Riley (W)  
 John Simms (N)  
 Roger Smith (W)  
 Warren Snowdon (W)  
 Dick Tappin (W)  
 Nigel Tricker (N)  
 Chris Vincent  
 Philip Waller  
 Christopher Wathen (W)

**1965**

Austin Allison (W)  
 Anthony Birch (W)  
 Danby Bloch (W)  
 Michael Chapman (W)  
 Terence Cole (W)  
 Stephen Constantine (W)  
 Guy Goodwin-Gill (W)  
 Tony Haws (W)  
 Walter Hooper (W)  
 Raymond Howard (N)

Graham Jenkin (W)  
 Peter Kilty  
 John Luetchford (N)  
 Charles Lynch (W)  
 Tony Morgan (W)  
 Andrew Napier (W)  
 Michael O'Connell  
 Christopher Payne (W)  
 Michael Rosen (W)  
 Peter Tanfield (W)  
 Andrew Tylecote (W)  
 Paul White (W)  
 Daryl Williams AM QC (N)

**1966**

Neil Ashley (W)  
 Andrew Bisset (N)  
 John Blanchard (W)  
 Tim Brydges  
 Piers Burton-Page (W)  
 Robert Easting (W)  
 John Eyles (W)  
 Bob Fryer CBE (W)  
 David Halle (W)  
 Brian Jewitt (W)  
 John Kernthaler (W)  
 Richard Lee (W)  
 Bill Manville (W)  
 John May (W)  
 John Milman (W)  
 Jamie Mortimer (W)  
 Martin Pixton (N)  
 Bryan Riddleston  
 Vaughan Schofield (W)  
 Nick Sharp (W)  
 Andrew Smith (W)  
 Robert Tack (W)  
 Bill Tromans (W)  
 Roger Tyler (W)  
 Hugh Vinter

**1967**

Tom Allen (W)  
 Neil Athey  
 Tony Drake (N)  
 Peter Duncan (W)  
 Robert Evans (W)  
 Nick Finn (W)  
 David Gilliver (N)  
 David Gough (W)  
 Robert Hazell CBE (W)  
 Andy Hodson  
 Russell Jackson (W)  
 Andrew Kemble (W)  
 Dave Livingstone (W)  
 Peter Lofthouse (W)  
 Christopher Major (W)  
 Sir James Munby (D)  
 Paul Percival (W)  
 Charles Pope (W)  
 John Rhodes (W)  
 Geoffrey Riggs  
 Christopher Robson (W)  
 Alan Stanton (W)  
 John Stephenson (W)  
 Charles Stuart (W)  
 Chris Swinson (N)  
 Clive Syddall (W)  
 Paul Tofts (W)  
 Robert Wagstaff (W)  
 Michael Wills (W)  
 Michael Wood (W)

**1968**

Anonymous (W)  
 Anthony Barton (W)  
 Michael Bishopp (N)  
 Roderick Boucher (W)  
 Richard Chapman (N)  
 Richard Cranage (W)  
 Simon Duff (W)  
 David Evans (W)  
 Keith Evans (W)

John Gutteridge (W)  
 John Hall (W)  
 Robert Ham (D)  
 Clive Jones (W)  
 John Justice (W)  
 John Kendall (W)  
 Charles Kernthaler (W)  
 Chris Keyworth (W)  
 Benedict McHugo (N)  
 Peter Milliken (W)  
 Ian Mitchell (W)  
 Fred Ris (N)  
 Peter Saunders (W)  
 Randal Scott (W)  
 Martin Slater (W)  
 Graham Smith (W)  
 Roger Stead (W)  
 Neil Straker (W)  
 Norman Vance (N)  
 Carmichael Wallace (D)

**1969**

Stephen Brier (W)  
 John Carr (W)  
 Stephen Chance (W)  
 Meredith Coombs (W)  
 Bob Dinnage (W)  
 Colin Drummond OBE (W)  
 Hugh Dyson (W)  
 Danny Evans (W)  
 John Gayler (W)  
 Tony Halmos (N)  
 John Harding (W)  
 Marc Lackritz  
 Donald Mastronarde (W)  
 Roger McCormick (W)  
 Peter McLardy-Smith (W)  
 Timothy Millett (W)  
 John Robertson (W)  
 Jonathan Trouncer (W)  
 Roger Undy (W)  
 David Usherwood (W)

**1970**

Anonymous (2) (W)  
 Nick Benbow (D)  
 Joost Blom (W)  
 David Brett (N)  
 Ian Cooper (N)  
 Keith Elmitt  
 David Essex (W)  
 John Gilbert (W)  
 Richard Golding (D)  
 Robert Good (W)  
 Derek Green (W)  
 Judge Michael Hopmeier (W)  
 William Hurley (W)  
 Brian Kemble (W)  
 Scott Kennedy  
 Tony Laird (W)  
 Michael Lyons (W)  
 Bill Muir (W)  
 Ian Porter (W)  
 Nigel Roberts (W)  
 Graham White (W)  
 Stephen White (W)  
 Richard Whiting (W)

**1971**

Neil Beatham (W)  
 Francis Blake (W)  
 Bruce Burke (N)  
 Brice Dickson (W)  
 Geoff Green (W)  
 Julius Grey  
 Patrick Hamlin  
 Michael Harper (W)  
 Tom Heinersdorff (W)  
 Richard Hopgood (W)  
 Grahame Isard (W)  
 Mick Johnson (W)  
 Alasdair Locke (D)  
 Peter Lowndes (W)  
 The Rt Hon Lord Menzies (W)  
 William Mutch (W)  
 Sir Richard Pelly Bt (W)

Malcolm Shaw (W)  
 Angus Simmons  
 Richard Tapper (W)  
 Ioan Thomas (W)  
 Protase Tinkatumire (W)  
 Russell Wallman (W)  
 Alan Willmott (W)

**1972**

Anonymous (W)  
 Richard Bain (W)  
 Clive Dickinson (W)  
 Bruce Eddy (N)  
 Jon Erichsen (W)  
 Richard Hobson (W)  
 Nick Jackson (W)  
 Paul Judge (W)  
 Nick Kotch (W)  
 Brook Manville (W)  
 Andrew Murray (W)  
 Boyd Roberts  
 Mark Sheldon (W)  
 Brian Sutton (W)  
 Rodney Taylor (W)  
 Raymond Twohig (W)  
 Robert Wallace (W)  
 Daniel Wallis  
 Philippa Whittaker (W)

**1973**

Anonymous (N)  
 Iain Bruce (W)  
 Trevor Burgess (N)  
 Rory Coonan (N)  
 Alan Evans (W)  
 Michael Foster (W)  
 William Gatens (W)  
 John Holden (W)  
 Brian Holland (W)  
 Sir Tim Holroyde (W)  
 David Howe (W)  
 Michael Kerin (W)  
 Mike Lazar (W)

John Mitchell (W)  
 John Moore (W)  
 Andrew Nairne (W)  
 Graeme Proudler (W)  
 Stuart Smith (W)  
 Nigel Stenning (W)  
 Stephen Stow (D)  
 Fred Wiener (W)  
 David Wills (W)  
 Charles Winnington-Ingram

**1974**

Anonymous (W)  
 Jim Adams (W)  
 Peter Bolwell (W)  
 Justin Crawford (W)  
 Julie Curtis (W)  
 Sue Cutler (N)  
 Paul Daniels (W)  
 Hilary Davies (W)  
 David Delahunty (W)  
 Christine Galitzine (W)  
 Eric Gertner (W)  
 Tony Grundy (D)  
 Paul Harding (W)  
 Alexy Holden (W)  
 Adrian Hughes (W)  
 Mark Keville (W)  
 Tim Keyes (W)  
 Edward Koroway (W)  
 Tatiana Kruse  
 Damian O'Malley (W)  
 Nicky Pinkney (W)  
 Colin Reed (W)  
 Jonathan Roe (W)  
 Paul Smee (N)  
 Bill Sooby (W)  
 Richard Tibbetts (W)  
 David Velleman (W)  
 Mike Warne (W)  
 Stephen White (N)  
 Roger Whittaker  
 Roy Wikramaratna (W)

**1975**

Ian Alexander (W)  
 Jan Blustein (W)  
 Stephen Brown  
 Jo Catling (W)  
 Nicolette Collins (W)  
 Simon Cornwell (W)  
 Dick Fallon (W)  
 Douglas French (N)  
 Fenella Gentleman (W)  
 Ann Graves-Smith (N)  
 Richard Ham (W)  
 Alison Harding (W)  
 Sally Harlow (W)  
 Lady Holroyde (W)  
 Timothy Jennings (W)  
 Philip Kay (W)  
 Mary Kennedy (W)  
 Mary Anne Keyes (W)  
 Peter Lennon (W)  
 Diana Lewis (W)  
 Jonathan Lewis (W)  
 Stephen MacFarlane  
 Peter McQuibban (W)  
 Richard Millington  
 Jacqueline O'Rourke (W)  
 Linda Rand (W)  
 Robert Searby (W)  
 Hazel Summerfield (W)  
 Carole Thomas (W)  
 Simon Williams (W)  
 Caroline Wilson  
 Claire Woods (W)

**1976**

Anonymous (W)  
 Tot Barling  
 Madelyn Dakeyne (W)  
 Ann Hackney (W)  
 Nigel Howes (W)  
 Sam Howison (W)  
 Rodney Hughes (W)

Kathleen Hunzicker  
 Christopher Janus (W)  
 Tim Jones (D)  
 Carol Lee (N)  
 Judge John Lodge (W)  
 Louise Meltzer (W)  
 Roger Mosey (N)  
 Jim Murray (N)  
 Hayden Pelliccia (W)  
 Simon Smith (W)  
 Sian Stickings (W)  
 Kathleen Sullivan (D)  
 Sarah Taylor (N)  
 Alistair Wilson (N)  
 Jane Wonnacott (W)

**1977**

Anonymous  
 Anonymous (2) (W)  
 Judith Alfrey (W)  
 Stephen Ashley (W)  
 Anna Barnett (W)  
 Madeleine Birch (W)  
 Fiona Bottomley (W)  
 David Cooper (W)  
 Sara Dumont (W)  
 Emma Duncan  
 Alison Ernoul (W)  
 Flora Fraser (N)  
 Neil Griffiths (N)  
 Ray Harris (W)  
 Nick Hodgson (W)  
 Devorah Karp  
 William Kerr  
 Simon Kershaw (W)  
 Lucy Maxwell Scott  
 Alyson Mitchell (W)  
 Andrew Mitchell (W)  
 Phil Murray (W)  
 Lissa Muscatine (D)  
 Charles Nockold (W)  
 Julian Pallett (N)  
 Nigel Perkins (W)

Kevin Rutledge (W)  
 Kevin Ryall (W)  
 Richard Senior (W)  
 Jill Staite (W)  
 Alison Talbert (W)  
 Frances Vere Hodge (W)  
 James Warlick  
 Maggie Watson (W)  
 Alan Wilcock  
 Deborah Williams (W)  
 Russell Willmer (N)

**1978**

Paul Baker (N)  
 Chris Banks (W)  
 Perry Bayliss (W)  
 John Branford (W)  
 Bob Claridge  
 Gillian Clarke (W)  
 Maddy Coelho (W)  
 Liz Comstock-Smith (W)  
 Alastair Gilroy (W)  
 Fred Hansford (W)  
 Michael Howarth (W)  
 Stephen Kershaw CBE (W)  
 Jennie Kiesling (W)  
 Nick Kirkbride (W)  
 Alison Kukla (W)  
 Martin Kukla (W)  
 Peter Law (W)  
 Steve Ledsham (W)  
 Pam Murphy (W)  
 Virginia Niebuhr  
 Hugh Pope (W)  
 Jane Powell (W)  
 Mark Schrager  
 Margaret Styles (W)  
 David Thomas QC (W)  
 Derek Todd (W)  
 Ann Tonks (W)  
 Philip Tranter (W)  
 Julian Watson (W)  
 Lorna Watson (W)

**1979**

Bill Andrew (W)  
 Barbara Armstrong (W)  
 Nicholas Armstrong (W)  
 Wendy Baskett (W)  
 Rose Bentley (W)  
 Matthew Bond (W)  
 Lindsey Charles (W)  
 Celia Collins (W)  
 Scheherazade Daneshkhu (W)  
 Toby Darling (W)  
 Anne Deering (W)  
 Ann Dowker (W)  
 Matthew Frost (W)  
 Frank Gent (W)  
 Jimmy Gibson (N)  
 Nicholas Hay (W)  
 Ross Hutchison (D)  
 Mimi Kramer-Bryk  
 Angela Lord (W)  
 Adrian Manley (W)  
 Julia Manley (W)  
 Dame Juliet May (W)  
 Simon Minta (W)  
 Edwin Mok (D)  
 Paul Mountain (W)  
 Timothy Nichol (W)  
 Neil Nightingale (W)  
 Heather Noel-Smith (W)  
 Tony Pinkney (W)  
 Nigel Pond (D)  
 Louis Rogers  
 Geoffrey Rousell (W)  
 Mary Ann Sieghart (W)  
 Chris Taylor (D)  
 Richard Warner (W)  
 Rebecca West (W)  
 Wendy Wu (D)

