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Booklet A: Notes of Guidance for Applicants to Graduate Study using the Paper Application Form

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Disclaimer

These Notes of Guidance are intended to help you to apply for admission as a graduate student in the academic year beginning October 2008 using the paper application form.

Online Applications for Graduate Study

From September 2007, the University of Oxford will introduce an on-line graduate application form. If you would like to submit your application electronically then please visit the following website for further advice: <http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/postgraduate/apply>.

Please note that a failure to follow the advice given in these Notes of Guidance could cause a delay in the handling and processing of your application, which could result in it not being considered. **All candidates should read these notes thoroughly before compiling an application.**

Changes to Published Information:

We have tried to ensure that all details published here are correct at the time of going to press. In the event of any changes to these notes, or to the information provided in the Graduate Studies Prospectus, notice will be given on our website at: <http://www.ox.ac.uk/postgraduate/errata>

Applicants interested in graduate studies commencing after October 2008 should contact the Graduate Admissions Office from September 2008. This guide should not be used in subsequent years.

Who should use this guide?

This guide is intended to help anyone considering applying for any graduate programme offered by the University of Oxford, except those offered by the Department for Continuing Education (ODCE). There is a separate guide for ODCE programmes – Booklet B.

What does this booklet provide?

- * An overview of the application process
- * Advice on how to complete the paper application form
- * Advice on gathering your supplementary materials
- * Advice on important application deadlines
- * Information about the admissions procedure timeframe
- * Guidance on possible outcomes and the next stages
- * Information about the allocation of college places

If you are intending to apply using the online application form please use the Notes of Guidance for Online Application available from www.admin.ox.ac.uk/postgraduate/apply

What additional information is available for non-UK students?

Booklet C provides specialist advice for international students, including details of funding awards for which you can apply using the main university application form.

Glossary of Terms used during the Graduate Admissions Process

Gathered Field

The University of Oxford operates a series of admissions cycles called 'gathered fields' throughout the year, each of which has a deadline. Different subjects operate with different gathered fields and although more than one gathered field may be shown for a programme of study, you should submit your application with its supporting material for the earliest possible gathered field as there is no guarantee that places will be available later in the year.

Transcript

A breakdown of the subject marks you have obtained on a course of study during your higher education that is produced for you as an official document by the institution where you studied. A degree certificate is not considered a valid transcript.

FT/PT

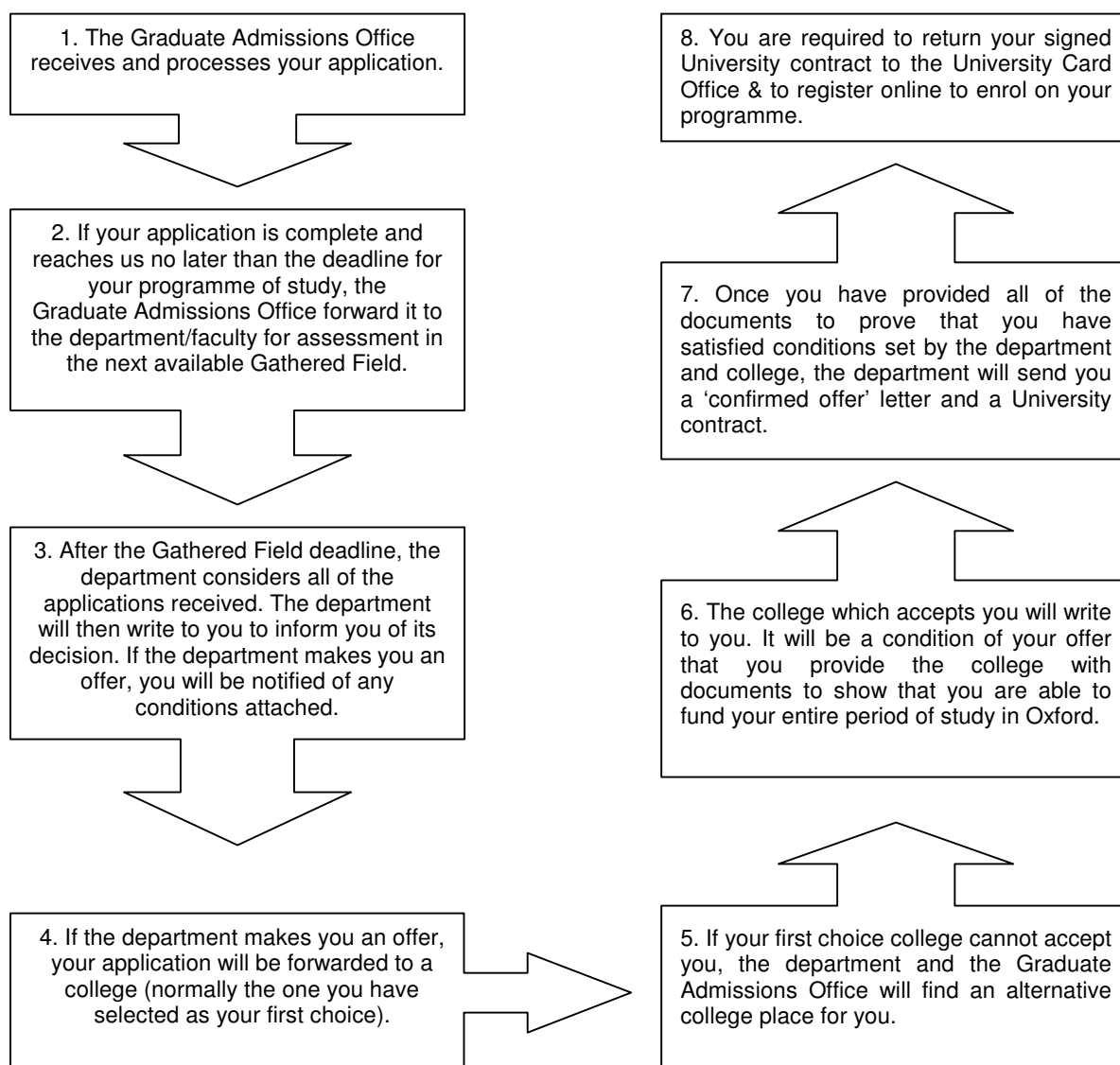
These letters denote that a programme of study offers full-time (FT) or part-time (PT) modes of study

Non-matriculated Programme

A course that does not confer membership of the University, usually a part-time course run by the Department for Continuing Education. Non-matriculated students do not become members of an Oxford College.

APPLYING TO OXFORD: AN OVERVIEW OF THE OXFORD GRADUATE ADMISSIONS PROCESS

Before you start your application we recommend that you refer to the Graduate Studies Prospectus for more detailed information on programmes of study and on the colleges.



2. STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE TO COMPLETING YOUR APPLICATION FORM

Section A: Your Personal Details

This information will form the basis of your student record, so please ensure it is full and accurate. If you have a passport, you should state your name as it is printed there. We use your name to identify and match all supplementary materials sent in aid of your application and for dealing with your enquiries, so please ensure that wherever you have to give your name it is provided in the same format.

FAMILY NAME:

If your family name consists of several parts, please give only the part(s) you wish to be used on all future University correspondence. If your name contains a mixture of upper and lower case letters, please make this clear: *e.g. MacArthur*

FIRST NAME:

Please state in full: *e.g. Christopher, not Chris*

PREFERRED NAME:

Please let us know by what first/given name you wish to be addressed.

PREVIOUS NAME:

If you have changed your family name, please let us know.

Section B: Contact Information

HOME ADDRESS:

Please enter the address of your permanent home. All correspondence will be sent to you at this address unless you indicate otherwise.

CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS & EFFECTIVE DATES:

If you will be absent from your home address for a long period of time (e.g. during a university term), please let us know where we can contact you and the dates that you will be at this address.

If your address or contact details change at any time during the admissions process, you must notify us in writing or via email so that we can update our records. Throughout the admissions process, we may need to contact you by letter or email.

Section C: Nationality & Citizenship

COUNTRY OF NATIONALITY:

This should be as stated in your passport (if you have one)

COUNTRY OF LEGAL PERMANENT RESIDENCE:

Your country of legal permanent residence is the country where you have been living for the past 3 years, providing that the main purpose of living in the country was not to study. If you are an international student and are not clear on your status, the International Office may be able to help you: <http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/io/>.

If you have lived in more than one country in the last three years, please give full details and dates.

Section D: Disability & Special Needs

The University is committed to making reasonable adjustments to enable disabled students to participate fully in student life. In order to provide support, relevant departments and colleges of the University may need to share information about your needs. If you disclose on your application form for graduate study that you have a disability, information about your disability will be shared on a need-to-know basis with people in the relevant departments and colleges, such as departmental and academic administrators, lecturers and tutors who will teach you, and relevant library and support staff.

If you wish to discuss this section of the application form, or anything to do with University provision for those with special needs, please contact the Disability Office:

Telephone +44 (0) 1865 280459; Fax: +44 (0) 1865 280300
E-mail: disability@admin.ox.ac.uk; Web: <http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/eop/>

Section E: Nominated Agents

We will not discuss your application with anyone other than you unless you have agreed for him or her to act as an agent on your behalf.

Please complete this section only if you wish to nominate someone to act in this capacity, otherwise go to Section F. Please note that anyone you appoint will be able to give instructions relating to your application.

Section F: Details of Current & Previous Higher Education

If you are an international applicant and are unsure about how your degree compares with a UK equivalent, contact the **UK National Academic Recognition Information Centre** <http://www.naric.org.uk> for advice.

We would expect that anyone applying for graduate study should usually have at least the equivalent of an upper second-class result with honours in a UK Bachelor's degree. Please consult individual subject entries in the prospectus, <http://www.ox.ac.uk/postgraduate>, for further information about your eligibility.

UNIVERSITY/INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED:

Where the names of the institutions that you have attended do not clearly identify their location, please include this information: *e.g. McGill University, Montreal, Canada*

QUALIFICATION OBTAINED/STUDYING FOR:

Please use this box to enter details of the qualifications/awards that you have obtained or are currently studying.

RESULT (INCLUDING GRADE/CLASSIFICATION/GPA SCORE):

Please use this box to let us know the standard or class of degree, or final result that you attained (e.g., 1st, Distinction, GPA 3.8 out of 4.0, etc). If you have not received your results yet, please enter the expected grade: *e.g. B.Sc. Chemistry Upper second-class honours (expected)*

Section G: Language Proficiency Information

Please complete this section to let us know if English is your first language. If English is not the language in which you express yourself most clearly, you will need to enter details of your proficiency in English in Section H.

If you have a working knowledge of any other languages please include the details in this section. You should include details of your competence in:

- * Reading
- * Writing
- * Speaking
- * Understanding

e.g. Reading (Excellent), Writing (Good), Speaking (Poor), Understanding (Good)

Section H: Admissions Test Results

In this section you will need to record details and results of:

- English language proficiency tests
- Other admissions tests e.g. GMAT, GRE

English is the language of instruction for all programmes offered at Oxford and it is mandatory that all theses or examination papers are written in English. The University has approved both a **standard** and a **higher** level of required ability in English and departments may select which is most appropriate for the individual **research** programme of study concerned. For all taught programmes the **higher** level of required English is **mandatory**.

How do I know what level of ability in English is required for my programme of study?

English language requirements can be found in the subject entries in the Prospectus

If your first language is not English, you must supply suitable evidence that you have reached the relevant standard before you may be offered a place. The University recognizes only certain English tests and these requirements are set out in the table below.

Please note that your evidence should be an original certificate giving results of a test that was taken not more than two years ago

	Standard Overall Score	Additional Requirements	Higher Overall Score	Additional Requirements
IELTS	7.0	Minimum 6.5 per component	7.5	Minimum 7.0 per component
TOEFL	600	Minimum Test of Written English score of 4.5	630	Minimum Test of Written English score of 5.0
Computer-based TOEFL	250	Minimum essay writing score of 4.5	267	Minimum essay writing score of 5.0
Internet-based TOEFL	100		109	
Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English (CPE)	C		B	

What do I do if I cannot obtain the original copies of my test certificates before the closing date for my application?

You should make sure that you submit your application before the closing date. We will forward your application to the relevant department for assessment whether or not we have received your English language test certificate. Original copies of your English score test certificates can be submitted after the deadline. We will forward these to the relevant department when they arrive.

Are there any exceptions to the requirement to provide evidence of proficiency in English?

The requirement to provide documentary proof of proficiency in English may be waived, at the discretion of the University, in cases where a candidate has successfully completed a programme of study at a recognized institution where the medium of instruction was English or for other similar reasons. If you wish to apply for a waiver of the normal requirement, you should include a letter with your application outlining the reasons why you should be exempted from the requirement

Section I: Programme of Study

In this section you can apply for:

A research degree e.g. MSc by research or DPhil **or**

A taught degree e.g. MPhil, MSt or MSc **or**

A non-matriculated programme with the Department of Continuing Education e.g. PGCert, PGDip

You should only complete **ONE sub-section**. If you want to apply for more than one programme you will need to submit separate applications along with full supporting materials and an application fee for each.

You will be required to supply supporting materials in addition to the completed application form. These will be covered in Section N.

You can find details of the course codes in the Appendix to these notes. Please note that we need both the course code and the name of the programme of study.

