

Open Day

for prospective undergraduate students & their families

Friday 15 September 2017

Department of Computer Science. 7 Keble Rd entrance. OX1 3QD



DEPARTMENT OF
**COMPUTER
SCIENCE**

Start	Finish	Option 1	Option 2	Opt- ion 3
09:30	10:00	Help Desk Drop in for coffee & a chat Atrium		
10:00	10:45	Main Talk: Computing at Oxford Session Leader: Alex Rogers (Repeated) Lecture Theatre A		
10:45	11:00	Break		
11:00	11:30	Sample Lecture 1: Reinforcement Learning Session Leader: Shimon Whiteson Lecture Theatre A	Applying to Computer Science @ Oxford Primarily for parents, but prospective students may attend. Session Leader: Joe Pitt-Francis (Repeated) Lecture Theatre B	
11:30	12:00	Thinking Machines, Computational Models, and Moral Robots: The Philosophical Frontiers of Computer Science Session Leader: Peter Millican (Repeated) Lecture Theatre A		
12:00	14:30	Student Projects and Research Demonstration Undergraduate Social Area Help Desk Atrium	<i>Tutors available in Colleges for questions. We encourage you to use at least some of this time to visit a College or two. Some Colleges provide lunch. Advanced booking normally required. Tutor(s) will be also be available in the Dept. See P2&3.</i>	Help desk (Atrium)
14:00	14:30	Thinking Machines, Computational Models, and Moral Robots: The Philosophical Frontiers of Computer Science Session Leader: Peter Millican (Repeated) Lecture Theatre A		
14:30	15:15	Main Talk: Computing at Oxford Session Leader: Alex Rogers (Repeated) Lecture Theatre A		
15:15	15:30	Break		
15:30	16:00	Sample Lecture 2: Machine Learning Session Leader: Varun Kanade Lecture Theatre A	Applying to Computer Science @ Oxford Primarily for parents, but prospective students may attend. Session Leader: Joe Pitt-Francis (Repeated) Lecture Theatre B	
16:00	16:30	Sample Lecture 3: Computational Biology Session Leader: Pete Jeavons Lecture Theatre A	Day in the Life of an Undergraduate Computer Science Student Session Leaders: Ellie Williams and Lucy McEvoy Lecture Theatre B	
16:30	16:45	Break		
16:45	17:15	Demonstration Interview and UCAS Forms Session Leader: Geraint Jones Lecture Theatre A		
17:15	17:30	Question and Answer Session Session Leader: Geraint Jones Lecture Theatre A		

We give priority to prospective students wishing to attend our sessions. We will normally only be able to admit a maximum of one guest per prospective student to the above sessions, however further guests will be welcome where space allows.

Please see goo.gl/VQHKCe for further information about the University open days.

Considering the Maths & Computer Science joint degree?

You may also wish to attend the following sessions at the Maths Institute:

Mathematics at University 10:00 – 10:30, repeated 14:30 – 15:00. **Introduction to Mathematics** 11:00 – 11:30. Repeated 15:30 – 16:00. No booking required. Further information at: goo.gl/ahJAAX

Colleges, meet the tutor sessions and lunch

All undergraduate colleges are taking part in the University open day. Most require you to book in advance for their programme of events and most will also be open during the afternoons for drop-in visitors who wish to talk to current students and have a look round. Detailed information about college offerings during the open days is given in the open days guide, available from our check-in desk, or here: www.ox.ac.uk/opendays We encourage you to use the lunchtime period to visit a college or two, and if you wish to meet with a subject tutor. (It's the tutors who make the admissions decisions.)

We have been advised that the following Computer Science tutors/teaching staff will be available in their own college for informal chats (unless otherwise indicated). For sessions labelled “drop in” please feel free to drop in at any point within the timeframe given; for other sessions it is recommended that you arrive for the stated start

