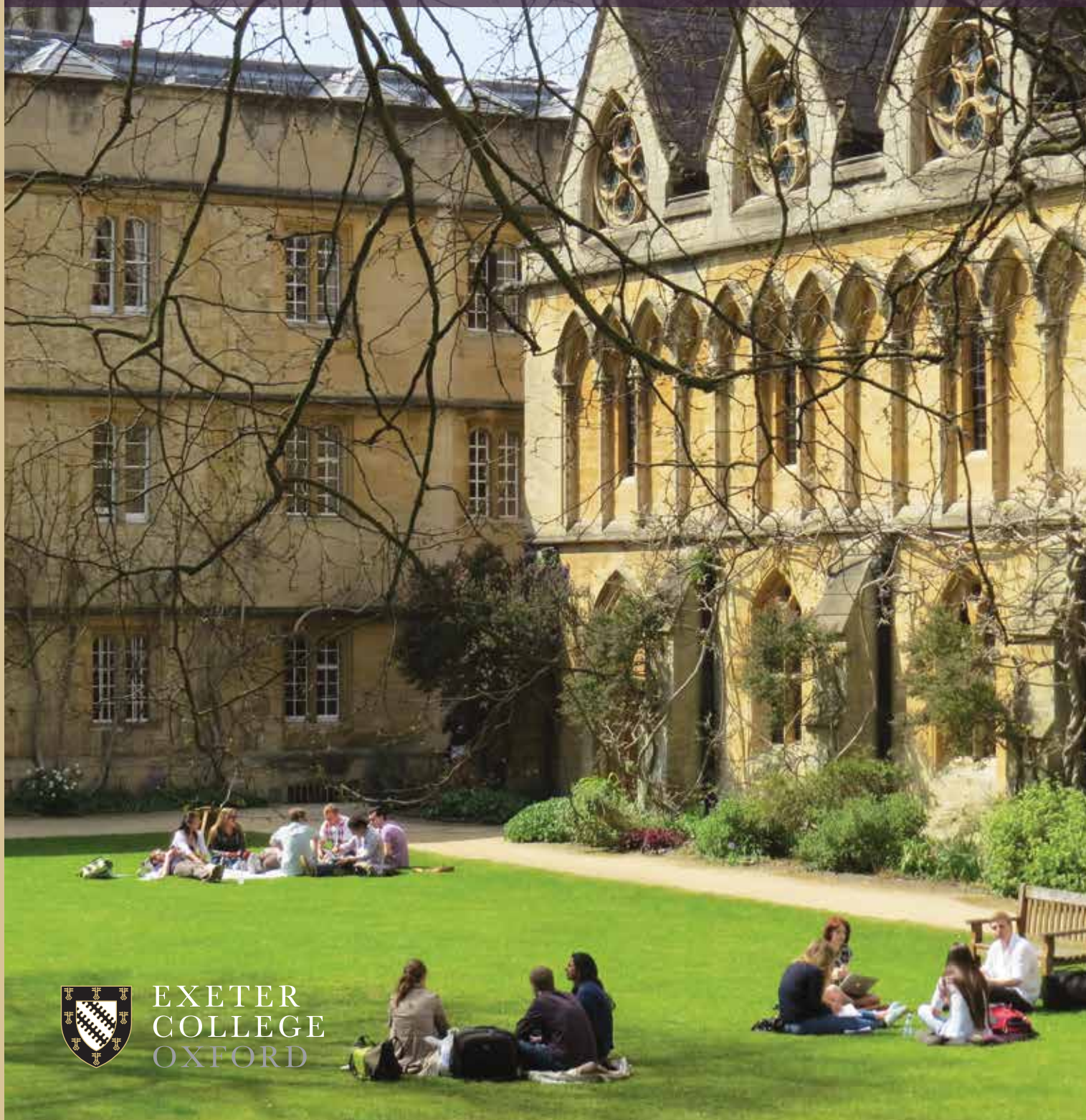




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# Exeter Excelling

THE 700TH ANNIVERSARY CAMPAIGN



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EXETER COLLEGE is a place of intellectual ferment at the heart of Oxford. It is a place where the research of Fellows and graduates informs undergraduate teaching in a collegiate setting; a place where all three groups of scholars work and learn together.

## THE Collegiate IDEAL

EXETER IS COMMITTED to the collegiate ideal, which is exemplified by the close contact teaching of the tutorial system, the community nurtured by living and working around a college quadrangle, and the support offered to students and scholars, allowing them to flourish.

Your support can make this ideal a reality. The *Exeter Excelling* Campaign will protect the tutorial system, transform Exeter's study and residential space in the heart of Oxford, and secure the College's endowment, guaranteeing excellence for future generations.

This brochure sets out the College's vision for the 700th anniversary and beyond, and asks you to help achieve it.

THE CAMPAIGN GOAL  
IS TO RAISE

£45m

TO SECURE EXETER'S  
FUTURE



# 700 Years of Philanthropy

EXETER COLLEGE IS BUILT ON PHILANTHROPY. From the early gifts that established the College to the 58% of living alumni who have made a donation 700 years later, generations of Exonians and friends of Exeter have given to ensure that today's students benefit from outstanding teaching, transformative financial aid, and a stimulating academic and social environment.