E.g. If you wish to apply to the Music Faculty for a D.Phil., you should enter the course code '000920', tick 'D.Phil', and write 'Music' next to Department/Faculty, along with a title for your research.

Specific Advice for Inter-disciplinary Research Proposals (Research Degree Applicants Only)

If you have an inter-disciplinary research proposal, you must indicate on your application form the department most likely to have overall responsibility for your research.

The University may be able to accommodate research that crosses subject/disciplinary boundaries. However, only one department can consider your application. Please contact appropriate departments well in advance of completing your application if you need to establish which will offer the 'best fit'.

Specific Advice for Applicants to the Wellcome Trust Doctoral Programme in Neuroscience and Cancer Research UK Training Programme in Medicinal Chemistry for Cancer

If you wish to apply for either the Wellcome Trust funded 4-year doctoral programme in Neuroscience (the first stage being the one year M.Sc. in Neuroscience), or the Cancer Research UK funded 4-year training programme in Medicinal Chemistry for Cancer (comprising of a one year M.Sc. in Medicinal Chemistry for Cancer and a three year doctorate in Pharmacology) please leave the course code blank and tick the appropriate course box. If you wish to apply solely for either taught Masters course, enter the details in part 2 of section I as described below.

Specific Advice for Applicants to the Scripps-Oxford Joint DPhil degree in Biochemistry

Applicants for the five-year D.Phil. in Biochemistry offered jointly between the University of Oxford and The Scripps Research Institute, California, (<http://www.scripps.edu/intro/>) should complete the separate customised application form, which is available from <http://www.scripps.edu/phd/skoxford/eligibility.html>

Applicants for Programmes run by the Department for Continuing Education

We recommend that you also consult the specific advice in **Booklet B** in addition to these Notes of Guidance.

Section J: Course Information and College Choice

If you wish to apply for part-time study, or for an alternative start date (i.e. a term other than Michaelmas), you can request these in this section.

- * You can find information on which programmes of study support a part-time option in the Appendix to these notes
- * You will need to check with the relevant department if your chosen programme of study accepts enrolment at times other than October 2008

College Choices

Please specify your first and alternative choices of college in the boxes provided. Details of which colleges accept which courses can be found at <http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/postgraduate>.

How do I go about choosing colleges?

There is information about each of the colleges in the college section of the Graduate Studies Prospectus.

What happens if I do not specify colleges on my application?

If you do not specify a college, we will need to nominate one on your behalf in order to process your application.

What happens if I am not accepted by either of my college choices?

If you have an offer of a place for graduate study with a department or faculty, you are guaranteed a place at a college, although this may not be one of the colleges you chose.

Can I change my college preference after my application has been submitted?

You can only change colleges if you have been offered funding at another college.

Section K: Additional Information

In this section you will enter information on:

- Your availability for an interview
- Where you heard about the programme of study that you have applied for
- Details of other institutions to which you have applied

Accommodation

We suggest that you look at the information on the **University Accommodation Office's** website at <http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/accommodation> before completing this section. The Accommodation Office can also be contacted by telephone on the following numbers:

For couples and families – Tel: (+44) 01865 280813

For singles and sharers – Tel: (+44) 01865 280812

If you would like to be considered for college accommodation please tick 'YES'. Please also use this section to let us know if your spouse/partner and/or any children will accompany you. If your children will accompany you please let us know their date(s) of birth and gender. This information is needed in order to help find appropriate accommodation for you.

Please note that the University cannot offer accommodation to students on non-matriculated programmes, and that in any event accommodation for graduate students is not guaranteed.

Section L: Funding Information

You must complete this section. We suggest that you also consult the Fees and Expenses and Funding sections in the Graduate Prospectus and on our website at <http://www.ox.ac.uk/postgraduate/finance/>

You will need funds for the whole period of your programme of study and will be required to provide evidence of these financial arrangements which is satisfactory to the college accepting you. The information you supply in this section is important to the colleges that will consider your application, and it is in your interests to give as clear and complete a picture as possible of your situation.

Some possible sources of funding are listed below:

- Own Income
- Own Savings/Other Personal Funds
- Parents, Relatives, Friends or Private Sponsor (state which)
- UK Government funded awards or Research Councils such as:

Arts and Humanities Research Council (AHRC)
Biotechnology & Biological Sciences Research Council (BBSRC)
Economic & Social Research Council (ESRC)
Engineering & Physical Sciences Research Council (EPSRC)
Medical Research Council (MRC)
Natural Environment Research Council (NERC)
Science and Technology Facilities Council (STFC)

- Agencies - please specify which
- Other scholarships or bursaries – please specify, e.g. Rhodes, Marshall, Commonwealth
- Employer - please give the name of your employer
- Charitable or other Foundations - please specify which
- English/Welsh Local Education Authority, or Scottish Student Award
- Dept. of Education of Northern Ireland or any Northern Ireland Education & Library Board
- Local Government Award – Channel Islands, and Isle of Man
- European Union Commission
- Student Loans
- Bank loans
- Other sources

If you have any other sources of funding different from this list you will also need to describe these in this section.

AMOUNT:

Please state the value of each source in pounds sterling (GBP/£) and **not** your local currency.

PERIOD COVERED:

For each source, please indicate the period the funds will cover, e.g. first year; all years. Please also indicate if you do **not** know what period your funding will cover.

EXPENSES COVERED:

For each source, please indicate which expenses it will cover: University fees, College fees, living expenses etc. Also state whether your funds will cover travel costs. If you do not know the answer to this question, please make this clear on the form. If you will be accompanied by members of your family who will be dependent on you, you should demonstrate how their expenses would be covered.

Candidates intending to apply for any sort of financial support or Research Council funding should ensure that their completed University application is received in time to meet the strict deadlines of the relevant funding bodies. If you require a formal offer before your funding application can be made, ensure that you have allowed time for this. More information is available in the prospectus (<http://www.ox.ac.uk/postgraduate>).

Section M: Funding Information for International Students Only

You should only complete this section if you are an international applicant and you wish to apply for a scholarship to assist you with your studies. **If you are not an eligible international applicant, please do not complete this section and go to Section N.**

If you wish to apply for a scholarship you should also refer to Booklet C (Information on Scholarships and Awards for International Students) for further details of eligibility. If you have any questions on scholarships you should contact the International Office via their web pages at <http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/io/> or via telephone on **Tel: (+44) 01865 270105**

Clarendon Fund

Some colleges offer awards linked to the Clarendon Fund. If you apply for, and obtain, a Clarendon Scholarship, we may seek to secure an associated funded college place for you. This may mean you are not placed in your first or alternative choice college.

China Oxford Scholarship Fund

If you apply for this scholarship you will also need to complete an additional application form for the award, which you can obtain from the International Office (contact details above).

Section N: Supporting Materials Checklist

Before you complete Section N you will need to read this section of the notes thoroughly and refer to the Appendix for programme specific information.

