The Annual CAMPAIGN REPORT

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Autumn 2017
It has been an historic year for Magdalene’s development work. The public launch of the Campaign involved a number of high-profile and wonderfully well-supported events which allowed us to celebrate the College’s identity, history and aspirations, and to set out the details of how we intend to raise the ambitious sum we have set ourselves as a target over the coming five years. The major event, which took place in St. James’s Palace, thanks to the generous support of our alumnus, HRH the Duke of Gloucester, was a memorable evening, with the presence of large numbers from all over the world, many of our current Fellows and Honorary Fellows – and our excellent Chapel Choir to provide musical accompaniment. But we also took the message to East Asia and the United States, with a dinner in Hong Kong and events in New York and Boston. More recently, another well-supported dinner in Singapore gave us the opportunity of updating another group of Members and Friends. All of these events depended on the immense generosity of a small number of individual hosts and donors, to whom our gratitude is very great indeed.

And the enormously encouraging news is that, even in the six months or so since the Campaign officially began, donations have come in at a rate that makes us confident of our ability to reach our target well within the time limits we have set out. Earlier in the summer, we heard that our collaboration with the University in creating a new Chair in African Archaeology in memory of Nelson Mandela had resulted in full funding for this post, and we were able to guarantee the funding for the Professorial Fellowship that will link this important new position to Magdalene. Funding for individual bursaries and scholarships continues to flow in, nationally and internationally. And, not least significant, we now have over half of what we need for the new Library building, and are planning to begin the actual building work next autumn. The strength and rapidity of response to the Campaign has been a huge boost to us as a College, as you can imagine – not just in terms of financial security but because it speaks volumes about the enthusiasm of our wider College family for the flourishing of this community.

I want to pay tribute not only to the superb Development team we now have in College, who have worked tirelessly throughout the year (and haven’t shrunk from sharing the most basic physical jobs, such as preparing information and gift packages for those attending events), but also to those in our present undergraduate and graduate body who have voluntarily stepped up to support the Campaign in various ways. We decided this year to enlarge the number of those engaged in the Telephone Campaign and were rewarded with record results; but many also supported us in other ways, notably by attending launch events and being willing to talk about their positive experiences of Magdalene as it now is. We are very grateful for their energy and eagerness to help.

There is much more to say, but this will give a flavour of how things are going, and of why we feel so confident about the Campaign. There have of course been other notable gifts (we have officially dedicated a handsome new boat, named for my wife!), but you’ll find the details elsewhere. My pleasant task is once again to commend and thank all who have helped us, here and worldwide, to continue our building for the future of Magdalene and of all those who share its life and find fulfilment by doing so.

ROWAN WILLIAMS, Master

FROM THE MASTER

Our Future foundations Campaign has got off to an extraordinary start; this is a colossal vote of confidence in the College by its Members, and we are all immensely grateful.
The bottom line: we raised a fantastic £3.3 million in cash and pledges during the year and actually received £2.5 million in cash, a great start to our most ambitious fundraising endeavour to date. We worked to secure £10 million in gifts and pledges for the new Library in time for the public launch of the Campaign and have been absolutely delighted with the response. We have raised another £4 million for the building in the last six months and are simply staggered by everyone’s generosity.

We received gifts from 1,231 Members during the past year, which translates into just under 19% of alumni supporting us this year. Many of our youngest Members responded positively to the offer from an anonymous donor to match gifts received from young alumni pound for pound; 73% of those called made a donation to Magdalene and we trebled the sum raised from that cohort compared to last year. More than 60% of this year’s Graduands chose to make a gift to College before leaving Magdalene. These figures are not only impressive but also outstanding in the context of fundraising in Oxbridge and speak for themselves.

Readers will recall our efforts in connection with the Mandela Magdalene Memorial Foundation at Cambridge to honour the memory of our Honorary Fellow, Dr Nelson Mandela, after his death in 2013. We raised the £2.5 million needed in collaboration with the University to endow a Chair for African Archaeology. The recruitment process for the first Jennifer Ward Oppenheimer Professorship of the Deep History and Archaeology of Africa is currently underway; the Professorial Fellowship at Magdalene is almost fully endowed and the re-endowment of the Mandela Magdalene Scholarships is ongoing. We owe much to very many Members too numerous to list here for their help, gifts and support; however, our Honorary Fellow Chris von Christierson (1969) and Honorary Member Dr Allen Zimbler (2015) made enormous efforts to help us achieve this goal.