1314: *Bishop Walter de Stapeldon makes over the tithes of Gwinear in Cornwall to found Stapeldon Hall, later renamed Exeter College*

1432: *William Palmer, then Rector, gives £100 for the building of Palmer's Tower, four sets of rooms, and lodgings for the Rector*

1566: *Sir William Petre re-endows the College, doubling Exeter's annual income. He also gives Exeter its greatest treasure: the Bohun Psalter*

1618: *John Peryam, brother of a former Fellow, gives £560 to finance the building of Peryam's Mansions (staircase 4)*

1636: *Charles I endows Fellowships for scholars from the Channel Islands*

1856: *The Chapel is completed at a cost of nearly £12,000. Each College Fellow gives a significant percentage of his stipend to the project*

1897: *The widow of William Morris (1852) donates his copy of the Kelmscott Chaucer, one of the finest pieces of 19th-century book production, to Exeter*

1925: *Amelia Jackson, widow of Rector William Jackson, leaves her entire estate to the College. Her legacy creates the Amelia Jackson Scholarships and the Staines Medical Research Fellowship, both still in existence today*

1964: *The Thomas Wood Building (staircases 12, 13 and 14) opens, built thanks to the generosity of Ivan Donald Margary and St Osyth Wood*

2008: *Gifts from Mark Houghton-Berry (1976, Lit Hum), Shri Krishna Pathak (Friend), Paul Pheby (1979, Modern Languages) and others fund the redevelopment of our graduate accommodation block, Exeter House*

2012: *Sir Ronald Cohen (1964, PPE) makes a gift of £4m towards the purchase and redevelopment of Exeter's 'third quad' and campus on Walton Street; an anonymous alumnus makes a transformational gift towards student support*

2013: *Gifts from William Jackson (1986, Geography) and Peter Thompson (Friend) endow Exeter's Fellowships in Modern History and English in perpetuity*

2014: *Exeter enters its eighth century with the highest percentage of alumni giving ever seen outside the USA*



# The Campaign

EXETER HAS BEEN educating brilliant scholars for 700 years, providing a stimulating environment for thoughtful young people. The *Exeter Excelling* Campaign aims to secure and enhance this education for generations to come. We want to provide an accessible education founded upon the cross-fertilisation of ideas that comes as students are taught by distinguished academics in small tutorial groups, while living and learning alongside others in a collegiate environment.

THE CAMPAIGN HAS THREE CORE GOALS:

• TO RAISE **£10m** TO GUARANTEE THE FUTURE OF THE TUTORIAL IN A MULTI-DISCIPLINARY ENVIRONMENT

• TO RAISE **£10m** TO ATTRACT AND SUPPORT TALENTED STUDENTS AND SCHOLARS

• TO RAISE **£25m** TO TRANSFORM THE COLLEGIATE CAMPUS, PROVIDING STUDY AND RESIDENTIAL SPACE FOR STUDENTS IN THE HEART OF OXFORD

IN TOTAL THE *EXETER EXCELLING* CAMPAIGN AIMS TO RAISE

**£45m** TO SECURE THE COLLEGE'S FUTURE AS IT ENTERS ITS EIGHTH CENTURY.

We are very grateful to the members of the *Exeter Excelling* Campaign Committee, to the year group volunteers, and to everyone who has supported Exeter College during the period of the Campaign so far. We hope you will join us in celebrating 700 years of educational excellence and make your gift to support the *Exeter Excelling* Campaign today.

Floreat Exon!



# The Tutorial

THE TUTORIAL PROVIDES an unparalleled opportunity for learning. Through it students formulate and discuss ideas with leading academics, often in a one-to-one setting. They acquire confidence, they learn to think and to defend their views, and they develop depth of knowledge. It is an unrivalled method of teaching that equips students for success.

In order to guarantee that the tutorial survives as a world-class form of education, Exeter must attract and support top academics who are active in research and committed to teaching. This is achieved through securing teaching posts, from senior Fellowships to Graduate Teaching Assistantships. In this way, the whole Exeter community learns together – from Fellow to graduate to undergraduate – at the forefront of current research and debate.

Exeter is committed to ensuring that this tutorial system is preserved and that those who study at Exeter have access to the most outstanding academics. This superlative form of education is expensive. Despite the sharp rise in tuition fees, it continues to need heavy subsidies from the College in order to survive.