**1980**

David Alterman (W)  
 Trevor Billard (W)  
 Karen Brown (W)

Martin Conway	(W)	Michael Robinson	(W)	Pete Stanton	(W)
Julian Coulter	(W)	Helen Shorey	(W)	Hatty Sumption	(D)
Warren East CBE	(D)	David Slaney	(W)	Mike Watts	(W)
Andrew Fabian	(N)	Lesley Stanley	(W)	George Wood	(W)
Chris Farey	(W)	Gavin Stewart	(W)		
Robin Gable	(W)	Jim Taylor	(W)	<b>1983</b>	
Nick Garner	(W)	Ian Tompkins	(W)	Anonymous	(W)
Robert Gibber	(N)	Richard Tossell	(W)	Refaat Ahmed	(W)
Kathy Hamilton	(W)	Francesca Vanke	(W)	David Alcock	(W)
Peter Hamilton	(W)	Neville Varnham	(W)	Jacqueline Alderton	(W)
Ben Harris	(W)	Michael Venables	(W)	Ronnie Barnes	(N)
Camilla Hillier-Fry	(W)	Nicola Wadham	(W)	Liz Boulton	(W)
Nigel Holmes	(W)	Tom Warner	(W)	James Brown	(W)
Andrew Jarman	(W)	Sue Willman	(W)	David Chivers	(W)
David Jockel	(W)	Rob Young	(W)	David Collett	(W)
John McCall MacBain OC	(D)			Patrick Costello-Jones	(W)
Mary Molyneux	(W)	<b>1982</b>		David Duncombe	
Charles Money-Kyrle	(W)	Anonymous	(W)	Fiona Erleigh	(W)
David Moulton	(W)	Mark Aitman	(W)	Richard Grime	
Colin Ready	(W)	Jill Barnett	(W)	Mike Hollands	(N)
Christopher Robinson	(W)	John Board	(W)	Nicki Humble	(W)
Peter Shave	(W)	Helen Bridger	(W)	Isobel Lee	
Malcolm Smith	(W)	Michael Butlin	(W)	Jane Leech	(D)
Chris Sutton	(W)	Iain Carruthers	(W)	Patrick Marber	(W)
Michael Swarbrick	(W)	Catherine Comiskey	(W)	Melanie Mauthner	(W)
Jane Wilson	(W)	Annie Devoy	(N)	Simon McGrath	(W)
		James Dickson	(W)	Sue McKenzie	(W)
<b>1981</b>		Mike Duffy	(N)	Francis McLoughlin	(W)
Anonymous	(W)	Andrew Eady	(N)	Neil Mirchandani	(N)
Caroline Collett	(W)	Mitch Edwards		Adrian Parsons	(W)
Ian Dawson	(N)	Duncan Enright	(W)	Richard Phillips	(W)
Amanda East	(D)	Alex Fabian	(N)	Geoff Pownall	(W)
Yasmin Fitzpatrick	(W)	Lucy Gable	(W)	Jeremy Seligman	(W)
Annie Gammon	(W)	Alan Graham	(W)	Thomas Sherry	(W)
John Haynes	(W)	Charalee Graydon	(W)	Ashley Tatham	(W)
Phillipa Houldcroft	(W)	Tom Leech	(D)	James Tayler	(W)
David Howell †		Frances Macintosh	(W)	Robert Welding	(W)
Sian Jarman	(W)	Diana McMahon	(W)		
Blythe Marston		Tony Metzer	(W)	<b>1984</b>	
Iain McKendrick	(W)	Nerys Owen	(W)	Anonymous	(W)
Christian Perring	(W)	Rhian Pritchard	(W)	Shaun Abbott	
Nick Rees	(D)	Jenny Putin	(W)	Tim Armitage	(W)
Kathryn Rhodes		Helen Slater		Joel Bell	

Saira Bloomfield	(W)	Michael Coleman	(W)	David Loukidelis	(W)
Tom Breslin	(N)	Mark Conway	(W)	Lindsay Middleton-Scarr	(W)
Andrew Clark	(N)	Pearl Eliadis	(N)	Dave Mulligan	(W)
Jim Congleton		Sarah Gibbs	(W)	Andrew Palfreyman	(W)
Penelope Cream	(W)	Sophie Hambleton	(W)	John Patterson	(W)
Christine Dale	(W)	Bethan Harris	(W)	Phillipp Schofield	(W)
Madeleine Dobie		Martin Harris	(N)	Peter Sellick	
Eiry Edmunds	(W)	Margaret Haynes	(W)	Misha Shukov	(W)
Richard Grigson	(D)	Lyn Heiming		Evan Siemann	(W)
Stephen Hamilton	(W)	Katharine Henson	(N)	Phil Smyth	(W)
Simon Hayley		Alex Ip	(N)	Paul Snape	(W)
Almut Hintze	(W)	Christopher Kimpton	(W)	Mark Taylor	(W)
Ian Hyde	(W)	Caroline Lanskey	(W)	Ella Wong	(D)
Nigel Jones	(W)	Sarah Lee	(W)	Yasmeen Zafar	(W)
Rosalie Jukier		Mohan Manuel	(N)		
Rob Lane	(W)	Frances McLeod	(N)	<b>1987</b>	
Alan Layng	(D)	Ben Meisner	(W)	Camilla Barry	(N)
Robin Lowe	(N)	Simon Milner	(D)	Fred Berry	(W)
Anne McElvoy	(W)	Catherine Moss	(N)	Diana Blease	(W)
Nick McNulty	(W)	Judith Murray	(W)	Luke Browne	(W)
Caroline Milner		Erol Mustafa	(D)	Johnny Cheung	(D)
Diana Mountain	(W)	Maurice Ostro OBE KFO	(D)	Philip Crispin	(W)
Sally Partridge	(W)	Stephen Reade	(D)	Lynne Davies	(W)
Ted Paterson	(W)	Richard Roberts	(W)	Allen Fung	(D)
Robert Plant	(W)	Nina Sage		Helen Gower	(W)
Sara Rumberg		Gill Shepherd	(W)	Catherine Grout	(W)
Jo Sidhu	(W)	Jonathan Teasdale	(N)	Laura Hammond	(W)
Tom Solomon	(W)	Prashant Vaze	(W)	Jim Hanson	
Mark Steele	(W)			Roger Highton	(W)
Anka Taylor	(W)	<b>1986</b>		Viet Ho	
Robin Tucker		Anonymous	(W)	Martin Hogg	(N)
David Turnbull	(W)	Malcolm Beattie	(W)	Sarah Huline-Dickens	(W)
Simon Wain	(W)	John Benson	(W)	Simon Jackson	(W)
Giles Whitefield	(W)	Andrea Connell	(W)	James Johnson	(W)
Robert Yalden	(N)	Sassan Danesh	(W)	Brian McKenna	(W)
Beyla Ziv-Guest	(D)	James Gordon		Helen Mungeam	(W)
		Janet Gough		Stephanie Pearl	(W)
<b>1985</b>		Stephen Grey	(W)	Juliet Pickering	(W)
Anonymous		Nick Haining	(W)	Richard Plaskett	(N)
Jason Andrews		Leigh Hopkins	(N)	Jonathan Pownall	(W)
Steve Bellamy	(W)	Sean Jensen	(W)	Martin Reid	(W)
Tony Brennan	(W)	Stella Job	(W)	David Rymill	(W)
Chun Tung Chou		Wendy Light	(W)	Heidi Slater	(W)



Steve Smith (W)  
Adrian Whittington (W)

**1988**

Gareth Boyd (W)  
Jon Bradshaw (W)  
Nick Bullock (W)  
Jack Callaway (D)  
Chrissie Charvill (W)  
Sian de Koster (W)  
Elizabeth Denton (W)  
Paul Delve (W)  
Christian Dickson  
Daniel Elger (W)  
Hywel Evans (N)  
Jim Fowler (W)  
David Garvie (W)  
Justin Gerlach (W)  
Christopher Greenshields (W)  
Jenny Greenshields (W)  
Katherine Ibbotson (W)  
Jeff Kemp (W)  
Rupert Lewis (W)  
Tapas Maiti (W)  
Anna Myat (W)  
Jeff Papps  
James Peggie (W)  
Simon Perkins (W)  
Lucy Pitman (W)  
Nick South (W)  
Jonathan Spottiswoode (W)  
Richard Standen (W)  
Jennifer Wright (W)  
Jonathan Wright (W)

**1989**

Michael Badman  
Helen Beetham (W)  
Georgia Birri (W)  
John Buckley (W)  
James Clark (W)  
Gervase Clifton-Bligh (W)  
Chris Dettmar (W)

Manoj Duraisingh (W)  
Lucy Floyd (W)  
Neil Forrester (W)  
Lindsay Griffiths (W)  
Alan Gutteridge (W)  
Lilah Holywell (W)  
Nasser Khasawneh (W)  
Mark Kimber (W)  
Mo Kingston (W)  
Christine Lo (N)  
Brian Mackenzie (W)  
Jonathan Martin (W)  
Martin McManus (W)  
Bernadette Newton (W)  
Julia Powles (W)  
Mike Rogers (W)  
Miriam Shea (W)  
Jonathan Snary (W)  
Anthony Steed (W)  
Martin Turnidge (W)  
Mike Williams (N)  
Woon Kwong Wong  
Nik Yeo (N)

**1990**

Rory Barnett (W)  
Kevin Benson (W)  
Bruce Blythe (W)  
Kimberly Bolin (W)  
Tim Bruce (W)  
Lisa Carden (W)  
Corinne Dickson  
Dave Dudding (D)  
Liz Duraisingh  
Tony Evans (W)  
Sarah Floud (W)  
David Fox (W)  
Roger Gillott (W)  
Paul Griffiths (W)  
Emily Hamilton (W)  
Jason Homewood (W)  
John Howie (W)  
Manar Hussain (W)

Ursula Johnson (W)  
Simon Kan (N)  
Warwick Mansell (W)  
Chris Norris (W)  
Rob Smith (W)  
Rosemary Staniforth (W)  
Emma Taylor (W)  
Rosalind Wynne-Jones (W)

**1991**

Anonymous  
Anonymous (2) (W)  
Elizabeth Akwa (W)  
Sarah Balaam (W)  
Theo Blackwell (W)  
Patrick Boylan (W)  
Alex Campbell (N)  
Ben Dulieu (D)  
Jeremy Evans (W)  
Charlotte Giller  
Catherine Heath  
Douglas Hird (W)  
Cedric Hui (W)  
Matt Jameson-Evans (W)  
David Lea (W)  
Robert Lees (W)  
Mark Lindridge (W)  
Samantha Lund (W)  
Liza Marshall (W)  
Nicholas Oakeshott (W)  
Sarah Phillips (W)  
Nick Rosenblatt (W)  
Jeremiah Telzrow (W)  
Richard Van Velp Fernand (W)  
Edward Warrington (W)  
Robert Watson

**1992**

Anonymous (2) (W)  
Nick Adams  
Stefan Bainbridge  
Johanna Bruce (W)  
Yvonne Cheang (N)

Michael Collins (W)  
Susan Currie (W)  
Simon Davies (W)  
Neil Downey (W)  
Phillip Edwards (W)  
Phillip Escott (W)  
Lisa Fairbank  
Ramona Fotiade (W)  
Chris Hardingham (W)  
Kieran Hendrick (W)  
Stephen Henighan (W)  
Mark Henley (W)  
Ronit Kreisberger  
Wilson Kwok (N)  
Matthew Lacey (W)  
Toby Lawton (W)  
Ben Levitas (W)  
Gareth Lewis  
Claire McCann (W)  
David McQueen  
Fenella McVey (W)  
David Porter (W)  
Nailesh Rambhai (W)  
Steve Rayner (W)  
Sheila Reeve  
Julian Smith (W)  
Lara Symons (W)  
Margaret Tongue (W)  
Paul Tunnah (W)  
Ian Turner  
Elizabeth Walsh (W)  
Sean Walsh (W)  
Matt Westby (W)  
Graham Zebedee (W)

**1993**

Sameena Akbar (W)  
James Atkinson (W)  
Guy Barton (W)  
Kath Barton (W)  
Tihana Bicanic (W)  
Charlotte Bigland (W)  
Joshua Carritt-Baker (W)

