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# Student News



## Week 0 - Trinity term 2014

Student News is emailed to you fortnightly during term from 0th week and contains key information, including deadlines, reminders and events from the central University. Further information is available from the [Oxford Student website](#).



## New Oxford Students website

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From tomorrow (Wednesday 23 April 2014), the Student Gateway is being replaced by a new-look Oxford Students website. The site has been redesigned with ease of navigation and access in mind. For information on academic matters, fees and funding, visa and immigration, Oxford life, health and welfare and graduation, visit the [Oxford Students website](#).

## Examination checklist 2014

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Are you prepared for examinations taking place in Trinity term 2014? The Examination checklist 2014 is available for your reference. From checking your timetable and organising alternative arrangements, to booking a mock examination and reading the Examination Regulations, make sure you are prepared for your [examinations](#).

## Student Self Service connection error

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A number of students are experiencing a connection error when trying to login to Student Self Service. This error can be fixed by deleting your temporary internet files (cookies and cache) and restarting your browser. IT Services are working on fixing this issue, apologies for any inconvenience caused.

## Student finance applications now open

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Student finance applications are now open for 2014/15 for all UK and EU students. You must reapply for each year of your course, and should do so as soon as possible to ensure your funding is in place for Michaelmas term 2014. To be considered for Oxford's financial support in 2014/15, you must be financially assessed in your application for UK government funding. Find out more about [Student finance applications](#).

## Staying in the UK to work

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If you are an international student and wish to stay in the UK to work after your studies, you can find out more by attending the Careers Service presentation from 12:30-14:00 on Tuesday 29 April 2014. More information is available on the [Careers Services website](#).

## Social Impact Award nominations

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Do you know an inspiring person who has demonstrated an exceptional commitment to society and the wider world? You can recognise their work by nominating them for a Vice Chancellor's Social Impact Award, granted every year to six outstanding students who have shown extraordinary commitment to creating positive social change, whether through volunteering, fundraising, campaigning, research or social enterprise. The deadline for [nominations](#) is Thursday 24 April 2014.

## Testing new malaria vaccines

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The Jenner Institute is looking for healthy volunteers to take part in a malaria challenge study, testing the effectiveness of new malaria vaccines. If you are aged 18-45, are in good health and have never had malaria, you may be eligible to participate. Volunteers will be compensated for their time and travel during the study period of three to eight months. To find out more visit the [Jenner Institute website](#).

## OUSU Teaching Awards

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While at Oxford have you experienced excellent teaching? Have you had a tutor, lecturer, supervisor or a member of support staff who has made a difference and inspired you? Now is your chance to nominate them. Nominations for the [OUSU Teaching Awards](#) are now open.

## Oxford Sparks

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Oxford Sparks is running a series of training courses and networking events in public engagement and science communication during Trinity term 2014. Events include 'An introduction to public engagement and science communication', taking place from 13:00-15:00 on Thursday 8 May 2014. For information and to register for this as well as other events in the series, visit the [Oxford Sparks website](#).

## Get a head-start in your career

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Considering applying to sectors such as Law, IT, Management Consultancy, Banking or Finance next year? If so, don't miss the 'Get a head-start' Careers Fair from 15:00-18:00 on Friday 2 May 2014. If you're trying to decide if one of these sectors is for you, want to learn more about the roles available, or find out how to make the most effective application, come and meet over 25 employers in one afternoon. Find out more on the [Careers Services website](#).

Visit the [Oxford Students website](#) for more news and events.

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