

' OXFORD HAS (POLICY) TALENT'

Dear Students,

OxPolicy is launching its 2017 Policy Competition - **OXFORD HAS (POLICY) TALENT'**. We are asking undergraduates across Oxford to submit a policy brief on a matter that they care about, and have ideas about how those in power should confront it. We want to give students an opportunity to get an introduction to policy and its utility, and to give successful applicants an active chance to develop these skills.

APPLICATION

Students should fill out the attached *Policy Template* with their recommendations, and sent it to policyresearch@oxpolicy.co.uk with the Subject 'Ox has Talent' by **Noon, 1st February 2017**. They should not go beyond the 1 A4 page template.

They should write a policy brief that fits into one of the following four categories:

- Policy in the local realm (environment, education, welfare)
- Policy in Technology
- Identity policy (Gender, race, sexuality, etc.)
- Policy in Health

IF SUCCESSFUL

The top ten applicants will be selected for a policy workshop in early February. Here, you will receive policy training by an expert who has been in the field for 20 years, and receive guidance for how to develop your policy recommendations. You will also be able to explore policy-careers and get CV guidance. You will present your policy to the workshop leader, who will then select four applicants to go to the final.

The final will take place at the end of February, to allow you time to develop your presentations. You will then deliver your policy ideas to a panel of 4 academics, and policy leaders.

The winner will receive £100 and a surprise policy opportunity.

The **Runner up** will be invited to attend the UK Student Policy Forum, which will involve an evening in London with other like-minded policy individuals, VIPs, and media outlets.

Any questions, please email contact@oxpolicy.co.uk .or visit our website <http://www.oxpolicy.co.uk/>

We look forward to receiving your applications!

Best wishes,

OxPolicy Team