Mark Cundy (W)  
Bronwyn Donne (W)  
William Doo Jr (D)  
Bill Gallafent  
Jane Griffiths  
Fiona Harford-Cross (W)  
Rex Liu  
Ben Longman (W)  
Pam McElwee  
Martin Perrie (W)  
Shyam Prasad (W)  
Dan Rolfe (W)  
Helen Salter (W)  
David Scarr (W)  
Fiona Schaeffer (N)  
Tim Spence (W)  
Eric Strauss (N)  
Andrew Thomas  
Emma Wahlen (W)

**1994**

Anonymous (2) (W)  
Ben Blanchard (W)  
Dan Butt (W)  
James Chan (W)  
Maria Coyle (W)  
Francesca Galligan (W)  
Paul Gravett (W)  
Robin Houston (W)  
Reza Jafari  
Simon James  
Andrew Jeffs (W)  
Mike Jewell (W)  
Jonas Jølle (W)  
Anna Labrom (W)  
Cecilia Lai (W)  
Tim Leaver (W)  
Pete Mason (D)  
Peter May (W)  
Kate Moss Gamblin  
Tim Nash (W)  
James Rennard (W)  
Adam Russell (W)

Alexandra Skevington (W)  
Richard Skevington (W)  
Ronald Sujithan  
Ian Van Every (W)  
Emma Vanter  
Rory Vaughan (W)  
Andy Weaver (W)  
Emma Whitehead (W)  
William Wong (D)

**1995**

Anonymous (2) (W)  
Raju Adhikari (W)  
Helen Armitage (W)  
Sajid Ashak (W)  
Nick Clarke (W)  
Shelley Cook (W)  
Justin Faiz (W)  
Macha Farrant (W)  
Gareth Forbes (W)  
Kathryn Green (W)  
Simon Green (W)  
Mathew Gullick (W)  
Sally Hepburn (W)  
Katherine Holt (W)  
Karl Horvath (W)  
Chris Hui (W)  
Liz Jaggs (W)  
Helen Jewell  
Janan Kanagaratnam (W)  
Thomas Karshan (W)  
Samir Maha (W)  
Mark McGaw (W)  
Suzy McKeever (W)  
Darrell Miller (W)  
Caroline Moore (W)  
Stephen Moses (W)  
Paul Newbon (W)  
Jon Perry (W)  
Weyinmi Popo (W)  
Andrew Ramsay (W)  
James Ross (W)  
Richard Short (W)

Alastair Stark (N)  
Georgina Taylor (W)  
Claire Williams (W)

**1996**

Anonymous (W)  
Tolan Abbott (W)  
Toby Allen  
Helen Boyd (W)  
Catherine Flood (W)  
Grethe Foss  
Nathalie Fraser (W)  
Alexandros Gavrielides  
Simon Greaves (W)  
Lala Gregorek (W)  
Nish Guha (W)  
Jonathan Hargreaves (W)  
Jana Hermon (W)  
Claire Jordan  
Hilda Lai (N)  
Pamela Marin (W)  
Clare McGovern (W)  
Neil Murphy (W)  
Sergey Naraevsky (W)  
Jane Osborne (W)  
Victoria Panayi (W)  
Anna Ross (W)  
Paul Salter (W)  
Louise Scarr (W)  
Henry Scowcroft (W)  
Susanna Seymour (W)  
Matthew Smalley (W)  
Helen Stewart (W)  
Martin Tisné (D)

**1997**

Alana Baily (W)  
Michael Bates  
Michael Brockhurst (W)  
Nick Chapman (N)  
Anna Clifton (W)  
Ciara Fairley (W)  
Sophie Guthrie Kummer (W)

Daniel Harrison (W)  
Claire Holland (W)  
Dimitri Mavrellos (W)  
Eric Nakano (W)  
Claire Osborne (W)  
Matt Pound (W)  
Joyah Pugh  
Katie Riley (W)  
Gareth Roberts (W)  
Deborah Rogan  
Caitlin Russell (W)  
Joe Suddaby (N)  
Paul Summers (W)  
Beth Truesdale (W)  
Stephen Wright (W)

**1998**

Anonymous (2) (W)  
Abby Ajayi (W)  
Anna Austin (W)  
Joanne Barnes (W)  
Tom Daniel (W)  
Deji Davies (W)  
Rebecca Gray (W)  
James Hargreaves (W)  
Caitlin Hughes (W)  
Emilie Isaacs (W)  
Siri Kusuwan (D)  
Simon Lang (W)  
Daniel Laqua (W)  
Matt Lenczner (N)  
Vivek Mahtani (N)  
Henry Miller (W)  
Andy Mitchell (W)  
Brendan O'Grady (W)  
Yinka Oyinloye (W)  
Holly Pattenden (W)  
Anna Rissen (W)  
Ilona Roberts (W)  
Salman Rogers (W)  
Andrew Shore (W)  
Emily Smith (W)

**1999**

Anonymous (W)  
Sarah Armstrong  
Daniela Cammack  
Stephen Chan (W)  
Alex Clifton (W)  
Andrew Cotter (W)  
Simon Elliott (W)  
Adrian Ellis (W)  
Sian Fogden (W)  
Sarah Gatehouse (W)  
Steve Hamm (W)  
Alex Hammacher (W)  
Bethan Jones (W)  
George Lear  
Chris Lynch (W)  
Morgan Mirvis (W)  
Sylvie More  
Katherine Neale (W)  
Martin Oehmke (W)  
Tom Price (W)  
Lucy Robinson (W)  
Jojo Sanders (W)  
John Snelson (W)  
Eunice Tai  
Cate Taylor (W)  
Myfanwy Taylor (W)  
Steinar Vik (W)  
Victoria Wilcher (W)  
Helen Wood (W)

**2000**

Anonymous (2) (W)  
Paul Banham (W)  
Karishmah Bhuanee (W)  
Nick Britton (W)  
Ben Brown (W)  
Katharine Danks (W)  
Hugh Drummond (W)  
Catherine Dunford (W)  
Hannah Fletcher (W)  
Chris Hadley (W)

Hannah Jackson (W)  
Pavel Lerner (W)  
Katie Lightstone (W)  
David Lister  
Danica Lo  
Alexander Mahoney (W)  
Emily Mitchell (W)  
Nick Nelson (W)  
Rachel Nelson (W)  
Vincent Ng (W)  
Conor O'Neill (W)  
Helen Peach (W)  
Camilla Pierreport (W)  
Nathan Sansom  
Lee Simmonds (W)  
Robert Stafford (W)  
Adam Temple (W)  
Thomas Turner (W)  
Fiona Willis-Núñez (W)  
Aaron Pond (W)

**2001**

Anonymous (2) (W)  
Ed Bateman (W)  
Debashish Biswas (W)  
Tamara Cohen (W)  
Rebecca Crocker (W)  
Jennie Dickson (W)  
Mark Diffenthal (W)  
Jan Dusik  
Matt Easton (W)  
Simon Fok (W)  
Abby Green (W)  
Matthew Haworth (W)  
Kate Jones (W)  
Rachel Kapila (W)  
Jason Leech (W)  
Roger Milburn (W)  
Emily Morgan (W)  
Sachin Patel (W)  
William Singleton (W)  
Jonathan Sozek (W)

**2002**

Anonymous (W)  
Anonymous (W)  
Ollie Buckley  
Dan Burton (W)  
Becky Carlyle (W)  
Stephen Cho  
Paddy Clerkin (N)  
Alex Cooper (W)  
Sian Cox (W)  
Darron Cullen (W)  
Robert Davies (W)  
Zelia Gallo (W)  
Kathryn Gilbert (W)  
Rebecca Harries-Williams (W)  
Jenny Head (W)  
Roger Hewer-Candee (W)  
John Jenkins (W)  
Sarah Keighley (W)  
Dave King (W)  
Andrzej Korzeniowski (W)  
Trevor Leitch  
William Lindsay (W)  
Dave Lowe (N)  
Miranda Nash  
Olivia Potter (W)  
Sam Rowe (N)  
Gary Smith (N)  
Jenny Soderlind (W)  
Gerald Tan (W)  
Gemma Varley (W)  
Christopher Wilson (W)

**2003**

Anonymous (2)  
Anonymous (N)  
Anonymous (W)  
Mark Abrahamson (W)  
Alexandre-Philippe Avard  
Claire Bentley (W)  
Cassie Browne (W)  
Olek Gajowniczek (D)

Anna Groves-Kirkby (W)  
Katharine Handel (W)  
Joanna James (W)  
Jill Kavanagh (W)  
Elizabeth Kim  
Grace Le (W)  
Carrie Miskowska (W)  
Elaine Mok (W)  
Lucy Moore (W)  
Leon Pickering (W)  
Samantha Randall  
Tom Rayner (W)  
Katherine Robinson (W)  
Pax Sinsangkeo (W)  
James Talbot (N)  
Georgina Thomson (W)

**2004**

Anonymous (W)  
Kara Cox (W)  
Timothy du Sautoy (W)  
Richard Hammond (W)  
Bryn Harris (W)  
Christopher Howitt  
Samuel Kestner (W)  
Helene Lund Engebø (W)  
Francesca Nannetti (W)  
James Packer (W)  
Mary Packer (W)  
Simon Pugh (W)  
Jenny Reeves  
Marcie Reinhart  
Philip Rosenberg  
Mehmet Sanliol  
Steve Swinbank (W)  
Lucy Tanner (W)  
Anna Tobias (W)  
Olivia Vázquez-Medina (W)  
Johanna Whippen  
Paul Wikramaratna (W)

**2005**

Ann Bergin (W)  
 Simon Davenport (W)  
 Lauren Dingsdale (W)  
 Peter Handley  
 Barbara Jackson (W)  
 Ben Jasper (W)  
 Ben Maling (W)  
 Chris North (W)

Naomi Osorio-Kupferblum (W)  
 Joanna Perkins (W)  
 Andrew Prendergast (W)  
 Fiona Quinn  
 Thomas Rackham (W)  
 Paul Rode (W)  
 Simon Stoneham (W)  
 Edwin Thomas (W)  
 Lucy Ventress (W)  
 Robbie Watt (W)  
 Michael Wood (W)  
 Lan Wu (W)  
 Nigel Yong (W)  
 Helena Zaba (W)

**2006**

Anonymous (N)  
 Anonymous (2) (W)  
 Philippa Byrne (W)  
 Sally Caswell (W)  
 Ken Cheung  
 Rob Dixon (W)  
 Rose Drury (W)  
 Jack Flaherty (W)  
 Juergen Heeg (W)  
 Laurence Hunt (W)  
 David Hyman  
 Victoria Lupton (W)  
 Patrick Macfarlane (W)  
 Kristin Maffei (W)  
 Alastair Mitchell (W)  
 Charlie Nicholls (W)  
 Luke Peake (W)

Jack Ridley (W)  
 Daniel Rolle (W)  
 Sarah Smith (W)  
 Christopher Stylianou (W)  
 Andrew Taylor (W)  
 David Urry  
 Li-Yu Wang  
 Matt Williams (W)  
 Matthew Wise (W)

**2007**

Anonymous (3) (W)  
 Zoe Bellevue De Sylva (W)  
 Nick Chatrath (N)  
 Aleksander Chmielewski (W)  
 Tarun Dhillon  
 Sarah Duncan  
 Mike Edwards (W)  
 Rand Fakhoury (W)  
 Alistair Farley  
 Hannah Grayson (W)  
 Lewis Hart (W)  
 Tom Hickish (W)  
 Frederic Kalinke (W)  
 Matthew Kasoar  
 Chris McGurk (W)  
 James Neale (W)  
 Charlotte Nicholls (W)  
 Kelly O'Donnell  
 Andrew Oliver (W)  
 Madeleine Pullen (W)  
 Che Ramsden (W)  
 Nicole Redfern  
 Anna Rickman  
 Naomi Rippengale (W)  
 David Roberts (W)  
 Andrew Scott-Taggart (W)  
 Neal Shasore (W)  
 Jo Skapinker (W)  
 Helen Smith (W)

**2008**

Anonymous (W)  
 Becky Adamson (W)  
 Matthew Allen  
 Charles Atkinson (W)  
 Elizabeth Borrowdale-Cox (W)  
 Ben Bridgland (W)  
 Sam Brown (W)  
 Shantona Chaudhury (W)  
 Tom Crawford (W)  
 Michael Foote  
 Philippa Graham-Hibbs (W)  
 Aidan Grounds (W)  
 Georgiana Haig (W)  
 Alexandra Hamburger (W)  
 Graham Healy-Day (W)  
 Meriel Hodgson-Teall  
 Zul Idris (W)  
 Gabriel Lambert (W)  
 Alicia Lawson (W)  
 Agnes Meath Baker (W)  
 Joy Molyneaux (W)  
 Robert Murtagh (W)  
 Chisom Orji  
 Richard Pickering (W)  
 Maciej Pietrzak  
 Tim Poole (W)  
 John Reicher (W)  
 Frederic Serpoul  
 Edward Taylor (W)  
 Alice Thomas  
 Benjamin Waterhouse (W)  
 Myriam Yagoubi (W)

