

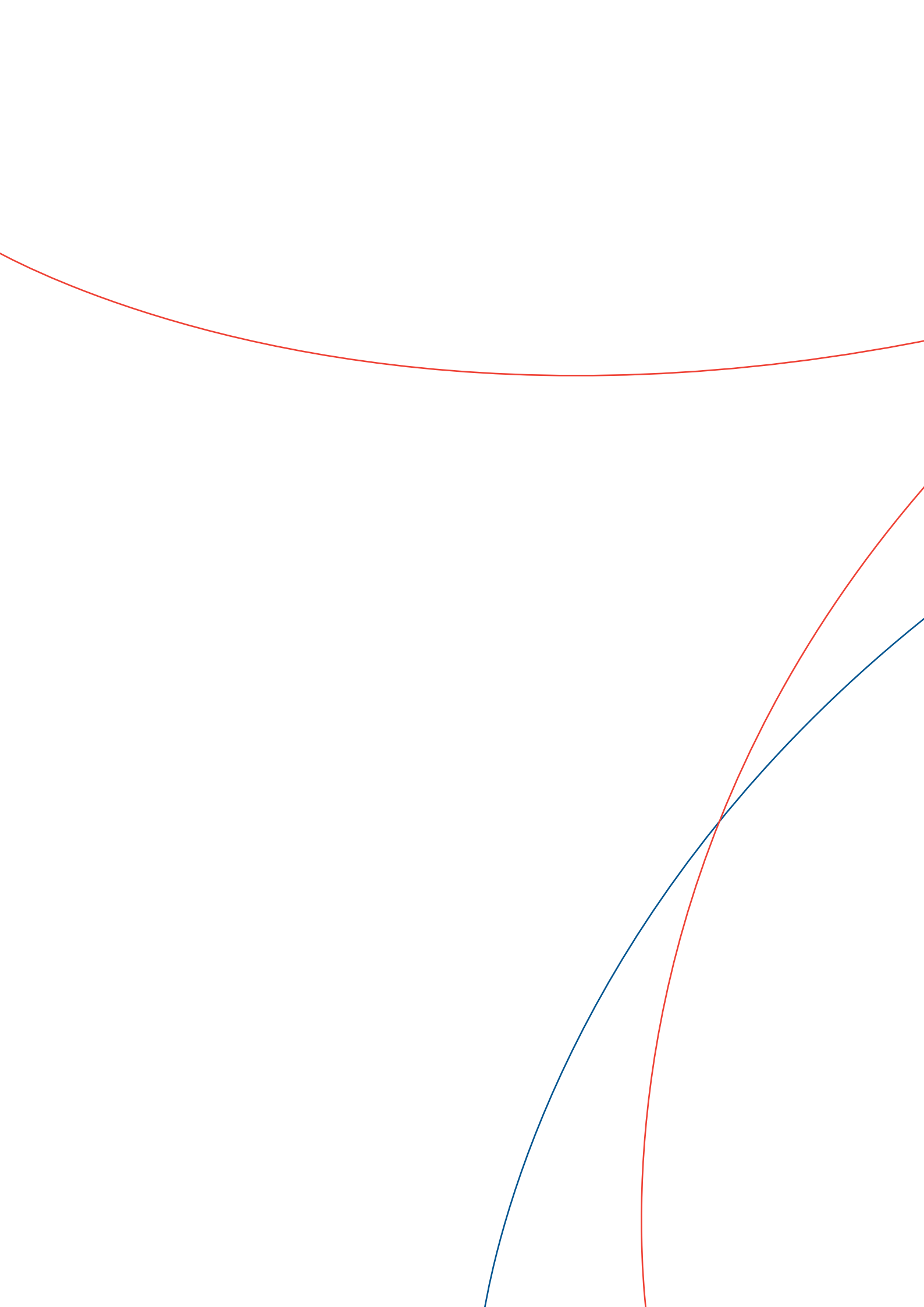
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THE MARSHALL AID COMMEMORATION COMMISSION'S REPORT TO HER MAJESTY'S PRINCIPAL SECRETARY OF STATE FOR FOREIGN AND COMMONWEALTH AFFAIRS.

Pursuant to Section 2(6) of the Marshall Aid Commemoration Act 1953, we have the honour to submit the report of the Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission for the year ending 30 September 2017.



WELCOME FROM MR CHRISTOPHER FISHER

It is a pleasure to introduce the Commission's report for the year to 30 September 2017.

Highlights of the year include the following:

In December 2016 awarding 40 new scholarships, rather than the 32 previously planned, as a result of HMG's decision to increase the Commission's funding by one third, building up over three years.

In May 2017 presenting William Hague with a Marshall Medal, awarded to him in connection with the 60th Anniversary of the Scholarship Programme, at our Annual Dinner.

In June 2017 holding a commemorative weekend at Harvard University, organised by the Association of Marshall Scholars (AMS), to mark the 70th Anniversary of the Commencement Address by George C Marshall, which was to lead to the creation of the Marshall Plan.

In June 2017 awarding six Marshall Medals to mark this 70th Anniversary to the following distinguished individuals:

Madeleine Albright

Matthew Barzun

Nancy Cox

Reid Hoffman

Bill Janeway

David Miliband

In September 2017 welcoming the Class of 2017 Scholars, the largest such class for years.

While the vibrancy and resilience of the Marshall Scholarship Programme remained strong, in recent years this had started to become somewhat overshadowed by the steady decline in the number of awards made, falling from 44 in 2007 to 31 in 2015. This has now been emphatically reversed, reflecting HMG's renewed and strengthened commitment to the value of this Programme and the enduring bonds between the UK and the US which it helps to engender.

