



Congratulations on your offer to study at the University of Oxford!

We look forward to welcoming you in Oxford soon. "We", the members of the German Society, are the meeting place for all German and Germany-interested people in Oxford. The Oxford German Society is one of the oldest biggest national societies in Oxford. We not only represent the German student body in Oxford, but also organise various different events for our members. These include talks of well-known German personalities, social events such as our "Stammtische", Sunday nights spent watching "Tatort" or our famous Oktoberfest as well as networking opportunities with our sponsors.

With all these events we want to foster new friendships, show possible career paths and maintain our most valuable German traditions. However, being point of contact for help and advice is what is most important to us. Oxford is an incredible and exciting place and will undoubtedly be an unforgettable time. However, the first few weeks can be a bit hectic sometimes. Check out our Freshers' Guide for some more information on our website under "[Freshers](#)". In addition, we are organising a buddy-programme this year to connect you with current students who live near you. This should help you to get answers to the most pressing questions you may have: What do I pack? What are BOPs, Battels, the JCR/MCR, Black Tie and Sub fusc? If you are interested, simply enter your contact information [here](#). Furthermore, there will be informal get-togethers with our alumni and us in Germany over the summer. You will find the dates and more details on our website under the tab "[Events](#)" as well as on our [Facebook page](#).

When your time here finally starts in the beginning of October, you can find us at the Freshers' Fair - just drop by and pick up the freshly printed Termcard! We already have a first appointment for your calendars: our traditional *Kaffee und Kuchen* on October 12, 2018. Come by - be it just for the cake!

Until then, enjoy the summer and feel free to contact us at contact@oxford-germansoc.co.uk any time. We look forward to meeting you in October!

With kind regards,

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