The Campaign aims to provide the best possible facilities and support for our students to reach their full potential whilst at Cambridge. Increasing the financial assistance we are able to offer those students who are in need of help is part of that endeavour. Our undergraduate bursary scheme, introduced in 2012 in response to the changed funding regime, has so far resulted in more than 70 of our undergraduate students having received substantial sums to mitigate living costs during their three years at Magdalene. Many more students have benefitted from partial bursaries worth several hundred pounds to thousands of pounds per annum. In addition, we are able to fund travel bursaries, research...
projects during the summer; provide assistance for medical electives and of course fund prizes. We are immensely grateful to each and every one of our donors who helps the College to support students in financial need.

An important addition to the funding available for graduate students is the Sir Colin Corness Fund for Fourth Year Graduate Students in the STEM Subjects which was set up with the help of an exceptional donation from Honorary Fellow Sir Colin Corness (1951). This unique Fund allows PhD students in STEM subjects and Medicine who find that their research extends beyond the three years of funding already in place to apply for extra financial assistance.

Supporting teaching and young researchers at the cusp of their careers is another priority for the College. It is only because of several generous donations that we are in the process of appointing a College Lecturer in Economics in association with the Faculty of Economics. This jointly funded post will provide teaching and supervisions for the Economics Tripos, and enable research in association with the Cambridge-Institute for New Economic Thinking (C-INET).

All of this has been possible because of the overwhelming support of our Members, Friends, staff and students. It is with a sense of immense gratitude and optimism that, nine months into the Future foundations Campaign, we look forward to hitting the £15 million mark by June next year. Thank you!

CORINNE LLOYD, Development Director

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Supporting the Campaign

We very much hope to encourage all of our Members to take part in this Campaign. Every gift, large or small, will make a huge difference. There are a number of naming opportunities within the new building for chairs, reader alcoves and plaques, so please do get in touch should you be interested. All donors who contribute a total of £1,000 during the course of the Campaign (just £13.34 per month with Gift Aid over five years) will have their name recorded on the ‘Wall of Benefactors’ in the Magdalen Members’ Central Reading Room. If you would like to discuss making a gift in confidence, please contact development@magd.cam.ac.uk or call 01223 332104.

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PARTICIPATION RATES

Magdalene continues to compare very favourably with the other Colleges in terms of its participation rate; this year, just under one in five Members whose details we hold generously agreed to make a donation to the College. The remarkably high proportion of Members who become donors is testament to the unique strength of community within Magdalene.

* College average for 2016/17 is projected, as figure is not currently available
**GIVING TO THE COLLEGE**

Your incredibly generous support has resulted in a fantastic total of £2,321,510 gifts received and £3,276,181 in funds raised during the financial year 2016–17.

These donations suggest that we will achieve our Campaign goals within the next five years: build a magnificent new Library; support more students and young academics; and restore the Pepys Building. The Magdalene community is coming together to enable the provision of the best possible facilities, including financial support for those who need it, supporting ground-breaking research and the preservation of the College’s unique heritage for future generations.

**The new Library**
The College currently houses one of Cambridge’s smallest library collections and students are without sufficient study space, even though a recent student survey demonstrated that over 90% prefer to work in a quiet, traditional library free from distractions. The proposed new state-of-the-art Library, designed by Niall McLaughlin Architects, will offer three times as much floor space as the current Library, double the book stock and ten more seminar rooms for teaching and group study. The ground-floor Art Gallery and the new Archive Centre will offer additional space and facilities hitherto not available to us. We have thus far raised almost 90% of the £15 million we need to build the new Library.

**The Undergraduate Bursary Scheme at Magdalene**
Our Members’ consistent support of the notion that those able to study at Magdalene should never be deterred from doing so simply because of financial concerns has helped us to expand the Magdalene Cambridge Bursary Scheme. We are committed to raising £2.5 million over the course of the Campaign so that we can continue to support any undergraduate in need of help.

**Postgraduates and young academics**
Magdalene is a platform for our postgraduates and young academics to shape the future; we continue to expand funding schemes for our postgraduate population and aim to fund new Junior Research Fellowships. Competition for Junior Research Fellowships (for early-career academics) is fierce, and we receive hundreds of first-class applications for just three fully funded posts. Our JRFs play an important role in College and enrich academic life, supervise undergraduates and introduce new areas of research to Magdalene. We aim to raise £2.5 million as part of the Campaign.

The remaining £5 million of the Campaign target will allow us to meet our needs as they arise and of course cover the cost of Phase II: the complete restoration and reconfiguration of the Pepys Building.

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**Donation Income by Purpose:**
- The New Library Building: 35%
- Undergraduate Student Support: 12%
- Postgraduate Student Support (& JRFs): 13%
- The Pepys Building Restoration: 1%
- General Purposes: 21%
- Other: 18%

**Total Cash received in the year:** £2,321,510 (including Gift Aid)
- Alumni: 75%
- Trusts/Foundations/Corporations: 7%
- Fellows/Friends: 8%
- Legacies: 10%
For the first time since the publication of our Annual Donors’ Report in 2011, the proportion of the College’s income generated by donations from you, our Members and Friends reached the 20% mark.

