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# **Student News**



## Week 6 - Trinity term 2014

Student News is emailed to you fortnightly during term from Week 0 and contains key information, including deadlines, reminders and events from the central University. Further information is available from the <a href="Oxford Students website">Oxford Students website</a>.



## Post examination celebrations

As you are coming out of Finals, please remain silent until you are clear of the building for the benefit of any students still in examinations. Balloons, flowers and even the giving of bottles of alcohol for opening later are all appropriate ways of celebrating. Any attempt to 'celebrate' by covering your friends in foodstuffs or any other substances can and will result in fixed-penalty fines and summons from the Proctors. A message from the Proctors on behaviour after examinations is available to read on the Oxford Student website.

## Registering to vote

From 10 June 2014 in England and Wales, and 19 September 2014 in Scotland, students who wish to vote will need to register themselves - this will no longer be done via the University. You can apply to register to vote at your non-term time address, your university address or both, via the Gov.uk website.

#### Asia careers fairs 2014

Interested in working in Asia? The Careers Service will be hosting careers fairs in Beijing, Hong Kong and Shanghai this summer. The fairs are a great opportunity to meet employers from different sectors including top western multi-nationals and local organisations who are recruiting into each region. Visit the <a href="Careers Service">Careers Service</a> website.

#### Teach in Burma this summer

Following the success of the inaugural Aung San Suu Kyi Summer School at St Hugh's College, the University is launching an English Language Summer School programme in Yangon, Burma / Myanmar. Accompanied by a qualified teacher, students will travel to the University of Yangon to teach English from Friday 4 July to Friday 1 August 2014. Flights, visa costs, accommodation and meals will be provided. For further details and application forms, email <a href="Thea Crapper">Thea Crapper</a> or submit your CV via <a href="CareerConnect">CareerConnect</a> (vacancy ID 61278). Applications close at midday on 6 June 2014.

## A New Agenda for inclusive growth

In the wake of the financial crisis and global shifts in economic power, the Rt Hon Liam Byrne MP, Shadow Minister for Universities, Science and Skills, will speak about how best to foster an inclusive economy for Britain which properly and productively shares the benefits and opportunities of growth, while also leveraging the vital role played by universities in building a skills-based, innovation-led economy. Register to attend the event - from 17:00-18:30 on 5 June 2014, Oxford Martin School, Corner of Catte and Holywell Street - or view the live webcast.

## Workshops for research and learning

Bodleian Libraries will be running a series of workshops during June on a range of topics and tools to support research and learning for undergraduates, graduates and researchers. These workshops are open free of charge to all members of Oxford University. For more information and to book place, visit the <u>Bodleian Libraries</u> website.

## Clinical vaccine trials

The Jenner Institute are developing vaccines against major global diseases and want healthy volunteers aged 18 to 55 to take part in trials of them. Participants will be paid compensation for expenses and time put aside to take part. Each study will require short visits to an outpatient clinic over four to 12 months. To find out more and register, visit the <u>Jenner Institute website</u>.

### **Summer school in Madrid**

The Europaeum alliance of universities is hosting a <u>summer school</u> just outside Madrid on "Gender in Europe: An Unfinished Revolution?" from 29 June to 4 July 2014. All local expenses are covered with flights to be paid for by the participants. An impressive list of speakers and a beautiful venue will make for an inspiring week. The deadline for applications is 8 June 2014.

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