



## **Graduate Union Electoral Scheme Lent Term to Long Vacation 2017**

### **1. Sabbatical Officers**

The Council has called an election for the office of President, with the ballot scheduled to open on 7 March.

The conduct of this election will be delegated to CUSU in accordance with Schedule E paragraph 6, and will therefore be governed by CUSU electoral rules and procedures. The GU Returning Officer shall be a member of the CUSU Elections Committee for this purpose.

For these elections, the GU Returning Officer is to be the Vice-President.

The schedule of the election will be as follows:

- Tuesday 21 February – Nominations Open
- Tuesday 28 February – Nominations Close
- Friday 3 March – Campaigning Period Opens
- Tuesday 7 March – Online voting opens
- Friday 10 March – Online voting closes

### **2. Student Trustees**

Student Trustees are nominated by the Executive Committee and appointed by the Council. They serve for an academic year term of office (1 October-30 September), and may be re-appointed once.

Student Trustees for 2017-18 are scheduled to be appointed at the 8 May meeting of the Council. The Executive Committee will solicit applications from the graduate body before the end of Lent Term, and nominate candidates for appointment before the start of Easter Term.