Along with income from tuition fees, rents, catering fees, conference income and investment income from the College's accumulated endowment, donations are crucial to meeting our ever-increasing costs: funding the supervision system, subsidising accommodation and catering whilst continually upgrading College buildings and facilities to give our students every opportunity to fulfil their potential during their time at Magdalene.

A copy of the full College accounts is available at www.magd.cam.ac.uk/magdalene-college-accounts
Since its opening in 1989, the College has owned 50% of Quayside and thus shared the valuable income stream with several investment partners as they have changed hands over the years. During 2015 an opportunity arose to acquire the remaining 50% from the then partner, Axa, and after some careful due diligence work, Magdalene bought out Axa using a long term loan to finance the purchase. Whilst there was a clear investment case behind the purchase, the College also saw the value and freedom that complete ownership would give as well as the strategic position of the building, sitting on the other side of the river. Magdalene will be in a strong financial position in the medium term as the majority of the loan will be repaid within 15 years, thus leaving the rental income free to support teaching and research activities within the College.

Since the acquisition in December 2015, four of the nine office suites became vacant at the same moment (an unusual event) and this prompted the College, together with its property agent, Cheffins, to implement its plans to renew the ageing central heating and mechanical and electrical services, as well as a refurbishment programme on the toilets, lifts and stairways. A brand new central air conditioning system has also been installed as part of this project. Although the refurbishment programme has taken a year to complete and has required a significant financial investment by Magdalene, all of the vacant office suites are now re-let to high quality tenants and all are paying much higher rents when compared to the rents being paid previously. The new rent levels reflect the location of Quayside and the standard of the refurbishment which was undertaken. This has both provided us with an immediate financial return on our investment and helped to safeguard the future income stream for the College.

Whilst the College may need to invest more into Quayside in the future, it is very much hoped and expected that the building will continue to be a long-term reliable friend for Magdalene.

STEVEN MORRIS, Senior Bursar
Each figure shows the distinct participation rate (percentage of donors from within the country or region) who made a gift to the College in the 2016/17 financial year (1 July 2016 – 30 June 2017).
The Master, Fellows and Scholars of Magdalene College wish to thank and honour those who have generously made donations to the College during the last financial year (from 1 July 2016 – 30 June 2017).
1958
Major-General Nicholas G P Ansell
Dr Angus Armstrong
The Reverend J R P Barker
Mr Philip E Carne MBE
Mr Jim Crossley
Mr Derek W Curtis
Mr David S Fletcher
Mr Gordon S Guild MBE
Mr Maxwell G Hebditch CBE
Colonel H O Hugh Smith (d)
Mr Malcolm Hurston CBE
Mr Neil McMillan (d)
Mr Peter P Salinson
Professor Neil M Stratford
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The Reverend P J van de Kasteele
Mr Robin A F Wright
Mr Robert S Winter
Mr Brian G Woodrow OBE

1959
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Mr Thomas S Blower
Dr Thomas P Brent
Mr John A S Bristol
Mr Ian Bruce
Mr Graham H Butler
Mr Timothy W H Capon
The Honourable Sir John Chadwick
Mr Peter D Cowie
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Professor Martin H N Tattersall
Mr David Tebbs
The Right Honourable the Lord Hothefield
Mr Oliver F Walker
The Very Reverend Michael Yorke

1960
Dr John E Agnew
Mr Francis Bennett
Mr Nicholas A Bourne
Mr Jonathan H M Dudley
Mr Robert E Davies
Mr Donald M Green
Mr John W Hackman
Mr John P D Pattrick

1961
Dr Anthony M Carter
Mr Peter B Clark
Dr Tony Colman
Mr Clive W Crawford
Mr Ian J Crotchet
Mr Robert E Davies
Mr Donald M Green
Mr John W Hackman
The Reverend Dr Brian L Hebblethwaite
Dr Victor R Holland
Mr David J Hughes
Lieutenant-Colonel Michael H Lipscomb (d)
Mr John A Lumley
Mr John D Mole
Mr Alan F Nafzger
Mr John P D Pattrick

1962
Mr Peter I A Brodie
The Reverend John Cole
Mr Alastair P Colquhoun
The Reverend Derek Cottrill
Mr Patrick Edgar
Dr Jocelyn R J C Godwin
Mr Colin G C Grant
Mr Robert A Heppenstall
Mr Brian N Lock
Mr Lawrence Lowe
Mr Robert Mercer
Sir Brian W Pomeroy CBE
Mr William K Ravenscroft
Mr Oliver H Russell
Mr Jonathan B S Sams
Dr Michael C Saunders
Dr Andrew F Sheer
Mr Anton B Shellim
Mr Michael G Wadham
Mr Christopher J Wells MBE
One anonymous Member