This affirming message has resonated around the wider Marshall community to very positive effect, and provided a most helpful backdrop to the 70th Anniversary events at Harvard. Well attended by Marshall alumni and others, discussions took place on a wide range of topical issues set in the context of Marshall's legacy. Notable events included the dialogue between former Secretary of State Madeleine Albright and former Foreign Secretary Sir Malcolm Rifkind, and the discourse and reminiscences of Supreme Court Justices Breyer and Gorsuch, both Marshall Scholars.

Looking ahead the Commission is determined that the annual award of 40 scholarships should represent a floor rather than a ceiling on the number of awards to be made in future years. For this to be possible reflects not only the level of HMG's funding, but also the significant support which the Programme attracts from British academic partners and others. The value of our academic partnerships - principally fee-waiver places - is not reflected in our accounts but its growth was material in cushioning the decline in the number of awards made in recent years. We remain focused on deepening and broadening these partnership arrangements. As more fully set out later in this report, I am pleased to report we secured valuable additional partnership support from September 2017 and expect this to grow further from September 2018; together this is making a difference to the number of future awards which we can make.

In addition to long standing funding support from an Annenberg endowment, last year the British Schools and Universities Foundation of the US started, in conjunction with the AMS, to fund a scholarship award in the arts. This year the AMS was able to announce the successful conclusion to a \$1.2 million fund raising campaign to a endow a new award of a two year scholarship to be made on alternate years, in which campaign Reid Hoffman played a central role. In addition more alumni are looking to support the colleges and universities at which they studied in providing partnership places, which is of great potential value.

All of these streams of support, from both new and long-standing benefactors, are much appreciated and enable more awards to be made than would otherwise be the case.

The Marshall Scholarship Programme is a highly motivating activity with which to be associated. The Scholars are as engaging and enthusiastic as ever. They bring intellectual rigour and curiosity to their fields of study and look to find ways to make a positive difference to our society both now and into the future. They enrich the academic and other activities in which they participate.

The Scholars' experience of the UK principally arises through the universities at which they study. This is augmented, however, by events organised or supported by the Commission together with the Foreign Office and the AMS. Mark Field, the Foreign Office minister responsible for scholarships, hosted a welcome reception for Scholars in September 2017 as part of a broader induction programme in Washington and London. The Marshall Plus programme of activities is being revitalised by Commissioner Suzanne McCarthy. Our annual trip, this year to Wales, was a great success and we were made most welcome by the Welsh Government and the Cardiff University.

While we rigorously select on merit, we are mindful of the importance of attracting highly talented young American students to become Marshall Scholars whose overall profile is broadly representative. This is a continuing challenge, in which task we benefit enormously from the support of the British Embassy and Consulates in the US, from the time and engagement of many distinguished alumni and others serving on our regional selection committees and from the readiness of alumni and others to participate in our outreach activities. The dedicated team supporting us at the ACU also make a critical contribution to the effective operation of the Programme and to the quality of our Scholars' experience. Dr John Kirkland left the ACU in September 2017 and concurrently stood down as Executive Secretary of the Commission. We thank him for his many years of service and welcome his successor, Dr Joanna Newman, as the new Executive Secretary. Finally I would like to thank my fellow Commissioners for their time and commitment, and let me also welcome Dr Alice Prochaska, who joined the Commission on the 1st October 2017.

The Marshall Scholarship Programme was created to recognise a past act of generosity and has a wonderful track record of supporting creative talent extending over more than sixty years. I pay tribute to alumni increasingly looking for ways to recognise the generosity which they received in the past which can make a difference to current and future Scholars. This augurs well for the vitality and relevance of the whole Marshall community. The Programme attracts strong and growing support from British universities for the difference it can make from having highly talented young American students fully participating in the academic, social and cultural lives of their institutions and in due course as their alumni; this can only be of benefit to our common future through the better understanding and appreciation of our two peoples which can thereby be created. It is a privilege to be associated with such an endeavour.



Christopher Fisher
Chair

Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission (MACC)
January 2018

THE MARSHALL AID COMMEMORATION COMMISSION

The Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission Act was passed by the British Parliament in 1953 in order to express gratitude to the American people for the post-war support and assistance conceived by Secretary of State George C Marshall, subsequently known as the Marshall Plan. The Parliamentary Act created postgraduate Scholarships in the United Kingdom for American students with the potential to excel in their chosen fields of study and future careers. As alumni of British Universities and as members of the community during their stay in Britain, Marshall Scholars create lasting bridges between the United States and the United Kingdom and become advocates for greater depth and

breadth of interaction, co-operation and mutual understanding between the two countries. Scholars also participate in activities which make them effective spokespeople for the best in British society and education and, once they have completed their studies, continue to support the furtherance of international co-operation in the spirit of the Marshall Plan.

Each year up to 40 Marshall Scholarships are awarded, many in partnership with outstanding British Universities, thus providing continuing recognition for the generosity of the past while supporting the promise of the future. This unique testament plays a vital role in developing a constituency for Britain in the United States of America.

The programme is largely funded by HM Government through the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) alongside partnerships with British Universities and others, and is administered in Britain by the Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission, with the support of the British Embassy in Washington DC, and the Consulates-General in Atlanta, Boston, Chicago, Houston, Los Angeles, New York and San Francisco. HRH Prince of Wales is Honorary Patron of the Association of Marshall Scholars.



