GRADUATE ARCHAEOLOGY AT OXFORD
Dear students,

Welcome to Oxford! We are thrilled to have you join our community and look forward to getting to know you over the next year.

My name is Molly Masterson, I am a third-year DPhil archaeologist and a member of Keble College. I first joined in 2018, completing my MPhil in 2020. I am also the current President of the GAO for Michaelmas Term.

Our organisation is made up of range of students, both Masters and DPhils, in Classical Archaeology, Archaeological Science, and Archaeology. As the GAO committee, our job is to represent your needs to various School of Archaeology committees and bodies, as well as to provide social events and skills development. We have four separate representative officers who act as your voice to governing bodies within the School. As President, I act as a representative for all students—please reach out with any ideas, comments, or concerns.

Coming to Oxford can be an overwhelming experience and we aim to ease your transition as much as possible. I encourage you to join as many College social events and to join the GAO at events we will be hosting in the next few weeks. Our Social Secretaries will be coordinating events throughout term so be sure to join our Facebook Page and visit our website to keep up to date. It is also important to check your emails for interesting seminars, events, and opportunities both at the School as well as throughout the University.

In the meantime, please let any Committee member know if you have any questions or concerns and we will do our best to help out. We are all looking forward to meeting you!

Sincerely,

Molly Masterson
GAO President
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Monday 2 October:
- 15.30: MSc Archaeology Coffee & Cakes @ School of Archaeology, South Parks Road

Tuesday 3 October:
- 12.00: Classical Archaeology Coffee & Cakes @ Ioannou Centre common room
- 19.00: Fresher’s Welcome @ Keble Bar

Thursday 5 October:
- 15.00: MSc Archaeological Science Coffee & Cakes @ South Parks Road common room

Friday 6 October:
- 17.30 Pub Trip to the Jericho Tavern

Saturday 14 October:
- 13.00 GAO Welcome Back @ Keble College MCR
Find Academic and Senior Researchers, Research Staff, and Administrative Staff on the School of Archaeology website. DPhil students also have profiles on the website.
Buildings & Facilities

The School is spread out among four buildings. Faculty and staff have offices in either the School or the Institute. Teaching, meetings, events, and seminars happen across the buildings, so learning which is which is step 1! The common room in the Institute is a popular place for lunch, coffee, and chats. It also functions as a study space for Graduate students and Undergraduates alike.

School of Archaeology
1 S Parks Rd, Oxford OX1 3TG

- Faculty & Staff Offices
- Common Room & Kitchen
- Lecture Room

Institute of Archaeology
34-36 Beaumont St, Oxford OX1 2LW

- Faculty & Staff Offices
- Common Room & Kitchen
- Open Study Space
- Lecture Theatre
- Seminar Room
- DPhil Study Desks
- Student Lockers
While all students have access to the School and the Institute, access to the Classics and Science facilities is more limited. Students can access the Ioannou Centre by registering at the Ioannou Centre reception desk whereas special access is granted upon request to the Dyson Perrins.

**Ioannou Centre**
66 St Giles', Oxford OX1 3L

- Common Room & Kitchen
- Lecture Theatre
- Study space
- Student lockers
- Bookable study rooms

**Dyson Perrins**
Aka: Research Laboratory for Archaeology and the History of Art (RLAHA)
9 S Parks Rd, Oxford OX1 3QY

- Common Room & Kitchen
- Study space
- Labs

Find University Information here.