



*Junior Common Room
Oriel College
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*From the Secretary
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Bodies on which the common room is represented

Remark This text is not up to date; it simply transposes the text in the constitution which was deleted, and will be updated soon.

College bodies

1. The Governing Body is the ultimate decision-making body in college, consisting of its fellows and chaired by the Provost. The JCR is represented in the unreserved section of the meeting by the President.
2. The Joint Consultative Committee (JCC) is a body which reviews papers from all three common rooms aimed at evaluating changes to the way college operates. It consists of the senior administrative and domestic staff of the college, as well as the decanal team. The JCR is represented by the President and one other member of the JCR.
3. College Liaison Meetings are weekly meetings aimed at ensuring all members of college are aware of proceedings and are able to resolve issues as a coherent group. The JCR is represented by the President.
4. The House Committee reviews domestic issues within college, particularly those relating to student accommodation and use of facilities. The JCR is represented by the Vice-President.
5. The Buildings Committee meets to discuss the construction and maintenance of college sites. The JCR is represented by the Vice-President.
6. The Equality Committee consists of representatives of students, staff, deans, college officers, and the fellowship. It reports to the General Body on matters pertaining to equalities, which includes but isn't limited to ensuring that college upholds the requirements set out by the Equality Act. The JCR is represented by the Equalities and Access Officer.

7. The Library Committee receives student feedback about the library and how it can be improved. The JCR is represented by the Academic Affairs, Careers, and Suspended Students Officer.¹
8. In attendance at the Welfare Committee may be the Senior Dean, Junior Deans, Welfare Deans, College Chaplain, College Nurse, and College's GP. In addition to the individual responsibilities of its members, the committee liaises on college welfare provisions and policy. JCR welfare provision and the work of the JCR Welfare Officers are independent from this, but the JCR welfare officers may choose to collaborate with them wherever they see fit. The JCR is represented by the welfare officers.

University-wide bodies

9. The Oxford SU Council is a body of undergraduate representatives from each college of the university, as well as the elected sabbatical officers. The JCR is represented by the President and the External Affairs Representative.
10. PresCom is a meeting of the JCR/SU Presidents from each college which is used to compare experiences and share ideas. The JCR is represented by the President.
11. EdCom is a meeting of the Equalities Officers from each college which is used to compare experiences and share ideas. The JCR is represented by the Equalities and Access Officer.
12. WelfCom is a meeting of the Welfare Officers from each college which is used to compare experiences and share ideas. The JCR is represented by the Welfare Officers.

1. It does not appear to exist any longer, but I have kept this here since it was mentioned in the constitution.