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**NOTICES****Calendar**

28 April, *Friday*. Congregation of the Regent House at 10 a.m.

29 April, *Saturday*. Congregation of the Regent House at 10 a.m.

2 May, *Tuesday*. Discussion by videoconference at 2 p.m. (see below).

3 May, *Wednesday*. Ballots of the Regent House, voting opens at 10 a.m.

4 May, *Thursday*. End of first quarter of Easter Term.

6 May, *Saturday*. Scarlet Day. Coronation of HM King Charles III.

7 May, *Sunday*. Scarlet Day. Special Coronation Service in Great St Mary's, the University Church, at 11.30 a.m. (see p. 627).

15 May, *Monday*. Ballots of the Regent House, voting closes at 5 p.m.

**Discussions (Tuesdays at 2 p.m.)**

2 May

16 May

30 May

20 June

11 July

**Congregations (at 10 a.m. unless otherwise stated)**

28 and 29 April

19 and 20 May

21 June at 2.45 p.m. (Honorary Degrees)

28, 29 and 30 June and 1 July. (General Admission)

21 and 22 July

**Discussion on Tuesday, 2 May 2023**

The Acting Vice-Chancellor invites members of the Regent House, University and College employees, registered students and others qualified under the regulations for Discussions (*Statutes and Ordinances*, p. 111) to attend a Discussion by **videoconference** on Tuesday, 2 May 2023 at 2 p.m. The following items will be discussed:

1. Report of the General Board, dated 22 March 2023, on the establishment of a Professorship (*Reporter*, 6693, 2022–23, p. 480).
2. Annual Reports and Financial Statements for the year ended 31 July 2022 (*Reporter*, 6694, 2022–23, p. 487).
3. Report of the Council, dated 18 April 2023, on corrections and minor changes to the Statutes (*Reporter*, 6696, 2022–23, p. 602).
4. Report of the Council, dated 18 April 2023, on a Visitor Welcome Building (Station Road gate) for the Botanic Garden (*Reporter*, 6696, 2022–23, p. 603).

Those wishing to join the Discussion by videoconference should email [UniversityDraftsman@admin.cam.ac.uk](mailto:UniversityDraftsman@admin.cam.ac.uk) from their University email account, providing their CRSid (if a member of the collegiate University), by 10 a.m. on the date of the Discussion to receive joining instructions. Alternatively contributors may email their remarks to [contact@proctors.cam.ac.uk](mailto:contact@proctors.cam.ac.uk), copying [ReporterEditor@admin.cam.ac.uk](mailto:ReporterEditor@admin.cam.ac.uk), by no later than 10 a.m. on the day of the Discussion for reading out by the Proctors,<sup>1</sup> or may ask someone else who is attending to read the remarks on their behalf.

In accordance with the regulations for Discussions, the Chair of the Board of Scrutiny or any ten members of the Regent House<sup>2</sup> may request that the Council arrange for one or more of the items listed for discussion to be discussed in person (usually in the Senate-House). Requests should be made to the Registrar, on paper or by email to [UniversityDraftsman@admin.cam.ac.uk](mailto:UniversityDraftsman@admin.cam.ac.uk) from addresses within the cam.ac.uk domain, by no later than 9 a.m. on the day of the Discussion. Any changes to the Discussion schedule will be confirmed in the *Reporter* at the earliest opportunity.

General information on Discussions is provided on the University Governance site at <https://www.governance.cam.ac.uk/governance/decision-making/discussions/>.

<sup>1</sup> Any comments sent by email should please begin with the name and title of the contributor as they wish it to be read out and include at the start a note of any College and/or Departmental affiliations held.

<sup>2</sup> <https://www.scrutiny.cam.ac.uk/> and [https://www.admin.cam.ac.uk/reporter/regent\\_house\\_roll/](https://www.admin.cam.ac.uk/reporter/regent_house_roll/).

**Reminder: Additional Flag days and 'Scarlet days' in 2023**

The Acting Vice-Chancellor reminds members of the University that, as announced in an earlier Notice (*Reporter*, 6683, 2022–23, p. 282), the University Flag will fly from the Old Schools on 6, 7 and 8 May 2023, i.e. across the Coronation Weekend. In accordance with the regulation for the wearing of festal gowns by Doctors, Saturday, 6 May and Sunday, 7 May 2023 are also designated as 'Scarlet days', to mark both the Coronation and, on the following day, the University's attendance at special services in Great St Mary's, the University Church, and at Ely Cathedral.