Secretary of State
George C Marshall

MEETINGS AND MACC MEMBERSHIP

In 2017 regular business meetings of the MACC were held on 19 January, 11 April and 11 September under the chairmanship of Mr Christopher Fisher. The MACC's Education, Finance, and Audit and Risk Management (ARM) Committees met on several occasions. The Ambassador's Advisory Council met in Washington on 5 December 2016.

As at September 2017 Commission members are as follows and their further details can be found at the end of this Report (page 27) including a note of their membership of the Education, Finance and ARM Committees.

Mr Christopher Fisher (Chair)

Mr Alan Bookbinder

Professor Brian Cantor

Ms Janet Legrand

Mrs Suzanne McCarthy

Professor Simon Newman

Ms Barbara Ridpath

Ms Xenia Wickett

Lord Wood of Anfield

Commissioners are publicly appointed and are unpaid.

In addition, full details of the membership of the Ambassador's Advisory Council and of the Regional Selection Committees, as of the date of the selection interviews for the 2017 awards, are given on page 28 of this report.



The Chairs of the Regional Selection Committees with Deputy Head of Mission Patrick Davies.



Marshall Scholars meet Sir Richard Dearlove



Marshall Scholars Erin Hylton and Andrea Howard with the Assistant Secretary



Marshall Scholars with 1985 Marshall alumna Cindy Sugrus at Dickens' House



Marshall Scholars at Downing Street

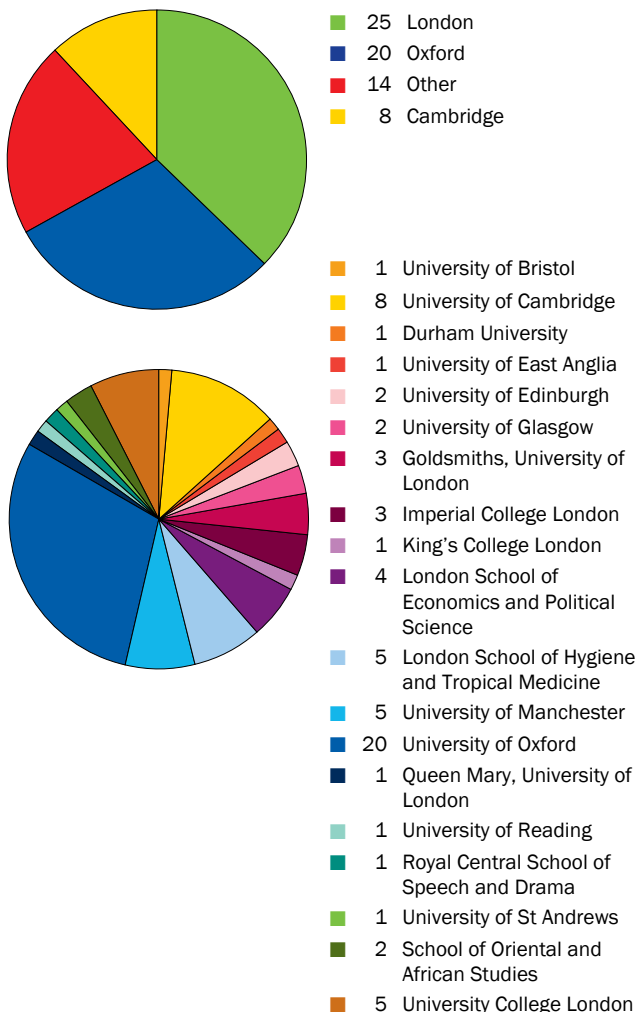
SCHOLARS IN BRITAIN 2016/2017

At the start of the academic year 2016/2017, 67 Marshall Scholars were in residence at British universities.

This number was made up of eight 2014 Scholars, seven of whom were completing a third year and one who had been deferred a year and was completing her second year, 27 2015 Scholars and another 32 Scholars who had taken up their awards in 2016. Five of the 2016 Scholars held the one year Marshall Scholarship. The group comprised 41 men and 26 women.

Four Scholars had dependents who were resident in the UK.

The distribution of the awards was as follows: 25 at universities in London (five each at University College London and at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine; four at the London School of Economics and Political Science; three each at Goldsmiths and at Imperial College London; two at the School of Oriental and African Studies, and one each at King's College London; Queen Mary, University of London; and the Royal Central School of Speech and Drama); 20 at the University of Oxford; eight at the University of Cambridge; and fourteen elsewhere in the UK (five at the University of Manchester; two each at the Universities of Edinburgh and Glasgow; one each at Durham University and the Universities of Bristol, East Anglia, Reading and St Andrews).



The Scholars were funded as follows:

33 Marshall Scholars were fully funded by the MACC.

Four Scholars, who were members of the US Military, only received 50% of the stipend as agreed with the US Military academies.

32 Scholars were funded on Partnership Scholarships as follows:

- One Scholar was fully funded by an external body, the Annenberg Foundation.
- One Scholar was fully funded by a jointly funded Scholarship between two external bodies, the Association of Marshall Scholars and the British Schools and Universities Foundation (BSUF).
- Three Scholars at each of the following institutions: Imperial College London and Somerville College, Oxford (Janet Watson)
- Two Scholars at each of the following institutions: Universities of Edinburgh and Glasgow; and Nuffield College, Oxford
- One Scholar at each of the following institutions: Universities of Bristol; Durham; Manchester; Reading and East Anglia. Also at Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge; Corpus Christi College, Oxford; King's College, Cambridge; King's College London; London School of Economics and Political Science; London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine; Magdalene College, Cambridge; New College, Oxford; Oriel College, Oxford; Queen Mary, University of London; St John's College, Cambridge; Trinity College, Oxford and University College London.

