



TRINITY

Benefactors Report 2021-22



Every donation has an impact. Thank you.



Thank you from the President

As ever, I would like to start this report by thanking everyone who has made a contribution to Trinity during the last financial year. From books to bursaries to buildings, the impact of your generosity is evident throughout the college, and we cannot thank you enough.

After a long period of disruption, we have welcomed a return to normal college life. It has been a particular pleasure to meet Old Members and Friends in person again, especially at the events that celebrated the opening of the Levine Building, and to see at first-hand their overwhelmingly positive reaction to the building and its facilities.

The Levine Building is already transforming the experience of Trinity for the whole college community. We are—and will remain—extremely grateful to all those who have made this transformation possible.



Of course, there are so many other areas of college life that have benefited from the support of our wider Trinity community, and on behalf of the whole college, I offer our warmest appreciation for everything you do. Thank you again.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Hilary". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Dame Hilary Boulding, DBE

The Director of Development writes about donations made in 2021 -2022



This report relates to gifts made during the college's last financial year (1 August 2021 - 31 July 2022). However, I would like to begin by thanking everyone who has ever made a gift to Trinity. The support of Old Members and Friends is never taken for granted and without it, many areas of the college would remain underfunded or simply unsustainable.

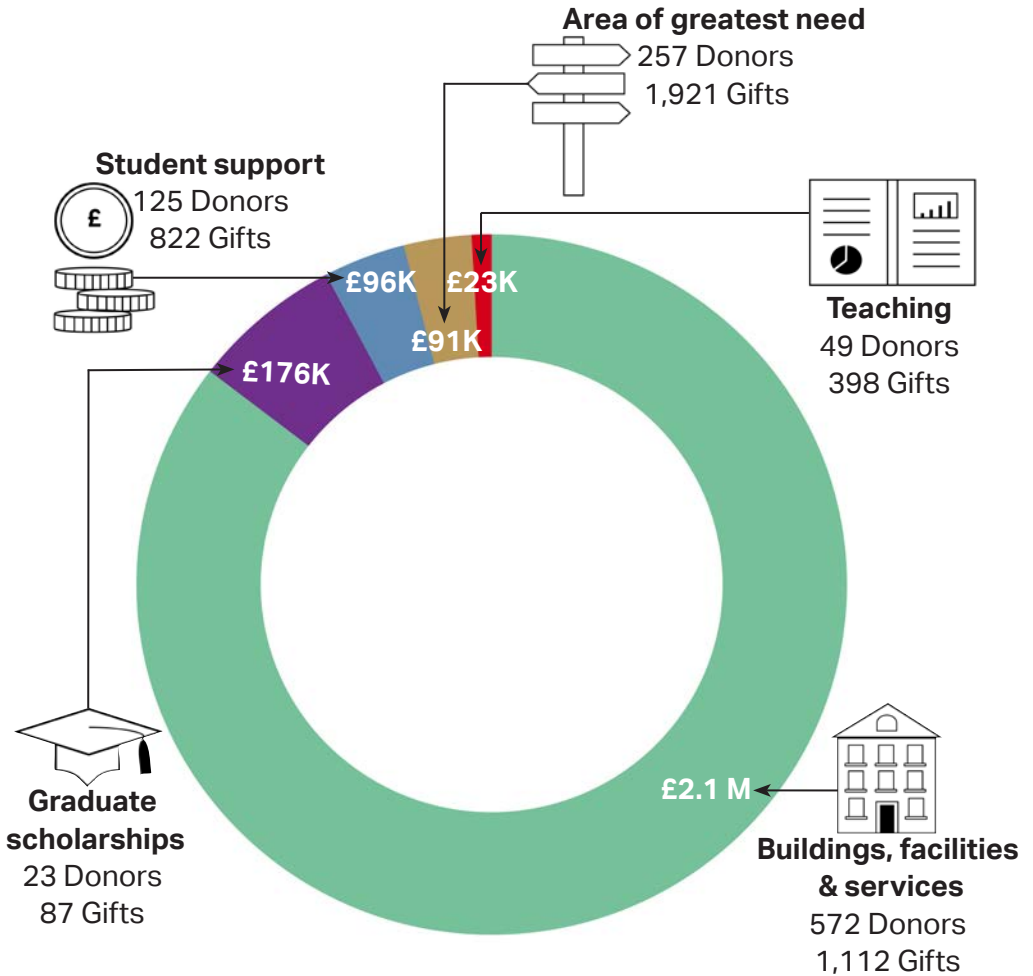
Last time, I wrote about the unprecedented effects of the coronavirus pandemic that had, unsurprisingly, led to a drop in donor numbers. This time, I am