1963
Mr Richard D Bell
Mr Michael R Binyon OBE
Mr David S Bowman
Mr Ridley M Burnett
Mr Anthony H Corin
Mr Alan K Cox
Dr Thomas A Cummins
Mr Timothy R Eustace

TELEPHONE CAMPAIGN 2017

An anonymous donor agreed to match all donations from young alumni (up to the age of 30) to the value of £25,000, which proved to be a key motivator in increasing the number of young Members who agreed to support the College during the Telephone Campaign.

Total Funds Raised: £333,755.10
We are delighted to announce that HRH SULTAN DR NAZRIN SHAH (Honorary Fellow) has very generously donated £1 million for the new Library Building project. The large ground floor reading room in the new Library will be named in his honour to acknowledge his wonderful contribution. His Royal Highness is pictured above signing the gift agreement with the Master in Kuala Lumpur in September 2017.
Mr Richard F Grove
Mr John Holtby
Mr Andrew J Hutton
Mr Kenneth A Mitchell
The Reverend Graham D Phillips
Professor Francis J Pott
Mr William A G Ramsay
Mr Charles C H Rickett
Mr Martin A F Shenfield
Mr Edward G R Speed
Mr James D Wellesley Wesley
Two anonymous Members

1977
Mr Philip L G Allen
Mr Manu Bhaskaran
Mr Robert A Bing
Mr Geoffrey J Craddock
Mr Edward Fenton
Mr Julian Gibbs
Captain James G Hurst
Professor Carl A Kirker-Head
Mr David J Madden
Dr Ardal K Powell
Mr Alexander T M Shiel
Mr David F Trenchard
Two anonymous Members

1978
Mr Michael Brodtman
Mr Jonathan D Byrne
Mr William W Darley
Mr Robert L Fenner
Dr Martin D Giles
Mr Alan J Hunter
Mr Timothy J Lee
Mr Adrian N V Maconick
Mr Rory O’Brien
Mr Simon P Robert-Tissot
Mr Alistair G Schaff QC

1979
Mr Justin Barnard
Mr Michael J Bullen
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Mr Andrew J Edwards
Mr Michael S Furniss
Mr Martin G S Gibson
Mr John D Grossart
Mr Michael S Haken
The Reverend Geoffrey M S Hoare
The Reverend M A Langham
Mr James D Miller
Mr Thomas V Milroy
Mr Giles A Proctor
Mr Andrew B Robertson
Mr Michael H Rutledge
The Reverend P J Seddon
Mr Timothy D H Thomas
Mr Christopher J Vermont
Mr Thomas M Walker
Mr Matthew Williams

1980
Group Captain Keith Chapman
Mr Denis H Clough
Mr Lucian H Comoy
Mr Robert G Davy
Professor Michael D Hughes
Mr Ian C Kroch
Mr Brian Lancaster
Mr Alastair D K Marshall
The Reverend Dr S A M’Caw
Mr William J Mines

1981
Mr Richard W Adams
Mr Henry J Angell-James
Mr Mark P Ansell
Mr David R G Arthur
Mr Edward A P Benthall
Professor Bernard M Cheung
Mr David W Clayton
Mr Rajen K Dodhia
Professor Norman Doe
Mr Lincoln E Frank
Mr Andrew J Gosden
Mr Thomas B Holliday
Mr Robin D Horder
Mr Stephen E H Howard
Dr Anthony J Hudson
Mr Andrew J H Lowrie
Mr Nigel P Morris
Dr Charles W R D Moseley
Mr Oliver J Nicholson
Mr Timothy G Orchard
Mr Philip Tutt
Mr Guy N B Varney
Mr Richard C Williams
Mr James W Woodthorpe
One anonymous Member

1982
Dr David A Agbamu
Mr Robert Chartener*
Mr Simon W D Feather
Mr Peter W Fudali
Mr David M Grace
Mr Nigel R Hill
Mr David J Holloway
Mr Christopher R Hoyle
Mr Anthony G King
Mr Martin Li
Mr Jonathan E Lowe
Mr Caspar E Luard
Mr Alan Matthews
Mr Philip H M’Caw

1983
Mr Jonathan R Benford
Mr Ian P Benton
Mr David G Bloom
Dr Jitander S Dukee
Mr David R Jennings
Dr Christopher Pieroni
Mr George W Pothecary
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Mr Philip C Richardson
Mr Julian G Smyth-Osbourne
Mr David C Taylor
The Reverend Dr James N Tebbutt
Dr James R Thallon
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Mr Richard C G Verity
The Honourable Yan Lung Wong SC*