**2009**

Anonymous (4) (W)  
 Kathleen Bloomfield (W)  
 Lauren Chamberlain (W)  
 Tristan Dodson (W)  
 Alexander Fox (W)  
 Josh Gorman (W)  
 Michael Haggart (W)

Rachel Holdsworth (W)  
 Xueyuan Jiang (W)  
 James Kuht (W)  
 Meijia Ling (W)  
 Katrina Miller (W)  
 Hannah Nugent (W)  
 Chloe Orrock (W)  
 Catherine Rae (W)  
 Omar Salih (W)  
 Alex Sheppard (W)  
 Judith Smyth  
 Rosie Swaine  
 Hannah Tickle (W)  
 Zachary Tomlinson (W)  
 Jordan Watts (W)  
 Dominik Wild (W)  
 Christopher Wright (W)  
 Chenting Zou (W)

**2010**

Anonymous (W)  
 Leah Cooper (W)  
 Hayley Cowan (W)  
 Charles Davies  
 Edward Fauchon-Jones (W)  
 Joey Faulkner  
 James Fotherby (W)  
 Sarah Glatte (W)  
 Chethan Jayadev  
 Rachel Myers (W)  
 Marian Pavlus (W)  
 Laura Pond (W)  
 Sam Qiu  
 James Rothwell  
 Barbara Speed (W)  
 Richard Stewart (W)  
 Adam Harper (W)

**2011**

Anonymous  
 Anonymous (W)  
 Nicholas Buchan (W)  
 Amanda Buyan (W)

Thomas Clarke (W)  
 Kim Foott (W)  
 Vincent He (W)  
 Antoni Mere (W)  
 Sean Mills (W)  
 Janet Oshiro (W)  
 William Pimlott (W)  
 Isobel Routledge  
 Helen Sanders (W)  
 Mary Sharpe  
 Tamara Spitzer-Hobeika  
 Martin Stiller  
 Jeremy Stothart (W)  
 Edward Taroghion (W)  
 Jonny Tovey (W)  
 April Vlahakis  
 Marco Wittmann  
 Daniel Zajarias-Fainsod (W)  
 Phoebe Zheng (W)

**2012**

Anonymous  
 Anonymous (W)  
 Edward Addison (W)  
 Olivia Allen  
 Esi Armah-Tetteh (W)  
 Charles Bishop (W)  
 Anna Burn (W)  
 Ruth Cameron (W)  
 Jourdan Cruz  
 Julia Dunn  
 Steph Faulkner  
 Nichola Finch  
 Kit Haggard  
 Rowan Howell (W)  
 Dwight Kelly  
 Mollie Legg (W)  
 Scarlett Maguire (W)  
 Hector Manly (W)  
 Courtenay Mansel  
 Ilana Masad  
 Susanna Meader (W)  
 Joe Miles (W)

Hannah Murdoch (W)  
 James Reid (W)  
 Grace Roffe  
 John Rolfe (W)  
 Lyndsey Starr (W)  
 Alastair Watts  
 Alex Wood (W)

**2013**

Holly Anderson (W)  
 Emma Davies  
 Andre Hansford  
 Charlotte Jackson  
 Mariko Kamiya (W)  
 Joseph Knight (W)  
 Mili Malde  
 Hannah Marsters  
 Lauren McKarus (W)  
 Isaac Proudfoot (W)  
 Emma Rockall  
 Jamie Russell (W)  
 Rose Stevens (W)  
 Zoe Thomas  
 Hannah Yu-Pearson  
 Ben Zaranko (W)

**2014**

Jacob Armstrong  
 Clare Batterton (W)  
 Sophie Bennett  
 Olivia Braddock  
 Will Broad  
 Rosemary Brook-Hart  
 Luke Browne  
 Ella Cattle  
 Conor Cooper  
 Charlotte De Val (W)  
 Moose Hale (W)  
 Leo House  
 Sam Irving (W)  
 Anna Jurek (W)  
 Artur Kotlicki (W)  
 Annie Lennon



Kiran Leonard  
 Harry Lukakis  
 Oliver Mills  
 Katia Mullova-Brind  
 Margo Munro Kerr  
 Zera Ong  
 Nicholas Phoon  
 Rebecca Rose (W)  
 Anna Seccombe  
 Catherine Wilcock

**2015**

Lucas Bertholdi-Saad  
 Alicja Boryn  
 Neil Carroll  
 Freddy Gelati-Meinert  
 Angus Haynes  
 Alex Heavens  
 Chloe Holgate  
 Liam Hyde (W)  
 Eliza Mauhs-Pugh (W)  
 Charlie Rae (W)  
 Claire Ramsay  
 Shayaan Rehman  
 Sasha Skovron  
 Naomi Thapar  
 Jan Henrik Wiik (W)

**2016**

Jules Brown (W)  
 Zeyu Duan  
 Jen Ellinas (W)  
 Bethany Elliott (W)  
 Benjamin Goodyear (W)  
 Elise Hamerslag  
 Jonas Hermann  
 Tommy Hilton  
 Yash Kumar  
 Kalia Laycock-Walsh  
 Naomi Mishkin  
 Ravital Solomon (W)  
 Joana Thackeray  
 Guanlin Wu

**2017**

Rhea Colaco  
 Eva Haude  
 Aube Tolly

**CURRENT STUDENTS****2013**

James Oakley

**2014**

Gabriel Bickler  
 Emma Flint

**2015**

Jane Barnard

**2016**

Anonymous  
 Joel Butler  
 Carys Dally  
 Sarah Dittrich  
 Tom Graus  
 Eilidh Guthrie  
 Amy Howlett  
 Keir Mather  
 Katie Medd (W)  
 Son Olszewski (W)  
 Taiwo Oyebola (W)  
 Jack Wands  
 Molly Weiland

**2017**

Phoebe Bachsleitner  
 Daniel Gunn (W)  
 Martin Jepsen  
 Pelin Morgan (W)  
 Joana Perrone  
 David Robinson  
 Alice Scharmeli (W)  
 Will Sealy

**FELLOWS, EMERITI  
AND FRIENDS**

Anonymous (2)  
 Anonymous (7) (D)  
 Anonymous (4) (W)  
 Victor Atkins Jr (D)  
 Michael Ayers (W)  
 Naomi Beer (W)  
 David Bethea (W)  
 Anne Bishop  
 Eileen Bourke  
 Anthony Bowen  
 Didier Breton (D)  
 Martin Bureau (W)  
 Lorna Carter  
 Nicola Cooper-Harvey (W)  
 George Davitt (D)  
 Keith Dyke (W)  
 Gwen Edwards (W)  
 Linda Eshag (W)  
 Andrew Farmery (W)  
 Jean Flemming (N)  
 Angela Ford  
 Margaret Forrest †  
 Pat France (W)  
 Kezia Gaitskell  
 Jennifer Gibbon  
 Stephen Goss (N)  
 Christopher Gowar  
 Deborah Guy (W)  
 Julie Hage (W)  
 Carol Handley  
 Jonathan Hart (W)  
 John Hirsh (W)  
 Alastair Howatson (W)  
 Kirsten Jackson (W)  
 Gillian Johnson (W)  
 Chris Jorgensen (D)  
 Joyce Kay  
 Randall Kirschman (W)  
 Mark Leach (W)  
 DB Lenck (W)

James Makepeace (W)  
 Jessica Mannix  
 Ursula Martin (D)  
 Colin Mayer CBE (D)  
 Marcy McCall MacBain (D)  
 Jill McCleery (W)  
 Bernard McWilliams  
 Charlie Millard  
 Jeremy Montagu (W)  
 Bruce Mortimer (W)  
 Bernard O'Donoghue  
 Aidan Robertson (W)  
 Mellyn Roffe (N)  
 Leslie Sebba (N)  
 Frances Short (W)  
 Ron Skurray  
 Mary Smerdon (W)  
 Dick Stacey (W)  
 Sarah Stiffel  
 Patrick Thomson (W)  
 Michael Tunbridge (N)  
 Sushil Wadhvani (N)  
 Lynn Wornes  
 Robert Young  
 Michael Yudkin  
 Marco Zhang (W)

**TRUSTS AND  
FOUNDATIONS**

Anonymous (N)  
 Anonymous (3) (D)  
 Batchworth Trust (D)  
 Beit Trust (D)  
 BlackRock  
 BP Foundation  
 Colden Common  
 Gardening Club  
 D & G Estey Family  
 Foundation (D)  
 Donner Canadian  
 Foundation (D)  
 FirstRand Foundation (D)  
 Goldman Sachs  
 Google Inc  
 Lee Shau Kee Foundation (D)  
 McKinsey & Company, Inc.  
 Novartis Foundation  
 Peter Carter Trust (D)  
 Relithan Charitable Trust (D)  
 Russell Investments



# ACADEMIC RECORD

# Graduate Completions 2017-18

## DPHIL

### Natasha Davie

#### Clinical Laboratory Sciences

"Academia-Industry Collaboration in Translational Medicine"  
Granted leave to supplicate 10/08/2017

### Diana Greenwald

#### History

"Distinction and Development: Economic and Social Determinants of Artistic Output in the United States and France, 1825-1885"  
Granted leave to supplicate 10/08/2017

### Mustak Ibn Ayub

#### Oncology

"Heterogeneity within Colorectal Cancer Cell Lines and Epigenetic Regulation of CD24"  
Granted leave to supplicate 17/08/2017

### Thomas Veness

#### Theoretical Physics

"Dynamics and Entanglement of Exotic Quantum Liquids"  
Granted leave to supplicate 25/08/2017

### Christopher Lester

#### Mathematics

"Efficient Simulation Techniques for Biochemical Reaction Networks"  
Granted leave to supplicate 28/09/2017

### Louisa Layne

#### English

"Critical Readings of Perceptual Models in the Poetry of Linton Kwesi Johnson: Bass Culture"  
Granted leave to supplicate 31/10/2017

### Ying-Chun Chen

#### Musculoskeletal Sciences

"Exploring Mechano-Structural Processes in Osteoarthritis"  
Granted leave to supplicate 05/11/2017

### Lianbo Li

#### Engineering Science

"Metamaterial Based Superdirectivity"  
Granted leave to supplicate 29/11/2017

### Dominic Hewitt

#### Physical and Theoretical Chemistry

"Probing Environmental Effects on Gas-Phase Protein Structure"  
Granted leave to supplicate 14/12/2017

### Andreas Iskra

#### Physical and Theoretical Chemistry

"Photofragmentation Studies of Metal Ion-Molecule Complexes and Metal Oxides"  
Granted leave to supplicate 14/12/2017

### Noah Waterfield Price

#### Condensed Matter Physics

"Domains and Functionality in Multiferroic BiFeO<sub>3</sub> Films"  
Granted leave to supplicate 20/12/2017

### Steinar Halldorsson

#### Clinical Medicine

"Molecular Determinants of Phleboviral Cell Entry"  
Granted leave to supplicate 04/02/2018

### Samantha Laber

#### Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics

"Deciphering the Function of Obesity-Associated Regulatory Elements within FTO"  
Granted leave to supplicate 12/02/2018

### Emmanuel Vallee

#### Clinical Neurology

"Improving Sensitivity and Specificity in Diffusion MRI Group Studies"  
Granted leave to supplicate 12/02/2018

### Samuel Merson

#### Zoology

"Bushmeat Hunting, Retaliatory Killing, Habitat Degradation and Exotic Species as Threats to Fosa (Cryptoprocta Ferox) Conservation"  
Granted leave to supplicate 07/03/2018

### Kjolv Egeland

#### International Relations

"The Road to Prohibition: Nuclear Hierarchy and Disarmament, 1968-2017"  
Granted leave to supplicate 27/04/2018

### Jacob Seifert

#### Plant Sciences

"In Vivo Dynamic AFM Mapping of Viscoelastic Properties of the Primary Plant Cell Wall"  
Granted leave to supplicate 22/05/2018

### Anita Paz

#### Fine Art

"Against Indexicality: Photography as a Formation of Thought"  
Granted leave to supplicate 25/06/2018

### Alice Holt

#### Medieval and Modern Languages

"Syndicalism, Work and Science in Simone Weil's Philosophy of Modernity"  
Granted leave to supplicate 02/07/2018