Two of the partnership Scholars (Glasgow and New College, Oxford) were the Military Marshall Scholars and so received 50% stipend.

All of these agreements, except the Caius Cambridge Marshall Scholarship, include the MACC paying for the Scholars' maintenance costs and the partner university/college waiving the tuition fees. The Caius Cambridge Marshall Scholarship pays for the maintenance costs and the MACC pays for the tuition fees.

Two of the above Scholars were jointly funded under the third year funding agreement with the University of Oxford and Oriel and Somerville Colleges and two further Scholars were fully funded under the third year funding agreement with the University of Oxford.

These partnership agreements contributions add up to the value of £660,000.

In addition, the Marshall Sherfield Fellow was supported by private funds from the Marshall Sherfield Fellowship Foundation.

23 Scholars pursued courses in Science and Engineering, including Mathematics, and 44 in the Arts and Social Sciences and Creative Arts. The range of individual subjects studied in the year under review was higher than last year.

The subject breakdown is as follows:

SCIENCE, ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS

New and Sustainable Photovoltaics	1
Applied Mathematics	2
Astronomy	1
Chemistry	1
Computational Statistics and Machine Learning	1
Disease Control	1
Engineering Science	1
Epidemiology	1
Future Autonomous and Robotic Systems	1
Infectious and Tropical Diseases	1
Inorganic Chemistry	1
Integrated Management of Freshwater Environments	1
Materials Research	1
Mathematical and Theoretical Physics	1
Medical Device Design and Entrepreneurship	1
Molecular Biology, Neurobiology	1
Physics	3
Systems and Synthetic Biology	1
Zoology	2
Total	23

ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Comparative Politics	1
Comparative Social Policy	2
Composition (Electroacoustic Music and Interactive Media)	1
Creative Producing	1
Development Studies	1
Economic and Social History	1
Economics	1
English Studies (Contemporary Literature and Culture)	1
Environmental Policy and Regulation	1
Environmental Science	1
European History	1
Filmmaking - Directing Fiction	1
Fine Art	1
Food Security and Development	1
Global Governance and Diplomacy	1
Greek and Roman History	1
History	2
International Law and Security	1
International Relations	4
Islamic Studies and History	2
Medical Anthropology	1
Medieval History	1
Modern Middle East Studies	1
Political Thought and Intellectual History	1
Politics	1
Politics in China	1
Public Health	2
Public Policy	1
Research Architecture	1
Shakespeare and Renaissance Literary Culture	1
Shakespeare Studies	1
Social Policy and Social Research	1
Sociology	1
South East Asian Studies	1
Sustainability, Culture, and Development	1
Sustainable Urbanism	1
Water Science, Policy and Management	1
Total	44



Marshall Scholars at the Leavers' Dinner

SCHOLARS GRADUATING IN 2017

34 Scholars completed tenure of their awards in 2017. Of these, ten had graduated at the time of completion. The remaining Scholars, who are registered for doctorates or research/taught Master's programmes, will complete the requirements for their degrees in the coming months.

The examination results of 26 Scholars were received during the year – two from the 2005 group, one from the 2007 group, one from the 2011 group, six from the 2012 group, twelve from the 2014 group and four from the 2015 group. Eight of these obtained Doctorates, the rest obtained Master's degrees.

The names of all Scholars on whom degrees were conferred during 2016/2017 or for whom the Commission received results, are listed at the end of this Report (Page 31).

Three Scholars were granted extensions for a third year of their tenure in 2017/18. These Scholars will be funded as follows:

- 2 Scholars fully funded by the Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission
- 1 Scholar jointly funded under the partnership with the University of East Anglia

EPA MARSHALL SCHOLARSHIPS

The Commission holds a grant from the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). This grant allows Marshall Scholars to undertake a Doctorate, either in the UK or the US, after they complete their two year tenure on the Marshall Scholarship funding. The EPA has decided to make no further grants beyond 2017/18 and no new awards will be made under this agreement.

In 2016/17 five Scholars were funded by the EPA providing support for an additional three years after their two year Marshall Scholarship. Three of these were completing doctorates in the UK at Imperial College London, King's College London, and Darwin College, Cambridge and two are completing doctorates in the USA at Harvard and UC Berkeley.

Two further Scholars have been awarded extensions to their Scholarships for 2017/18 through the EPA Marshall Scholarship. Both Scholars will read for their doctorates at the University of Oxford.



Marshall Scholars at 2017 Leavers' Dinner

SCHOLARS' EXPERIENCES

Morgan Breene

2015 Marshall Scholar

MA Maritime Archaeology
University of
Southampton
MA European History
University College London



Morgan Breene

Before coming to the UK as a Marshall Scholar, I spent five years at the University of Rhode Island (URI), completing a BA in

History and Anthropology

with a focus on underwater archaeology, and additional graduate coursework on Geographic Information Systems and Remote Sensing. While at URI, I took advantage of numerous opportunities to study and do field work abroad, spending time in Mexico, the UK, Israel, and Bermuda. The international bent of my undergraduate degree, and the opportunities to meet people of different backgrounds and training in my chosen field of maritime archaeology, meant I was interested in pursuing postgraduate work abroad. The University of Southampton, where I did my first MA as a Marshall in Maritime Archaeology, is a world leader in training maritime archaeologists, evidenced by the diversity of my cohort, which included students from as far afield as Thailand and Lebanon, with research interests spanning the globe and spectrum of emphases within the discipline. The program was an enriching experience through both the nature of the coursework and exposure to others working in diverse environments with their own unique challenges.