## Election to the Council

21 April 2023

The Acting Vice-Chancellor announces that the following candidates have been nominated in accordance with Statute A IV 2 for election to the Council in class (b) (Professors, Clinical Professors, Readers and Professors (Grade 11)), and that it has been certified to him that the candidates have consented to be nominated:

*Candidates:*

Professor GEOFFREY DILLWYN MOGGRIDGE, *K*

*nominated by:* Professor R. V. Penty, *SID*, and Dr S. Srinivasan, *K*

Professor RICHARD MICHAEL MORTIER, *CHR*

*nominated by:* Professor R. J. Anderson, *CHU*, and Professor J. M. Wyburd, *CL*

Professor SHARON JAYNE PEACOCK, *JN*

*nominated by:* Professor P. H. Maxwell, *T*, and Professor C. Summers, *SE*

There will be an election to select one from among the three candidates. The person elected will serve with immediate effect until 31 December 2024.

Voting will open at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, 3 May and close at **5 p.m. on Monday, 15 May 2023**. Members of the Regent House will receive an email when voting opens on 3 May.

## Honorary Degree Congregation: Wednesday, 21 June 2023

24 April 2023

The Acting Vice-Chancellor reminds members of the University that a Congregation will take place on Wednesday, 21 June 2023, at 2.45 p.m., at which the Chancellor expects to preside and confer titular degrees *honoris causa*. The following persons were approved for these degrees by the Regent House at a Congregation held on Saturday, 25 March 2023:

DOCTOR OF LAW

### **Professor Stephen J. Toope**

Honorary Fellow of Trinity College, Honorary and former Fellow of Clare Hall, Emeritus Vice-Chancellor and Emeritus Professor of International Law, lawyer and academic leader.

DOCTOR OF MEDICAL SCIENCE

### **Sir Ravinder Maini**

Honorary Fellow of Sidney Sussex College, Emeritus Professor of Rheumatology, Imperial College School of Medicine, rheumatologist.

DOCTOR OF SCIENCE

### **Professor Chris Frith**

Member of Christ's College, Emeritus Professor of Neuropsychology, University College London, psychologist.

### **Dame Julia Slingo**

Formerly Chief Scientist, United Kingdom Meteorological Office, meteorologist and climate scientist.

### **Dr John C. Taylor**

Honorary Fellow of Corpus Christi College, former Chairman of Strix Ltd (recipient of four Queen's Awards), inventor and holder of over four hundred patents, horologist and philanthropist.

DOCTOR OF LETTERS

### **Dame Linda Colley**

Honorary Fellow and former Fellow of Christ's College, sometime Fellow of Girton College and of Newnham College, member of Darwin College, Shelby M. C. Davis 1958 Professor of History, Princeton University, historian.

### **Mrs Lida Lopes Cardozo Kindersley**

Honorary Fellow of Magdalene College, member of Clare Hall, Partner, The Cardozo Kindersley Workshop, lettercutter, typographer and author.

DOCTOR OF MUSIC

### **Professor Chi-chi Nwanoku**

Visiting Fellow of Jesus College, Professor of Double Bass Historical Studies, Royal Academy of Music, Founder and Artistic Director of the Chineke! Foundation and Principal Double Bass, Chineke! Orchestra, musician.

## ADMISSION AND TICKETS

**Admission will be by ticket only.**

All students, alumni and staff (including retired staff) of the University and its Colleges are eligible to apply for tickets for themselves (but not for personal guests). If demand exceeds capacity, all applications received by the deadline will be balloted.

Applications should preferably be made online at: <https://cam.ac.uk/HD23-Reporter>

Those without internet access can make a postal application to Honorary Degrees, The Vice-Chancellor's Office, The Old Schools, Trinity Lane, Cambridge, CB2 1TN. **The deadline for all applications is Friday, 19 May 2023.** Successful applicants should expect to receive their ticket by early June and further details about the day will be included on the tickets.

Those who have queries or applicants who can no longer attend should please contact [HonDegsRSVP@admin.cam.ac.uk](mailto:HonDegsRSVP@admin.cam.ac.uk) so that their place can be offered to others. *Tickets are named and not transferable.*

## TIMETABLE

Unless processing (see below), a ticket-holder must be seated in the Senate-House not later than 2.30 p.m. The Congregation is expected to end at about 3.35 p.m.

## RECEPTION

There will be a reception afterward for all those attending, with cover in the event of wet weather. Attendees should be prepared to show their ticket to gain access.