### Irena Artemenko

#### Medieval and Modern Languages

"The Ethics of Mourning in the Narration of the Self in the Works of Marcel Proust and Andrei Tarkovsky"  
Granted leave to supplicate 10/07/2018

### Gregor Cremosnik

#### Organic Chemistry

"Radiofluorination of Squalenoylated Drug Analogues"  
Granted leave to supplicate 19/07/2018

**The following students have agreed to publication of their results**

## BCL

**Abby Buttle**, Distinction  
**Finnian Clarke**, Distinction  
**Burton Dewitt**, Pass  
**Conor Ewing**, Pass  
**Oliver Mills**, Distinction  
**Calum Mulderrig**, Pass  
**Julija Stukalina**, Distinction  
**Jessica Twumasi**, Distinction

## BMBCH

**Theo Chevallier**, Pass  
**Lia Orlando**, Pass  
**Joe Reason**, Pass

## MJUR

**Thea Bauer**, Pass

## MPHIL

**Sam Altmann**, Economics, Distinction  
**Jan Farfal**, Russian and East European Studies, Distinction  
**Sarah Hiepler**, Classical Archaeology, Pass

### Tommy Hilton

Modern Middle Eastern Studies, Distinction

### Barbara Roberts

Greek and/or Roman History, Distinction

### Bahar Saba

Modern Middle Eastern Studies, Distinction

### Geoffrey Yeung

Law, Distinction

## MSC

**Ibrahim Onur Baysal**, Law and Finance, Pass

### Thomas Bijl

Economics for Development, Pass

### Rhea Colaco

Economics for Development, Pass

### Kirill Guskov

Russian and East European Studies, Pass

### Stephanie Hall

Psychological Research, Pass

### Keyan Jardine

African Studies, Pass

### Paula Kaanders

Neuroscience, Pass

### Michael Mbiti

Law and Finance, Pass

### Emil Ohman

Mathematical and Theoretical Physics, Pass



**Niamh Quille**

Criminal and Criminal  
Justice (Res Meth), Pass

**Megan Smith**

Mathematical Modelling and  
Scientific Computing, Pass

**Jon Thorbjarnarson**

Mathematical and  
Theoretical Physics, Pass

**Aube Tollu**

African Studies, Pass

**Thomas Webb**

Latin American Studies,  
Pass

**Edwina Yeo**

Mathematical Modelling  
and Scientific Computing,  
Distinction

**Hellen Yuan**

Psychological Research,  
Pass

**MST****Eva Haude**

Yiddish Studies, Pass

**Jack Hayes**

Modern Languages,  
Distinction

**Jasmin Irscheid**

Music (Musicology), Pass

**Calum Leslie**

Modern British and  
European History, Pass

**Chloe Lim**

English (1900-present),  
Pass

**Imogen Morrell**

Women's Studies,  
Distinction

**James Oakley**

Greek and/or Latin  
Language and Literature,  
Distinction

**Lili Owen Rowlands**

Modern Languages,  
Distinction

**Joana Perrone**

Women's Studies, Pass

**Jake Rickman**

English and American  
Studies, Pass

**Shan Sun**

Modern Languages,  
Distinction

**Joshua Teasdale**

History of Art and Visual  
Culture, Distinction

**PGCE****Geraint Evans**

History (PGCE), Pass

## Final Honour School Results 2017-18

The following students have  
agreed to publication of  
their results

**BIOCHEMISTRY**

Ansell, Bertie 1

Han, June 2.1

Kenney, Alex 1

**BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES**

Boryn, Alicja 2.1

Foster, Ben 2.1

Newby, Yann 2.1

Ramsay, Claire 1

Rice, Chloe 2.1

Sarrionandia-Thomas,  
Lara 2.1

Thomas, Sirimon 1

**CAAH**

Drognat-Landre, Louise 2.1

**CHEMISTRY**

Baker, Harry 2.1

Bo, Ally 1

Coombs, Edward 1

Henshall, Will 1

Muncan, Filip 1

Rogers, Jack 1

Suckling, Annie 2.1

Van Der Valk, Gabriella 2.1

**ECONOMICS AND  
MANAGEMENT**

Farrer, Luca 1

Paulson, Adam 2.1

Weatherhead, Olivia 2.1

**ENGINEERING SCIENCE**

Cochrane, James 2.1

Fudge, Ben 1

Gennari Do Nascimento,  
Marcelo 1

Lunshof, James 2.1

**ENGLISH**

Beck, Pip 2.1

Dunnnett, Sam 1

Eagleton, Oliver 1

Hameed, Haroun 1

Lanyon, Hannah-Lily 1

Powell, Charlie 1

Warren, Benedict 1

**ENGLISH AND MODERN  
LANGUAGES**

Armstrong, Jacob 1 GER

Rea, Ailbhe 2.1 FRE

**EXPERIMENTAL  
PSYCHOLOGY**

Bladen, Helena 1

Prentice, Freya 1

Tardos, Vera 2.1

**HISTORY**

Ayres, Riley 2.1

Benson, Frances 2.1

Khan, Hannah 2.1

Skovron, Sasha 2.1

Tootle, Jonathan 2.1

**HISTORY AND  
ECONOMICS**

Bertholdi-Saad, Lucas 2.1

Ring, Emma 2.1

**HISTORY AND MODERN  
LANGUAGES**

Lennon, Annie 2.1 FRE

Phoon, Nicholas 1 GER

Stock, Mike 1 GER

**HISTORY AND POLITICS**

Denford, Sophia 2.1

**HISTORY OF ART**

Brandon-Salmon, Altair 1

Marshall, Hannah 1

**HUMAN SCIENCES**

Bapty, Patrick 2.1

Lange, Maurice 1

Thapar, Naomi 2.1

**LAW**

Bali, Saahil 2.1

Dixit, Vasudha 2.1

Duncan, Angus 2.1

Eatwell, Emma 2.1

Malhi, Mannat 2.1

Rehman, Shayaan 2.1

**LITERAE HUMANIORES**

Hutchison, Grace 2.1

Kumar Rull, Gage 2.1

Zhang, Kim 2.1

**MATHEMATICAL AND  
THEORETICAL PHYSICS**

Ross, Alasdair, Distinction

Thompson, Ashley,  
Distinction

**MATHEMATICS**

Black, Carmel MMath 2.1  
 Li, Xiyang MMath 2.2  
 Wang, Hairong BA 2.2

**MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS**

Liu, Yilin 2.1

**MEDICINE (PRE-CLINICAL)**

Appleby, Jen 1  
 Barnard, Jane 2.1  
 Labbette, Ella-Mae 2.1  
 Orrell, Michael 2.1

**MODERN LANGUAGES**

Beer, David 1 GER  
 Brook-Hart, Rosemary 1  
 FRE and SPA  
 House, Leo 1  
 POR and RUS  
 Kambskard-Bennett, Lea  
 2.1 FRE  
 Lukakis, Harry 2.1  
 FRE and MGRK  
 McCay, Katie 2.1  
 SPA and POR

**MODERN LANGUAGES AND LINGUISTICS**

Aitken, Robbie 2.1 FRE  
 Lupton, Sam 2.1 RUS

**ORIENTAL STUDIES**

Czarnuszewicz,  
 Marc 1 PER  
 Evans, Claire 2.1 CHN  
 Fothergill-Pounder,  
 Dylan 1 JAP  
 Martin, Harry 1 CHN  
 Munro Kerr, Margo 1 PER

**PHILOSOPHY AND MODERN LANGUAGES**

Barnes, Lewis 1 FRE

**PHYSICS**

Braddy, Oliver MPhys 2.1  
 Broad, Will MPhys 2.1  
 Huxford, Joe MPhys 1  
 Jenkins, Stuart MPhys 1  
 Mummery, Andrew MPhys 1  
 Perceval, Fraser MPhys 2.2  
 Sale, Ollie MPhys 1

**PPE**

Baillie, Jack 2.1  
 Beckett, Natalie 2.1  
 Garmendia Mohanna,  
 Benjamin 2.1  
 Hyde, Liam 2.1  
 Mason, Georgia 2.1  
 Oldham, Katie 2.1  
 Rumford, Daniel 2.1

# First Public Examination Results 2017-18

**MODS AND PRELIMS**

The following students have  
 agreed to publication of  
 their results

**ANCIENT AND MODERN HISTORY**

Raine, Hugo, Distinction

**BIOCHEMISTRY**

Hollands, Katie, Pass  
 Hughes, Connor, Distinction  
 Rodrigues, Ana, Pass

**BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES**

Bullen, Louis, Pass  
 Hudson, Callum, Distinction  
 Miall, Naomi, Distinction  
 Penrose, Harry, Pass  
 Robijns, Alice, Distinction  
 Way, Freya, Pass

**CHEMISTRY**

Butler, Alex, Distinction  
 Ridley, Cian, Distinction  
 Sage, Rachel, Distinction  
 Saunders, Mia, Pass  
 Swann, Katie, Pass  
 Walkley, Euan, Pass

**CLASSICS AND ENGLISH**

Girling, Agnes, Pass

**ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT**

Eddershaw, Owen, Pass  
 Pandya, Moksh, Pass  
 Townend, Isobel, Distinction

**EMEL**

Mackie, Tom, Pass  
 FRE and ARA  
 Randall, Max, Pass  
 RUS and PER

**ENGINEERING SCIENCE**

Choudhury, Ahmerin, Pass  
 Cooper-Driver, Jackson, Pass  
 Lamiquiz Pratt, Irinka, Pass  
 Proudman, Alex, Distinction  
 Saadat, Nazmus, Distinction  
 Stalder, Luke, Pass

**ENGLISH**

Greenough, Megan, Pass  
 Henderson-Child, Laura,  
 Pass  
 Jadhav, Leela, Pass  
 Morgan, Pelin, Pass  
 Wohrer, Clement,  
 Distinction

**ENGLISH AND MODERN LANGUAGES**

Shepherd-Brierley, Zara,  
 Pass ENG and FRE  
 Woolley, Reuben,  
 Distinction ENG, Pass RUS

**EXPERIMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY**

Deden, Jovana, Pass  
 Demircan, Can, Pass  
 Doran, Helen, Distinction  
 Johnson Perret, Lucy, Pass  
 Robshaw, Rosalind, Pass  
 Rudzka, Katarzyna, Pass

**HISTORY**

Adamczyk, Lara, Pass  
 Carter, Tom, Pass  
 Clark, Flora, Pass  
 Hettrick, Joseph, Pass  
 Kennedy, Kallum, Pass  
 Oleksiyenko-Stech, Sophia,  
 Distinction  
 Spencer, Jade, Pass

**HISTORY AND ECONOMICS**

Williamson, Josh, Pass

**HISTORY AND ENGLISH**

Miller, Sam, Distinction  
 Roy, Mrinmoyee, Pass

**HISTORY AND MODERN LANGUAGES**

McNulty, Johanna,  
 Pass HIST, Distinction ITA

**HISTORY AND POLITICS**

Schwarzmann, Gaby, Pass

**HISTORY OF ART**

Ledwoch, Nina, Pass

**HUMAN SCIENCES**

Harrington, Hannah, Pass  
 Medd, Katie, Distinction  
 Torracinta, Louis, Pass

**LAW**

**Black, Ella**, Pass  
**Ng, Celine**, Pass  
**Paun, Karishma**, Pass  
**Szczepanski, Hannah**, Pass  
**Tan, Justin**, Pass  
**Xiao, Jason**, Pass

**LAW WITH LAW STUDIES IN EUROPE**

**Brechtelsbauer, Julia**, Pass  
**Railton, Olivia**, Pass

**LITERAE HUMANIORES**

**Atmore, Evelyn** 2.1  
**Dolman, Lauren** 2.1  
**Nair, Dhanya** 2.1  
**Reed Sanderson, Zoe** 2.2  
**Willis, Charlie** 2.1

**MATHEMATICS**

**Cheetham, Jake**, Pass  
**Heath-Stephens, Oscar**, Distinction  
**Rasmussen, Christian**, Pass  
**Rotaru, Andreea**, Pass  
**Silverbeck, Joshua**, Distinction

**MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE**

**Iaru, Ioana**, Distinction  
**Mitosek, Piotr**, Distinction

**MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS**

**Kruszewski, Jan**, Pass  
**Vuletic, Milena**, Distinction

**MEDICINE (PRE-CLINICAL)**

**Ayre, Ellie**, Pass  
**Dor, Afrose**, Distinction (M2)  
**Uppal, Sulaiman**, Pass  
**Wolman, Ruby**, Pass

**MODERN LANGUAGES**

**Aston, Kate**, Pass GER  
**Farrant, Justine**, Distinction POR, Pass SPA  
**McCann, Laura**, Pass FRE and GER  
**Morris, Henry**, Pass GER and ITA  
**Sealy, Will**, Pass GER  
**Staniaszek, Emi**, Pass FRA