*“With tailored advice, students can be helped along their intellectual journey. Wherever their research takes them, through the tutorial system, their tutors can help to guide them towards clear thinking and better presentation of ideas.”*

PROFESSOR JONATHAN HERRING  
FELLOW IN LAW



GUARANTEEING THE  
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# The Tutorial

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## £10m

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*We are seeking donors to support:*

**A TEACHING FELLOWSHIP IN LAW**  
to attract a leading academic to the College, guarantee tutorial teaching in this core subject, and protect its future

**TEACHING POSTS IN MATHEMATICS AND THE SCIENCES**  
to provide funding for lecturers retained in specialist subjects such as Anatomy and Astrophysics, and additional teaching in Mathematics for Mathematics and Science students

**CAREER DEVELOPMENT FELLOWSHIPS**  
to create a portfolio of posts for junior academics who are just starting their careers, focussed on a wide range of research areas

**GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIPS**  
to give crucial teaching experience to graduates wishing to pursue an academic career while also delivering essential additional teaching support for undergraduates

**TUTORIAL PROVISION**  
to subsidise the cost of educating all undergraduate students for the duration of their degree

**STUDY OUTSIDE OF OXFORD**  
to subsidise Medical and Earth Sciences students as they undertake compulsory electives and fieldwork across the UK and abroad

**INTER-DISCIPLINARY STUDY**  
to stimulate discussion and thought through Family Dinners and the Rector's Seminar Series, at which business leaders, politicians, professionals, artists and scholars of all ages exchange ideas

# The Tutorial

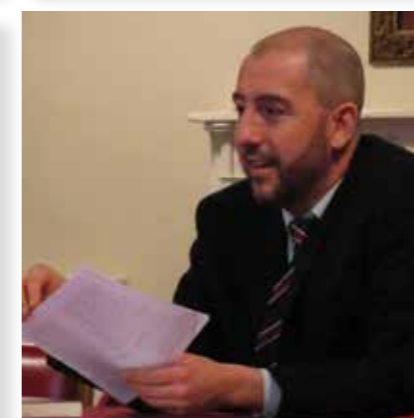
## £1.2m

COULD SECURE A  
FELLOWSHIP IN LAW IN  
PERPETUITY



## £200,000

COULD ENDOW A  
GRADUATE TEACHING  
ASSISTANTSHIP IN  
PERPETUITY



## £50,000

COULD RENOVATE AND  
RESTOCK A SUBJECT AREA  
IN THE COLLEGE LIBRARY



## £10,000

COULD SPONSOR  
MATHEMATICS CLASSES  
FOR SCIENCE STUDENTS  
FOR A YEAR



EVERY GIFT  
MAKES A  
DIFFERENCE.

A GIFT OF  
£50 A MONTH + GIFT AID  
IS EQUIVALENT TO THE  
FUNDS DRAWN DOWN  
FROM AN ADDITIONAL  
£23,000 IN THE COLLEGE  
ENDOWMENT.



A DONATION OF  
**£50**  
PER MONTH (+ GIFT AID)  
FOR THREE YEARS COULD  
SUPPORT A SERIES OF  
FINALS REVISION CLASSES



# Student Support

**FINANCIAL SUPPORT ENABLES EXETER** to admit the most academically able students, regardless of their personal financial circumstances.

A portfolio of scholarships helps Exeter to attract outstanding graduate students, enhancing the academic depth of the college community. Oxford's undergraduate bursary programme, the most generous in the UK, supports those incoming students who would otherwise be unable to finance their time at Oxford. The cost of providing these bursaries is shared between the central University and the colleges.

Financial support for undergraduates and graduates can significantly reduce the burden of living costs in Oxford and assist with the purchase of essential study materials. It helps graduates to cover the costs associated with attending conferences outside of Oxford, and eliminates the need for undergraduates to take up part-time employment away from their studies, simply to make ends meet.

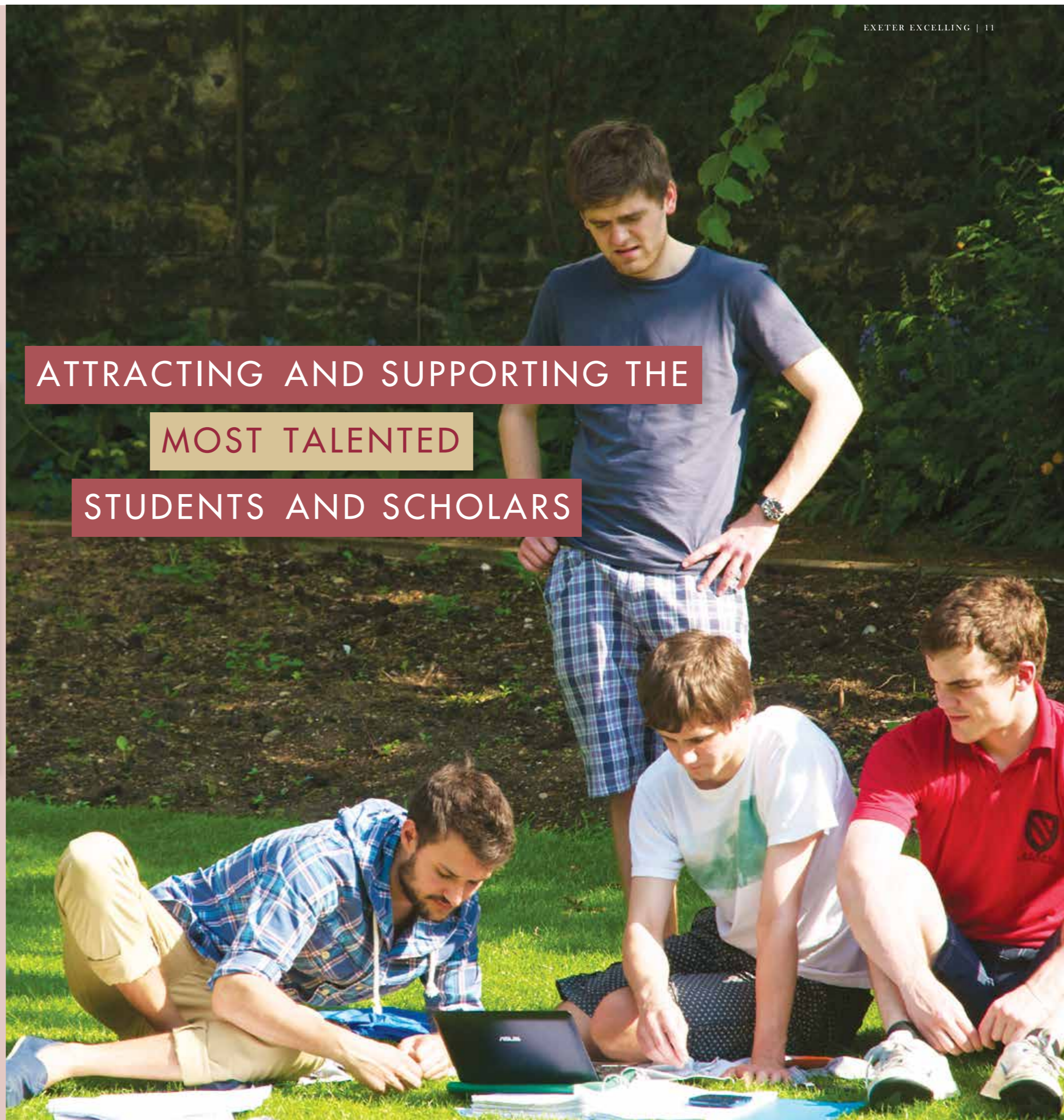
The College also provides a range of grants for sports, music and drama so that all students who wish to participate can do so.