By the time that you have completed Section N you will have:

- * Identified what supporting materials are needed for your programme of study
- * Collated and copied your supporting materials. Two copies (one original, one duplicate) of ALL your supporting materials AND the application form itself are required
- * Completed the checklist in Section N of the application form to confirm that you have included the required supporting materials and any admissions tests

Irrespective of the programme of study that you are applying to, you will be required to submit supporting materials with your completed application form. All supporting materials should be in English unless stated otherwise.

If your original documents are not available, a copy will only be accepted in lieu if it is attested to be a true version of the original by a notary public or a member of staff at your current/previous university. An official translator or the relevant issuing body must approve the translation of transcripts.

Compulsory Supporting Materials for all Programmes of Study

The following supporting materials are compulsory for all programmes of study:

- * 3 academic references
- * A transcript(s) of previous higher education
- * A current CV/ résumé
- * Either a statement of purpose (for taught courses) OR a research proposal (for research and research preparation courses)

You can check the requirements of the programme of study to which you are applying using the table in the Appendix to these notes. Supporting materials are grouped by letter:

e.g. If you are applying for a DPhil in Chemical Biology the additional supporting materials code is B

The table below summarises required supporting materials. In addition, for certain programmes there is further more detailed advice on the content of your research proposal or statement of purpose later in this section.

	Additional Supporting Materials Reference Codes					
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Statement of purpose or research proposal	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
3 academic references	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Transcripts of previous higher education	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
CV/résumé	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
1 piece of written work		✓			✓**	
2 pieces of written work			✓	✓		✓
30 minute CD of live performance *				✓		
GRE test certificate						✓

* See www.music.ox.ac.uk

** 2-3,000 words for those intending to offer studio practice as part of the final submission, otherwise 4-6,000 words. Applicants must also contact the Ruskin School regarding submission of a portfolio

Supporting materials will not be returned. You will need to make arrangements for authorised copies to be made (see paragraph above) if you are not willing to relinquish your original documents.

The following advice will help you assemble your compulsory supporting materials:

Academic References

You will need to ensure, **in good time**, that your referees are willing and able to write a reference for you. We must receive the letters from your referees no later than the application deadline. We will not contact them for missing references on your behalf.

Who should act as my referee?

Your referees should normally be individuals who have taught you on previous degree courses and are familiar with your academic work. At least one reference should be from your most recent degree course if you have studied for more than one qualification. A character reference alone is not acceptable.

If someone listed on your application form is subsequently unable to act as a referee, you may arrange for another person to send us a reference, as long as that person is also able to comment on your academic performance and suitability for graduate study.

Instructions for the completion of references

There is no special reference form. References should be in the form of a letter. You should ask your referees to comment on your academic fitness and general suitability for the proposed programme of study, and for any other information they consider to be relevant to your application. If they have knowledge of your recent study it would be helpful if they could indicate the standard attained. Please ask each referee to provide two copies of their reference in a sealed envelope, and to sign across the seal and cover their signature with a clear adhesive tape. References should be returned to you in the sealed envelopes and you should submit them with your application.

Transcripts

You should submit a detailed official record of your higher education up to the present, including programmes of study taken and grades achieved. It is not sufficient to submit a degree certificate. **Current and former Oxford students are not exempted – you should contact your college to request a transcript.**

What should I do if my previous institution cannot issue official transcripts?

You should ask them for an official record setting out in detail the elements of the course you have taken and, if possible, the grades achieved. In the case of Oxford graduates, a statement of marks achieved in individual honours papers will suffice. If the policy of your institution is that the transcript should remain confidential, you should ask for it to be sent directly to the Graduate Admissions Office, and ensure that it arrives by the deadline for the gathered field in which you wish your application to be considered. If your institution does not produce transcripts, please obtain written confirmation of this policy from the relevant registry authority. You should also ask a referee to provide details of your results to date instead.

CV/Résumé

This should include a summary of your recent achievements, including details of:

- * Activities
- * Honours
- * Publications
- * Experience relevant to your application

If you are applying for either the D.Phil. or M.Sc. by research in Pathology you should submit a full CV to include all school results (including A level/final school exams) and any research experience you have.

Statement of Purpose or Research Proposal

If you are applying to a taught programme:

You should submit a brief '**statement of purpose**', explaining your motivation for graduate study at Oxford. You may wish to consider a number of issues such as:

- * What relevant academic, research, or practical experience do you have?
- * Why are you applying to this particular programme of study?
- * What areas of study in the subject interest you?

The statement of purpose should be one page long and should be submitted as a separate sheet enclosed at the end of your application.

Some departments have chosen to offer specific advice to their applicants on the content of their statement of purpose. Please refer to the Appendix for details.

If you are applying to a research or 'research preparation' programme (the D.Phil. or M.Sc. by research or M.St. in research methods including the M.St. in Legal Research):

You should outline your research plans and this should be up to two pages in length (unless a department states otherwise), and be submitted as a separate document enclosed with your application.

The amount of detail required will vary between different subject areas, and you may wish to seek further advice from the department or faculty before writing your proposal (contact details are given in the prospectus and online). For example, if you are applying for research programmes in the humanities and social sciences you will usually be expected to submit a comparatively well-developed proposal, giving an outline of how you intend to structure and undertake your research, and where possible, a preliminary title for the thesis. In other subjects you will simply need to describe the preparatory reading and coursework that has motivated your choice of subject area.

Some departments have chosen to offer specific advice to their applicants on the content of their research proposal. Please refer to the Appendix for details.

Please note that your statement of purpose or research proposal does not count towards any written work that you may have to submit as supporting material to your application.

Additional Supporting Materials that may be required for your Application

Depending on what programme you are applying for, you may need to include further supporting materials that are **IN ADDITION** to those materials listed above. This section includes advice on the content and format of these additional supporting materials.

Please refer to the supporting materials reference code for the programme that you are applying to check what is required. If your supporting materials reference code is 'A' you only need to include the compulsory supporting materials listed above.

If in addition to compulsory supporting materials you must also submit Written Work:

A single piece of written work should be around 2,000 words in length, and not significantly longer. It may be a clearly defined extract from a longer piece of work if you prefer. **Where two pieces of written work are required they should usually be on separate topics.**

Any written work supplied must enable the assessors to make a judgement about your suitability for your chosen programme of study. It is your responsibility to supply the appropriate amount and type of written work.

If necessary, you should arrange for translation of your written work into English. However, where written work has been translated you must ensure that this fact, and the person and method of translation, is clearly identified.

If you are applying for courses in Evidence-Based Social Intervention you are advised that you may be asked to complete a brief piece of additional written work relevant to Evidence-Based Social Intervention, which will be sent out to you after the first stage of assessment.