**MODERN LANGUAGES AND LINGUISTICS**

**Goodfellow, Grace**, Pass FRE  
**James, Sam**, Pass FRE

**ORIENTAL STUDIES**

**Charley, Emily**, Pass JAP  
**Harrison, Mark**, Pass CHN  
**Johnson, Rose**, Distinction PER  
**Knight, Edward**, Pass CHN  
**MacGeoch, Matthew**, Pass PER  
**Morrissey, Millie**, Distinction SANSKRIT  
**Osman, Ruby**, Distinction CHN  
**Tapper, Totti**, Distinction JPN  
**Thompson, Alfred**, Distinction PER

**PHILOSOPHY AND MODERN LANGUAGES**

**Patrick, Kei**, Pass FRE  
**Vergara, Camila**, Pass PHIL, Distinction SPA

**PHYSICS**

**Cheng, Runbei**, Distinction  
**Driver, Ollie**, Pass  
**Fox, Elizabeth**, Distinction  
**Lewis, Zoe**, Distinction  
**Prasad, Arnav**, Pass  
**Zhang, Yujia**, Distinction

**PPE**

**Bandy, Alec**, Distinction  
**Best, Fran**, Distinction  
**Exall, Cara**, Pass  
**Gunn, Daniel**, Pass  
**Lau, Harry**, Distinction  
**Ozcan, Dan**, Pass  
**Rahim, Mohammed**, Pass

**University and Faculty Prizes****Matthew Bignell**  
**Civil Law (BCL)**

Law Faculty Prize in Criminal Justice, Security and Human Rights – Best performance in the Criminal Justice, Security and Human Rights paper

**Will Chappell**  
**Chemistry**

OUP Prize for Personal Achievement – Most improved between the Prelims and the Part IA examination

**Alex Gutteridge**  
**Chemistry**

Turbutt Prize in Practical Organic Chemistry – High standard of experimental work and written submission in 2<sup>nd</sup> year Organic Chemistry course

**Jack Hayes**  
**Modern Languages (FRE and ITA)**

Gerard Davies Prize – Performance in the MSt for Medieval and Modern Languages

**Joe Huxford**  
**Physics**

Gibbs Prize – Performance in the MPhys examination  
 Rolls Royce Prize – Innovation in an MPhys project

**Kaashif Hymabaccus**  
**Mathematics and Computer Science**

Junior Mathematics Prize for Mathematics and Computer Science – Outstanding performance in FHS Mathematics Part B

**Kiran Leonard**  
**Modern Languages (SPA and POR)**

Philippa of Lancaster Portuguese Prize – Joint best performance in Portuguese

**Kitty Low**

**Classics and English**  
 Craven Scholarship – Best performance in the Course II Year 1 Prelims Classics and English

**Arabella**  
**McMenamin Walshe**  
**Modern Languages (SPA and POR)**

T.F. Earle Prize – Best performance in Portuguese Prelims content papers

**Andrew Mummery**  
**Physics**

Scott Prize – Best performance in the MPhys examination

**Filip Muncan**  
**Chemistry**

Organic Chemistry and Chemical Biology Part II Thesis Prize – Performance in the examination of the thesis and viva

**Sirimon Thomas**  
**Biological Sciences**

Harley Prize of the New Phytologist Trust – Best all round academic performance in the field of Plant Sciences in FHS Biological Sciences

**Isobel Townend**

**Economics & Management**  
 Gibbs Prize – Joint 2<sup>nd</sup> highest mark in the Introductory Economics paper

**Sophie Trott**  
**Chemistry**

GlaxoSmithKline 3<sup>rd</sup> Year Undergraduate Prize in Practical Organic Chemistry – Quality of experimental work and written submission

**Jessica Twumasi**  
**Civil Law (BCL)**

Law Faculty Prize in Law and Society in Medieval England – Best performance in the Law and Society in Medieval England paper



## Wadham College Named Prizes 2017-18

### CAROLINE KELLET FHS PRIZE IN HISTORY

For outstanding historical work

Awarded to  
**Nicholas Phoon**  
**Mike Stock**  
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**Ali Porteous**

### CAROLINE KELLET FPE PRIZE IN HISTORY

For outstanding historical work

Awarded to  
**Sam Miller**

### CHRISTINA HOWELLS PRIZE IN FRENCH

For best performance by a Wadham finalist taking French in Modern Languages or Joint Schools

Awarded to  
**Lewis Barnes**  
**Rosemary Brook-Hart**

### COLLINGTON PRIZE

For performance in Science FPE

Awarded to  
**Afroze Dor**

### DEROW PRIZE IN CLASSICS

For performance in Classical options by a Wadham student taking Literae Humaniores or a related joint school (FHS)

Awarded to  
**Rupert Sparling**

### ESHAG PRIZE

For performance in FHS PPE

Awarded to  
**Katie Oldham**

### FIDDIAN TRAVEL PRIZE IN SPANISH

For performance in FPE Spanish

Awarded to  
**Camila Vergara**

### OCKENDEN PRIZE IN RUSSIAN

For performance in FPE Russian

Awarded to  
**Reuben Woolley**

### PENROSE PRIZE

For performance in FHS Mathematics and Joint Schools (2<sup>nd</sup> year)

Awarded to  
**Will Bayliff**  
**Dan Lyness**  
**Aaron Jones**

### PETER CARTER PRIZE

For best performance in FHS Law

Awarded to  
**Mannat Malhi**

### PRIZE IN PHILOSOPHY

For performance in FHS Philosophy

Awarded to  
**Lewis Barnes**

### SUKUMAR PRIZE IN PHYSICS

For best performance in their final year by a Wadham undergraduate student taking Physics or a related joint school

Awarded to  
**Andrew Mummery**  
**Joe Huxford**

### WOODHOUSE PRIZE

For best performance in Mathematics options by a 3<sup>rd</sup> year Wadham student taking Mathematics or a related joint school

Awarded to  
**Kaashif Hymabaccus**

### The Rex Warner Prize

The Rex Warner Prize has been awarded to **Thomas Batuello** for his poem, *A Myth of Colonial New England*, and to Grace Elshafei for her poem *A Pearl of Every Size*.

### The Cheney Prize in the Arts and Social Sciences

The Cheney Prize in the Arts and Social Sciences has been awarded to **Jack Hunter** for his essay, *Underground Insurrections: Global, local and revolutionary motivations for resistance in a French mining Community 1940-44*.

### College Prize in Science and Mathematics

The College Prize in Science and Mathematics has been awarded to **Stuart Jenkins** for his essay, *Comparing Coal to Cattle; A New Greenhouse Gas Metric*.

## Undergraduate Scholarships and Exhibitions 2017-18

### BIOCHEMISTRY

**Bertie Ansell**  
**Alex Kenney**

### BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

**Ben Crane**  
**Claire Ramsay**  
**Chloe Rice**  
**Sirimon Thomas**

### CHEMISTRY

**Ally Bo**  
**Edward Coombs**  
**Aditya Desai**  
**Megan Edwards**  
**Alex Gutteridge**  
**Will Henshall**  
**James Martin Robinson**  
**Filip Muncan**  
**Jack Rogers**  
**Charlie Shaw**  
**Louis Skinner**  
**Sybil Song**  
**Sophie Trott**  
**Gabriella Van Der Valk**

### CLASSICS AND ENGLISH

**Agnes Girling**

### CLASSICS AND MODERN LANGUAGES

**Andrew Hodgson**

### ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT

**Luca Farrer**  
**Abinaya Mahatma**  
**Kathryn Rankin**  
**Jacob Scorey**

### ENGINEERING SCIENCE

**Georgiana Dima**  
**Sebastian Elmes**  
**Soroush Faghihi Kashani**  
**Ben Fudge**  
**Marcelo Gennari Do Nascimento**  
**Egor Iuganov**  
**Avishek Mondal**  
**Lorenzo Sintini**  
**Arthur Spencer**  
**Conor Williets**

### ENGLISH

**Pip Beck**  
**Alex Coonar**  
**Sam Dunnett**  
**Oliver Eagleton**  
**Tom Graus**  
**Hannah-Lily Lanyon**  
**Michael Sackur**

### ENGLISH AND MODERN LANGUAGES

**Jacob Armstrong**

### EXPERIMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

**Linette Chan**

**HISTORY**

Riley Ayres  
Rachel Collett  
Sofia Elger  
Jack Hunter  
Ali Porteous

**HISTORY AND ECONOMICS**

Lucas Bertholdi-Saad  
Emma Ring

**HISTORY AND ENGLISH**

Rozen Whitworth

**HISTORY AND MODERN LANGUAGES**

Annie Lennon  
Nicholas Phoon  
Mike Stock  
Eleanor Watson

**HISTORY AND POLITICS**

Sophia Denford  
Sebastian Rees

**HISTORY OF ART**

Altair Brandon-Salmon  
Michael Kurtz

**LAW**

Morag Campbell  
Emma Eatwell  
Mannat Malhi

**LAW WITH LAW STUDIES IN EUROPE**

Son Olszewski

**LITERAE HUMANIORES**

Andrea Doda  
Rupert Sparling

**MATHEMATICAL AND THEORETICAL PHYSICS**

Alasdair Ross

**MATHEMATICS**

Will Bayliff  
Hashim Guleid  
Hazem Hassan  
Aaron Jones  
Dan Lyness

**MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE**

Kaashif Hymabaccus

**MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS**

Rachel Cao  
Brian Wrobel

**MODERN LANGUAGES**

Ben Black  
Rosemary Brook-Hart  
Esme Carter  
Isabella Darby  
Josie Ediss  
Lea Kambskard-Bennett  
Alex McKay  
Jamie Morgan  
Freddie Wolff

**MODERN LANGUAGES AND LINGUISTICS**

Saleem Rizvi

**ORIENTAL STUDIES**

Ella Cohen-Haddon  
William Gardner

**PHYSICS**

Theo Anton  
Eduardo Beattie Eizaguirre  
Oliver Braddy  
George Braid  
Will Broad  
Eliza Dickie  
Aaron Hartnell-Booth  
Joe Huxford  
Stuart Jenkins  
Kishan Makwana  
Ross McIntyre  
Andrew Mummery  
Ollie Sale  
Hank Wu

**PPE**

Natalie Beckett  
Emre Kaplan  
Katie Oldham  
Mathias Pastor  
Luke Pate  
Milo Thursfield

## Wadham College Senior Scholarships 2017-18

The following Wadham graduate students have been elected to :

**SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP FOR 2017-18**

Sam Altman  
Emma Flint  
Nikita Nicheperovich  
Emil Ohman  
Niamh Quille  
Megan Smith

**EPRIME ESHAG SCHOLARSHIP**

Mishel Ghassibe

**KEELEY SCHOLARSHIP**

Yun Bing  
Jacob Bird  
Zachariah Lockhart  
Anna Ventouratou

## Named Graduate Scholarships 2017-18

**1610 SCHOLARSHIP**

Zhao Feng Ng

**BROOKMAN SCHOLARSHIP**

Joseph Currie

**CLARENDON-MONCKTON SCHOLARSHIP**

Annabella Massey

**DAVID RICHARDS SCHOLARSHIP IN CHEMISTRY**

Giorgio Morello

**DAVID RICHARDS SCHOLARSHIPS IN ECONOMICS**

Samuel Altmann  
Mishel Ghassibe

**DAVID RICHARDS SCHOLARSHIPS IN HISTORY**

Callum Kelly  
Matthew Myers

**DAVID RICHARDS SCHOLARSHIPS IN PHYSICS**

Cherry Qian  
Kevin Thielen

**FIRSTRAND OXFORD AFRICAN STUDIES SCHOLARSHIP**

Keyan Jardine

**HACKNEY BCL SCHOLARSHIP**

Abby Buttle

**KALISHER TRUST – WADHAM SCHOLARSHIP**

Niamh Quille

**MURRAY-CLASSICS SCHOLARSHIPS**

Kyle Bonnell  
James Oakley

**OXFORD-DOWDING  
SCHOLARSHIP**

Gautham Shiralagi

**OXFORD-HACKNEY BCL  
SCHOLARSHIP**

Jessica Twumasi

**PETER CARTER GRADUATE  
SCHOLARSHIP IN LAW**

Anna Ventouratou

**PETER CARTER TAUGHT  
GRADUATE  
SCHOLARSHIP IN LAW**

Thea Bauer

**WADHAM-AHRC  
SCHOLARSHIP**

Ben Westwood

**WADHAM GRADUATE  
LAW SCHOLARSHIP**

Reginald Aziza

**WADHAM MIREMADI  
STUDENTSHIP IN  
ENGLISH**

Archie Cornish

**WADHAM-MR MICHELL'S  
RCUK SCHOLARSHIP**

Cian O'Concubhair

**WADHAM COLLEGE-  
PHILOSOPHY FACULTY  
HERBERT SPENCER  
SCHOLARSHIP**

George Webster

**WADHAM-WOODWARD  
RCUK HUMANITIES  
SCHOLARSHIP**

Clara Voyvodic Casabo

**WATER CONSERVATORS'  
SCHOLARSHIP**

Gemma Bennett

**CDT FEE WAIVERS**

David Ascough  
Arseni Borissov  
Adam Golinski  
Kyle Grant  
Lucy Harwood  
Oskar Hoff  
Ivan Kiskin  
Hala Lamdouar  
Zachariah Lockhart  
Ndidi Lwumene  
Gareth Molyneux  
Oana Pelea  
Melodie Richardson  
Owen Smith  
Stefan Webb

