



FOR UNIVERSITY STAFF

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CONGRATULATIONS



Congratulations to Katharine Pinnick and Leanne Hodson who have been awarded funding from the Humane Research Trust for their project “ **Developing New *In Vitro* Cellular Models To Culture Human Lipid-Laden Cells**”

SEMINARS

This week’s Wednesday seminar will be a talk by Dr D Mark Wright. The talk will begin promptly at 1pm in the Robert Turner Lecture Theatre, and sandwiches for those attending will be available from 12:45pm.

The OCDEM Wednesday Seminar Series is sponsored by an unrestricted educational grant from the Boehringer-Ingelheim.

FRIDAY SEMINAR

There is no Friday seminar this week.

MEDICAL GRAND ROUNDS

Thursday 1 February from 13:00 to 14:00

John Radcliffe Hospital, Lecture Theatre

Horton Hospital : Dr Nikant Sabharwal

Rheumatology: “**35 Years On: The Changing Face Of Metabolic Bone Disease**”- Prof Paul Wordsworth

Chair: Prof Chris Conlon

TRAINING COURSE INFORMATION FROM THE RDM CAREER DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE



INSIGHT INTO ACADEMIA SEMINAR: MYTHS AND REALITIES PANEL

Tuesday 6th February, 13:00-14:00, at the Careers Service

Are you considering an academic career? We will hear from a small panel of early- to mid-career academics about their day-to-day roles, how they manage a work-life balance, and opportunities for progression. This is a chance to ask questions and generate discussion on many aspects of being an academic.

You do not need to book a place at this event but popular events may fill early so arrive in good time.

CV AND COVER LETTER SKILLS FOR DPHILS & RESEARCH STAFF

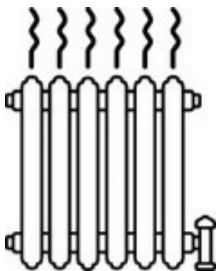
Date: Thursday 8th February, 13:00-16:00, at the Careers Service

This intensive workshop on producing effective CVs and Cover Letters is specifically for doctoral students and research staff, whether you are considering an academic or non-academic career, or are undecided. Using a mix of individual and informal small group exercises, we will

- understand and recognise the characteristics of effective CVs and cover letters
- critique the strengths and weaknesses of their own and colleagues' current CVs
- evaluate example CVs and cover letters to build their knowledge of different types and styles

To reserve a place please go to Career Connect

BUILDING MAINTENANCE REMINDER – PLEASE REPLY BY CLOSE OF PLAY THURSDAY 1ST OF FEB



I am trying to arrange a programme with NHS Trust Estates to repair any non-functioning radiators in space occupied by OCDEM university staff in the building. As this might entail the heating system being drained down it will probably have to take place during the warmer months.

To assist in drawing up this programme, I would be grateful if you could let me know, by e-mail to ocdemfacilities@ocdem.ox.ac.uk, of any radiators that you believe to be not working properly. I will need to know the room number (i.e. 101S56) where the radiator is situated and a brief description of the problem with it.

Many thanks for your assistance.

Den Carter

Facilities/Finance Officer

RDM Mentoring Scheme



More mentors
wanted!

The Radcliffe Department of Medicine offers a mentoring scheme to all its staff and students.

Mentoring is a powerful personal development tool that can help mentees to progress their careers and life more generally; while mentors can 'give something back' and at the same time enhance their own transferrable skills and CV. Mentors are needed from all staff groups and grades and can share personal and/or professional experiences, training will be available.

Launched in February 2014, the RDM Mentoring Scheme continues to be a real success with 130+ RDM staff and students participating, either as mentors or mentees (or both).

If you are interested in joining or want to know more, visit us at www.rdm.ox.ac.uk/mentoring or email mentoring@rdm.ox.ac.uk.

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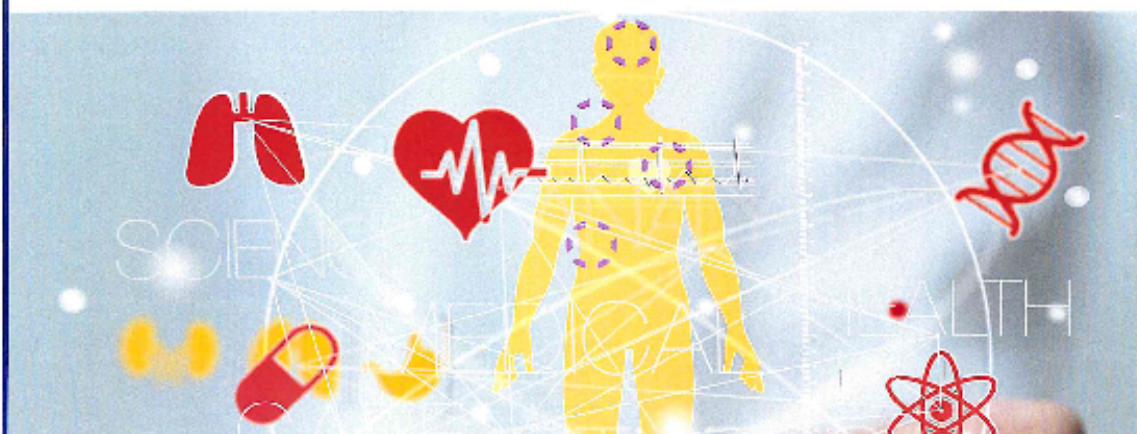
Lecture Series

Thursdays, 5.00–6.30pm
Oxford Martin School Lecture Theatre,
corner of Catte and Holywell Streets

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Health: fresh perspectives



- 25 Jan: **AI in Healthcare**
Professor David Clifton, Associate Professor, Department of Engineering Science, University of Oxford
- 01 Feb: **Transforming drug discovery – the pathway to innovation**
Professor Chas Bountra & Dr Wen Hwa Lee, Co-Directors, Oxford Martin Programme on Affordable Medicine
- 08 Feb: **Prospects for new tools to control malaria**
Professor Kevin Marsh, Professor of Tropical Medicine, Nuffield Department of Medicine, University of Oxford
- 14 Feb:
(WED) **Antibiotics: to regulate or not?**
Professor Steven J. Hoffman, Professor of Global Health, Law, and Political Science; and Director, Global Strategy Lab & Professor Julian Savulescu, Co-Director, Oxford Martin Programme on Collective Responsibility for Infectious Diseases
- 15 Feb: **The growing and ageing population: Implications and solutions**
Professor Sarah Harper, Director, Oxford Institute of Population Ageing
- 8 Mar: **Planetary health: is human health at risk in the anthropocene?**
Sir Andrew Haines, Professor of Public Health and Primary Care, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine

To register: www.oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk/event/2520

To watch the live webcasts: www.youtube.com/user/21school

PUBLIC LECTURE



INNOVATING FOOD SYSTEMS TO RESPOND TO RAPID GLOBAL CHANGES

**Dr Shenggen Fan, Director General, International
Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI)**



Wednesday 7 Feb, 5pm – 6.15pm
Lecture Theatre, Oxford Martin School
Corner of Catte & Holywell Streets

Register at
[www.oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk/
event/2529](http://www.oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk/event/2529)