My research while in the UK has been focused on naval technology, and how it was perceived and discussed, during the long eighteenth century. My main interest is in how local boats were adopted and utilized by the British navy while operating in foreign waters, which I explored in the context of the Egyptian campaign of 1798-1802 as my first MA thesis. I plan on expanding this work by applying the methodology I developed over the course of this study to other conflicts for my PhD thesis. For my second masters, a degree in European History at University College London, I explored naval technology from a very different angle—looking at how the enslavement of Huguenots (French Protestants) on Louis XIV's galley fleet was utilized in anti-French and anti-Catholic rhetoric in England during the War of Spanish Succession (1701-1713).

My experience in the UK has been wonderful. I've had the opportunity to make a wide variety of personal and professional contacts with people from around the country—and the world—with similar interests to myself. Living here has afforded me the opportunity to travel around the country, and to have a diversity of experiences, from surveying a mid-

nineteenth century barge lodged in knee-deep mud in the River Itchen, to stumbling across dispatches signed by Admiral Nelson in the National Archives; from touring 10 Downing Street to learning to ceilidh at a Burns Night dinner.

I chose to come here for the quality of the education available in my chosen field of study, but the takeaways have been so much greater than the education I received. My time in the UK has made me more self-confident, assertive, and driven to continue my work on naval technology—I am wrapping up my time in the country with a research internship at the National Maritime Museum in Greenwich, yet another experience that will demonstrate the focus and drive I have cultivated while here to potential PhD supervisors in the US.

Hayden Dahmm

2015 Marshall Scholar

MSc Sustainable Energy Futures
Imperial College London
MSc Environmental Policy and
Regulation
London School of Economics
and Political Science



Hayden Dahmm

I graduated from Swarthmore College in 2015 with a major in Environmental Engineering and a minor in Environmental Studies. Building on my liberal arts background, the Marshall Scholarship allowed me to investigate both the technical and social dimensions of a sustainable energy transition. During my first year as a Marshall, I read for an MSc in Sustainable Energy Futures at Imperial College London, and then I continued to an MSc in Environmental Policy and Regulation at the LSE. My Imperial dissertation involved optimizing the economics of distributed generation for community cooperatives, while my LSE dissertation was an econometric analysis of the impact energy prices have on manufacturing competitiveness. This has provided me with a unique skillset that I look forward to contributing towards solutions for environmental challenges.

Prior to starting my Scholarship, I had never travelled outside the United States, and I was eager to gain an international experience. I believe that addressing global environmental issues requires a mutual understanding between countries. I was attracted to the UK by an interest in its literature, culture and history that had begun in my childhood. I chose to apply for a Marshall Scholarship, because it enables unique interdisciplinary studies and reflects an important diplomatic legacy.

My two years with the Marshall Scholarship proved more enriching than I could have imagined. I explored Great Britain through Marshall sponsored trips and independent travel, informing my understanding of the country. More importantly, I found a remarkable set of friends who have served as my

personal ambassadors to Britain. I attended over a dozen live recordings of BBC radio and television programs, which helped me appreciate British culture and comedy. I also saw several Shakespeare productions and performed in a show of Shakespeare scenes. Through Goodenough College, my London hall of residence, I participated in activities that underscored British values, and I even had the opportunity to meet her Majesty the Queen.

My time in the UK also helped me achieve a new level of independence. I am blind, and so I was especially anxious about living abroad. Thanks to the remarkable assistance of Guide Dogs for the Blind, the staff of Transport for London, and the constant support of the Marshall Commission, I was able to navigate with confidence and explore new opportunities. This experience has empowered me to continue expanding my independence in the future.

Immersing myself in another country forced me to question my assumptions about society. The introduction to devolved governments, contemporary debates, and national history facilitated by the Marshall has expanded my global perspective. I am still inspired by the unique diplomatic connection and mutual respect between our two countries that the Marshall Scholarship represents, and I will strive to reflect this spirit of international cooperation in my future career.

Andrea Howard
2015 Marshall Scholar

MA Science and Security
King's College London
MSc Global Governance
and Diplomacy
Magdalen College, Oxford



As a 2015 graduate of the United States Naval Academy, I received a Bachelor of Science in International Relations and a Bachelor of Science in Arabic, and I commissioned as one of the first one hundred women in the Navy's submarine force. Since winning the Marshall Scholarship in 2014, I have focused on the intersection of my social science background and my technical nuclear career: Weapons of Mass Destruction (WMD) proliferation policy. I read for an MA in Science and Security from the War Studies Department of King's College London, finishing in the summer of 2016. In the fall, I began the MSc in Global Governance and Diplomacy at the University of Oxford. While my first year of study at KCL provided nuanced details of chemical, biological, radiological, and nuclear (CBRN) weapons' production, dissemination, and usage, the more general degree at Oxford encouraged an application of that niche knowledge to larger frameworks of

international law and crisis management. The highlight of my academic growth in the UK was presenting my dissertation—analysing the role of tactical nuclear weapons in past crises and potential, future crises—at the 2017 UK Project on Nuclear Issues Conference at RUSI.

I have surprisingly become more of an idealist in this ultra-realist area of study, and I thank my time in the United Kingdom for my optimism. Spending two years abroad, engaging with experts and up-and-coming peers, reinvigorated me with the hope that the right people are working on the toughest, most internationally charged issues. From RUSI and Chatham House in London to the Strategic Studies Group at Oxford, I have gleaned bits of wisdom from senior members of foreign militaries, think tanks, the Ministry of Defense, and Her Majesty's Government. With this network of friendships and connections, I do believe that non-proliferation and peace are still attainable goals in my lifetime.