GRE

If you are applying to programmes in Economics or Philosophical Theology you may need to submit a GRE test certificate. Details about who is required to submit a GRE test certificate are listed below:

If you are applying for **programmes in Economics (including Economics for Development)** and you have been awarded or are studying for a UK **undergraduate** degree you can be considered without a GRE score result at your written request.

If you are applying for the **MSt & MPhil in Philosophical Theology** and you have been awarded or are studying for a **degree from a University within the European Union** you can be considered without a GRE score result at your written request.

Section O: Application Payment Fee

The application fee is £25 per programme.

You must:

- * Submit your payment in £ UK Sterling at the same time as the application
- * Payment must be included with each individual application submitted
- * Payment may only be made by cheque, international banker's draft, or international money order. No other forms of payment will be accepted
- * Make payments payable to "University of Oxford"
- * Write your full name, date of birth and course code on the back of your payment.

Please tick the method of payment that you have used on the application form.

Failure to include full payment will result in your application not being processed

Section P: Final Checklist and Ethnicity Monitoring Form

The University is required under statute to seek and return information about the ethnic background of all its applicants for HESA (the British Government's Higher Education Statistics Agency). The information provided is used to monitor rates of participation in Higher Education by particular groups of people.

This information will not form part of any assessment of your application. *We do not require a duplicate of this sheet.*

Please complete the checklist to confirm that you have completed all the required sections of the application form and the ethnicity form, and that you have enclosed all the required documentation for your programme.

Section Q: Declaration

Please read, sign and date the declaration

3. HOW TO SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION

When to Apply

Each programme of study may have up to 6 gathered field deadlines. We recommend that you should:

- **Check the tables in the Appendix to these notes to see what gathered fields are accepted for your chosen programme of study**
- **Submit your application with its supporting material for the earliest possible gathered field**

Gathered Field Deadlines

Deadlines are enforced strictly. The Graduate Admissions Office (GAO) must receive your materials by the deadline. The postmark on your application package is not taken into account. If the department to which you have applied requests that copies of your materials are also sent to them directly, this requirement is in addition to, and not instead of, the formal application you must make to the GAO.

Gathered Field Deadlines for Admission in the 2008-09 Academic Year

The deadlines are:

- 1: 26 October 2007
- 2: 23 November 2007
- 3: 18 January 2008
- 4: 14 March 2008
- 5: 16 May 2008
- 6: 25 July 2008

Applications for programmes in Philosophy and programmes in Neuroscience should arrive by Friday 11 January 2008.

All applications, **except** those applying for certain advertised departmental studentships and the programmes in Neuroscience should be sent to:

**The Graduate Admissions Office
PO Box 738
University of Oxford
Wellington Square
OX1 9FB**

Applications for the programmes in Neuroscience should be sent to:

**Graduate Studies Assistant for Clinical Medicine
Graduate Studies Office, University Offices
Wellington Square
Oxford, OX1 2JD**

4. WHAT HAPPENS WHEN THE GRADUATE OFFICE RECEIVES MY APPLICATION?

If you would like to receive acknowledgement of the receipt of your application, you should complete and enclose the self-addressed postcard. This will be returned to you when we receive your application. If your form was printed from the web, you are asked to include a self-addressed postcard of your own.

Receipt of the postcard only proves that we have received your application and you must not take this as an indication that your application is complete or that you have been offered a place.

The volume of applications handled by the Graduate Admissions Office means that we are not able immediately to confirm on the telephone whether individual submissions have been received.

If the form is incorrectly completed, or if required materials have not arrived in the Graduate Admissions Office by the deadline, your application may not be processed or assessed. We will endeavour to contact you as soon as possible to advise of any problems of this kind, but it is your responsibility to ensure that you have followed the instructions in these Notes of Guidance and in the Graduate Studies Prospectus (<http://www.ox.ac.uk/postgraduate>).

Your application will be held in the Graduate Admissions Office until **all** the necessary supporting materials have been received. We recommend therefore that you submit all supporting materials (including sealed references) with your application and payment. It is **your** responsibility to make sure that any required supporting material not enclosed with your application is sent to the Graduate Admissions Office at the earliest opportunity and is clearly identified with your full name and programme of study.

Completed applications are forwarded for consideration by the appropriate admitting body. Details about our assessment criteria are given in the Prospectus, and on our website. One of five decisions will be made:

- * Unsuccessful application
- * Offer of a place, with conditions
- * Offer of a place, with no conditions
- * Re-evaluation: your application will be assessed again in the next gathered field, OR
- * Waitlist – a place on a waiting list, to be used should spaces become available (Only applies if you were being assessed in the last available gathered field)

What happens if my details change during the application process?

If your personal or contact details change, or you wish to provide additional information in support of your application, you should send these to the Graduate Admissions Office using the contact details listed below. Most changes will require us to receive written confirmation from you, either by post or e-mail.

5. FINDING OUT ABOUT THE RESULTS OF YOUR APPLICATION

Timetable for Admissions Decisions:

GATHERED FIELD	1	2	3	4	5	6
Deadline	26 Oct 07	23 Nov 07	18 Jan 08	14 Mar 08	16 May 08	25 July 08
Dept. decision *	23 Nov 07	18 Jan 07	14 Mar 08	16 May 08	27 Jun 08	8 Aug 08
1st choice college decision expected	8 Feb 08	8 Feb 08	25 April 08	6 Jun 08	18 Jul 08	15 Aug 08
Expected final college decision	21 Mar 08	21 Mar 08	23 May 08	11 Jul 08	8 Aug 08	22 Aug 08

* **AFTER** these dates, the department to whom you applied will contact you by letter.

Please note that the Graduate Admissions Office is not permitted to disclose the outcome of your application.

If you submit applications for more than one course, and subsequently receive more than one offer, you may be set a deadline by when you must choose a preferred offer.

6. WHAT HAPPENS NEXT IF I AM OFFERED A PLACE?

If you receive an offer of a University place, you will be informed that you have a *guaranteed college place*.

First, the college you chose on your form will be sent your application. If that college cannot offer you a place, your application may be referred to your nominated alternative choice or your department will attempt to find you a place elsewhere, before returning your file to the Graduate Admissions Office for 'allocation' if necessary. The final college decision date listed in the table above is advisory; in a minority of cases this process can take considerably longer.

7. WHO TO CONTACT FOR FURTHER ADVICE

For questions of an academic nature about our programmes of study

You should direct these to the department responsible. Contact details for departments can be found at <http://www.ox.ac.uk/postgraduate/caz/>

If you are an international applicant

You can find further information from the University's International Office at <http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/io/>

If you have general questions about the University or the application and admission process

<http://www.ox.ac.uk/admissions/>

Further enquiries should be addressed to:

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Wellington Square
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Our web address is: <http://www.ox.ac.uk/postgraduate>

Appendix 1: Specific Requirements for Research Proposals and Statements of Purpose

This table lists the specific advice from certain departments on the content of your research proposal or statement of purpose. If the department that you are applying to is not listed here, you should follow the general guidance for statements of purpose and research proposals contained in Section N. All applicants are required to submit either a statement of purpose or a research proposal.

