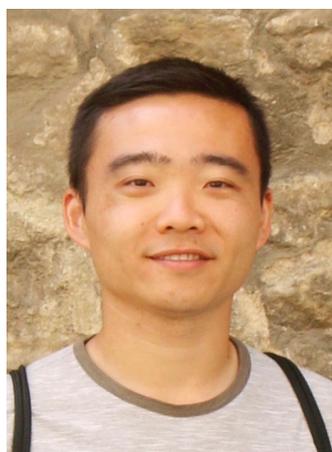


2017 –2018 COSF Scholars

Congratulations to the new scholars for the upcoming academic year. The Fund would like to thank all the benefactors, sponsors and donors for supporting its initiative by making these scholarships possible.



Eugene Yu Hin Kwan is the recipient of the £10,000 Johnny Hon China Scholarship in Law, Politics or International Relations. He will read for a Bachelor of Civil Law at Lady Margaret Hall. Eugene graduated with a Bachelor of Civil Laws degree at The Chinese University of Hong Kong where he was ranked 2nd out of the class of 90 law students. He was also the Lead Oralist for The Chinese University of Hong Kong's Mooting Team. Eugene attended a summer course in law at Tsinghua University and is a graduate of St Joseph's College. Eugene interned at Baker MacKenzie and Deacons. He was a Mini-pupil at Temple Chambers and Des Veoux Chambers. Eugene is also a Hong Kong Government Education Bureau Scholar. He is from Hong Kong.



Liyang Han is the recipient of a £7,000 Tang Oxford Award in Environmental Science. Liyang will be a 2nd year DPhil student in Engineering Science and is at Mansfield College. He earned his MS degree in Civil and Environmental Engineering at Stanford University. He was awarded his Bachelor's degree in Energy Engineering from Zhejiang University. Liyang is currently in the Energy and Power Group in Oxford of Professor Malcolm McCulloch and is researching the use of collaborative game theory applied to community-based energy trading schemes - a field that spans traditional electrical engineering and economics. China's hazardous air quality motivated him to choose energy and environment as the focus of his career path. Liyang is from Zhengzhou in Henan Province.



Xiaoyun Xu is also a recipient of a £7,000 Tang Oxford Award in Environmental Science. She will be reading for an MSc degree in Water Science, Policy and Management at the School of Environment and Geography. Xiaoyun will be attending Wolfson College. She earned her Bachelor of Science degree in Environmental Science from the University of California at Los Angeles where she graduated cum laude. She has a particular interest in sustainability solutions and water management as she is aware of the environmental issues facing China. Xiaoyun intends to pursue a career at international agencies such as the World Bank or sustainability consulting firms. She is from Nanjing in Jiangsu Province.



John Cho Kit Chan is the recipient of the £21,000 BCL Scholarship sponsored by Brasenose College. John will read for a BCL and attend Brasenose College. He earned a first-class Bachelor's degree in Jurisprudence at the University of Oxford. John spent a year with the Bar Professional training at the University of Law in London. He is a former President of the Oxford University Hong Kong Society. Upon completion of his graduate studies at Oxford and qualifying at the Bar in both England and Hong Kong, John wishes to become a Hong Kong-based barrister with a practice in international economic law and international commercial arbitration in the greater China region. John is from Hong Kong.



Lewis Kuizhi Wang is the recipient of the £7,000 Brian Keelan Award in Humanities. He will be reading for a BPhil in Philosophy at Hertford College. Lewis earned his Bachelor of Arts degree in Philosophy and Economics with a minor in Politics from the University of Illinois at Urbana –Champaign in the United States. He is particularly interested in the ideas of the German school of philosophy (e.g. Kant, Hegel). However, he is also keen in general political and economic philosophy. Ultimately, he wants to introduce ideas from the frontline of the international community in philosophy back to Chinese academia as well as Chinese Society. Lewis is from Qinhuangdao in Hebei Province.



Simon Xijing Wu is the recipient of the £3,000 Hoare Family Award. He will read for a DPhil in Sociology at St. Antony's College. He earned his MSc degree in Environment, Science and Policy from University College London. He was awarded a distinction for his dissertation. His undergraduate studies were at Peking University where he earned his Bachelor's degree in French. His intended research focus will be on social movements in China. He aspires to bridge the gap between the East and West with regard to the understanding of this topic. After his doctorate studies, he wishes to be a researcher at a top university back in China. One of Simon's hobbies is playing the violin. He is from Kunming in Yunnan Province.



Kylee Yingwei Wu is the recipient of a £2,000 China Oxford Award sponsored by the B & J Lloyd Family Trust. She will be a 2nd year DPhil student in Materials while attending St Cross College. She spent two years in industry in the United States. Prior to this, she earned her Bachelor's of Science degree in Materials Science and Engineering at Penn State University. Her chosen career path lies in 3D printing ranging from the rapid building of new homes, to customized hip and knee replacements, to applications in the aerospace and telecommunications industries. She wishes to play a part in this development in China where particular interest is in applying 3D printing to replace traditional manufacturing processes. Kylee is from Shanghai.



Timothy Long Hei Wong is the recipient of the £3,000 Winkler Oxford Award in Medicine or Psychology. He will read for a DPhil in the Department of Physiology, Anatomy & Genetics. Timothy will be attending Christ Church. He has a stellar academic record from Winchester College and the University of Cambridge where he earned his MPhil and Bachelor of Arts with a 1st in the highly regarded Natural Sciences Tripos. Timothy intends to research in the general area of neuroscience. He is interested in investigating sleep patterns and regulation by reference to the neural circuitry in the fruit fly, and examine the potential insights this offers into human sleep patterns and problems. Timothy enjoys playing the piano, cello and basketball. He is also a Hong Kong Jockey Club Graduate Scholar. Timothy is from Hong Kong.