Some of the best aspects of the Marshall Scholarship, though, could only be found outside my academic discipline. While I played basketball with the KCL Women's Varsity Team and became a Full Blue at Oxford (my team finished sixth in the national BUCS tournament in 2017), the biggest honor was training with and working for a common goal with a diversity of French, German, Greek, Singaporean, Spanish, Swiss, Ukrainian, and British athletes. From long car rides for away games and back to the pub with course-mates, I have felt the tremendous honor of representing the United States Navy's perspective at some of the world's most prestigious universities.

I have just begun the Navy's submarine training pipeline, switching disciplines into an intense engineering curriculum. I am lucky to have the company of a Royal Navy officer, assigned to undergo the US' training pipeline for the Virginia Class submarine. His presence is a tangible reminder of the strength of the Special Relationship in our two militaries, especially in the nuclear realm. Years from now—whether progressing towards command of a submarine, pursuing a political career, or engaging in the policy realm—I promise to uphold the strength of this relationship, beyond the cloth of the military and into the interdisciplinary, multidimensional fabric of my nation.

Ophelia Johnson
2016 Marshall Scholar

MRes Medical Device Design and Entrepreneurship
Imperial College London

I graduated from the University of Alabama at Birmingham with degrees in Biomedical Engineering and Engineering Design and Commercialisation. In the UK, I completed an MRes programme in Medical Device Design and Entrepreneurship (MDDE) at Imperial College London. One of the primary reasons I chose to apply to Imperial was the uniqueness of this programme, which provided me with experience in solving

**Ophelia Johnson**

both engineering and business problems while learning more about how to start a medical technology company. The research I conducted at Imperial involved the development of a new wearable device to treat knee injuries. My thesis work consisted of designing and prototyping this new device as well as developing a business plan to commercialise the device. Throughout this work, I was exposed to cutting-edge research in biomechanics and musculoskeletal modelling, and I attended several conferences and healthcare technology events, including the Wearable Technology Conference at ExCel London. I also developed new intellectual property and worked with the Head of the Department of Bioengineering to pursue a provisional patent for this technology in the US.

During my programme, I was mentored by world-renowned scholars, serial entrepreneurs, and CEOs of medical technology start-ups. Gaining insights from these mentors as well as from a diverse group of peers is one of many aspects I enjoyed about being at Imperial. The independent nature of my course, combined with the excellent mentorship and entrepreneurship case studies, provided a clearer understanding of what it means to be an entrepreneur in the medical technology sector. The business knowledge and hands-on experience I gained over the past year fortified my plans to start my own med-tech company in the future.

Although the rigorous nature of my course didn't allow as much travel across the UK as I would've liked, I was able to enjoy three wonderful trips to Wales, Cornwall and Surrey. The Marshall trip to Wales was one of the most exciting events for me. During that trip, I was so intrigued by the culture that I began studying the Welsh language ("gyda lwc"). I also participated in the Marshall Speakers Programme, which allowed me to travel to the University of Exeter at Penryn and the University of Surrey. At each university, I delivered a talk on diversity and women in STEM. At Exeter, I learned a lot from the attendees, women who have completed studies in STEM fields. We were able to exchange ideas on ways to improve equality in STEM in both the UK and US. At Surrey, I spoke to two different groups of young women completing sixth form and provided them with insights on how to apply to universities, fund their university education, succeed in STEM fields and their potential career opportunities in the future. Along similar lines, I participated in Imperial College's outreach events for International Women in Engineering

Day. I delivered a similar talk on opportunities in STEM at Haberdashers' Aske's School for Girls, and I volunteered to represent Imperial's Department of Bioengineering at the London Transport Museum, where MP Chi Onwurah and Baroness Brown of Cambridge were the keynote speakers for the Women in Engineering event. Supporting and encouraging other young women in STEM fields is a passion I constantly pursued in the US. It was extremely exciting to continue those efforts in the UK and mentor several young British women going into STEM fields.

My entire experience in the UK is invaluable. Not only was I enriched through academic, social and cultural experiences there, but my family also greatly benefited. My mother was able to establish a US-UK research collaboration with Henry Snaith's laboratory at Oxford University (thanks to 2016 Marshall Scholar Kelly Schutt). My husband was able to leave the US for the first time, experience new cultures first-hand and learn more about the law enforcement and intelligence fields (which he is in) from the UK-perspective. My husband and I truly established a "home away from home" in London, and through the relationships we developed there, we will forever be linked to the UK.

Phillip Maffettone 2014 Marshall Scholar

DPhil Inorganic Chemistry
Oriol College,
Oxford

**Phil Maffettone**

Prior to my arrival in the UK, I completed a BS in Chemical Engineering with a research focus on silicon nanomaterials at the University at Buffalo (SUNY). In the UK I have pursued a DPhil at Oxford in Inorganic Chemistry.

There my focus has been far more computational.

I developed structural models for physical systems that aren't well ordered — yet not completely random — in order to approach relationships between the form of a material and its function. Drawing on Bayesian information and local correlation, the models that I developed have created a greater understanding of the kinds of disordered phases that lie between a well-organized crystal and random fluids. These structures ranged from ceramics and glasses with anomalous properties all the way to protein drug targets.