*“Exeter's academic grant allowed me to travel to Minsk for two weeks. Here I had an opportunity to conduct research in young adult kidney transplantation as well as gain an appreciation of the Belarusian healthcare system. As a third-year medical student, this was a chance for me to have first-hand experience in research which is a good foundation for the future. Exeter's financial support was very important as without it I would have struggled to fund the trip.”*

RIKHIL PATEL  
(2010, MEDICAL SCIENCES)



## ATTRACTING AND SUPPORTING THE MOST TALENTED STUDENTS AND SCHOLARS



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*We are seeking donors to support:*

### OXFORD BURSARIES

to ensure that undergraduate students from low income families receive financial support throughout their degree

### EXONIAN BURSARIES

to provide support for undergraduates who experience financial difficulties while at Exeter

### GRADUATE RESEARCH GRANTS

to enable graduate students to participate in conferences outside Oxford

### SPORTING AND CULTURAL GRANTS

to subsidise College activities such as rowing, choir tours, dramatic productions, track and field sports and art exhibitions, and to provide financial support to those undertaking them

### TRAVEL GRANTS

to aid students in their study and personal development by exposing them to a wider range of cultures and ideas, including travel in the vacations in support of academic endeavours

### THE CAREERS AND INTERNSHIP OFFICE

to provide careers advice, workshops and a wide range of internships that prepare students for life beyond Exeter, as well as internship bursaries that enable students to take up unpaid or overseas opportunities

### THE SCHOOLS LIAISON OFFICER POST

to work with schools to attract the brightest applicants, irrespective of background, and support them through the Oxford admissions process

# Student Support

## £1m

COULD ENDOW IN  
PERPETUITY A GRADUATE  
SCHOLARSHIP, COVERING  
BOTH ACADEMIC FEES  
AND LIVING COSTS



## £500,000

COULD ENDOW IN  
PERPETUITY THE POST OF  
SCHOOLS LIAISON  
OFFICER AND THE  
SCHOOLS LIAISON  
PROGRAMME



## £100,000

COULD CREATE FOUR  
UNDERGRADUATE  
HARDSHIP BURSARIES IN  
PERPETUITY



## £10,000

COULD FUND THE COLLEGE  
CAREERS OFFICER AND  
CAREERS PROGRAMME FOR  
A FULL YEAR



EVERY GIFT  
MAKES A  
DIFFERENCE.  
A GIFT OF

£35 A MONTH + GIFT AID  
IS EQUIVALENT TO THE  
FUNDS DRAWN DOWN  
FROM AN ADDITIONAL  
£16,000 IN THE COLLEGE  
ENDOWMENT.



A DONATION OF

## £35

PER MONTH (+ GIFT AID)  
FOR ONE YEAR COULD  
FUND ONE EXONIAN  
HARDSHIP BURSARY



# Collegiate Environment

EXETER PRIZES ABOVE ALL ELSE the residential college as an intellectual meeting place for all disciplines and all stages of scholarship. It is essential that Exeter provide modern teaching and living space in the heart of Oxford, as well as world-class learning resources.

