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Student News



Week 8 - 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 [Oxford Students website](#).



Sports bursaries of £2,500 available

Applications are open to the Vincent's Club Award Scheme, which will provide four means-tested bursaries of up to £2,500 in 2014/15 to outstanding sportspeople studying at Oxford. Awards are available to students who have a strong academic attainment coupled with sporting ability and a commitment to helping those less fortunate. For more information and details of how to apply, visit the [Vincent's Awards website](#). The closing date for applications is 16 July 2014.

Order your University branded business cards

Undertaking an internship, or networking with prospective employers during the Long Vacation? Order your University of Oxford, department or college branded [business cards](#). Cards are available in a minimum quantity of 100 to matriculated students, clubs and societies. Alternative language options are available.

Job and Internships Fair 2014

Are you looking for work experience over the Long Vacation or a full-time job if you leave Oxford this year? The Careers Service will be holding the [Job and Internship Fair](#) from 14:30-17:30 on Thursday 19 June 2014, to help with your search. Visit Oxford Town Hall to meet 30 employers with job or internship vacancies available, get advice on your CV and attend careers talks on: 'Finding a job' and 'Finding an internship'. No booking is necessary.

Returning to study in the 2014/15 academic year?

An essential part of being a student of the University is the annual completion of registration using Student Self Service. If you are returning to the University to continue your studies in the 2014/15 academic year, you will receive an email reminder to complete your registration from 1 September in order to be enrolled for your next year of study. [Registering](#) will also enable you to receive student loan payments and meet the conditions of your visa (where applicable).

Test new Student Self Service screens and earn a £50 Amazon voucher

Student Self Service will be changing from January 2015. If you are returning to study in Michaelmas term and are available on 8 October and 19 November 2014 from 09:00-12:30 or 13:30-17:00 to help test the new screens, we would like to hear from you. If you attend a morning or afternoon session on both dates, you will receive a £50 Amazon voucher. To volunteer, email the [Student Systems Programme](#) by Monday 30 June 2014.

Clinical vaccine trials

The Jenner Institute is looking for healthy volunteers, aged 18-55, who have never had the BCG vaccine (tuberculosis) to participate in a vaccine trial. Participants will be paid compensation for time, travel and expenses. The study will require several short visits to an outpatient clinic over one month. A response to this advert will be recorded, but carries no obligation to take part. If you volunteer, you can withdraw from the trial at any time. For information, visit the [Jenner website](#).

Preparing to leave Oxford?

If you are about to complete your studies at Oxford, there are a few things that you need to do before you leave. To find out about your continuing access to University [IT services](#), including email, Student Self Service and tuition reports, visit the [Oxford Students website](#). You are also asked to update your contact details to ensure that you continue to receive important correspondence from the University.

Verifying qualifications

[Degree Conferrals](#) will respond to authorised requests for information on educational attainments from employers or prospective employers or from other educational institutions, funding bodies or recognised voluntary organisations. Information may include, for example, confirmation of degree awarded, dates of attendance and subjects studied.

Joining the alumni community

Find out about the benefits of joining our [alumni community](#), including free admission to Oxford library services, comprehensive support in your career planning and management from the Careers Service and invitations to a series of sector-specific [professional networking events](#) to help connect you with alumni working in your field of interest.

Oxford Careers Network

After leaving the University, you can volunteer to share your experiences of life after Oxford. By becoming part of the [Oxford Careers Network](#) you can help future students with their career choices and life beyond their degree. Volunteers represent a broad range of occupations including the legal sector, journalism, development, medicine, media, music and business.

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