



## MA International Labour & Trade Union Studies

### OPEN DAYS

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> Nov 2011, 4<sup>th</sup> Feb 2012, 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2012  
12.00 noon – 3.00pm on all dates:

Stoke House, Stoke Place, Old Headington, Oxford, OX3 9BX

Attend a formal presentation on the MA curriculum and programme  
Meet current students and teaching staff  
See examples of student work and course literature  
Lunch & refreshments provided

- The course enables students to respond to the challenges of globalisation for labour movements, especially in examining union renewal and new forms of union democracy, organising and leadership globally.
- The MA aims to stretch students to think critically and creatively about new and creative strategies of labour movement growth and transformation, and their own role and identity as part of this.
- The MA is in its sixth year and has alumni from the UK, South Africa, Kenya, Slovenia, Nigeria, Philippines and Holland

**Students** are likely to be graduate trade union activists and officers, others working and studying in the field e.g. NGO staff, graduates of industrial relations, human resource management, business, economics and associated disciplines, humanities and social sciences. ***Women, BME, LGBT and others from disadvantaged groups are especially encouraged to apply.***

For more information, or to confirm that you'll be coming to the Open Day please contact:

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For MA background details please go to: [www.ruskin.ac.uk/course/84/summary](http://www.ruskin.ac.uk/course/84/summary)

## Directions to Stoke House

**Stoke House** lies just to the east of Ruskin Hall in **Stoke Place** about 200 yards away.

There is parking for around 8 cars at Stoke House, but more parking is available on the Old Headington Campus site.

### **BY COACH/RAIL/TAXI**

Our **Old Headington campus** is 4½ miles from the city centre; It is **vitaly important** if travelling by taxi from the bus or rail stations that you ask for either **Stoke House, Stoke Place, off Dunstan Road Old Headington, or, Ruskin Hall, Dunstan Road, Old Headington** otherwise the taxi driver is likely to take you to the college's other site in Walton street-not where you want to be.

### **BY BUS: (using Oxford Bus Company buses)**

From Oxford railway station take any city centre bus- the number 5 to Cowley is very frequent and the stop is immediately in front of you as you descend the steps from the station concourse. Change buses at Queens Street (bus stops opposite BHS and Marks and Spencers) and take an 8 or 8A (to Barton or Rivinghurst) and ask the driver to put you off at Headington shops. From the 'Headington shops' bus stop walk back to the traffic lights (Barclays Bank on the corner) and turn right into Old High Street, then after about a quarter of a mile, left at the junction by the 'Black Boy' pub into St Andrews Road proceed past the Church on your right and the White Hart on your left and the road swings to the right and the **Ruskin Hall Campus** is about 50 yards away in front of you. **Stoke House** can be found by proceeding down Stoke Place which is just to the right of the main gates for about 50 yards to the gated entrance to the drive which is on the right hand side, Stoke House is about 30 yards away down the drive.

### **BY ROAD: From London and the East and South East: M40 and A40**

Leave the M40 at junction 8 (A40) and follow this road until reaching the large roundabout (**Green Road**) after four miles (this is the junction with the M40).

Go straight over Green Road roundabout (Junction of the A40, A4142 and the A420) and follow the A420 (signed City Centre and Hospitals) into Headington. At the first crossroads (about a mile after the roundabout), turn right at the traffic lights (Barclays Bank will be on the corner on your right as you approach) into Old High Street, then after about a quarter of a mile, turn left at the T junction by the 'Black Boy' pub into St Andrews Road, proceed past the Church on your right and the White Hart on your left and the road swings to the right and the entrance to the **Ruskin Hall Campus** is about 50 yards away in front of you. **Stoke House** can be found by proceeding down Stoke Place which is just to the right of the main gates for about 50 yards to the gated entrance to the drive which is on the right hand side, Stoke House is about 30 yards away down the drive.