College	Name	Times and venue	Booking info for meet the tutor sessions only	More info	Courses		
					CS	M&CS	CS&P
Balliol	Prof. Tom Melham (CS Tutor)	In College: 13:00-13:45, Bajpai Room. Drop in.	No need to book. Report to the Old Common Room & students will guide you.	www.balliol.ox.ac.uk	√	√	√
Christ Church	TBC	In College: 14:30 – 16:30. Drop in.	No need to book. Report to the Tom Tower entrance for directions.	www.chch.ox.ac.uk	√	√	
Exeter	Dr Joe Pitt-Francis (CS Tutor)	CS Help Desk 13:15 – 14:30. Drop in.	No need to book. Report to the Porter's Lodge & students will guide you.	www.exeter.ox.ac.uk		√	
Hertford	Prof. Peter Millican (Philosophy Tutor)	In College: 13:15 – 13:45, Principal's Drawing Room. Please arrive by the time stated. In College: 15:30 – 17:30, Main Quad, drop in.	No need to book. Report to the Porter's Lodge & students will guide you.	www.hertford.ox.ac.uk	√		√
Jesus	Prof. Stanislav Živný (CS Tutor)	In College: 12:15 – 13:00. Drop in.	No need to book. Report to the Porter's Lodge & students will guide you.	www.jesus.ox.ac.uk	√	√	
Keble	Prof. Stephen Cameron (CS Tutor)			www.keble.ox.ac.uk	√	√	
Lady Margaret Hall	Dr Varun Kanade (CS Tutor)	In College: 12:00 – 12:55. Drop in.	Registration preferred: https://goo.gl/u3i2gg Report to college registration desk and students will guide you	www.lmh.ox.ac.uk	√	√	√

time. Please also note that at least one tutor will be available 12:00 – 14:30 both days in the Department – details given in the table – but no booking is required for this.

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Magdalen	Mr Bernard Sufrin (CS Tutor)	CS Help Desk. 12:00 – 13:15. Drop in.	No need to book.	www.magd.ox.ac.uk	✓	✓	
Merton	Prof. Luke Ong (CS Tutor)	In College: 13:15 – 14:00. Room: St Alban's 4.2	Booking recommended. https://goo.gl/wWC9DR Report to the Porter's Lodge & students will guide you.	www.merton.ox.ac.uk	✓	✓	✓
New	Dr Geraint Jones (CS Tutor)	CS Help Desk. 13:00 – 14:30. Drop in.	No need to book.	www.new.ox.ac.uk	✓	✓	✓
Oriel	Prof. Michael Spivey (CS Tutor)	In College: 12:30 – 13:00.	Booking preferred: goo.gl/IUrUz9	www.oriel.ox.ac.uk	✓	✓	✓
St Anne's	Prof. Pete Jeavons (CS Tutor)	In College: 12:15 – 13:00. Drop in.	No need to book. Report to the Porter's Lodge & students will guide you.	www.st-annes.ox.ac.uk	✓	✓	✓
	Prof. Alex Rogers (CS Tutor)	CS Help Desk. 12:00 – 13:15. Drop in.	No need to book.				
St Catherine's	Prof. Shimon Whiteson (CS Tutor)	In College: 12:15 – 13:00.	No need to book. Report to the Porter's Lodge & students will guide you. Sorry no parents.	www.stcatz.ox.ac.uk	✓	✓	✓
St Hugh's	Prof. Alessandro Abate (CS Tutor)	In College: 13:15 – 13:45. Room: Mordan Hall. Drop in.	No need to book. Report to the Porter's Lodge & students will guide you	www.st-hughs.ox.ac.uk	✓	✓	
St John's	Prof. Stefan Kiefer (CS Lecturer)	In College: 14:00 – 15:00. Tea and Tutor session. Room: Kendrew Café. Drop in.	No need to book. Report to the Porter's Lodge & students will guide you.	www.sjc.ox.ac.uk	✓	✓	✓
Somerville	Dr Quentin Miller (CS Tutor)	In College: 12:00 – 14:30. Drop in.	No need to book. Report to the Porter's Lodge & students will guide you.	www.some.ox.ac.uk	✓	✓	
University	Dr Andrew Ker (CS Tutor)	Kybald House, Room 7. 12:15 – 13:00, 13:30 – 14:15	No need to book. Report to the Porter's Lodge & students will guide you.	www.univ.ox.ac.uk	✓	✓	✓
Worcester	Prof. Andrzej Murawski	In College: 13:00 – 13:45.	No need to book. Report to the Porter's Lodge & students will guide you. Sorry no parents.	www.worc.ox.ac.uk	✓	✓	
	Prof. Michael Goldsmith						

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CS = Computer Science. M&CS = Maths & Computer Science. CS&P = Computer Science & Philosophy. CS Dept. = Wolfson Building, 7 Keble Road entrance.