Beyond the pursuit of challenging and interesting scientific problems, I came to the UK to play rugby union. In fact, by the end of my first winter in Oxford, I had been drawn across codes and started playing rugby league. Now after 3 years playing for the Oxford Blues, I have to say I am concerned about having to re-learn to ruck, re-define how flat a pass can

be, and re-think the offside line. Perhaps I will just have to push for league back in the US.

Due to the nature of my extracurriculars, I haven't had too many American teammates in the past few years. This has been the crux of my UK experience. Although I now have many academic colleagues in the UK that I will continually collaborate with from overseas, the friendships I have made with my teammates have brought me all around the UK and offered a stronger glimpse into cultural variation. I didn't just see the NHS as a patient; my mates were junior doctors. I didn't just think about local elections as an observer; my mates were running political campaigns. I didn't just travel around the UK as a tourist; my mates welcomed me into their homes.

The Marshall Scholarship gave me an opportunity to carry on with my two passions (of science and sport) at a standard I never could have dreamed of. Heading back to America, the experiences I have had here will serve as the foundation for my next pursuits in science and engineering. Moreover, I look forward to playing more rugby on my return, even if I have to switch back to union. I am emphatically grateful for this opportunity to grow as a scholar, leader, and athlete; however, I am even more appreciative of how the UK has grown into my second home.

Grace Young

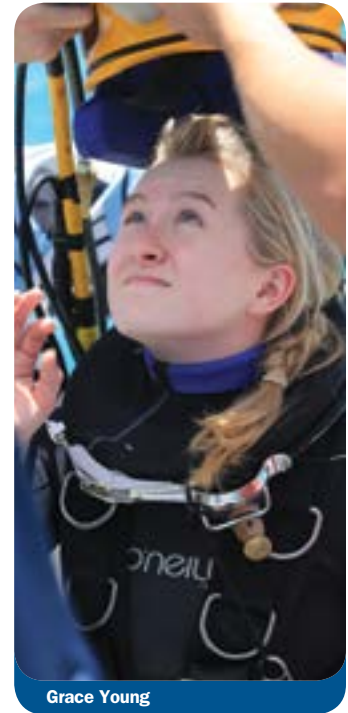
2014 EPA Marshall Scholar

DPhil Zoology
Somerville College, Oxford

I earned my BSc. in Ocean Engineering from MIT, where I was heavily involved in marine robotics. During term breaks, I worked for NOAA and Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution, helping develop submersible robots that mapped ice shelves and monitored marine sanctuaries. I am now completing my DPhil at Oxford. Because my research is interdisciplinary,

my co-supervisors are in both the Department of Engineering Sciences and Department of Zoology. My research focuses on developing technological tools to better understand and manage the ocean. I focus primarily on underwater imaging systems. My thesis focuses on imaging tools that allow us to create 3D models of coral reefs so that we can better answer ecological questions and restore reefs.

I chose the UK and Oxford for its world-class academics combined with its unique exposure to multilateral policy-making and seminal leadership in international maritime policy. In addition to my educational experience, I travelled the country's length and breadth, often with fellow Marshall Scholars. I've had the opportunity to attend meetings at Parliament, the UN's International Maritime Organization, and the National Oceanography Centre. I've learned that to be effective, ocean research cannot rely on academia alone, but must encompass private sector companies and policy makers who share a commitment to common goals. My fellow Marshall Scholars have taught me a tremendous amount about policy and political thinking beyond lessons learned in a classroom. Coming from a background and undergraduate degree in technology, my Oxford/Marshall experience vastly broadened not only my technical education, but also my perspective on global issues and policy making.



Grace Young



Marshall Scholars in Wales

MARSHALL EVENTS

As part of the induction week for the 2016 Scholars which took place in late September 2016, HM Ambassador, Sir Kim Darroch, hosted the group at the Ambassador's Residence for a reception bringing together more than 120 alumni from the Washington, DC area, including former Assistant Secretary of State Bill Burns and New York Times Columnist and Author Tom Friedman. Additionally, the group participated in site visits and meetings with Marshall Scholar alumni working in prominent and influential positions at the Pentagon, US State Department, the White House and the US Congress.

After their arrival in the UK, the 2016 Scholars were taken on a tour of the Houses of Parliament. The tour was arranged through the offices of the British-American Parliamentary Group (BAPG). Scholars met with a member of the BAPG, Alan Mak MP, for a 'Question and Answer' session. The Scholars were welcomed to the United Kingdom by the US Charge D'Affairs Lewis Lukens and other members of staff at the US Embassy. He engaged them in a fascinating discussion about how the UK perceived the USA. The Scholars also rode on the London Eye.

The Scholars were welcomed to the UK by the Marshall Commissioners at a briefing held at the FCO and they also met with Mr Hugh Elliott, Director, Communications Directorate; Ms Kathy Leach, Joint Head of the Policy Unit, Ms Ruth Shaw, Head of Campaigns and Engagement, and Mr Patrick Reilly, Head of North America Department. This was followed by Reception held at the FCO, hosted by Parliamentary Under Secretary of State Alok Sharma MP, on 15 September 2016 to welcome the 2016 Scholars.

In addition to these more formal social events, opportunities also arose during the year for some members of the MACC and Secretariat to meet and offer informal hospitality to Scholars at their university locations and in the homes of some Commissioners. The Scholars themselves organised the now traditional Annual Marshall Thanksgiving Dinner which was held at Goodenough College in London on 26 November 2016 and is supported by the AMS.



Marshall Scholars visit Downing Street

On 27 January 2017 a group of Scholars were invited to 10 Downing Street for a tour followed by a briefing at the FCO.

