

2025 Quill Studies Summer Programme

Week 1 (Sunday 27 th – Sunday 3 rd August)		
Sun 27	14:00-17:30	Arrival and check in at Sir Geoffrey Arthur Building (GAB), followed by time to rest and unpack.
	18:15	Meet in the Common Room of GAB to walk together to Pembroke College.
	18:45-19:15	Welcome and drinks reception, Chapel Quad Lawn
	19:30-20:30	Dinner, Pembroke College Dining Hall
Mon 28	07:45-08:45	Breakfast, Dining Hall
	9:00-9:30	Arrival and introduction Pichette Room
	09:45-10:35	Plenary lecture with Dr Nicholas Cole Pichette Room
	10:45-11:45	Introductory session with group tutor Pichette Room: Const, Tol, Ark Campion Hall Room: NJ SCR Parlour: CC
	11:45-12:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: All together
	13:00-14:30	Bodleian Library induction session, Convocation House 13:00: Meet outside Pembroke Porter's Lodge
	14:30-16:00	<u>Walking Tour of Oxford</u> 14:30: Arrive at the steps outside the Weston Library
	18:30-19:30	Dinner, Hall
Tue 29	07:45-08:45	Breakfast
	09:00-11:00	Group seminar: Const, Tol & Ark Campion Hall Room for Constitutional & Ark SCR Parlour for Toledo
	11:00-13:00	Group seminar: NJ & CC Campion Hall Room for NJ SCR Parlour for CC
	12:00-12:30	Lunch: Const, Tol & Ark Hall Bar
	13:00-13:30	Lunch: NJ & CC

		Hall Bar
	13:00-14:30	Drop-in study skills session, SCR Parlour
	18:30-19:30	Dinner, Hall
	19:00-21:00	Optional Pub trip
Wed 30	07:45-08:45	Breakfast
	09:00-11:00	Group seminar: Const, Tol & Ark Campion Hall Room for Constitutional & Ark SCR Parlour for Toledo
	11:00-13:00	Group seminar: NJ & CC Campion Hall Room for NJ SCR Parlour for CC
	12:00-12:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: Const, Tol & Ark
	13:00-13:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: NJ & CC
	13:00-14:30	Drop-in study skills session, SCR Parlour
	15:00-16:30	<u>Trip to the Ashmolean Museum</u> Group 1: 15:00 Group 2: 15:20
	18:30-19:30	Dinner, Hall
	19:30-20:30	Lecture with Dr Brogdon: The Swashbuckling Origins of the Federal Courts: Article III and the Case of the Sloop Active - Harold Lee Room
Thu 31	07:45-08:45	Breakfast
	9:00-10:00	Group Seminar: Const, Tol & Ark Campion Hall Room for Constitutional & Ark SCR Parlour for Toledo
	10:00-11.00	Group seminar: NJ & CC Campion Hall Room for NJ SCR Parlour for CC
	No lunch in college this day	
	11:45-00:00	<u>Trip to Stratford Upon Avon</u> Meet at Chapel Quad: 11:45am Coach departure: 12:00pm Shakespeare's Birthplace tour: 14:00pm

		Play at Royal Shakespeare Theatre: 19:15pm
	No dinner in college on this day	
Fri 1	07:45-08:45	Breakfast
	09:00-12:00	Group Debate: All together Pichette Room
	12:00-12:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: Const, Tol & Ark
	13:00-13:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: NJ & CC
	14:45-15:00	Briefing on London Trip
	15:00-17:00	Walk to Port Meadow
	18:30-19:30	Dinner, Hall
Sat 2	7:15-14:00	<u>Trip to London</u> Meet at Speedwell Street: 7:30am Coach departure: 7:45am
Sun 3		
Week 2 (Monday 4th August – Saturday 9th August)		
Mon 4	07:45-08:45	Breakfast
	09:00-11:00	Group seminar: Const, Tol Campion Hall Room for Constitutional SCR Parlour for Toledo
	11:00-13:00	Group seminar: NJ, CC & Ark Campion Hall Room for NJ SCR Parlour for CC & Ark
	12:00-12:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: Const, Tol
	13:00-13:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: NJ, CC & Ark
	13:00-14:30	Drop-in study skills session, SCR Parlour
	15:00-15:30	<u>Trip to the Ashmolean Museum</u> Group 1: 15:00 Group 2: 15:20
	18:30-19:00	Dinner, Forte Room 18:30 arrival: Const & Tol
	19:00-19:30	Dinner, Forte Room 19:00 arrival: NJ, CC & Ark
	19:30-20:30	Lecture by Brian Phillips Murphy: The First State Constitutions