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Mr Paramjit S Gill
Mr Gavin Hastings OBE
Mr Paul L Jackson
Mr Christopher J Morgan
Mr Jeremy M Noble
Dr Geoffrey L Nuttall
Mr Lawrence P Rao
Mr Peter J Soer
Dr Daniel A Statt
Dr Robert I Wainwright
Mr Nicholas A Webb
Mr Martin N Woodcock
Two anonymous Members

1985
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Mr Dominic E M Armstrong
Mr Andrew C Cross
Mr Charles E Dormer
Mr Paul Drohan
Dr Hugo E R Ford

NEW DONORS

178 Members made a gift for the first time during the last financial year
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Mr Robin M Knowles  
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Mr Gavin M J Pomeroy  
Dr William G Rosenau  
Mr Oliver H Rowe  
Mr Thomas R Sharp  
Mr Jonathan M P Stock  
The Reverend A J B Symes  
Mr Mark R Wakeford  
Mr Charles P Whitworth  
Mr James H Woodrow  

1986  
Mr Roderick J Allen  
Mr Gourab K Banerji  
Mr Nicholas A Beeson  
Mr Timothy J Gibbons  
Mr Timothy Gooderham  
Mr Richard J Hodges  
Mr Alexander S Justham  
Associate Professor Ivor J Lim  
Mr Richard O Lucas  
Mr Bruce G A Middleton  
Mr Henry Pang  
Mr Richard J Price  
Mr Julian D Rippon  
Mr Christian M Schwetz  
Mr Edward S Sherlock  
Mr Adam J Spielman  
Mr Nicholas J Squire  
Mr Simon J Thompson  
Mr Giles P D Toosey  
Mr Paul R Treadaway  
Mr Simon W Whitfield  
Two anonymous Members  

1987  
Mr Paul Bowtell  
Mr William S G A Cazalet  
Mr Timothy J Child  
Mr Alexander J Clarke  
Dr Peter A Cunich*  
Mr Charles E Darby  
Mr Rory Delaney  
Mr Ian D Ferguson  
Dr Peter F Hill  
Dr Jane Hughes*  
Mr Martin D MacConnell  
Mr John A Melia  
Mr David W Moore  
Mr Mark D Moorman  
Mr Rupert V P Reece  
Mr Timothy C D Shanagher  
Mr George Shipham  
Mr David C B Soanes  
Mr James R Stevenson  

1988  
Mr Michael B Agerbak  
Mrs Laura C Bayntun-Coward  
Mr Gerard Cunningham  
Mrs Clare J Harvey  
Dr Simon J Hickman  
Professor Frederick M Hocker*  
Ms Alejandra J Hopton  
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Dr Philip T Irwin  
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Mr Lee Robinson  
Mr David L Rodin  
Dr Lothar K Schutz  
Mr Viv Smetham  
Professor Sarah M Springman CBE*  
Mr David B Sullivan  
Mr Richard D Youngman  
Two anonymous Members  

1989  
Mr Paul R Allen  
Mr Oliver T Allmand-Smith  
Mr Peter D Allwright  
Mr Jonathan P Arscott  
Mr Ian E Beaton  
Mr Daniel P Burns  
Mr Stuart A Burns  
Mr Peter A L Causton  
Mr Michael J Elliff  
Mr William M Faure Walker  
Dr Justin A Green  
Mr Simon W Johnson  
Mrs Miriam G Langdon  
Mr Adam J S Lyons  
Mr Thomas P Miller  
Mr Thomas T Y Ng  
Mr Richard T O Osmond  
Mr Giuliano P Procida  
Mrs Fiona M Severs  
Mrs Katherine M Soanes  

1990  
Mrs Suzanne C Allen  
Mr Mark A Brown  
Ms Naomi A Carry  
Professor Bill Cornish CMG QC*  
The Reverend Matthew P R Dietz  
Mr Matthew J Hudson  
Mr Jay Marathe  
Mrs Miranda R Morad  
Mr Alagappan Murugappan  
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Mr Max Rumney  
Mr Bob Skelton*  
Dr Hilary A Snath  
Mrs Natasa Williams  
Mr Jonathan F Williams  
Dr Simon J A Williams  
One anonymous Member  

1991  
Mrs Catherine J Baker  
Mrs Deborah L Cornelius  
Lieutenant Colonel Marcus H Evans  
Dr Benjamin L Griffin  
Mr Gary R Griffiths  
Professor Meen-Wah Gui  
Mr Paul A Horton  
Ms Azra Y Jafferjee  
Mr Oliver J F Lewis  
Mrs Jane Nurse  
Dr Brian G Romanchuk  
Dr Alexander G D Rose  
Mr Constantinios Stephanou  
Dr Heidi V Tempest  