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pleased to report that donor numbers increased by almost 40 per cent, with 237 more individuals and four more organisations choosing to make a donation.

I am conscious that donor numbers have yet to reach pre-pandemic levels and this may be a sign of people being more cautious with their giving in response to the increase in the cost of living.

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Breakdown of donations 2021-22

This year's figures reflect clear ongoing support for the Levine Building with 85% of the total raised donated to buildings, facilities and services. Students have been generously supported too; in particular, graduate scholarships, which remain vitally important. Unrestricted donations, made to the area of greatest need, have also provided financial assistance to students. In teaching, donors continue to support the college's long-standing aim to safeguard posts.

Investing in buildings, facilities and services

Fund	Cash receipts	No. of donors	No. of gifts
Levine Building	£1,656,928	545	952
Hall & kitchen refurbishment	£527,818	4	4
Library & associated projects	£3,916	15	104
Chapel	£1,525	5	16
IT	£375	1	12
Facilities	£99	2	24

In Spring 2022, we had the pleasure of welcoming Old Members and Friends into the building that was made possible by their generosity. Thank you again to everyone who contributed.

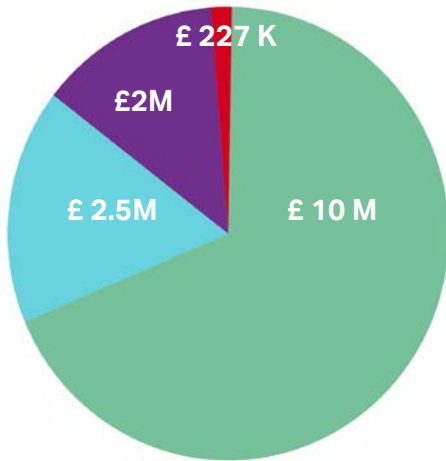
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The focus now is on the refurbishment of the kitchen, Hall and SCR. Funded mainly by the sale of land and a loan from the college's endowment, over £500,000, received in bequests, has also been used for the project.

We can never thank enough in their lifetime those who choose to leave a bequest to the college. Trinity exists because of a legacy and more than 460 years later, these gifts continue to be key to its preservation and development.



The Levine Building appeal: 31 July 2022



Since the start of the appeal, 1,175 Old Members, Friends and organisations have given £12,437,870 in cash and pledges. With interest, accumulated on the earliest donations, the total raised stands at £14,950,986, more than 99% of the £15 million target.

● Old Members ● Interest ● Friends ● Trusts & organisations

Donations have ranged from £8.00 to £3 million. As the table shows, every gift has had an impact on the campaign, especially when added to those made by other Old Members and Friends.

Gift range	No. of donors	Total given
Over £1 million	2	£5,000,000
£500,000 - £999,999	3	£1,627,500
£100,000 - £499,999	13	£2,617,617
£50,000 - £99,999	13	£802,018
£10,000 - £49,999	72	£ 1,506,841
£5,000 - £9,999	53	£336,408
£1000 - £4,999	187	£364,000
£500 - £999	92	£59,881
£100 - £499	417	£79,436
Less than £100	318	£16,952

Supporting students

Fund	Cash receipts	No. of donors	No. of gifts
Graduate scholarships	£175,818	23	87
Student support	£54,445	71	497
Academic prizes & other awards	£23,715	5	28
Access & outreach	£11,824	29	216
Clubs & societies	£5,755	20	81

Graduate support

Graduates are the academics, researchers and industry-leaders of the future and a key driving force behind the University's ground-breaking research. They make an enormous contribution to college life and to Trinity's reputation for academic excellence.