Please note that the requirements listed in this table do not exempt applicants from submitting the compulsory supporting materials and any additional materials (as required by the department)

Departments	Requirements for Research Proposals and Statements of Purpose
All Medical Sciences Research Degrees (unless specified otherwise below)	<u>Research Proposal</u> Normally 2 pages in length covering areas such as the background to the research, methodology, expected results & the contribution to the field of learning
Biochemistry Research Degrees	No research proposal is required at this stage, instead, please provide a brief indication of the area of your proposed research & the names of 3 supervisors in order of preference (For guidance see the list on the Department's website at www.bioch.ox.ac.uk/graduate/research_areas)
Chemistry Research degrees (all sub-departments)	Brief indication of the area of your proposed research & the names of 3 supervisors in order of preference (For guidance see the list on the Department's website at www.chem.ox.ac.uk/staff.html)
Clinical Laboratory Sciences Research Degrees	<u>Research Proposal & the names of 3 supervisors in order of preference</u> Normally 2 pages in length covering areas such as the background to the research, methodology, expected results & the contribution to the field of learning
Computing Laboratory Research Degrees	Please consult the guidance on the Department's website at http://web.comlab.ox.ac.uk/oucl/prospective/dphil/requirements.pdf before completing the application form
Earth Sciences Research Degrees	Brief indication of the area of your proposed research
Life Sciences Interface DTC	<u>A 1000 Word Essay</u> The essay should include how you believe your background and experience would relate to one of the application areas (Bioinformatics, Bionanotechnology, and Medical Imaging)
Materials Research Degrees	<u>List of Research Topics & Supervisors</u> List up to 6 research topics & supervisors in order of preference from the list at www.materials.ox.ac.uk/postgraduate/newprojects.html <u>Outline of Research Interests</u> In no more than 400 words, outline your research interests and indicate clearly how these relate to the projects you have listed (please note the Department does not require applicants to submit a two-page research plan)
Mathematics Research Degrees	Brief indication of the area of your proposed research (Please note that a detailed research proposal is not required) Statement of Purpose
Orthopaedic Surgery Research Degrees	Brief research proposal (no more than one side of A4) within the remit of the department. It is advisable to contact the supervisors (listed at http://www.ndos.ox.ac.uk or the Director of Graduate Studies prior to submission of the proposal and application

Departments	Requirements for Research Proposals and Statements of Purpose
Pathology Research Degrees	List of research topics & supervisors (Details of available projects & supervisors are available at www.path.ox.ac.uk)
Physics Research Degrees (all sub-departments)	Brief indication of the area in which you wish to carry out research. This may be quite specific, but need not be if you have not yet decided on your preferred topic or area. For more information refer to our website http://www.physics.ox.ac.uk/admissions/postgrad.htm If you are in any doubt about which sub-department to apply for then you are advised to contact the sub-department concerned in advance of applying
Systems Biology DTC	<u>A 1000 Word Essay</u>
	Should include how you believe your background and experience would relate to one of the 4 research themes (Bacterial sensory networks; regulation of CDK pathways; Cellular Hypoxia; Physiome modelling)
Taught MSc in Psychological Research	Statement of no more than 1000 words of your reasons for taking this course and your aims after completing it
Taught MSc in Clinical Embryology	Personal statement of no more than 500 words stating why you want to take the course and how you think it will influence your future career

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<i>See Booklet B for details of programmes offered by the Department of Continuing Education</i>									
Research Programmes									
DPhil Anaesthetics	FT	001750	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Ancient History	FT	000290		✓	✓				C
DPhil Archaeological Science	FT	001300		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	B
DPhil Archaeology	FT	001340		✓	✓	✓			C
DPhil Astrophysics	FT	002300		✓	✓	✓	✓		A
DPhil Atmospheric, Oceanic & Planetary Physics	FT	002310		✓	✓	✓	✓		A
DPhil Atomic & Laser Physics	FT	002320	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Biochemistry	FT	001380	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
D Phil Biochemistry (Joint Oxford/The Scripps Research Institute)	FT	001390	DPhil Biochemistry (Oxford/Scripps) closes on 11th January 2008						A
DPhil Byzantine Studies (Archaeology; Classics; History; Med and Mod Languages; Theology)	FT		Refer to D.Phil. in the respective subject e.g. DPhil Archaeology, DPhil Classics, etc.						
DPhil Cardiovascular Medicine	FT	001770	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Chemical Biology	FT	003550	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Classical Languages & Literature	FT	000500		✓	✓				C

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DPhil Clinical Laboratory Sciences	FT	001790	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Clinical Medicine	FT	001810	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Clinical Neurology	FT	001830	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Clinical Pharmacology	FT	001850	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Comparative Philology & General Linguistics	FT	000520		✓	✓		✓		C
DPhil Computer Science	FT	002340	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Condensed Matter Physics	FT	002380	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Development Studies	FT	002680	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
DPhil Earth Sciences	FT	002400		✓	✓	✓	✓		A
DPhil Economics	FT	002720			✓	✓	✓		F
DPhil Educational Studies	FT	002870	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
DPhil Engineering Science	FT	002420	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil English	FT	000592			✓				C
DPhil English (to 1550)	FT	000591			✓	✓			C
DPhil Experimental Psychology	FT	001890			✓	✓		✓	A
DPhil Fine Art	FT/PT	003400		✓	✓		✓		E

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DPHil Geography & the Environment	FT	001510	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	B
DPHil History (except research fields below)	FT	000871		✓	✓				C
DPHil History (for Economic & Social History, and History of Science)	FT	To be confirmed		✓	✓	✓	✓		C
DPHil Information, Communication & The Social Sciences	FT	003480		✓	✓	✓			B
DPHil Inorganic Chemistry	FT	002440	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPHil International Relations	FT	002950			✓				C
DPHil Law	FT	003000			✓		✓		B
DPHil Life Sciences Interface Doctoral Training Centre	FT	002460	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPHil Materials	FT	002470		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPHil Mathematics	FT	002500	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPHil Medical Oncology	FT	001950	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPHil Medieval and Modern Languages	FT	000850		✓	✓	✓	✓		C
DPHil Music	FT	000920		✓	✓		✓		C
DPHil Numerical Analysis	FT	002360	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPHil Obstetrics & Gynaecology	FT	001980	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPHil Ophthalmology	FT	002000	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A