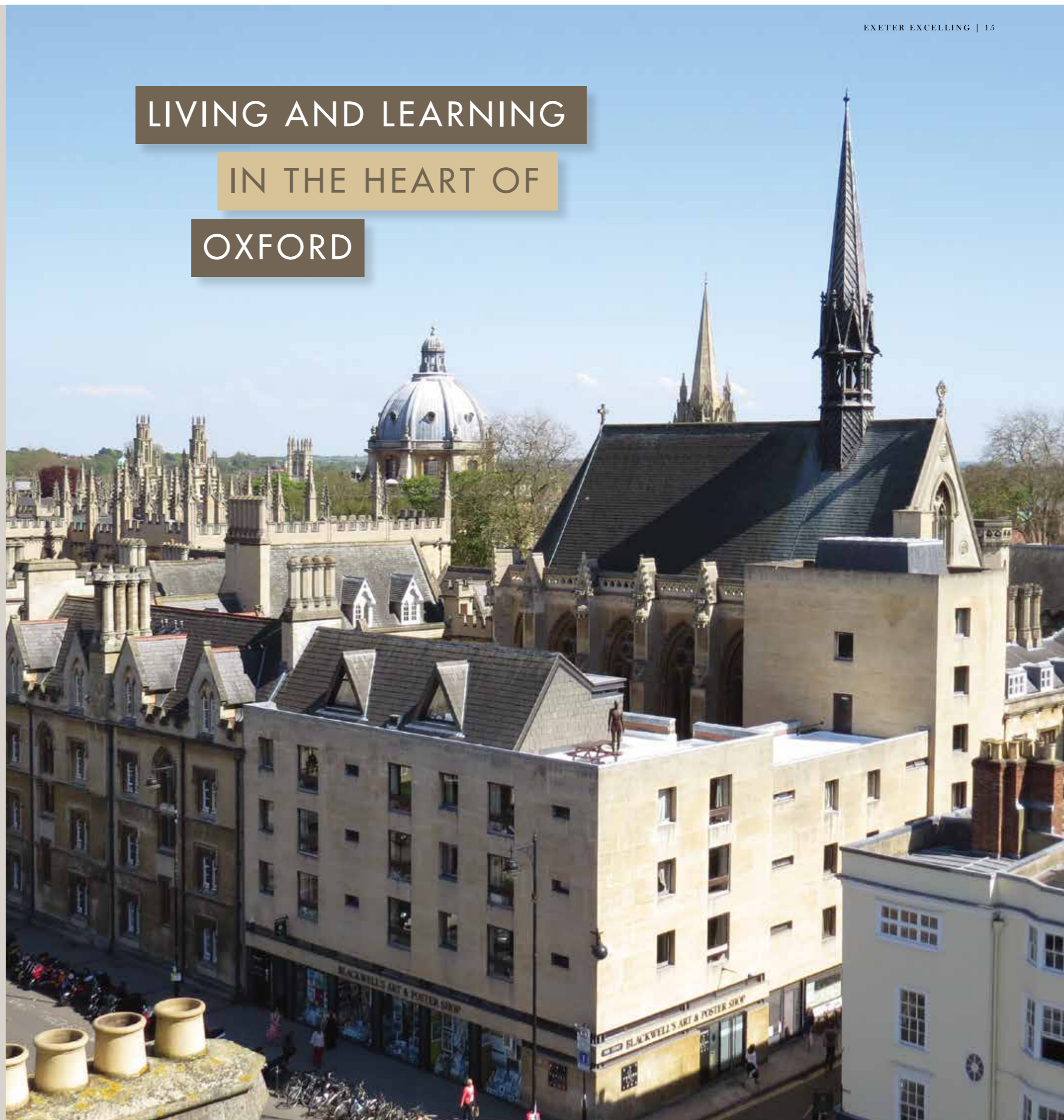
Exeter is committed to providing facilities that support the 21st century scholar, both on the historic Turl Street site and at its new campus on Walton Street.

Exeter's students live and work in buildings that were not designed for modern study. The beautiful Victorian library needs sympathetic renovation to provide a well furnished and light space in which undergraduates and graduates have easy access to the reference books and journals they need. Further space is also needed within the College for computer facilities, as well as rooms for group study.

The College's vision for the Walton Street campus, just 10 minutes' walk from Turl Street, is to create another quadrangle where space for learning and living is integrated, with undergraduates living and working alongside their tutors. Award-winning architect Alison Brooks has designed a campus in which Oxford's renowned educational system and the 21st century scholar will flourish.



## LIVING AND LEARNING IN THE HEART OF OXFORD

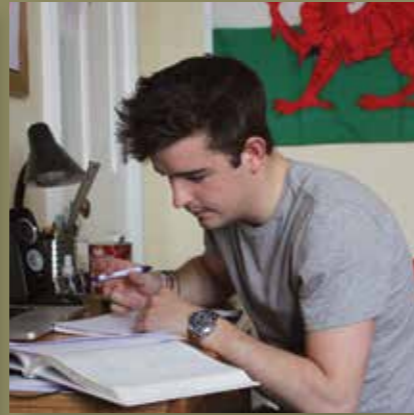


## Collegiate Environment

EXETER SEEKS TO RAISE

# £25m

TO TRANSFORM ITS CAMPUS, PROVIDING LIVING AND STUDY SPACE FOR ALL EXONIANS IN THE HEART OF OXFORD



*We are seeking donors to support:*

### THE WALTON STREET CAMPUS

to create a new site in the heart of the city where students and academics live and work together around Oxford's newest quadrangle

