NIH OXCAM Graduate Partnership Programme

Oxford Visit Week

Nuffield Department of Medicine

NIH National Institutes of Health

University of Oxford
OXFORD VISIT WEEK
18 July – 21 July 2018

ITINERARY

Wednesday 18th
(Arrive from Cambridge)
Check-in at St. Edmund Hall College accommodation

Thursday 19th
Supervisor appointments

Welcome drinks and dinner at Quod Brasserie, 6.30pm

Friday 20th
11am, Q&A with Oxford staff and students
St. Edmund Hall College, Emden Room 1

Supervisor appointments

Saturday 21st
Check out of accommodation
Travel to airport
WELCOME TO OXFORD

We are delighted to welcome you to Oxford as part of the NIH OxCam Graduate Partnership Programme. You will see from the itinerary that much of your time will be free to meet potential mentors and their lab groups, to discuss your research interests and project options. We would also like to invite you to attend a welcome dinner at Quod Brasserie on 19 July at 6.30pm.

Whilst many of you will already have had a chance to meet each other at the Cambridge Workshop, this informal get together will provide you with an opportunity to meet other students currently on the Oxcam Programme and to discuss any questions you may have. Professor Sarah Rowland-Jones, NIH OxCam Director (Oxford) will also be there to answer any queries.

Please RSVP to Karen Poxon at karen.poxon@ndm.ox.ac.uk

Welcome drinks and dinner
Thursday, 19 July 2018 – 6.30pm
Quod Brasserie
92–94 High Street
Oxford
OX1 4BJ
ACCOMMODATION

St. Edmund Hall
Queens Lane, Oxford, OX1 4AR
www.seh.ox.ac.uk Tel: 0044 (0)1865 279000
Porters Lodge open 24 hours, 7 days a week

Check in 12 noon onwards
Check out 10.00

Standard single rooms, bed and breakfast, tea/coffee making facilities, wi-fi.

TRAVEL

Coach/Bus

Stagecoach X5 runs regularly from Cambridge’s city centre (Parkside) to Oxford’s Gloucester Green station. From here, it is recommended that you take a taxis to St. Edmund Hall College.

Heathrow Airport is the UK’s large airport and is approximately an hour’s drive from Oxford. Oxford Bus operates ‘the airline’, a regular service from Oxford to Heathrow Airport. Tickets can be purchased in advance or when you board the coach. Embark/dismark at Oxford Queen’s Lane/High Street bus stop opposite the college itself. airline.oxfordbus.co.uk/heathrow

Rail

Regular rail services run between Oxford and London’s Paddington station. From Paddington station, you can take the Heathrow Express directly to the airport with a journey time of around 15 minutes. A single ticket would typically cost around £25, however, large savings can be made by purchasing online tickets in advance. www.nationalrail.co.uk www.trainline.com www.heathrowexpress.com

Taxis

The Porters Lodge will be happy to call you a taxi if you require one at any time. ABC Radio Taxis - 0044 (0)1865 242424
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BEAUTIFUL OXFORD

Oxford is a bustling, cosmopolitan and beautiful city, renowned for its history and heritage. The City has much to offer with its many ancient buildings, fascinating museums, galleries and beautiful parks and gardens. We hope you will get the chance to see a few of the sights during your visit.

To see what’s on offer visit www.oxfordcityguide.com/ee2/index.php

LOCAL INFORMATION

Cycling is a very popular way to travel around Oxford and is often the fastest way to get around the city. With its flat terrain, minimal traffic and gorgeous sights, you can understand why! You may choose to hire a bike during your stay, however, if cycling isn’t for you, St. Edmund Hall is very centrally located and all of the main tourist sights are within easy walking distance.

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St. Edmund Hall, Queens Lane, Oxford, OX1 4AR

Drinks and dinner

Quod Brasserie, 92–94 High Street, Oxford, OX1 4BJ

Q&A

St. Edmund Hall, Emden Room 1