

KING'S COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE

At a Congregation

held on Monday, 23rd July, 2021

at 2.00 pm via Zoom.

Present

Professor Michael Proctor	Dr Tim Flack	Professor Nicholas Marston
Dr Zoe Adams	Professor Robert Foley	Dr Marwa Mahmoud
Dr Tess Adkins	Dr Ingo Gildenhard	Dr Jonah Miller
Dr Sebastian Ahnert	Dr David Good	Dr Perveez Mody
Dr Mark Ainslie	Professor Tim Griffin	Dr Kamiar Mohaddes
Dr David Al-Attar	Mrs Lorraine Headen	Dr Ken Moody
Professor Gareth Austin	Dr David Hillman	Dr Basim Musallam
Dr Mirjana Bozic	Professor Carrie Humphrey	Dr Julienne Obadia
Professor Jude Browne	Professor Herbert Huppert	Dr Rosanna Omitowoju
Professor Nick Bullock	Dr Alice Hutchings	Professor John Perry
Dr Katie Campbell	Mr Daniel Hyde	Professor Jason Sharman
Dr Keith Carne	Professor Martin Hyland	Dr Mark Smith
Dr Maurice Chiodo	Mr Peter Jones	Dr Sharath Srinivasan
Dr Sarah Crisp	Dr Jerelle Joseph	Professor Gareth Stedman Jones
Dr Laura Davies	Professor Barry Keverne	Mr James Trevithick
Dr James Dolan	Professor Charlie Loke	Dr Bert Vaux
Professor John Dunn	Professor Alan Macfarlane	Dr Rob Wallach
Professor George Efstathiou	Dr Cicely Marshall	Dr Godela Weiss-Sussex
Professor Bradley Epps	Professor Nicholas Marston	

Apologies

Professor Gareth Austin	Professor Chris Gilligan	Dr Fraz Mir
Professor William Baker	Professor Gillian Griffiths	Professor Robin Osborne
Professor Richard Bourke	Dr Caroline Goodson	Professor Chris Prendergast
Professor Richard Causton	Dr H Grosse Ruse-Khan	Dr Ben Ravenhill
Revd Dr Stephen Cherry	Dr Aline Guillermet	Professor Paul Ryan
Dr Edward Zychoicz-Coghill	Dr Chez Hall	Dr Mike Sonenscher
Dr Francesco Colucci	Professor Ross Harrison	Dr James Taylor
Professor Anne Davis	Mr Philip Isaac	Dr Tom White
Professor Caroline van Eck	Professor Mark Johnson	Professor John Young
Dr AYTEK Erdil	Professor Richard Josza	Professor Nicolette Zeeman
Dr Eves van den Akker	Dr Philip Knox	
Dr John Filling	Professor Richard Lambert	*Ms E James
Professor Rob Foley	Professor Sarah Lummis	*Mr A Provost
Professor Matthew Gandy	Professor Jean Michel Massing	

On leave

Dr Anna Alexandrova
Professor John Arnold
Professor Pete de Bolla

Professor Khaled Fahmy
Professor Simon Goldhill
Professor Geoff Moggridge

Dr Adriana Pesci
Dr Surabhi Ranganathan
Dr Darin Weinberg

OPEN BUSINESS

Congregation was silent in memory of Dr Erika Swales, Life Fellow and Sir Nicholas Goodison, Honorary Fellow.

62. Declarations of Interest

None.

63. Minutes of Open Business of the Congregation held on 28th June 2021

Approved.

64. Matters arising from the Minutes

None.

65. Oral Reports

Covid-19 Update

With the changes to Governmental Regulations, the University has moved to setting rules based on risk assessments. These are likely to develop over time. The University has proposed, at present, that we try to maintain 1m+ social distance and use masks and ventilation when there are gatherings. The College has adopted a similar line and circulated this to all students, staff and Fellows.

The Provost warmly thanked the College Officers for their outstanding efforts in keeping the College going during the last difficult year.

Principal Business

66. Examination Results

The Senior Tutor presented the Examination Results for 2021.

He reported good results in difficult circumstances. There are a larger number of students than usual who have not completed assessments or have appeals in progress.

Congregation asked to record its appreciation of the efforts made by Tutorial staff and all our staff to support students in these very challenging times.

Other Business

67. Proposal from the Gardens Committee to expand the meadow area on the Back Lawn

This paper was withdrawn for further consideration.

Routine papers (for report only)

None.

68. Any Other Business

Future of College Meetings – Poll

Having received only a small response to the recent on-line poll on how future College meetings should be held, the Provost launched a new poll at the meeting and asked Fellows to complete it.

This poll showed a clear majority in favour of hybrid meetings that allow access in person or online. That applied both to Congregations and other committee meetings. Officers were instructed to explore the equipment needed to allow such meetings.