1992  
Professor Matthew P J Baker  
Miss Victoria S D Barber  
Mr Paul Burnham  
Miss Elizabeth A Chubb  
Mr Nicholas J S Clark  
Dr Christopher R S Daykin  
Ms Claire R J Gourley  
Mr Robin C J Hartley  
Mr Peter J Lake  
Mrs Amy E M Lim  
Dr Michael Lord  
Mr Marshal K McReal  

1993  
Mrs Rachael H Bradford  
Mrs Catherine E Braganza  
Dr Andrew J Brent  
Mrs Claire A Byers  
Mr Oliver W R Clayton  
Mr Sebastian J Dawson-Bowling  
Mr Andrew Deas  
Dr Saeed Hamid-Khan  
Mr John J Hammill  
Dr Daniel C A Hillman  
Mr Adarsh N Z Irlapati  
Major-General D J M Jenkins CB CBE  
Miss Wendy J Meharg  
Mrs Laura A Moorhead  
Mr Robert C Schmults  
Mrs Antonia H J Small  
Ms Alina T Trabattoni  
Mr Robert I Trezona  

1994  
Mrs Lindsey A Bateman  
Mr Daniel Bayfield QC  
Miss Camilla R H Church  

Mr Ian J Metcalfe  
Mr Ross T Phillips  
Mr Peter A E Quantrill  
Dr Stefan Schmitz  
Mr Amarnjit J Singh  
Mr Michael Small  
The Reverend P J Taylor  
Mr Michael D Winterbotham  
Mrs Rachel E Wright  
One anonymous Member  

60.91% of the Graduating Class made a gift in 2017
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Mr Richard F Edge  
Mrs Jen C Hartley  
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Mrs Perrin L Lesser  
Mr Alan J Mulholland  
Dr Alan R Norrish  
Mr Brian N O’Donovan  
Mrs Samantha J T Rawlins  
Dr Michael L Roberts  
Mr Charles K Scobie  
Mrs Sarah H Stevens-Cox  
Professor Helen H Vendler*  
Ms Alexandra J L Wren  
Two anonymous Members

1995  
Dr Anna V Ahnert  
Miss Rocio d T Cifuentes  
Mr Peter D Coffman  
Miss Julie A Flower  
Dr Seo K Goh  
Professor Sir John Gurdon*  
Dr Alexander F Jeans  
Mr Andrew B Kingston  
Dr Kim R Locherer  
Mrs Catherine J Mulholland  
Mr Rory E Mullan  
Mr Patrick A Nolan  
Dr Rowan O’Neill  
Mr Adesayo Osoleke  
Mrs Antonia T M Robinson  
Mr Martin P Shore  
Dr Michelle E Tempest  
Ms Barbara Yu  
Two anonymous Members

1996  
The Honourable  
Miss Donna M Barnes  
Miss Anneli Berntsson  
Mr Martin Dean  
Mr William D Dicey  
Mr Charles E Fletcher  
Dr Stephen W Hainsworth  
Dr Ping C Koh  
Mrs Zoe D Laarman  
Mr David A P Lloyd  
Mrs Harriet T Lunney  
Mr Christopher A Macbeth  
Ms Vikki Madias  
Mr Adam K A Mortara  
Mrs Rhoda M Mulholland  
Mr William G Mulholland  
Mr Jonathan F Riley  
Dr Amanda C J Treadaway  
Mr Roland H Woolner  
One anonymous Member

1997  
Mr Luis E Almonte  
Mr George Bevis  
Mrs Louisa J Boyle  
Mr David J Boyle  
Mr Patrice Clauss  
Miss Jessica C Delaney  
Mr Richard A Limentani  
Mrs Pat Marsh*  
Mrs Anna Milan  
Dr Daniel B Moul  
Mrs Jennifer Ngai  
Mr John W Partridge  
Dr C C Augur Pearce  
Dr Thomas A J Pritchard  
Mr David G Ross  
Mrs Aude Valley-Fitzsimons*  
Mr Wong Chee Teng  
Mr Russell Yeaton  
Three anonymous Members

