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CONGRATULATIONS



Congratulations to Dr Kerry McLaughlin of the Rorsman Group won this year's award for Best Oral Presentation at the Diabetes UK Innovators in Diabetes meeting.



SEMINARS

WEDNESDAY SEMINAR

This week's Wednesday seminar will be hosted by Professor Fredrik Karpe and the speaker is Professor Andrew Farmer of the Nuffield Department of Primary Care Health Sciences.



The of his talk is "**Adherence, Clinical Inertia and Integrated Care**" 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 17th May from 13:00 to 14:00

John Radcliffe Hospital, Lecture Theatre

Haematology: "World Sickle Day- nothing 'benign' about sickle cell disease", Dr Noémi Roy and Mrs Sandy Hayes.

Psychological Medicine: "Medicine and 'Mental Health'", Prof Michael Sharpe

Chair: Prof Hugh Watkins

VACANCIES IN THE DEPARTMENT



RESEARCH ASSISTANT IN GLUCAGON SECRETION

Grade 6: £28,098 - £33,518 p.a.

The successful applicant will join Dr Quan Zhang's team at OCDEM for the study of metabolic regulation of islet hormone secretion. The successful applicant will assist in ongoing projects and the development of new projects with in vitro studies at the level of pancreatic islets/mammalian cells. The post is funded by an EFSD grant awarded to Dr Zhang.

Although full training will be given in a variety of assays, the person appointed will be expected to work independently on most tasks or in collaboration with the support of colleagues. Methods will include the preparation and analysis of samples for hormone secretion, DNA/RNA extraction, PCR, optical imaging and electrophysiology.

Candidates should have relevant laboratory experience.

The position is full-time and fixed-term for 12 months in the first instance and is funded by EFSD.

Please quote reference 134964 on all correspondence. You will be required to upload a CV and supporting statement as part of your online application.

Only applications received before 12.00 midday on 6 June 2018 can be considered.

TRAINING



COACHING SKILLS FOR MANAGERS

This workshop takes place on **Wed 6 June** and will introduce participants to the role and benefits of coaching, and when and how coaching skills can be used to support effective line management practice. It is part of the RDM Learning and Development Programme. As places are limited, you must register to attend via the [RDM Website](#).

ON-LINE INFORMATION SECURITY TRAINING –MANDATORY

The University provides an online information security awareness module, completion of which is **compulsory** and can be accessed by all staff:

<https://online.learning.ox.ac.uk/login/index.php>

Please note that this course must be completed each year and Karla will be sending out reminder emails to those staff who have not completed it to date or to those staff whose training has now lapsed.

COMMON PEOPLE FESTIVAL - STAFF OFFER

Oxford University staff can claim a 10% saving on tickets for this year's [Common People](#) festival.

The event at South Park takes place on Saturday 26 and Sunday 27 May. Please [CLICK](#)

[HERE](#) for details of the line up and other activities on offer. Please use code **OXFANDF10**

to claim the discount when [BOOKING.](#)

Garden Open Cream Teas



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