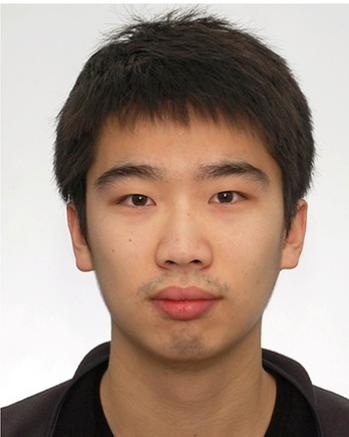
Yao Sun is the recipient of the £5,000 Oxford China Simon Li Scholarship in Education, Language or Social Sciences of the Internet. Yao is in the 1+1 programme with her reading for an MBA this academic year. She will then read for an MSc in Comparative and International Education in 2018-2019. She was ranked 1st out of a class of 93 and obtained her Bachelor of Education degree from Beijing Normal University. She attended California State University on an exchange programme which she completed with distinction. Her interest lies in promoting awareness and education of the intangible cultural heritages of marginalised ethnic minority groups across numerous provinces and villages in China. She is attending St Edmund Hall is from Ningbo in Zhejiang Province.



Tianqi Han is the recipient of the £6,000 Pay It Forward Scholarship. He is reading for an MBA at the Said Business School and is at Kellogg College. He earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Economics International Trade and Financial Risk Management from Beijing's Central University of Finance and Economics. He was ranked at the top of his class of 40. Tianqi has interest in the elderly care sector in China. He has business experience with his own start-up involving the recycling of books in China. Tianqi enjoys playing the violin. He is from Beijing.



Bingjun Wang is the recipient of the £6,000 Pay It Forward Scholarship. He is attending New College and will be reading for a DPhil in Condensed Matter Physics. He is a graduate of Xiamen University where he attained his BEng in Materials Science and Engineering and was ranked 1st out of a class of 95. Bingjun obtained the National Scholarship for 3 consecutive years from 2014 to 2016. He aims to enter academia in China. Bingjun is attending New College. He is also a China Scholarship Council Scholar. Bingjun is from Dalian in Liaoning Province.



Zezhen Wu is the recipient of the £7,000 Thomas Wong Scholarship. He is reading for an MPhil in Evidence-based Social Intervention and Policy Evaluation at St Antony's College. He obtained his Bachelor of Science degree in Psychology from Tsinghua University and ranked 2nd in his class of 17. Zezhen studied for an EdM in Arts Education at Harvard University on scholarship. Prior to this, he was at the Faculty of Psychology and Educational Sciences at the Katholieke Universiteit in Leuven in Belgium. He has work experience in the United States and Nepal. He is also an avid cellist and is from Shanghai.



Ka Wai Chan is the recipient of the £5,500 Wei Oxford Award. She is reading for an MSc in Pharmacology at Corpus Christi College. She obtained a Bachelor of Science degree in Biochemistry (2:1) from The Chinese University of Hong Kong. She has worked as a Research Assistant at the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology and her research interests are in Traditional Chinese Medicine and gut microbiota. Ka Wai hopes to pursue a DPhil and would like to enter academia and engage in research in developing innovative approaches for neurological diseases. She is from Hong Kong.



Bowen Cao would be the recipient of the £5,000 Magdalen Award. He is a 2nd year DPhil student in Engineering Science and attends St Edmund Hall. He attained a First from Edinburgh University in Mechanical Engineering. Prior to this, he earned his MSc degree in Advanced Computational Methods from Imperial College London where he graduated with distinction. His DPhil project at Oxford concerns clean energy, in particular tidal energy research. Bowen would like to develop new guidelines for the tidal turbine rotor design process. Bowen wishes to return to China and enter the tidal energy industry which is in its infancy there. He is from Changsha in Hunan Province.



Lai Hong Ho is the recipient of the £5,000 China Oxford Award. He is reading for an MSc in Applied Linguistics and Second Language Acquisition at St. Catherine's College. He is a graduate of The University of Hong Kong where he earned both Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Education with a 2:1. He has participated in an Australian educational programme at The University of New South Wales. One of his hobbies is performance arts. He enjoys acting. He aims for his career to be in academia and research. Lai Hong is from Hong Kong.



Yangsiyu Lu is the recipient of the £3,000 China Oxford Honorary Award. She is reading for a DPhil in Geography and the Environment at St. Edmund Hall. Her focus is on a novel interdisciplinary involving environmental economics. She graduated from Shanghai Jiao Tung University with a Master of Environmental Engineering. She also earned her Master of Environment and Energy at the École nationale supérieure des mines d'Albi-Carmaux. Yangsiyu wishes to become a professor in the environmental field. She is particularly interested in assisting China with its international policy initiatives or becoming part of a think tank for dealing with cross border energy issues. Yangsiyu is from Chengdu in Sichuan Province.



Dr Kam Pui Lee is the recipient of the £2,000 China Oxford Honorary Award. He is reading for an MSc in Evidence-Based Health Care at Oxford's Nuffield Department of Primary Care Health Sciences. He is attending St Catherine's College. He obtained his first Master's in Mental Health from The Chinese University in Hong Kong. Also at the University, he attained a Diploma of Advance in Internal Medicine. He worked for 6 years at the Hong Kong College of Physicians where he specialised in family medicine. Prior to this, he earned his Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery from The University of Hong Kong. He has also spent time at Cardiff University where he secured a Diploma in Practical Dermatology.