

The Oxford and Cambridge Boat Race 2019

Many of you will be aware that most of our charitable work is channelled through the Water Conservation Trust. Part of the funds distributed by the Trust go to post-graduate students in the form of a Bursary studying water, waste or environmental subjects.

Patrick Sullivan, who holds a Water Conservation Trust Bursary, is a keen rower and will be in the Oxford Team for the 164th Oxford and Cambridge University Boat Race on Sunday 7th April. Patrick will be in the number 2 position (2nd from the front) in the Oxford boat.



Patrick is a member of Wadham College and is studying for a Master's degree in Water Science, Policy and Management (WSPM) in the School of Geography and the Environment. Patrick will be attending the Election Court Lunch on Thursday 11th April. After that he will be concentrating on his research dissertation on the theme of "the implications for drinking water/shale gas industry of radon in groundwater in north west England".

Also attending the Lunch will be Nameerah Khan to collect the Conservators' Prize for the best WSPM dissertation (2017-18) entitled "Lived experiences of arsenic-related psychosocial distress in rural Bangladesh". Nameerah is now studying for a D.Phil at Oxford.

A former WSPM student who had a Conservation Trust bursary will also be attending the Lunch. Many will remember Patrick Thompson as the student who did all the early work on intelligent hand-pumps.