### THE REDEVELOPMENT OF THE COLLEGE LIBRARY

to provide sufficient study spaces in a well-lit and ordered learning environment within an historic building

### EXETER HOUSE

to provide over 100 study bedrooms for graduate students, arranged around quadrangles in groups of small apartments

### THE REJUVENATION OF THE FELLOWS' GARDEN

to restore this beautiful oasis to its full glory for the benefit of the whole collegiate community

### IT SERVICES AND INFRASTRUCTURE

to provide Wi-Fi across all College sites and ensure that students have access to the most modern IT facilities

### THE SPORTS PAVILION, BOAT HOUSE AND GYM

to refresh and equip the College's sporting facilities for the successful development of Exeter's athletes and visiting teams

### A COLLEGE ARCHIVE AND READING ROOM

to house and display the College's precious early printed books and other literary treasures, as well as 700 years of archive material

## Collegiate Environment Turl Street Campus

# £1m

COULD DEVELOP ONE WING OF THE COLLEGE LIBRARY TO CREATE A SPACE FOR 21ST CENTURY STUDY



# £250,000

COULD FUND A FLAT AT EXETER HOUSE, THE COLLEGE'S GRADUATE ACCOMMODATION FACILITIES



# £120,000

COULD REPAIR AND RESTORE THE CHAPEL FLÛCHE, ONE OF OXFORD'S DREAMING SPIRES



# £30,000

COULD RESTOCK AND REVITALISE THE FELLOWS' GARDEN



EVERY GIFT MAKES A DIFFERENCE.



A GIFT OF

£150 A MONTH + GIFT AID IS EQUIVALENT TO THE FUNDS DRAWN DOWN FROM AN ADDITIONAL £69,000 IN THE COLLEGE ENDOWMENT.

FOUR DONORS GIVING

# £150

PER MONTH (+ GIFT AID) COULD PROVIDE AND MAINTAIN WI-FI ACROSS ALL COLLEGE SITES

*"The extent to which my experience of Exeter is shaped by the strict ordering and separation of its spaces constantly surprises me: from the hierarchy of quadrangles, rewarding the depth of one's penetration with ever grander sights, to the vantage overlooking Radcliffe Square, where one could not possibly feel more distant from throngs of tourists and passers-by; from the alluring mystery of the Rector's Garden, to entire networks of rooms that I cannot enter. All of these have located my identity here on precise social and academic spectra. The physical body of Exeter has humbled and inspired me. This is its aim."*

HENRY SCHMIDT (2012, WILLIAMS AT EXETER PROGRAMME)

## Collegiate Environment Walton Street Campus

### £4m

COULD CREATE THE STUDENT LEARNING COMMONS AT THE HEART OF THE WALTON STREET CAMPUS



### £2m

COULD FUND THE LECTURE THEATRE, A VERSATILE SPACE FOR PRESENTATIONS AND PERFORMANCES



### £150,000

COULD INSTALL A SOUNDPROOFED MUSIC ROOM FOR COLLEGE MUSICIANS



### £10,000

COULD FUND A STUDENT BEDROOM, PROVIDING AFFORDABLE ACCOMMODATION FOR UNDERGRADUATES



### £500,000

COULD DEVELOP THE STUDENT COMMON ROOM ON THE NEW CAMPUS

### £250,000

COULD CREATE A 'FAMILY' KITCHEN WITHIN THE STUDENT ACCOMMODATION AREA



## Collegiate Environment Walton Street Campus

### £75,000

COULD BUILD A CLIMATE-CONTROLLED READING ROOM FOR THE COLLEGE'S SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

### £50,000

COULD DEVELOP THE ARCHIVE FOR EXETER'S HISTORIC MANUSCRIPTS AND EARLY PRINTED BOOKS



*“Exeter’s new residential and academic quad project at Walton Street is an extraordinary opportunity to expand dramatically the College’s facilities and to reinterpret the Oxford quadrangle tradition for the 21st century.”*

*“Alison Brooks Architects has developed its design with Fellows, students, the wider College community and our consultant team to ensure the architecture responds precisely to the College’s requirements and responsibly to its sensitive Walton Street context.”*

ALISON BROOKS  
ARCHITECT



# Why I Give

“Exeter College has played an important and enjoyable part in our lives and we have spent a combined 14 years there from 1955 to 2000. All three of us have benefited greatly from the excellence of the education we have received, the close and friendly environment of the College and the many friendships we have formed. Each of us has very much enjoyed keeping in touch with Exeter since leaving and supporting it today to help others benefit as we have.”

TYEBJEE BARMA (1955, *ECONOMICS*)  
AARIF BARMA (1978, *JURISPRUDENCE*)  
HUSSEIN BARMA (1984, *JURISPRUDENCE*)



“I had a fantastic time at Exeter and found it an incredibly rewarding (although at points challenging!) experience. I feel very privileged to have had the opportunity to study at the College for three years – and I am very happy to make a contribution to help others to study at Exeter too.”