1998  
Dr Oliver M B Bowes  
Mr Charles R N Brasted-Pike  
Ms Fiona Chan  
Mr Chow Tuck Mun  
Mrs Elena Cronje  
Chevalier Dr Rafael H M de Weryha-Wysoczanski- Pietrusiewicz  
Mrs Agapi Fylaktou  
Mrs Charlotte J Hall  
Mr Matthew J T Hoggarth  
Mrs Naomi A L M Ladenburg  
Mr David A M Lewis  
Mr Peter P G MacDonald  
Mr Oliver Mulvey  
Mr John M Phillips  
Mr Nicholas P T Seddon MBE  
Dr Roohi Singh  
The Reverend Dr Andrew E Starkie  
Mrs Katharine Vigus

1999  
Mrs Rachel L Asselin-Miller  
Mr Christopher S Asselin-Miller  
Mr Russell E Balkind  
Miss Amy K Butler  
Mr James M Cork  
Mr Barnaby M Golder  
Mr Brendan M Goss  
Dr Ninshanth Gurunathan  
Mr Christopher D Laws  
Dr Alan W L Leung  
Professor Chris J Lintott  
Ms Louise Lowe  
Mr Robert J Massey  
Mrs Kate Mayne  
Dr Tara E Stewart  
Mr Luke Webster

2000  
Mr Raihan Akhtar  
Dr Stephanie M Coughlin  
Mr Thomas P Cropper  
Mr Edward J D Cross  
Miss Sarah E Frith  
Dr Stephanie M Irlbacher-Fox

Graduands’ Garden Party.
Dr Javed I Khokhar
Dr Chris Kurowski
Dr Donal R McAuliffe
The Reverend Professor John L Morgan*
Mr Thomas E Page
Mrs Catherine M D Plant
Mrs Hannah L Ross
Mr Jeffrey K Said
Mr Alexander P Schultz
Miss Katriona A E Stanford
Miss Sarah J Winward
Dr Daniel Yan
Dr Zhong-Ming Zhang
Three anonymous Members

2001
Mr Carlos Ardid Candel
Dr Hugo Azérad*
Ms Georgia Chrysostomides
Ms Julie H Cooke
Dr Edward J Costar
Mrs Catriona Daley
Mr Nicholas F B Daley
Mr Wayne A Hanson
Dr Samantha L Martin-McAuliffe
Dr Kirsten A Matthews
Miss Charlotte M Morley
Mr James R H Morton
Dr Henry A Nash
Dr Hubert Pham
Mrs Christie L Ransom
Dr Andrew S Robertson
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And that history has translated into outstanding endowments for our top institutions – while many of you may know that Harvard has a $37 billion endowment, you may not be aware that Texas A&M University (a state-owned university) has $9.7 billion or that the University of Notre Dame has $8.7 billion. Those eye-popping numbers are the norm at the top of the university spectrum here.

And that means I am not of sufficient means to make much of a difference at my own University of Chicago, where I received both my first bachelor’s and my law degree and where I am a member of the Law faculty.

But being an old boy of our College, a place of more limited resources and significant need, has allowed me to direct my giving in a way that both honors what matters to me and has a direct impact on students in the College.

For some years I have supported the Roger Morris Bursary, which is one of many that enable students who otherwise have extreme difficulty in attending the University make ends meet and pay their fees. I named this bursary after my neighbor in O-Block and friend, “Doc M,” whom many of you will remember fondly. Each year I get a lovely note from the recipient telling me about all the ways in which the bursary has helped them (I always imagine the Development Office holding the revolver in front of a room of bursary recipients, but I am sure the sentiments are genuine).

Since 2015 I have, together with the Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission (MACC) and the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO), sponsored a Marshall Scholar at the College. The British Marshall Scholarships seek to strengthen the special relationship between our two nations and are an expression of gratitude for the Marshall Plan. Funded by the Government (and thus your tax dollars if you are a UK taxpayer) they provide for one to three years of study at any university in Britain. The list of past Marshall Scholars is impressive. We have two on our Supreme Court and other alumni include audio pioneer Ray Dolby and the founder of LinkedIn, Reid Hoffman.

Through my active role with the Marshall Scholarships, I was dismayed to discover that, in the early and mid 2000s, richer Oxbridge colleges had effectively monopolised the placement of new Marshalls through the creation of ‘partnership’ schemes. In these arrangements, the colleges pay the scholar’s tuition and fees and the Commission pays only a stipend for living expenses. As I did not want to be one of only three Marshall Scholars ever to have attended Magdalene, I established the first ever private version of a partnership scheme. I am very proud of the three young Americans who have been Marshall Scholars at the College since then. Which is why, at the Harvard Marshall Forum in June of this year, I announced a renewal of my gift for a further 15 years at a dinner with Sir Kim Darroch, Her Majesty’s Ambassador to the United States.