**Travis, Alice**  
Godalming School

**Wynter, Vanessa**  
Staples High School,  
Connecticut

**CLASSICAL  
ARCHAEOLOGY AND  
ANCIENT HISTORY**

**Patel, Avnika**  
Nower Hill High School

**CHEMISTRY**

**Bruce, Hannah**  
Sir William Borlase's  
Grammar School

**Farley, Daniel**  
Manchester Grammar School

**Gao, Gloria**  
Sevenoaks School

**McGeehan, Jack**  
The British International  
School, Puxi Campus

**Pepic, Jovana**  
University College School

**Pinto, Adam**  
Richard Hale School, Hertford

**Sadeghi-Kelishadi, Amir**  
Christ's College, Finchley

**Toutoungy, Thea**  
St Christopher's Senior  
School, Bahrain

**CLASSICS & MODERN  
LANGUAGES**

**Nicholson, Flora**  
South Hampstead  
High School

**ECONOMICS &  
MANAGEMENT**

**Agnefjall, Sten**  
American School of The Hague

**Hammed, Tariq**  
Dartford Grammar School  
for Boys

**Harris, Ruth**  
Truro & Penwith College

**Leach, Alessandra**  
King's College School

**EMEL**

**March, Laila**  
Wallington County  
Grammar School

**ENGINEERING SCIENCE**

**Dhayaa, Daffodil**  
Bancroft's School,  
Woodford Green

**Golub, Jacob**  
Tiffin School

**Johnston, Luke**  
Sir William Borlase's  
Grammar School

**Kerr, Jacob**  
Hampton School

**Long, Callum**  
Queen Mary's Grammar  
School for Boys

**Maci, Enrik**  
London Academy of  
Excellence

**Senthil Kumar, Adhi**  
Chettinad Vidyashram R A  
Puram, Chennai, India

**Shah, Rhim**  
Reading School

**Widojo, Matthew**  
ACS Jakarta

**ENGLISH**

**Fleck, Evie**  
Churcher's College

**Geldman, Joseph**  
Nottingham High School

**Hardman, Charlotte**  
Loreto College, Manchester

**Morley, Rose**  
Eltham College

**Rose, Madeleine**  
Hills Road Sixth Form College

**Shohet, Rose**  
Runnymede College

**Spear, Lowri**  
Thomas Alleyne's High  
School, Uttoxeter

**St George, Clare**  
King Alfred's Academy, Oxon

**Wilkinson, Ed**  
Holland Park School

**ENGLISH & MODERN  
LANGUAGES**

**Hall, Alison**  
St Michael's Catholic  
Grammar School

**Abbar, Munye**  
Mossbourne Community  
Academy

**EXPERIMENTAL  
PSYCHOLOGY**

**Berners-Lee, Bill**  
The Queen Katherine School,  
Kendal

## New Undergraduates 2018

**ANCIENT & MODERN  
HISTORY**

**Lewis, Theodore**  
New College, Swindon

**BIOCHEMISTRY**

**Gallagher, Karolina**  
Holy Family Catholic School  
and Sixth Form

**Leeding, Alasdair**  
Hills Road Sixth Form College

**MacKay, Sophie**  
King's School, Worcester

**Oshodi, Madeline**  
Trinity Catholic High School,  
Woodford Green

**Robinson, Cat**  
York College

**BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES**

**Biggs, Elizabeth**  
Twyford Church of England  
High School

**Egerton Legum, Louis**  
North Bristol Post 16 Centre

**Gent, Joseph**  
Bishop Wordsworth's  
Grammar School

**Sung, Ethan**  
Parmiter's School



**Curley, Hannah**  
Singapore American School

**McBride, Sapphira**  
Bexley Grammar School,  
Welling

## HISTORY

**Cruz, Martha**  
Westminster School

**Fell, Alfie**  
Exeter College, Hele Road  
Centre

**Khanom, Henna**  
St Paul's Girls' School

**Munir, Zehra**  
Hills Road Sixth Form College

**Sanabria De Felipe, Sofia**  
British Council School of  
Madrid

**Sharpe, Ava**  
JFS School

**Urquhart, Emily**  
Bilborough College,  
Nottingham

## HISTORY & ECONOMICS

**Covill, Ralph**  
King's College School

**Harris, Theo**  
The Leys School

## HISTORY & MODERN LANGUAGES

**Albertini, Thomas**  
Prince Henry's High School

**Chaplin, Isla**  
King Edward VI School,  
Warwickshire

## HISTORY & POLITICS

**Davies, Joe**  
Island Innovation VI Form  
Campus

**Kovats, Connie**  
Alley's School, Dulwich

## HISTORY OF ART

**Jennings, Laura**  
Highgate School

## HUMAN SCIENCES

**Brown, Mary**  
Peter Symonds College,  
Winchester

**Crofts, Hannah**  
Walthamstow Hall,  
Sevenoaks

**Lazarou, Despina**  
St. Catherine's British School,  
Greece

**Wade, Hannah**  
Cheney School, Oxford

## LAW

**Agunbiade, Kemi**  
Luton Sixth Form College

**Barbeary, Lizzie**  
Maynard School, Exeter

**Bumbac, Mark**  
Clitheroe Royal Grammar  
School

**Dieset, Kaja**  
United World College of the  
Atlantic

**Fletcher, Hana**  
Exeter College

**Grosvenor, Joseph**  
Eton College

**Hopwood, Joely**  
Notre Dame Catholic Sixth  
Form College, Leeds

**Leyva, Dan**  
Bishop Vesey's Grammar  
School, Sutton Coldfield

**Mason, Freya**  
Churston Ferrers Grammar  
School, Brixham

**McDermott, Mia**  
Bishop Walsh Catholic School,  
Sutton Coldfield

**Oliver, Max**  
St Gregory the Great VA  
Catholic Secondary School,  
Oxford

## LAW WITH LAW STUDIES IN EUROPE

**Knapman, Jasmine**  
Backwell School, Bristol

## LITERAE HUMANIORES

**Broadbent, Ben**  
Caldy Grange Grammar  
School

**Cheung, Ray**  
Birkdale School, Sheffield

**Front, Imogen**  
Fortismere School, London

**Grieve, Zahra**  
Chatham Grammar School  
for Girls

**Nunes, Eliana**  
City of London School for Girls

**Tong, Chloe**  
Headington School, Oxford

## MATHEMATICS

**Gallagher, Aidan**  
King's College School

**Kelly, Niall**  
The American School of Doha

**Mohamed, Ibrahim**  
Harris Westminster Sixth Form

**Robinson, Bruno**  
Oakwood Park Grammar  
School

**Ruga, Sorin**  
SC Albion Training SRL

**Tu, Yi**  
Raffles Junior College,  
Singapore

## MATHEMATICS & COMPUTER SCIENCE

**Maria, Andrei**  
Edmundo - A World of  
Education (The Educativa  
Group)

## MATHEMATICS & PHILOSOPHY

**Baldassari, Emma**  
Liceo Scientifico Calini,  
Brescia, Italy

**Deakin, Joe**  
Banbury Academy, Sixth Form

**Douglas, Raymond**  
Magdalen College School,  
Oxford

## MEDICINE (PRE-CLINICAL)

**Alberti, Piero**  
European School of Frankfurt

**Awan, Iman**  
St Paul's Girl's School

**Ho, Ian**  
Anglo-Chinese School,  
Singapore

**Maloney, Daniel**  
Winstanley College, Wigan

**Smith, Rebecca**  
Kendrick School, Reading

## MODERN LANGUAGES

**Baring, Anna**  
Bedales School

**Dodd, Jacob**  
Royal Grammar School,  
Worcestershire

**Hogg, Sophie**  
Durham School

**Kindermann, Emily**  
Bedstone College, Bucknell

**Krivaite, Gerda**  
International School of  
Geneva, LGB

**Lyons, Sioned Marie**  
Penglais School,  
Aberystwyth

**Marchant, Cecilia**  
Hessle High School

**McDaniel, Charlotte**  
Wellington College,  
Crowthorne

**Webb, Matthew**  
Manchester Grammar School

## ORIENTAL STUDIES

**Asare, Keisha**  
Fortismere School, London

**Chan, Conrad**  
Shanghai High School  
International Division, China

**Chow, Matt**  
Dartford Grammar School  
for Boys

**Harris, Eliska**  
St Olave's and St Saviour's  
Grammar School, Orpington

**Jones, Jo**  
Penglais School,  
Aberystwyth

**Moffitt, Matilda**  
Brighton Hove and Sussex  
Sixth Form College

**Vaucher, Ange**  
École Alsacienne, Paris

**Wojas, Natt**  
I SLO IB im. Jam Saheba  
Digvijay Sinhji IB World  
School

## PHILOSOPHY & MODERN LANGUAGES

**Morrell, Edmund**  
Hills Road Sixth Form  
College, Cambridge

**Straker-Grimes, Aisha**  
The Godolphin and Latymer  
School

## PHYSICS

**Adcroft, Amelia**  
West Windsor-Plainsboro  
High School South

**Choo, Clement**  
Methodist College, Kuala  
Lumpur

**Corby, Ellie**  
Wallington High School For  
Girls

**Davidson, Louis**  
Latymer Upper School

**Martin, Shane**

Belfast Royal Academy

**Wiktor, Adam**2 Liceum Ogólnokształcące,  
Poznań**Witteveen, Olivier**Overseas Family School,  
Singapore**PPE****Bircham, Elizabeth**St Thomas More School,  
Blaydon-On-Tyne**Broeg, Louisa**Hans und Sophie Scholl  
Gymnasium, Ulm**Campa, Emilio**

Parmiter's School, Watford

**Grunbaum, Esther**Hockerill Anglo-European  
College, Bishop's Stortford**Raiteri, Giovanni**International School of  
Lausanne**Ralph, Gabriel**Bishop Wordsworth's  
Grammar School, Salisbury**Watts, Lucas**Ysgol Gyfun Garth Olwg,  
Pontypridd**PSYCHOLOGY****Wong, Sandra**University of Hong Kong  
(Visiting Exchange Student)