ELIZABETH BURY  
(1994, *ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT*)



“Giving to Exeter is great fun; I get enjoyment through meeting like-minded alumni from all generations in most agreeable circumstances, and inspiration through meeting current students on a personal level. I have pride in playing a part in continuing the 700-year-old tradition of securing the College’s future by giving.”

JOHN LEIGHFIELD  
(1958, *LIT HUM*)



“We all no doubt value different aspects of the College experience. For me the tutorial system stands out, with its emphasis on intellectual rigour, discovery and independence. This kind of education is rare and to my mind well worth the considerable investment required to sustain it. One thing is clear to me: if alumni don’t invest in the future of the College and the University, it will become increasingly difficult to provide the level of excellence we remember and expect.”

RICHARD BENNETT  
(1987, *MODERN LANGUAGES*)



“Becoming a member of Exeter College and the Boat Club turned out to be a life-changing experience for me, and I felt that it was important to give back in one of the ways that College needs it most. Through the power of donation, we were able to send the First VIII rowing crews to a training camp in France. I was thrilled to be able to help in providing such opportunities for Exeter students and encourage other young alumni to do the same.”

HILARY ZINSMEYER WYNNE  
(2009, *GENERAL LINGUISTICS AND COMPARATIVE PHILOLOGY*)

“I was privileged to give to Exeter, as my husband (Arthur Peacocke, 1942, Chemistry) wished, the prize he was awarded by the Templeton Foundation. The result has been that I am now the friend of a vibrant and inspirational community – Fellows, undergraduates and alumni; he would have been delighted and so am I!”

ROSEMARY PEACOCKE (FRIEND)

“Any donor to Exeter can be sure that the College uses that money in a way fully befitting its status as the UK leader in alumni giving. 100% of every donation is spent in accordance with the donor’s wishes, and the College endowment is professionally managed by a team that includes qualified alumni.”

MARK HOUGHTON-BERRY  
(1976, *LIT HUM*)  
CAMPAIGN CHAIRMAN

“We both received so much from Exeter – a fantastic education, a better understanding of the world, and friendships that will last a lifetime. Bursaries and other forms of support meant that we had opportunities and experiences we would never have had otherwise. As an ‘Exeter couple’ it’s obvious to us that we should give something back.”

DAVID HANCOCK (1998, *PHYSICS*)  
KATRINA HANCOCK (1998, *EARTH SCIENCES*)



“Going to Exeter College was such a great help at the start of my career that it feels right to show my appreciation by helping financially future generations of students to have the same opportunity.”

MICHAEL HART  
(1977, *JURISPRUDENCE*)



“In order to allow future generations to benefit from the excellent teaching and resources that I myself enjoyed, I have named Exeter as one of the beneficiaries of my will.”

GEOFFREY GREATREX  
(1986, *LIT HUM*)

“I am proud to support Exeter through the Exeter College Incentive Scheme in order to maintain its core value of academic excellence, and so ensure that future generations of students are able to benefit from the Exeter experience as much as I did.”

DAVID WEBB  
(1983, *MATHEMATICS*)

# Celebrating Success

EXETER CAN ALREADY CELEBRATE 700 YEARS OF PHILANTHROPY – from large gifts that acquire buildings and endow teaching posts, to small donations whose cumulative totals have a vast impact on College life. We continue to build on this success, and it is with great pride in the support of our alumni that we have achieved so much in recent years. Thank you.



*"I have been truly delighted by Exonians' generosity during my Rectorship. Gifts of all sizes make a tremendous difference to the College today and enable us to plan for its future. These pages display some of our recent achievements that philanthropy has made possible. I know that we will be able to accomplish even more with your support in 2014 and beyond."*

FRANCES CAIRNCROSS, RECTOR



FELLOWSHIP IN ECONOMICS

Thanks to Exonians, the teaching of tomorrow's leaders and policy-makers by a College Fellow has been secured in perpetuity. Professor Martin Ellison is the current Michael Cohen Fellow and Tutor in Economics.



COLLEGE SPORTS FACILITIES

The gym and sports pavilion have been refurbished and the Boat Club has benefitted from an extensive pre-Summer VIIIs training camp in France.



CATALOGUING OF THE COLLEGE HEBRAICA

The first stage of this project has now been completed, making the College's valuable collection of Hebrew works accessible to scholars all over the world.



THE BORNHAUSER LEGACY

The generous bequest of Fred Bornhauser (1948, English) has enabled the College to offer teaching, create scholarships, and purchase key texts in American Literature.



EXETER HOUSE

Exeter House has been redeveloped thanks to the generosity of alumni and friends of the College. It provides outstanding accommodation to Exeter's graduate students.



WALTON STREET PURCHASE

The Walton Street campus was purchased with the visionary gifts of Exonians. Their support is now encouraging others to play their part in the redevelopment of the site.



HARDSHIP BURSARIES

These are essential to enable students to get the most out of their time at Oxford, regardless of their financial background. Several bursaries have been created thanks to generous Exonians.



GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

Graduate scholarships have attracted and supported the brightest scholars from around the world and brought them into the Exeter community.



GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANT IN ENGLISH

Graduate Teaching Assistantships provide study skills and revision classes to undergraduates, as well as enabling graduates to gain valuable teaching experience.

