

# OCDEM BULLETIN



## FOR UNIVERSITY STAFF

**WEEK COMMENCING 23rd SEPTEMBER 2019**

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### **SEMINARS**

#### **WEDNESDAY SEMINAR**

There is no Wednesday seminar this week.

#### **FRIDAY SEMINAR**

There is no Friday seminar this week.

#### **MEDICAL GRAND ROUNDS**

There is no medical grand rounds this week



Congratulations to Anna Gluck of the Thakker Group who has been awarded a Boehringer Ingelheim Fonds travel grant to enable her to work 3 months with Professor Michel Bouvier at the University of Montreal.



## HEAD OF INFORMATICS

Grade 8: £41,526 - £49,553 with a discretionary range to £54,131 p.a.

The University of Oxford Diabetes Trials Unit (DTU) is recruiting for the post of Head of Informatics to lead its Informatics Group. The postholder will be responsible for all day-to-day informatics operations within the Unit. The DTU ([www.dtu.ox.ac.uk/](http://www.dtu.ox.ac.uk/)) is a UKCRC fully-registered clinical trials unit, that specialises in performing clinical trials related to the treatment and management of diabetes and other cardiometabolic disorders. These are both early-phase and late-phase trials, including mega trials typically conducted in 30 or more countries.

Reporting directly to the DTU Director, the postholder should be a recognised authority in their field with excellent leadership and personnel management skills. The postholder will be adept at effectively communicating expectations and technical information to team members, and to stakeholders, in a clear and timely manner. They should also have significant experience of building trial databases in electronic data capture systems and extensive programming expertise. Knowledge of Good Clinical Practice and regulatory requirements in relation to informatics, and experience of writing standard operating procedures and specification documents is critical.

Going forward there is an exciting opportunity for the postholder to develop the Informatics Group in the light of new business and projected growth of the DTU trials portfolio.

The post is offered until 31 December 2022 in the first instance, with the possibility of further extension. Requests for an informal discussion should be sent to:

**[amanda.adler@dtu.ox.ac.uk](mailto:amanda.adler@dtu.ox.ac.uk)**

Within your cover letter, please address how you meet the selection criteria described in the job description. Please quote vacancy number 142810 in all correspondence.

Only applications received before 12.00 noon on 21 October 2019 can be considered



It's Pippin Doughnuts time again. They will be delivered on Thursday and the flavours this month are as follows:

Mixed berry jam

Chocolate

Vanilla custard

Cinnamon and brown sugar

Lime and coconut

Lemon curd

Butterscotch and hazelnut

Strawberries and cream

Banana Toffee

The price is £1.10 per doughnut. If you/your group wants to put in an order can you please provide Karen Parish with the details by **10.00 am on Tuesday** along with the relevant money. Karen will take delivery of the doughnuts on the day.



Do you want to enter the Great OCDEM Bake Off 2019?

**FIRST ROUND Monday 30th**  
**September @ 10:30am in Info Café**  
**(OCDEM)**

- 2 rounds of baking; first round is cake, second round is biscuit
- £3 to enter; fee enters you for BOTH rounds.
- On the day all bakes will be judge by three independent judges
- All remaining bakes will be sold in the department as a cake sale on the day. Bring some cash!
- All money raised goes to charity (Sobell House).
- Star baker status will be awarded for each round.
- First place from both rounds wins **£30 John Lewis Voucher**
- Second place wins a £20 cake voucher with professional baker **Amara Jandu** ([@Cakes.by.amara](#))

To register contact [linford.briant@ocdem.ox.ac.uk](mailto:linford.briant@ocdem.ox.ac.uk)

You do not need to register if you just want to eat cake.