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DPhil Organic Chemistry	FT	002530	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Oriental Studies	FT	000960		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
DPhil Orthopaedic Surgery	FT	002020	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Paediatrics	FT	002040	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Particle Physics	FT	002550	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		A
DPhil Pathology	FT	002060	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Pharmacology	FT	002080	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Philosophy	FT	001140	DPhil Philosophy closes on 11th January 2008						B
DPhil Physical & Theoretical Chemistry	FT	002560	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Physiology, Anatomy & Genetics	FT	003670	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	B
DPhil Plant Sciences	FT	001620	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Politics	FT	003120			✓		✓		C
DPhil Primary Health Care	FT	002130	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
DPhil Psychiatry	FT	002150	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Public Health	FT	002180	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
DPhil Radiobiology	FT	002200	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A

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DPhil Social & Cultural Anthropology	FT	001640	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
DPhil Social Intervention	FT	003231	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
DPhil Social Policy	FT	003220	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
DPhil Socio-Legal Studies	FT	003260			✓		✓		B
DPhil Sociology	FT	003290		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
DPhil Statistics	FT	002580	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Surgery	FT	002250	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Systems Biology Doctoral Training Centre	FT	003700	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Theology	FT/PT	001230		✓	✓	✓			C
DPhil Theoretical Physics	FT	002610	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
DPhil Zoology	FT	001730	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
COMBINED PROGRAMMES									
Wellcome Trust 4 year Neuroscience Doctoral Programme	FT		Neuroscience closes on 11th January 2008						A
Cancer Research UK 4 year Medicinal Chemistry for Cancer Programme	FT		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A

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Eng.D. Engineered Metals	FT	003810	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
Eng.D. Materials Science	FT	003811		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MLitt - Research applicants in the Humanities and Social Sciences usually apply for admission as a probationary researcher on a DPhil programme. However, admission for the MLitt is sometimes possible. Please contact the relevant department or faculty to confirm that they would consider such an application. Application information will be available from the Graduate Admissions Office.									
MSc (R) Anaesthetics	FT	001760	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Biochemistry	FT	001400	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Cardiovascular Medicine	FT	001780	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Chemical Biology	FT	003560	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Clinical Laboratory Sciences	FT	001800	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Clinical Medicine	FT	001820	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Clinical Neurology	FT	001840	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Clinical Pharmacology	FT	001860	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Computer Science	FT	002350	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Condensed Matter Physics	FT	002390	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A

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MSc (R) Earth Sciences	FT	002410		✓	✓	✓	✓		A
MSc (R) Engineering Science	FT	002430	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Experimental Psychology	FT	001900			✓	✓		✓	A
MSc (R) Geography & the Environment	FT	001530	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	B
MSc (R) Inorganic Chemistry	FT	002450	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Materials	FT	002480		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Mathematics	FT	002510	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Medical Oncology	FT	001960	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Numerical Analysis	FT	002370	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Obstetrics & Gynaecology	FT	001990	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Ophthalmology	FT	002010	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Organic Chemistry	FT	002540	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Orthopaedic Surgery	FT	002030	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Paediatrics	FT	002050	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Pathology	FT	002070	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Pharmacology	FT	002090	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A

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MSc (R) Physical & Theoretical Chemistry	FT	002570	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Physiology, Anatomy & Genetics	FT	003650	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	B
MSc (R) Plant Sciences	FT	001630	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Primary Health Care	FT	002140	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSc (R) Psychiatry	FT	002160	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Public Health	FT	002190	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSc (R) Radiobiology	FT	002210	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Statistics	FT	002590	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Surgery	FT	002260	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc (R) Zoology	FT	001740	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSt Historical Research	FT	000710		✓	✓				C
MSt Legal Research	FT	003040			✓		✓		B

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Taught Programmes									
BCL - Bachelor of Civil Law	FT	002640			✓				B
BPhil Philosophy	FT	001170	BPhil Philosophy closes on 11th January 2008						C
MFA - Master in Fine Art	FT	000540	Not offered in 2008-9						
MJuris - Magister Juris	FT	003030			✓				B
MPhil Celtic Studies	FT	000450		✓	✓		✓		C
MPhil Classical and Medieval Islamic History	FT	000990		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Classical Archaeology	FT	001430		✓	✓	✓			C
MPhil Classical Indian Religion	FT	001000		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Comparative Social Policy	FT	002650	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Cuneiform Studies	FT	001010		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Development Studies	FT	002690	✓	✓	✓	✓			C
MPhil Eastern Christian Studies (Oriental Studies)	FT	000550		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Economic & Social History	FT	000570		✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MPhil Economics	FT	002740			✓	✓	✓		F

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MPhil Egyptology	FT	001020		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil English Studies (Medieval Period)	FT	000620			✓	✓			C
MPhil European Archaeology	FT	001490		✓	✓	✓			C
MPhil Evidence-Based Social Intervention	FT	002921	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil General Linguistics & Comparative Philology	FT	000650		✓	✓				C
MPhil Geography and the Environment	FT	003830	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	B
MPhil Greek and/or Latin Languages and Literature	FT	000680		✓	✓				C
MPhil Greek and/or Roman History	FT	000690		✓	✓				C
MPhil History of Science, Medicine & Technology	FT	000740		✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MPhil International Relations	FT	002970			✓				C
MPhil Islamic Art & Archaeology	FT	001030		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Jewish Studies in the Graeco-Roman Period	FT	001040		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Judaism & Christianity in the Graeco-Roman World	FT	000820		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Landscape Archaeology	FT	001550		✓	✓	✓			C
MPhil Late Antique & Byzantine Studies	FT	003770		✓	✓				C
MPhil Latin American Studies	FT	002980		✓	✓	✓	✓		C

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MPhil Material Anthropology & Museum Ethnography	FT	001560	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MPhil Medical Anthropology	FT	001590	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MPhil Medieval & Modern Languages	FT	003730		✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MPhil Medieval Arabic Thought	FT	001050		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Migration Studies	FT	003380	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MPhil Modern Chinese Art	FT	001061		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Modern Chinese Studies	FT	001070			✓		✓		C
MPhil Modern European History	FT	000860		✓	✓				C
MPhil Modern Japanese Studies	FT	003690	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Modern Jewish Studies	FT	001080		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Modern Middle Eastern Studies	FT	001090			✓		✓		C
MPhil Modern South Asian Studies	FT	003740		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Music (Musicology & Performance)	FT	000940		✓	✓		✓		D
MPhil Ottoman Turkish Studies	FT	001100		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Philosophical Theology	FT	001120		✓	✓	✓			F
MPhil Politics: Comparative Government	FT	003150			✓		✓		C