# The Annual Fund



**REGULAR GIFTS PROVIDE A LIFELINE TO THE COLLEGE.** We hope that all our alumni will support Exeter each year by making a gift to the Annual Fund. This way of giving, where alumni make monthly or annual donations on a scale that is both sustainable and personally appropriate, provides Exeter with a vital source of dependable income and allows the College to plan ahead and budget appropriately.



Gifts to the Annual Fund are unrestricted, although donors are invited to express a preference for their area of support. Over £650,000 is given to the Annual Fund each year, with 3,300 alumni (some 58% of all living, contactable undergraduates and graduates) having given at some point during the Campaign. Furthermore, we are currently the most widely supported institution outside the USA with a 38% annual giving rate.

This dependable source of regular income allows the College to operate as though it had an additional endowment of £20m. It allows us to fund core initiatives that would otherwise not be possible.

All gifts to the Annual Fund are vital. They are counted towards the Campaign total, and all donors are acknowledged as Campaign donors.



## AREAS SUPPORTED BY THE ANNUAL FUND INCLUDE:

- Exonian Bursaries, which help students in need of financial aid
- The Careers Office, which arranges internships and provides grants allowing students to take up work experience placements
- Sporting and cultural activities of the student body
- The Library
- Most important of all, the tutorial system through funding additional classes and teaching support from graduate students



# Give Today

THERE HAS NEVER BEEN a time in Exeter's history when so many alumni, parents and friends have chosen to support the College financially. The 700th anniversary is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate all that has been achieved and to work together to secure the College's future.

## Ways to Give

### CAMPAIGN GIFTS

Exeter is looking for partners who share the College's vision and who wish to make a transformative gift to equip the College for its next 700 years.

The *Exeter Excelling* Campaign offers many exciting opportunities to transform the College, the lives of its students, its teaching provision and Fellows' research. Gifts can be made over a period of years to take full advantage of tax incentives and are often given for specific purposes, either to cover capital expenditure or to be held in the College's endowment to support a chosen project in perpetuity.

To discuss making a transformative gift to the *Exeter Excelling* Campaign call 01865 287163 or email [development@exeter.ox.ac.uk](mailto:development@exeter.ox.ac.uk).

### ANNUAL FUND GIFTS

The Annual Fund offers everyone the opportunity to make a gift every year, on a scale that is both sustainable and personally appropriate.

Exeter relies on gifts to the Annual Fund. A dependable gift of £32.50 every year is equal in value to the return on additional endowment funds of £1,000.

Gifts to the Annual Fund support core initiatives such as the tutorial system, extracurricular activities, financial support for students, library texts, and investment in the collegiate environment including the Walton Street campus.

To make your gift to the Annual Fund call 01865 287165 or email [development@exeter.ox.ac.uk](mailto:development@exeter.ox.ac.uk).

### LEGACY GIFTS

A legacy is the gift that everyone can make, regardless of their financial circumstances during their lifetime. A gift in your will to Exeter will support generations to come, whether it endows scholarships or bursaries for gifted students, helps to fund academic posts or provides new facilities and resources.

Legacy gifts, both large and small, play a very important part in Exeter's philanthropic history. Our Amelia Jackson Society for legacy pledgers is a thriving community of alumni and friends who are committed to seeing the College excel many years into the future.

To discuss leaving a legacy to Exeter call 01865 287163 or email [development@exeter.ox.ac.uk](mailto:development@exeter.ox.ac.uk).

100% OF EVERY GIFT IS USED FOR THE PURPOSES DIRECTED BY THE DONOR

EVERY GIFT MAKES A DIFFERENCE, NO MATTER HOW LARGE OR SMALL

YOU CAN GIVE TO EXETER TAX-EFFICIENTLY FROM MOST COUNTRIES

# Recognising Your Support



EXETER IS COMMITTED to the public recognition of its benefactors. All donors, unless they choose to remain anonymous, are thanked in the annual Donors’ Report.

### MAJOR BENEFACTORS’ PROGRAMME

Tailored naming opportunities are available for donors who make a major benefaction to the College. There is also an annual event to recognise and celebrate the generosity of Exeter’s Major Benefactors.

#### CIRCLES OF BENEFACTION

Rector’s Guild of Benefactors	Gifts of more than £1,000,000
Stapeldon Benefactor	Gifts of more than £500,000
Petre Benefactor	Gifts of more than £250,000
Acland Benefactor	Gifts of more than £100,000
Palmer Benefactor	Gifts of more than £50,000
Peryam Benefactor	Gifts of more than £25,000
Exeter Benefactor	Gifts of more than £10,000 if given before 30 years old

### 1314 SOCIETY

Everyone who gives at least £1,314 (£1,051.20 + Gift Aid, with lower levels for recent leavers and young alumni) to the Annual Fund will become a member of the 1314 Society for the year in which their gift is made.

#### MEMBERS OF THE 1314 SOCIETY RECEIVE:

- The annual ‘1314 Pin’ in the form of the Exeter College Crest
- 1314 certificate signed by the Rector
- Special recognition in the annual Donors’ Report
- Preferential invitations to networking events
- Exclusive access to the Rector’s Seminar Series
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