## DRESS

Matriculated members of the University are reminded that they should wear academical dress at Congregations. 21 June will be a 'Scarlet day', so Doctors should wear their festal gowns and all graduates are requested to wear hoods if they have them. Undergraduates wear their gowns. With the exception of the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, High Steward, Deputy High Steward, Commissary, Proctors, Registrary, Esquire Bedells, Orator and Honorands, members of the University holding non-Cambridge degrees may wear the dress of those degrees on this occasion.

## PROCESSIONS

Provided that the weather allows, a procession will form in the Schools Arcade at 2.25 p.m. Those specified below who wish to process should state this in their application. Only holders of Cambridge Professorial Chairs (Grade 12) or Cambridge Higher Doctorates (D.D., LL.D., M.D. if conferred before 2014, Med.Sc.D., Sc.D., Litt.D. or Mus.D.) are eligible to process as Professors or Doctors. Seating for the procession is limited, so a processional ticket cannot be guaranteed for every eligible applicant.

After consulting the Proctors in accordance with the relevant regulation, the Acting Vice-Chancellor has prescribed the following order of processions before the Congregation:

The Vice-Marshal

Heads of Colleges

The Regius Professors of Divinity, Civil Law, Physic, Hebrew, Greek, History, Botany and Engineering

Professors (Grade 12) who are Doctors of Divinity, Law, Medicine (if conferred before 2014) or Medical Science, Science, Letters or Music

Doctors of Divinity, Law, Medicine (if conferred before 2014) or Medical Science, Science, Letters or Music

The Librarian

Other Professors (Grade 12) and the Director of the Fitzwilliam Museum

Members of the Council

The Pro-Proctors

A second procession will form and proceed immediately after the first:

The Esquire Bedells

The Chancellor

The Chancellor's Train-bearer

The University Marshal

The Orator    The Acting Vice-Chancellor    The Registrary

The Proctors

(University Constables)

The High Steward

The Deputy High Steward

The Commissary

The Pro-Vice-Chancellors

The Honorands

The Deputy Proctors

The Pro-Proctor for Ceremonial

## The University Centre

20 April 2023

The Council is providing the following information in response to questions from the Board of Scrutiny about the current and future use of the University Centre at Granta Place.

The University Centre was built to provide recreational and meeting space as well as catering facilities for those within the University community who did not have access to College amenities. The Report of the Syndicate on the Relationship between the University and the Colleges noted that there was ‘no single focus for the life of the University as distinct from its Colleges’ and that those University staff who were not Fellows of Colleges, and postgraduate research students, ought to have access to ‘rooms for meetings and conferences, for occasions when the University gives hospitality, and for other needs’ (*Reporter*, 4289, 1961–62, p. 1104).

The Ordinance for the University Centre (*Statutes and Ordinances*, p. 676) reflects those expectations, by entitling members of the Regent House, University officers and Fellows of Colleges, and postgraduate registered students to be members of the University Centre.

The University Centre, along with other buildings across the estate, was closed during the Covid-19 pandemic. This closure coincided with plans to undertake some internal refurbishment to provide more teaching space and operational accommodation within the building, and to relocate the central catering kitchen from the University Centre to the West Hub on the West Cambridge site. That work is now complete, and the University Centre has since re-opened, therefore space within the building remains available to members of the University Centre.

The building is now some 55 years old and in urgent need of comprehensive refurbishment. The current refurbishment works, including replacing the roof coverings, are to enable the continued productive use of the building pending agreement as to its future long-term use. A feasibility study will be conducted this year to evaluate options for future use of the building, and the outcomes from this work will be included within the wider Reshaping Our Estate programme, which will be submitted to the Council in due course. There will be a consultation as part of this work, which will include seeking the views of those entitled to membership of the University Centre about its future. If the Council, after considering the findings of the study and the consultation, supports permanent changes to the use of the building, it will publish a Report presenting those proposals for approval.

## R. S. Whipple Fund

20 April 2023

Under Section 67 of the Charities Act 2011<sup>1</sup>, the Charity Commission has power to change the purposes of a charity after having regard to certain matters. The Commission has agreed, after consultation with the Office for Students, to make a scheme to amend Regulation 2 of the Ordinance for the R. S. Whipple Fund (*Statutes and Ordinances*, p. 1031). The current purposes of the Fund do not provide a use for all of its income. The effect of the scheme (available on the *Reporter* website at <https://www.admin.cam.ac.uk/reporter/2022-23/weekly/6697/WhippleFundScheme2023.pdf>) is to widen the Fund’s purposes so that, provided there are sufficient funds, the income of the Fund can be applied to support the offices of Director and Curator, and of Assistant Curator, of the Whipple Museum. The Council is submitting a Grace (Grace 1, p. 628) to amend Regulation 2 of the Ordinance to reflect the changes being made by the scheme. The Commission has agreed to seal the scheme, and therefore bring it into effect, on the date the Grace is approved (or very shortly thereafter).