		- Harold Lee Room
Tue 5	07:45-08:45	Breakfast
	09:00-11:00	Group seminar: Const, Tol Campion Hall Room for Constitutional SCR Parlour for Toledo
	11:00-13:00	Group seminar: NJ, CC & Ark Campion Hall Room for NJ SCR Parlour for CC & Ark
	12:00-12:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: Const, Tol
	13:00-13:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: NJ, CC & Ark
	13:00-14:30	Drop-in study skills session, SCR Parlour
	15:00-17:00	<u>Punting trip</u> Meet at Pembroke Lodge at 14:45 and walk
	18:30-19:00	Dinner, Forte Room 18:30 arrival: Const & Tol
	19:00-19:30	Dinner, Forte Room 19:00 arrival: NJ, CC & Ark
	19:30-20:30	Lecture with Drew Kurlowski: Cotton Kingdom: The Economic and Political Consequences of American Slavery - Harold Lee Room
Wed 6	07:45-08:45	Breakfast
	09:00-11:00	Group seminar: Const, Tol Campion Hall Room for Constitutional SCR Parlour for Toledo
	11:00-13:00	Group seminar: NJ, CC & Ark Campion Hall Room for NJ SCR Parlour for CC & Ark
	12:00-12:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: Const, Tol
	13:00-13:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: NJ, CC & Ark
	13:00-14:00	Drop-in study skills session, SCR Parlour
	14:00-18:00	<u>Blenheim Palace trip</u> *Only available to those who booked via interest form* Meet at Chapel Quad: 13:45 Coach departure: 14:00

		Coach collection: 17:30
	18:30-19:00	Dinner, Forte Room 18:30 arrival: Const & Tol
	19:00-19:30	Dinner, Forte Room 19:00 arrival: NJ, CC & Ark
Thu 7	07:45-08:45	Breakfast
	09:00-11:00	Group seminar: Const, Tol Campion Hall Room for Constitutional SCR Parlour for Toledo
	11:00-13:00	Group seminar: NJ, CC & Ark Campion Hall Room for NJ SCR Parlour for CC & Ark
	12:00-12:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: Const, Tol
	13:00-13:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: NJ, CC & Ark
	13:00-14:30	Drop-in study skills session, SCR Parlour
	14:00-16:00	<u>Oxford Castle and Prison</u> <i>*Only available to those who booked via interest form*</i> 14:15: Meet outside Pembroke, walk to destination. 14:30-14:45: Group tours begin
	17:45-18:15	Dinner, Forte Room 17:45 arrival: Const & Tol <i>*Shorter service due to an event, please be punctual*</i>
	18:00-18:30	Dinner, Forte Room 18:00 arrival: NJ, CC & Ark <i>*Shorter service due to an event, please be punctual*</i>
	19:30-20:30	Lecture with Deborah O'Malley: "Democracy of the Dead? Thomas Jefferson versus James Madison on Constitutional Endurance and Constitutional Change" - Harold Lee Room
Fri 8	07:45-08:45	Breakfast
	09:00-11:00	Group seminar: Const, Tol Campion Hall Room for Constitutional

		SCR Parlour for Toledo
	11:00-13:00	Group seminar: NJ, CC & Ark Campion Hall Room for NJ SCR Parlour for CC & Ark
	12:00-12:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: Const, Tol
	13:00-13:30	Lunch, Dining Hall: NJ & CC, Ark
	18:45-19:25	Drinks Reception
	19:30-21:30	Banquet Dinner
Sat 9	09:00-10:00	Check out
Notes	<p>Summer school assistants will be available in the SCR Parlour each afternoon for drop-in study skills clinics. These sessions will be an opportunity to ask for assistance in locating resources in the library or structuring research outputs. If demand is high, a sign-up system will be operated.</p> <p>Most extracurricular activities are optional. Local walks and museum visits within Oxford are free and flexible.</p> <p>However, the Blenheim Palace and Castle & Prison tours both incur costs and only those who booked via the form and paid with the Stripe link can attend.</p> <p>NJ – New Jersey CC – Coastal Carolina Const – Constitutional UVU Tol – Toledo Ark – Arkansas</p>	