# New Graduates 2018

**Adamson, Samuel**MSc, Cognitive Evolutionary  
Anthropology  
University of Oxford (St  
Peter's)**Aizikowitz, Eli**MSt, Greek &/or Roman  
History  
Columbia University**Altmann, Sam**DPhil, Economics  
Wadham (MPhil 2016-18)**Amaya Prieto, Juan Pablo**MSc, Law and Finance  
Universidad de los Andes  
Colombia**Anand, Rishi**DPhil, Physiology, Anatomy  
& Genetics  
University College London**Anderson, Theophilus**MSc, African Studies  
University of Exeter**Andrews, Jonathan**DPhil, CDT Synthesis for  
Biology and Medicine  
University of Sheffield**Ang, Ann**DPhil, English  
University of Pennsylvania**Anouna, Jasmine**MSt, Women's Studies  
Swarthmore College PA**Ansell, Bertie**DPhil, Structural Biology  
Wadham (MBiochem 2014-18)**Appleby, Jen**BMBCh, Clinical Medicine  
Wadham (BA 2015-18)**Arnold, Boris**MPhil, Economics  
University of York**Badalova, Galina**DPhil, Organic Chemistry  
University of Durham**Badiani, Rushab**DPhil, CDT Synthetic  
Biology  
University of Oxford (St  
Catherine's)**Barentsen, Sterre**MSt, History of Art & Visual  
Culture  
Courtauld Institute of Art**Barnard, Jane**BMBCh, Clinical Medicine  
Wadham (BA 2015-18)**Bartlett, William**BCL  
University of Tasmania,  
Hobart**Berdugo, Sophie**MSc, Cognitive Evolutionary  
Anthropology  
University of Cambridge**Berthold, Dorothee**DPhil, Molecular and  
Cellular Medicine  
Swiss Federal Institute of  
Technology, Zurich**Bickerton, Laura**MSc(Res), Inorganic  
Chemistry  
University of Nottingham**Bongo Ondimba, Omar**MSc, African Studies  
Harvard University**Boshoff, Mechiel**MSt, Creative Writing  
University of Cape Town**Christmann, Sophia**MPhil, Islamic Art  
& Archaeology  
University of Oxford  
(Hertford)**Chungu, Chanda**MPP  
University of Cape Town**Corbett, Shawanda**DPhil, Fine Art  
Wadham (MFA 2016-17)**De Falbe, Flora**MSt, Creative Writing  
University of Cambridge**Diaz Azcunaga, Ana Lucia**MJur  
University College Utrecht**El-Sayegh, Marwan**MSc, Law & Finance  
University of Ottawa**Fremdling, Paul**DPhil, Physical &  
Theoretical Chemistry  
University de Strasbourg  
1/Technische Universität  
Dresden**Fudge, Ben**DPhil, Engineering Science  
Wadham (MEng 2014-18)**Gandhi, Dhruva**BCL  
National Law School of India**Garcia-Franco, Jorge**DPhil, Atmospheric, Ocea-  
nic and Planetary Physics  
University of Leeds**Glaze, Liv**DPhil, Medieval & Modern  
Languages  
Wadham (MSt 2015-16)**Graham, Aaron**DPhil, Engineering Science  
University of Cape Town**Hewitt, Matthew**MPhil, Greek &/or Roman  
History  
University of Manchester**Hopkins, Justin**MPP  
University of Pennsylvania**Hord, Levi**MSt, Women's Studies  
University of Western Ontario**Huxford, Joe**DPhil, Theoretical Physics  
Wadham (MPhys 2014-18)**Jain, Saksham**MSc, Math Mod & Scientific  
Computing  
Harvard University**Jenkins, Stuart**DPhil, DTP Environmental  
Research  
Wadham (MPhys 2014-18)**Johnson, Daniel**PGCE, Physics  
University of Hertfordshire**Joore-Short, Cassandra**MSt, Women's Studies  
University of Melbourne**Kalla, Shaeera**MSc, African Studies  
University of the  
Witwatersrand**Kapianga, Kelly**Msc, Criminology & Criminal  
Justice  
University of Zambia**Katkin, Nathan**MPhil, Greek &/or Latin Lang  
& Lit  
Columbia University**Kaul, Prannay**DPhil, CDT Auto Intelligent  
Machines and Systems  
University of Oxford  
(Somerville)**Kim, Soohyun**MFA  
Goldsmiths College**Kondakova, Daria**DPhil, Classical Languages  
& Literature  
Saint Petersburg State  
University

**Kurz, Franziska**

MJur  
Friedrich-Alexander  
Universität Erlangen-  
Nürnberg

**Kwok, Andrew**

DPhil, Clinical Medicine  
Chinese University of Hong  
Kong

**Labbett, Ella-mae**

BMBCh, Clinical Medicine  
Wadham (BA 2015-18)

**Lawrence, Jonny**

DPhil, Oriental Studies  
University of Brighton

**Lin, Michelle**

MSc, Japanese Studies  
Boston College

**Lolla, Aditya**

MPP  
University of Edinburgh

**Mao, Alex**

MSt, Women's Studies  
Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool  
University

**Marbeau, Stephane**

DPhil, Philosophy  
Université de Paris I  
(Panthéon-Sorbonne)

**Matlock, William**

MSc, Mathematical  
Sciences  
University of York

**Moiraghi, Francesco**

BPhil, Philosophy  
Università degli Studi di  
Milano

**Mummery, Andrew**

DPhil, Astrophysics  
Wadham (MPhys 2014-18)

**Nasseh, Georgia**

DPhil, Medieval & Modern  
Languages  
University of Oxford (Lincoln)

**Neuhäuser, Leonie**

MSc, Math Mod & Scientific  
Computing  
Rheinische Friedrich-  
Wilhelms-Universität, Bonn

**Neumann, Eva**

MJur  
Bucerius Law School,  
Hochschule für  
Rechtswissenschaft,  
Hamburg

**Oakley, James**

DPhil, Classical Languages  
& Literature  
Wadham (MSt 2017-18)

**Oladapo, Anuoluwapo**

MSc, Criminology & Criminal  
Justice  
University of East Anglia

**O'Reilly, Fionnuala**

DPhil, Experimental  
Psychology  
University of Stirling

**Orrell, Michael**

BMBCh, Clinical Medicine  
Wadham (BA 2015-18)

**Osei-Tutu, Janewa**

DPhil, Law  
McGill University

**Pasan, Sunidhi**

MSc, Law and Finance  
Panjab University, Chandigarh

**Perrone, Joana**

DPhil, Area Studies (Latin  
America)  
Wadham (MSt 2017-18)

**Plante, Marie-Andrée**

BCL  
McGill University

**Powell, Charlie**

MSt, Medieval Studies  
Wadham (BA 2015-18)

**Revello, Filippo**

DPhil, Theoretical Physics  
Università degli Studi di Pisa

**Robinson, Sarah**

DPhil, CDT Systems  
Approaches to Biomedical  
Science  
University of Oxford (New  
College)

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## 2019 Events



ALL ALUMNI and friends are warmly welcome to attend our programme of 2019 events and we encourage you to book your place as soon as possible. For the most up-to-date details and links to online booking, please visit [www.wadham.ox.ac.uk/events](http://www.wadham.ox.ac.uk/events).

We would also be pleased to address any event booking enquiries via email at [development.team@wadham.ox.ac.uk](mailto:development.team@wadham.ox.ac.uk) or on +44 (0)1865 277 595.

With further international events in the planning, and ad hoc events throughout the year, please do keep an eye on our website for the latest news and information. We very much look forward to welcoming you to one of our events in 2019.

### Thursday 7 February Circles' Event

**Frontline Club, London**  
6:30pm

Wadham alumni who are members of the Dorothy, Nicholas and Wilkins Circles are invited to this year's Circles' event, featuring Amelia Gentleman (History and Russian, 1991) in conversation with Dr Jane Garnett about the Windrush Scandal.

### Saturday 9 February Law Society Dinner

**Wadham College** 6:30pm  
Alumni who studied Law, or who have worked or currently work in Law, are invited to join current students for this reunion dinner.

*The dinner is priced at £65 for alumni who matriculated*

*before 2011, and £40 for alumni who matriculated in 2011 and after.*

### Saturday 16 March Gaudy (1994-1997)

**Wadham College** 6:15pm  
Alumni who matriculated between the years 1994 and 1997 are invited back to College for a celebratory reunion dinner in Hall.

*The dinner is priced at £55 per person, with accommodation available in College at a further £55.*

### Saturday 30 March Gaudy (1986-89)

**Wadham College** 6:15pm  
Alumni who matriculated between the years 1986 and 1989 are invited back to College for a celebratory reunion dinner in Hall.

*The dinner is priced at £55 per person, with accommodation available in College at a further £55.*

### Saturday 22 June Cricket and Freebooters' Dinner

**Wadham Sports Ground**  
10:30am onwards  
**Wadham College** 7pm  
Wadham Cricketers and Freebooters, past and

present, along with guests, are invited to take part in this annual match at Wadham Sports Ground, followed by a celebratory dinner in College. *The dinner is priced at £55 for alumni and guests and £25 for current students.*

### Friday 28 June Wadham Ball

For one night only, Wadham College will be transformed into glamorous 19<sup>th</sup> century Paris, for an evening of flamboyance, energy, and mystique. Current students and alumni are invited to experience a euphoric, high-style vision of this extravagant underworld. [www.wadham.ox.ac.uk/events/2019/june/wadham-college-ball-2019](http://www.wadham.ox.ac.uk/events/2019/june/wadham-college-ball-2019)

### Saturday 6 July Benefactors' Garden Party

**Wadham College** 2-5pm  
Recent donors and those intending to leave a bequest to Wadham are invited with their families to enjoy a relaxing afternoon party in our beautiful gardens. *This is a free event, as a thank you to our donors. Limited accommodation is available in College at £55 per person.*

### Saturday 21 September Boat Club Society Annual Regatta and President's Dinner

**The River Isis** 2pm  
**Wadham College** 7:30pm  
WCBCS is the Society of all those who support rowing at Wadham. This is our annual get-together, scratch regatta and celebration. Old and new members are warmly welcomed. For further details and to book, email [wcbcs@icloud.com](mailto:wcbcs@icloud.com)

### Friday 6 September 1610 Society Dinner

**Wadham College**  
4pm onwards  
Members of the 1610 Society are warmly encouraged to join us for an afternoon of informative academic talks, followed by Evensong, prior to a drinks reception and black tie dinner in Hall. The dinner itself is free but any contributions to help cover costs would be gratefully received. *Accommodation is available in College at £55 per person.*

### Saturday 7 September Wadham Alumni Society Dinner

**Wadham College**  
5pm onwards  
All alumni are automatically members of the Wadham Alumni Society and are warmly invited to join us, with

a guest, for a drinks reception and black tie dinner in Hall. This is preceded by a College Welcome and the Wadham Society AGM. *The dinner is priced at £55 per person, with accommodation available in College at a further £55 per person.*

### Thursday 19 September Whitby Cup Golf Tournament and Dinner

**Huntercombe Golf Club and Wadham College** All day  
Wadham Golfers past and present are invited to this annual competition, this year at Huntercombe, followed by dinner in College. *Ticket price TBC*

### Friday 20 September Foundation Fellows' Day

**Wadham College**  
*Timings TBC*  
Open to our most generous College benefactors. Foundation Fellows will be sent invitations to this celebratory event in College closer to the time.

### Sunday 8 December Alumni Carol Service

**Wadham College** 4:30pm  
All alumni are invited to enjoy carols in the candlelit Chapel, followed by mulled wine and mince pies in Hall.

*£14 adult / £7 child (under 16)*

## UNIVERSITY EVENTS

**Sunday 7 April**

### **The Oxford Cambridge Boat Race**

Witness the 165<sup>th</sup> Boat Race and the 74<sup>th</sup> Women's Boat Race on the Championship Course, starting at Putney Pier, London.

[www.theboatrace.org](http://www.theboatrace.org)

**Friday 12 April**

### **Intercollegiate Golf Tournament**

**Frilford Heath Golf Club (tournament) and University College (dinner)**

*All day*

Wadham golfers are invited to take part in this annual tournament at Frilford, followed by dinner and prize-giving hosted by last year's winners, University College. Wadham accommodation is available to book via the Conference Office  
[conference.office@wadham.ox.ac.uk](mailto:conference.office@wadham.ox.ac.uk)

**20-22 September**

### **Meeting Minds: Oxford Alumni Weekend**

Full details and booking will be available closer to the time at  
[www.alumni.ox.ac.uk/alumni\\_home](http://www.alumni.ox.ac.uk/alumni_home)

**Thursday 12 December**

### **The Varsity Matches**

**Twickenham Stadium, London**

[www.thevarsitymatch.com](http://www.thevarsitymatch.com)

## INTERNATIONAL EVENTS

**22-24 March**

### **Meeting Minds: Alumni Weekend in Tokyo**

[www.alumni.ox.ac.uk/meetingmindsinasia](http://www.alumni.ox.ac.uk/meetingmindsinasia)

**Tuesday 26 March**

### **"Wadham Wednesday": Alumni Social Drinks in San Francisco**

Development Director, Julie Hage, will be hosting this informal gathering as part of our popular series of Wadham Wednesday Alumni Social Drinks. We realise it's on a Tuesday, really!

**10-13 April**

### **Oxford in North America**

**Boston, MA**

**Toronto, ON**

**Washington, DC**

In addition to the Oxford University events, we plan to host a Wadham reception during this weekend in Washington, DC. Details will be made available on the Wadham website.

[www.oxfordna.org/events/oxford-in-north-america-2019](http://www.oxfordna.org/events/oxford-in-north-america-2019)

### **Wadham**

### **Wednesdays:**

### **Alumni Social Drinks**

#### **Various London pubs**

All alumni are warmly invited to join these free, informal networking evenings.

**Wednesday 27 February**

**Wednesday 17 July**

**Wednesday 22 May**

**Wednesday 23 October**

Held four times a year in London, in addition to ad hoc regional and international gatherings, Wadham Wednesdays are attracting increasing numbers of alumni of varying matriculation years, subject areas, and careers, providing excellent networking opportunities in a casual setting.

If you would be interested in helping organise an event near you, please get in touch with the Development Office.

## Upcoming Gaudies

We look forward to welcoming the following matriculation year groups:

**In 2020**

1975-79

2010-13

**In 2021**

1960 and earlier

1990-93