<sup>1</sup> <https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2011/25/section/67/2019-03-01#section-67-2>

## Special Service to mark the Coronation of His Majesty King Charles III

A special service to mark the Coronation will be held in Great St Mary’s, the University Church, at 11.30 a.m. on Sunday, 7 May 2023. HM Lord-Lieutenant will be represented and there will be a Civic Procession. A procession of University Officers and Heads of Colleges will also take place. Other members of the University are also welcome to attend the service. Gowns are worn, graduates are invited to wear hoods, Doctors wear their festal gowns (6 and 7 May having been designated as ‘Scarlet days’) and apart from certain Officers, the dress of non-Cambridge degrees may be worn on this occasion. Those holding orders and decorations conferred by the Crown are invited to wear their insignia.

## VACANCIES, APPOINTMENTS, ETC.

### Vacancies in the University

A full list of current vacancies can be found at <https://www.jobs.cam.ac.uk/>

**University Assistant/Associate Professorship in Automation Systems in the Department of Engineering;** salary: £44,414–£56,048 or £59,450–£63,059; closing date: 22 May 2023; further details: <https://www.jobs.cam.ac.uk/job/35405/>; quote reference: NM31727

*The University actively supports equality, diversity and inclusion and encourages applications from all sections of society.*

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

**EVENTS, COURSES, ETC.****Announcement of lectures, seminars, etc.**

The University offers a large number of lectures, seminars and other events, many of which are free of charge, to members of the University and others who are interested. Details can be found on individual Faculty, Department and institution websites, on the What's On website (<https://www.admin.cam.ac.uk/whatson/>) and on Talks.cam (<https://www.talks.cam.ac.uk/>). A variety of training courses are also available to members of the University, information and booking for which can be found online at <https://www.training.cam.ac.uk/>.

Brief details of upcoming events are given below.

<i>Faculty of Mathematics</i>	The Rouse Ball Lecture 2023, <i>Universality for groups</i> , by Professor Melanie Matchett Wood, Harvard University, in the Bristol Myers-Squibb Lecture Theatre, Lensfield Road, on Thursday, 11 May 2023 at 12.15 p.m.	<a href="https://talks.cam.ac.uk/talk/index/176879">https://talks.cam.ac.uk/talk/index/176879</a>
<i>MRC Laboratory of Molecular Biology</i>	LMB Seminar Series, <i>Tissue genomics: High throughput tools for measuring and perturbing tissues</i> , by Dr Fei Chen, Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard and Department of Stem Cell and Regenerative Biology, Harvard University, online and in person at the Max Perutz Lecture Theatre, Laboratory of Molecular Biology, on Monday, 15 May 2023 at 11 a.m.	<a href="https://www2.mrc-lmb.cam.ac.uk/news-and-events/scientific-seminars/">https://www2.mrc-lmb.cam.ac.uk/news-and-events/scientific-seminars/</a>

**GRACES****Graces submitted to the Regent House on 26 April 2023**

The Council submits the following Graces to the Regent House. These Graces, unless they are withdrawn or a ballot is requested in accordance with the regulations for Graces of the Regent House (*Statutes and Ordinances*, p. 112), will be deemed to have been approved at **4 p.m. on Friday, 5 May 2023**. Further information on requests for a ballot or the amendment of Graces is available to members of the Regent House on the Regent House Petitions site.<sup>§</sup>

1. That Regulation 2 of the Ordinance for the R. S. Whipple Fund (*Statutes and Ordinances*, p. 1031) be amended to reflect the wording of a scheme made by the Charity Commission, to read as follows:<sup>1</sup>
  2. The income of the fund shall be applied for the advancement of education for the benefit of the public through the support of the work of the Whipple Museum of the History of Science by:
    - (a) the purchase of instruments, models, or books for the Museum; and
    - (b) provided there are sufficient funds, the payment of the stipend, national insurance, pension contributions and associated indirect costs of:
      - (i) the Director and Curator of the Museum; and
      - (ii) the Assistant Curator of the Museum.

<sup>1</sup> See the Council's Notice, p. 627.

<sup>§</sup> See <https://www.governance.cam.ac.uk/governance/key-bodies/RH-Senate/Pages/RH-Petitions.aspx> for details.