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MPhil Politics: European Politics & Society	FT	003160			✓		✓		C
MPhil Politics: Political Theory	FT	003170			✓		✓		C
MPhil Russian & East European Studies	FT	003200	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Slavonic Studies	FT	001190		✓	✓		✓		C
MPhil Social Anthropology	FT	001660	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MPhil Sociology	FT	003300		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil Theology	FT	001250		✓	✓	✓			C
MPhil Tibetan & Himalayan Studies	FT	001110		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MPhil World Archaeology	FT	001710		✓	✓	✓			C
MSc African Studies	FT	003320	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		B
MSc Applied Linguistics & Second Language Acquisition	FT/PT	002620	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSc Applied Statistics	FT	002280		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc Archaeological Science	FT	001320		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	B
MSc Biodiversity, Conservation & Management	FT	001410	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	B
MSc Biology (Integrative Bio-Science)	FT	001420	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc Biomedical Engineering	FT	003470	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A

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MSc Clinical Embryology	FT	003840	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc Cognitive & Evolutionary Anthropology	FT	001673	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Comparative Social Policy	FT	002660	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSc Computer Science	FT	002330		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc Criminology & Criminal Justice	FT	002670			✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Criminology & Criminal Justice (Research Methods)	FT	003640			✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Diagnostic Imaging	FT/PT	001870	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc Drylands Science & Management	FT	003530	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	B
MSc Economic & Social History	FT	000580		✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Economics for Development	FT	002750	✓	✓	✓	✓			F
MSc Educational Research Methodology	FT/PT	002850	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSc Educational Studies (Comparative and International Education)	FT	003600	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSc Educational Studies (E-Learning)	FT	003590	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSc Educational Studies (Higher Education)	FT	003610	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSc Endovascular Neurosurgery (Interventional Neuroradiobiology)	FT/PT	003660	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc Environmental Change & Management	FT	001470	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A

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MSc Evidence-Based Social Intervention	FT	002911	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSc Forced Migration	FT	002930			✓	✓			C
MSc Global Governance and Diplomacy	FT	003450		✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Global Health Science	FT	003370			✓		✓		A
MSc History of Science, Medicine & Technology	FT	000750		✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSc History of Science: Instruments, Museums, Sci., Tech.	FT	000760		✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Integrated Immunology	FT	001930	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc Latin American Studies	FT	002990		✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Material Anthropology & Museum Ethnography	FT	001570	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Material Anthropology & Museum Ethnography (Research Methods)	FT	001581	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Mathematical & Computational Finance	FT	000171		✓	✓	✓	✓		A
MSc Mathematical Modelling & Scientific Computing	FT	002490		✓	✓	✓	✓		A
MSc Mathematics and Foundations of Computer Science	FT	002520	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc Medical Anthropology	FT	001600	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Medicinal Chemistry for Cancer	FT	003580	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc Modern Japanese Studies	FT	003680	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C

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MSc Nature, Society & Environmental Policy	FT	001610	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	B
MSc Neuroscience	FT	001970	Neuroscience closes on 11th January 2008						A
MSc Pharmacology	FT	002100	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc Political Theory Research	FT	003110			✓		✓		C
MSc Politics & International Relations Research	FT	003140			✓		✓		C
MSc Psychological Research	FT	002221			✓		✓		A
MSc Public Policy in Latin America	FT	003190		✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Rheumatology	PT	003790	Not offered in 2008; next course starts in October 2009						A
MSc Russian & East European Studies	FT	003210	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSc Social Anthropology	FT	001670	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Social Anthropology (Research Methods)	FT	001671	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Sociology	FT	003310	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSc Theoretical Chemistry	FT	002600	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
MSc Visual Anthropology	FT	001690	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSc Water Science, Policy and Management	FT	001700	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	B
MSt Ancient Philosophy	FT	003820	MSt in Ancient Philosophy closes on 11th January 2008						C

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MSt Archaeological Science	FT	001330		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	B
MSt Bible Interpretation	FT	000551		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSt Celtic Studies	FT	000460		✓	✓		✓		C
MSt Chinese Studies	FT	000470		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	B
MSt Classical Archaeology	FT	001440		✓	✓	✓			C
MSt Classical Armenian Studies	FT	000480		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSt Classical Hebrew Studies	FT	000490		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSt English (650-1550)	FT	000611			✓	✓			C
MSt English (1550-1780)	FT	000612			✓				C
MSt English (1780-1900)	FT	000613			✓				C
MSt English (1900-present)	FT	000614			✓				C
MSt English (English and American Studies)	FT	003460			✓				C
MSt European Archaeology	FT	001500		✓	✓	✓			C
MSt Film Aesthetics	FT	003750		✓	✓				C
MSt General Linguistics & Comparative Philology	FT	000660		✓	✓				C
MSt Greek and/or Latin Languages and Literature	FT	000670		✓	✓				C

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MSt Greek and/or Roman History	FT	000700		✓	✓				C
MSt History	FT	000891		✓	✓				C
MSt History of Art and Visual Culture	FT	000730		✓	✓				C
MSt Islamic Art & Archaeology	FT	000770		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSt Islamic Art and Archaeology (Research Methods)	FT	000780		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSt Japanese Studies	FT	000790		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSt Jewish Studies	FT	000800		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSt Jewish Studies in the Graeco-Roman Period	FT	000810		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSt Korean Studies	FT	000830		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSt Landscape Archaeology	FT	001540		✓	✓	✓			C
MSt Late Antique & Byzantine Studies	FT	003760		✓	✓				C
MSt Medieval & Modern Languages	FT	003720		✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSt Medieval History	FT	003780		✓	✓				C
MSt Medieval Studies	FT	003781		✓	✓				C
MSt Modern Jewish Studies	FT	000900		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSt Modern Middle Eastern Studies	FT	000910			✓		✓		C

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MSt Music (Musicology)	FT	000950		✓	✓		✓		C
MSt Oriental Studies	FT	000980		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSt Philosophical Theology	FT	001130		✓	✓	✓			F
MSt Philosophy	FT	001160	MSt in Philosophy closes on 11th January 2008						C
MSt Slavonic Studies	FT	001200		✓	✓		✓		C
MSt Social Anthropology	FT	001672	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		C
MSt Study of Religion	FT	001210		✓	✓	✓			C
MSt Syriac Studies	FT	001220		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	C
MSt Theology	FT	001260		✓	✓	✓			C
MSt Women's Studies	FT	001280		✓	✓	✓			C
MSt World Archaeology	FT	001720		✓	✓	✓			C
MSt Yiddish Studies	FT	001290		✓	✓		✓		C
MTh Applied Theology	FT/PT	000310			✓		✓	✓	C
PGDip Applied Statistics	FT	002290		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A
PGDip Applied Theology	FT/PT	000330			✓		✓	✓	C
PGDip Integrated Immunology	FT	001940	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	A

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PGDip Theology	FT	003430		✓	✓	✓			C