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QUEENS' STUDENT NEWSLETTER 7



Yoga with Mindfulness

Sessions take place at 5.15pm every Thursday in the Bowett Room and cost £4.00 each.

Come and learn some simple, quick-fix and feel-good tools to have up your sleeve.

Contact Emily Farrar (welfare.emily@queens.cam.ac.uk) for further information



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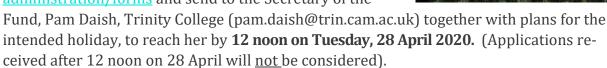
Donald Robertson Travel Fund (for open-air holidays, preferably among mountains)

The Donald Robertson Travel Fund exists to assist undergraduates (graduating BA in 2021 or later, i.e., not those in their final year now, nor those now doing clinical or similar studies) to take strenuous open-air holidays in the Long Vacation, either at home or abroad, preferably among mountains. (Grants to assist holidays not among mountains are rarely given.)

The Trustees regret that the limited funds at their disposal make it impossible for them to award grants to former recipients, or to those who have already graduated BA, or to final-year undergraduates graduating in 2020. Grants are not made to applicants who intend to use the holiday for study, nor does the Fund support large expeditions.

If you would like to apply -

⇒ Complete the application form, which can be found on the Forms page of the Queens' website: https://www.queens.cam.ac.uk/life-at-queens/student-administration/forms and send to the Secretary of the





Applicants, whose plans seem suitable, will be asked (normally one evening in May) to call on the Trustees for an interview. If you are awarded a grant, the Trustees will expect you to write a report of your holiday (minimum of two pages) giving your impressions of new contacts, scenery and happenings set in a general record of the trip to reach the Secretary of the Fund by Friday, 23 October 2020.





Restricted Subject—Management Studies

Information Evening—

Thursday 27 February 2020, 17.30-18.30.

If you are interested in reading for the MST, you are strongly encouraged to attend the information session taking place in Lecture Theatre 1 at the Judge Business School.

Management Studies is a one-year course that can only be taken by students in their final year of undergraduate study, that is as the third or fourth year of a BA. Potential applicants should consult Prof Bart Lambrecht (bmacl10@cam.ac.uk) the DoS for Management Studies before downloading a change of subject application form, which is available from the Queens' website at: https://www.queens.cam.ac.uk/current-students/tutorial-information/tutorial-policies/restricted-subjects

Applications are made through the Tutorial Office (tutorial.secretary@queens.cam.ac.uk) **and should be submitted by noon, Wednesday, 15 April 2020** in the penultimate year of your course. Offers are normally made by the Judge Business School (JBS) in June. The current minimum requirement is a 2:1 in every previous year, with an overall average of at least 64%. While this percentage requirement is an absolute minimum, the required grade to receive an offer may be higher in any given year according to the number of applications and the strength of the applicant field.

Please note that it is the student's responsibility to communicate their examination results to Bella Stewart (b.stewart@jbs.cam.ac.uk) at the Judge Business School.

Students who would normally be expecting to graduate at the end of their third year should also be aware that, due to the timing of offers from the JBS, it will not be possible to graduate in the General Admission Congregation in June. (This is because it will be too late to register by the time you receive a decision, and you cannot apply after graduating.)

Further information is available from the Judge Business School at: https://www.jbs.cam.ac.uk/programmes/undergraduate/

Widening Participation Assistant—Vacancy

This appointment will be offered to those graduating from Queens' this summer, in the first instance. It's ideal for someone looking to gain work experience for a potential career in the student education system.

Specific tasks will include:

- Develop, manage and deliver outreach activities
- Manage HEAT database reporting
- Develop database of available Queens' graduate student taster sessions
- Assist with organisation of Queens' Open Days
- Manage Admissions Office social media activity
- Engage in outreach event and project planning
- Liaise with external programme providers as necessary
- Assist Schools Liaison Officer with school visits as required
- Assist with undergraduate admissions duties as required

We are looking for someone who is friendly, outgoing, responsible, demonstrates initiative, is well organised and capable of managing/prioritising own work loads, and is proud to be a member of Queens'.

This is a full time post (36 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours per week, Monday to Friday) for a fixed term of one year. Salary is £19,357 per annum, starting in September 2020.

To apply for this position, please send your CV to jobs@queens.cam.ac.uk by 9:00am on Monday 2nd March 2020. Interviews will be held during week commencing 9th March 2020.

If you would like more information about this appointment, please contact Maria McElroy or Isaac Barkway in the Admissions Office – email (slo@queens.cam.ac.uk) or phone (01223 767138/335575)

QUEENS' AT A GLANCE

FEBRUARY

26—29—Lent Bumps Races (provisional)

29—Lent Bumps Supper (7.00pm) (provisional)

MARCH

- 3—7 BATS Performance
- 4—Queens' MAs dining on High Table (7.00pm)
- 7—Junior Members' Guest Night (7.00pm)
- 8—Music and Readings for Passiontide (5.00pm, Chapel)
- 10—Sprung! (7.30pm, Fitzpatrick Hall)
- 13—END OF FULL TERM
- 18—Residence ends

20 April—12 June—EXAMS IN COLLEGE

Magdalene College invites submissions for the Peter Peckard Memorial Prize

"Is it ever right to make slaves of others against their will?"

Peter Peckard, 1788



Magdalene College invites submissions for its annual Peter Peckard Memorial Prize. Collective entries by Univ of College societies and essays written for undergraduate degrees are welcomed.

Brief:

An essay, or equivalent (research paper, report, short film, podcast, blog post or other media) on some egregious form of human exploitation in the world today and the actions needed to eliminate it.

- ♦ Competition open to Univ of Cambridge undergraduates.
- ♦ Work produced for undergraduate degrees welcomed.
- ♦ Collective entries by a Univ of College Society welcomed.
- ♦ Entries must be between 6,000-10,000 words (excluding the bibliography). Figures, tables, etc., will count at 250 words per page.
- ♦ All debts to other scholars, including teachers, books, articles and websites should be acknowledged.
- ♦ In the case of a tie, the judges will split the prize.

Deadline for submissions: 10 July 2020

Prize: £1,000

Winner announced: 22 July 2020

The winner will be invited with a guest and the Head of House/Senior Tutor of their College to a prize-giving ceremony on Thursday, 22 October 2020 followed by a dinner at Magdalene College hosted by the Master, Senior Fellows and members of the prize-giving committee.



A submission form can be found at: https://www.magd.cam.ac.uk/peter-peckard-memorial-prize

Darwin College Lecture Series:

Darwin College Lady Mitchell Hall Sidgwick Avenue

Eruptions, Emissions & Enigmas

Prof Tamsin Mather University of Oxford 5.30pm, Friday, 28 February



Archaeological Mysteries

Dr Albert Yu-Min Lin Explorer 5.30pm, Friday, 6 March