From this year on, our Magdalene Marshall Scholar will live in the AK Mortara Marshall Scholar’s Room. As I looked forward to permanent endowment of this partnership between the MACC and the College, I wanted the scholars to be afforded the best of accommodation, and the College was able to provide. Our next efforts will be for some permanent decorations, including, I hope, a portrait of General Marshall and perhaps those of some American Britons – Churchill and Boris Johnson come to mind. (Do not wince, if you are so inclined, at the latter – the FCO just increased funding for Marshall Scholarships by 25%, the first such increase we have had in decades, for which I have my (now former) countryman Boris to thank).

There are still things to be learned from America, even as we withdraw somewhat from the global community (but hopefully not the special relationship). A culture of giving to higher education is one of them, and I hope that the Magdalene alumni community will continue its strong record of giving and supporting the College.

ADAM MORTARA, 1996
BURSARIES AT MAGDALENE

Our successful bursary scheme continues to go from strength to strength, and ensures that no student who has the academic capacity to study at Magdalene is deterred due to financial reasons.

This scheme operates in conjunction with the Cambridge Bursary Scheme and allows us to ensure that every eligible undergraduate student receives up to £5,000 per year to top up their student loan resulting in sufficient funds to cover their day-to-day expenses at Cambridge.

Until October 2016, students from families with a means-tested annual income of up to £25,000 received a non-repayable maintenance grant (worth up to £3,387 per annum) from the Government to help pay for maintenance costs (a term time living allowance of £7,887 per annum).

However, the abolition of maintenance grants for students matriculating from October 2016 has left this cohort financially worse-off than students before them. In response, and thanks to the wonderful generosity of Members and Friends, the College has happily been able to further extend the Bursary Scheme.

Thank you for your ongoing help which will assist us to increase the value of bursaries in step with rising costs, ensuring that tomorrow’s undergraduates receive similar financial support as those who came before them.

If you would like to discuss supporting a student with a bursary, please do get in touch.

THE ENHANCED CAMBRIDGE BURSARY SCHEME

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A world-class education and exposure to stimulating and challenging extra-curricular activities require money. Unfortunately, the financial burden of trying to secure what is considered a basic human right inhibits many from obtaining and pursuing their intellectual passions and academic dreams, and denies countless individuals the opportunity to discover a new hobby or explore a new area of the world.

Coming to Cambridge and pursuing a PhD have long been dreams of mine, and it was only through the generosity of Magdalene College that I have been able to do so. Thanks to the Magdalene bursary I receive, I have been able to invest in my education and address issues of systemic inequality and discrimination in the United States. I am entering my third year of a PhD in Education at Magdalene; my research is a cross-disciplinary mixed-methods study that lies at the intersect of bioethics, sociology, and education. I examine the social impacts of behavioural genetics research on education outcomes like educational attainment or intelligence, focusing in particular on how scientific research which argues that a socially-valued concept like intelligence is strongly influenced by genetics might impact upon teacher understandings of student ability within the highly racialised and classist context of the United States. I spent most of the second year of my PhD in the United States carrying out fieldwork in the form of interviews with behavioural geneticists and bioethicists, focus groups with teachers, and an opportunistic survey of educators from almost every state in the country. My passion for social justice will, I hope, continue well beyond the completion of my doctoral dissertation, and guide me throughout my career path and life.

In addition to presenting at conferences, starting a research blog, collaborating with fellow academics on a journal article, supervising, and publishing several articles in The Conversation UK, I am also a full-time athlete with Cambridge University Women’s Boat Club. I have had the great privilege of being elected President of CUWBC for the 2018 Boat Races campaign. I can truly say that the opportunities I have been blessed with would not have been possible without the support of Magdalene College and its outstanding alumni network. Magdalene’s investment in my education is a testament to the goodness within this world, particularly in this day and age when there is much uncertainty and unrest. The opportunity to live and study at the University of Cambridge and to receive the best education in the world from the best institution in the world for little cost has been a life-changing experience.

As I continue with my PhD, I have many goals for my future, one of which is the hope that I too will one day be able to give back to the College and the University that have given me so much. I approach each day with a sense of urgency, a belief that complacency is confining, and a desire to always want to learn more; it is those who have supported me in both my academic and athletic career that have instilled within me this mindset. I am forever grateful.

DAPHNE MARTSCHENKO, 2015

“I am proud to have been able to be at Magdalene through provision of a bursary. I also feel, on top of the amazing education, the lessons I learned through University lightweight rowing and being Boat Club Captain have been enormously helpful in my subsequent success in Silicon Valley. As such, I’m really happy and motivated to help support others having those opportunities now I have the means to give back. Daphne is simply incredible and I’m proud to have any association with her!”

ALEX SCHULTZ, 2000

ACADEMICS AND ATHLETICS

Quality education is often seen as a basic human right. Receiving it, however, is oftentimes more difficult than it ought to be.