

## MEMORANDUM

TO: All 4th year Computer Science and  
Mathematics & Computer Science Undergraduates

FROM: Shoshannah Holdom DATE: 1.10.10

RE: **MICHAELMAS TERM 2010**

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Welcome back! Please may I draw your attention to the following important information.

### 1. Lecture Timetable

#### *Computing courses*

All are weeks 1-8 unless otherwise indicated.

Categories, Proofs and Processes	Tuesday 16.00 (weeks 1-4) Tuesday 17.00, Thursday 12.00
Computer Animation	Tuesday and Thursday 15.00 Friday 15.00 (weeks 1-4)
Computational Linguistics	Monday and Thursday 16.00
Program Analysis	Monday 15.00 Thursday and Friday 14.00
Probabilistic Model Checking	Tuesday and Wednesday 14.00 Wednesday 15.00 (weeks 1-4)
Probability and Computing	Monday 14.00, Wednesday 16.00 Friday 16.00 (weeks 2, 4, 6, 8)

#### *Mathematics courses*

Please see the up-to-date timetable here: <http://www.maths.ox.ac.uk/notices/lecture-lists>

### 2. PRACTICALS AND CLASSES – PLEASE READ THIS SECTION CAREFULLY

**Please note that there is no provision for practicals to be signed off or for reports to be marked at the beginning of the following term.** Make sure that you read the current guidelines on completion of practicals – these can be found at:

<http://www.comlab.ox.ac.uk/files/3265/Handbook%202010.pdf>

Attached is the practical timetable for Michaelmas Term. Please note that there are alternative sessions for most subjects. Numbers on these sessions are limited and places will be available on a first-come first-served basis.

**N.B. SIGN-UP FOR PRACTICALS AND CLASSES WILL BE DONE ENTIRELY ONLINE**

To sign up for practicals, please follow these steps:

1. Go to [https://www.comlab.ox.ac.uk/minerva/student\\_signup.pl](https://www.comlab.ox.ac.uk/minerva/student_signup.pl)
2. You'll be prompted to login using your **Oxford single sign-on username and password**. If you don't know these details, please go to <http://www.ict.ox.ac.uk/oxford/username/>.
3. Follow the instructions at the top of the page.

**Sign-up is available now and will close at the end of week 2. You must sign up before then.**

**3. Supplements to the Course Handbook**

The supplement for 4th year undergraduates can be found at:

<http://www.comlab.ox.ac.uk/files/3266/Supplement%20to%20Course%20Handbook.pdf>

**4. Synopses**

Information about the synopses for examination in 2011 was sent to you at the end of last term; these can be found on the web at:

<http://www.comlab.ox.ac.uk/teaching/bacompsci/PartC/> (for Computer Science)

or

<http://www.comlab.ox.ac.uk/teaching/mcs/PartC/> (for Maths & Computer Science)

You may find it useful to check the reading lists for the subjects you intend to follow this year as some of the lecturers may have refined these lists over the vacation to indicate the main texts being used.

For Maths & Computer Science undergraduates, the synopses for the Maths courses can be found at

<http://www.maths.ox.ac.uk/current-students/undergraduates/handbooks-synopses/>

**5. MURC representative**

Just to remind you that there will be a MURC student to represent you at JCCU and on the Faculty of Computer Science. The representative's contact details will be circulated in due course.

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Departmental Lecturers