In the last report, I wrote about an extraordinarily generous donation for graduate funding. This and other donations have enabled Trinity to increase the scale and scope of its financial support for graduates and, for the academic year (2022-23), to provide full or partial funding to ten DPhil students and 13 students on taught courses (Master's or the equivalent).

The Levine Building has supported the college's aims to enhance the graduate experience of Trinity. By accommodating undergraduates, it has freed up existing bedrooms on the main site for first-year graduates, allowing them to benefit from a fully immersive college experience and created facilities that act as a public platform for their research.

Undergraduate support

The University offers a generous package of support to UK students, which has lessened the pressure on the college to provide bursaries to undergraduates. This is not to say that such support is no longer needed or appreciated. Donations have enabled Trinity to help students facing temporary financial hardship, and international students, who do not qualify for University funding.

General student support

Trinity awards a range of grants and prizes to help students with additional costs, such as purchasing books and IT equipment, attending academic conferences and other work-related travel. Knowing that the college is able to help with some of their most practical needs is reassuring to students and ensures they are able to make the most of their time at Oxford.

Undergraduate support at Oxford

Crankstart Scholarships: up to £5,500 per year for UK students from households with an annual income of £27,500 or less.

Oxford Bursaries: up to £3,700 per year for UK students from households with an annual income of £42,857 or less, who are not eligible for, or do not take up, a Crankstart Scholarship.

Crankstart Scholars and Oxford Bursary recipients living 80 miles or more away will automatically receive an annual grant of £200 or £500 (dependent on distance) to help cover the costs of travel to Oxford.



Access and outreach

The Access and Outreach team continues to work with pupils and teachers in Trinity's link regions, welcoming groups into College and going out to schools. The Levine Building is already proving to be an invaluable resource for these visits.

The team is also delivering virtual sessions, which include a dedicated Teacher Support Programme, equipping teachers with advice and guidance for students wishing to apply to Oxford and other leading universities.

An impact report, evaluating the college's outreach activities for 2020-21, has also been published and can be found online at trinity.ox.ac.uk/schools-outreach.

Trinity link regions

To simplify communications between UK schools and the University, every area of the country is linked to an Oxford College. Trinity is linked to schools in Oxfordshire, Milton Keynes, Cleveland, Darlington, Durham, Hartlepool, Middlesbrough, Redcar and Stockton on Tees.



Supporting teaching

Fund	Cash receipts	No. of donors	No. of gifts
Classics	£ 16,552	32	255
History	£5,111	13	125
Law	£1,225	3	17
Philosophy	£313	1	1

The college continues with efforts to safeguard as many Tutorial Fellowships as possible and it cannot thank enough those Old Members and Friends who continue to support this aim.

Along with the wider-University, Trinity is facing significantly increased operating costs, not least as a result of the soaring level of inflation and the increased cost of energy. The college is keen not to be in a position where it needs to freeze posts as they become vacant, due to a lack of funding. One of the surest ways to secure continuity of provision is to endow its core academic posts.

Endowing Fellowships, at a cost of £2.5 million per post, is an ambitious target but one that is essential for Oxford's reputation as a world-leading centre of learning, teaching and research.



Looking ahead

At the same time as writing this report, the college has been working on the strategy for the next five years. Trinity wishes to continue helping all students to flourish, to make the most of their opportunities and to use their talents for the good of the wider community.

Another key element will be sustainability, as the college seeks to reduce its carbon footprint. We are the custodians of an historic estate; this carries an obligation to maintain and restore both buildings and grounds so they can be enjoyed by future generations. I look forward to

sharing further details in due course.

Your support at all levels has enabled Trinity to succeed in the last five years and it will continue to be vital if the college is to achieve its goals in the next strategy. Thank you again for all that you have done. As I said at the beginning, every gift has an impact. If you feel able to give again, you can be certain that your contribution will make a difference and be greatly appreciated.



Sue Broers
September 2022



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