**Graces to be submitted to the Regent House at a Congregation on 28 April 2023**

The Council has sanctioned the submission of the following Graces to the Regent House at a Congregation to be held on 28 April 2023:

That the following person be admitted to the degree of Master of Arts by incorporation:

1. JAMES SPENCER ANDERSON, Fellow of Girton College, Master of Arts of the University of Oxford (2006).

That the following person be admitted to the degree of Master of Arts under the provisions of Statute B II 2:

2. STUART DAVIS, Fellow of Girton College.

## **Graces to be submitted to the Regent House at a Congregation on 29 April 2023**

The Council has sanctioned the submission of the following Graces to the Regent House at a Congregation to be held on 29 April 2023:

That the following person be admitted to the degree of Doctor of Philosophy by incorporation:

**1. MARIE-CLAIRE CORDONIER SEGGER**, Fellow of Lucy Cavendish College, Doctor of Philosophy of the University of Oxford (2013).

That the following persons be admitted to the degree of Master of Arts under the provisions of Statute B II 2:

**2. STEPHEN GERARD BAKER**, Fellow of Wolfson College.

**3. WENDY FRANCES EVANS**, Fellow of Newnham College.

**4. CHRISTOPHER JOHN FOWELL**, Fellow of Lucy Cavendish College.

**5. FERNANDA GALLO**, Fellow of Homerton College.

**6. KATE LAURA GLENNIE**, Fellow of St Edmund's College.

**7. ADAM JAMES HALL**, Computer Officer in the Yusuf Hamied Department of Chemistry.

E. M. C. RAMPTON, *Registrar*

**END OF THE OFFICIAL PART OF THE 'REPORTER'**

## COLLEGE NOTICES

### Elections

#### Robinson College

Elected to a Fellowship in Class A from 31 March 2023:

Peter L. Bossaerts, Lic., Drs., *Antwerp*, Ph.D., *UCLA*

Elected to a Fellowship in Class B from 31 March 2023:

Stephanie Archer, B.Sc., M.Sc., Ph.D., *Derby*

### Vacancies

*Churchill College*: Postdoctoral By-Fellowships 2023 (up to sixteen available, any subject); tenure: up to three years from 1 October 2023; non-stipendiary but collegiate benefits apply; closing date: 16 June 2023; further details: <https://www.chu.cam.ac.uk/about/master-and-fellowship/postdoctoral-by-fellowships/>

*Hughes Hall, St Edmunds College and Lucy Cavendish College*: College Teaching Officer in Economics (and Director of Studies in Economics in each of the three Colleges); tenure: four years from no later than 1 October 2023; salary: £32,348–£47,423, depending on experience; closing date: 22 May 2023 at 12 noon; further details: <https://www.hughes.cam.ac.uk/about/vacancies/>

### Memorial Service

*Hughes Hall*

#### Nigel Brown

A Memorial Service for Nigel Brown, OBE, Honorary Fellow and former City Fellow of Hughes Hall (*Reporter*, 6684, 2022–23, p. 294), will be held at Great St Mary's, the University Church, on Saturday, 29 April 2023 at 4 p.m.

### Events

*Clare Hall*

#### The Betty Behrens Seminar on Classics of Historiography

Seminars will take place on the following Thursdays, at 2 p.m., in the Richard Eden Suite, Clare Hall, convened by Professor Davide Cadeddu: 4 May, Professor Judith Mossman on Plutarch's *Parallel Lives*; 11 May, Professor Jane Caplan on Arnold Toynbee's *A Study of History*; 18 May, Professor John Robertson on Giambattista Vico's *The New Science*; 25 May, Professor Maurizio Viroli on Niccolò Machiavelli's *Florentine Histories*. Further details and booking: <https://www.clarehall.cam.ac.uk/events/bettybehrensseminar23-2/>

## EXTERNAL NOTICES

### Oxford Notices

*Faculty of History*: Roy Foster Irish Government Research Fellowship in the History and Culture of Ireland; tenure: one year from 1 October 2023 or as soon as possible thereafter; stipend: £24,062; closing date: 20 June 2023 at 12 noon; further details: <https://history.web.ox.ac.uk/event/roy-foster-irish-government-research-fellowship-2023>

*Merton College*: Stipendiary Lectureship in Management; tenure: one year from 1 October 2023; salary: £5,558 (two contact hours per week); closing date: 22 May 2023 at 12 noon; further details: <https://www.merton.ox.ac.uk/vacancies>

*Pembroke College*: Deputy Development Director; salary: £45,000–£55,000; closing date: 1 May 2023 at 5 p.m.; further details: <https://www.pmb.ox.ac.uk/vacancies>

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