The MACC Commissioners hosted the annual Dinner, given in honour of Marshall Scholars who were completing their awards, on 9 May 2017 at the Stationers' Hall, London. The special guest and principal speaker at the Dinner was the Rt Hon Lord William Hague of Richmond. Ms Andrea Howard, 2015 Marshall Scholar, who studied Science and Security at King's College London and Global Governance and Diplomacy at Magdalen College, Oxford; and Philip Maffettone, 2014 Marshall Scholar, who studied Inorganic Chemistry at Oriel College, Oxford, both spoke on behalf of those Scholars returning to the United States.



Rt Hon Lord Hague of Richmond speaks at Leavers' Dinner



2016 Class of Marshall Scholars

In 2017 the Scholars travelled to Wales for a three day trip. The Assistant Secretary and the Programme Administrator accompanied the Scholars.

The trip began in Cardiff where the Scholars were welcomed to Wales by Mr Desmond Clifford, Director of the Office of the First Minister and Ms Ifona Deeley, Director of International Relations, Welsh Government. Cardiff University organised an afternoon of lectures by Cardiff faculty which ranged in subject from the Welsh Language to Stem Cell Research. The Welsh Government hosted a reception for the Scholars in the early evening at the Senedd. The Scholars also met with the Welsh Language Commissioner.

The Scholars also toured the Big Pit Coal Museum, St Fagan's Museum, and the Principality Stadium.

Marshall Plus Programme

The Marshall Plus Programme's aim is to contribute to the overall UK experience of Marshall Scholars by giving them insight into British history, culture and society by exploring topical issues ideally with a UK/USA aspect. The programme is specially varied in order to offer a variety of subjects that will appeal to the wide-ranging interests of the Scholars. The annual Programme is composed of both lectures (usually three) and events (usually two). These are arranged around the other activities laid on for Marshall Scholars such as regional visits as well as the normal rhythm of a Marshall Scholar's academic life.

During 2016/17 the Programme consisted of three lectures and two visits.

These were as follows:

- The Charles Dickens Museum visit including a guided tour provided by a Marshall alumna, Cindy Sughrue, who is the Director of the Museum (11 December 2016)
- Imperial War Museum, Duxford visit including a guided tour (11 February 2017)
- Professor Sir Tom Devine lecture (9 March 2017) – “The break-up of the United Kingdom? Scotland and the movement for national independence, 1999 to the present”.
- Sir Richard Dearlove lecture (27 April 2017)- “Brexit, National Security, and the Special Relationship”.
- Professor Neena Modi lecture (29 June 2017) – “The National Health Service”.



Marshall Scholars at the Principality Stadium, Wales

MARSHALL ALUMNI



A Benjamin Spencer

1996 Marshall Alumnus

A Benjamin Spencer

Earle K Shawe Professor of Law, University of Virginia

As an undergraduate student, I had a vague sense that I wanted to dedicate my life to furthering justice. But what did that mean? A formative experience of witnessing a wrongful arrest of a classmate, and my subsequent, successful efforts to obtain his immediate release from jail motivated me to focus on criminal justice and how we as a society not only detect and respond to crime, but how we prevent it and fairly treat those accused of having committed it.

I set my sights on law school, but felt that doing that alone would not give me the perspective and insight I needed. I had one view of society, its injustices, and what might be done about them, but it was distinctly American. After doing some research, I learned that the United Kingdom was a hotbed of research and experimentation in the areas of criminology and criminal justice policy. So I applied for, and was fortunate enough to receive a Marshall Scholarship to study these topics at the LSE.

LSE turned out to be the perfect choice. I completed the MSc in Criminal Justice Policy under the tutelage of experts in the field. After completing my degree in the first year of my scholarship, I was funded to spend my second year in the field doing research. I ended up conducting research on street drinkers and developing appropriate policy responses to their plight and working towards improving their problematic relationship with the community surrounding Camberwell Green in South London. I also undertook an evaluation project exploring the efficacy of the Metropolitan Police's efforts to curtail racially biased stop and frisk practices of its officers in Lambeth. Both of these experiences enabled me to give back to the country that had given me my advanced education while simultaneously furthering that education through real world, on the ground experience.

Today, I work as a law professor at one of the most prestigious law schools in the United States, focusing my attention on improving the civil justice system. I previously worked as a prosecutor in the U.S. Attorney's office where I was able to follow through on my ambitions to make a positive difference in the criminal justice system. I wouldn't be where I am today without the start that the Marshall Scholarship gave me, and the opportunity to think about—and do something about—public policy surrounding public safety and criminal justice. The insight and connections that arose from my Marshall Scholarship experience will continue to pay dividends as I progress in my career. I am eternally grateful to the British Government and its people for that.

REPORT FROM THE BOARD OF THE ASSOCIATION OF MARSHALL SCHOLARS (AMS)

This year, the Association of Marshall Scholars (AMS) has focused on its strategic priorities of building communications, development, and programs with and for the Marshall Scholar community, while helping to strengthen US-UK Relations and support the Marshall Scholarship Program.

Communications:

The AMS launched a new website in June 2017. The website includes e-publications, news, and archived newsletters, as well as photos and videos featuring Marshall Scholars and a selection of programming. The website includes a digital directory accessible by login for Marshall Scholars. Members of the Commission, British Consulate Generals, the Marshall Secretariat and other designated officials will be given logins for the searchable digital database, once the Marshall community has been given the preliminary chance to review and update their information.

Fundraising:

This June, the AMS publicly announced the launch of a \$1.2 million Marshall Scholarship Endowment to support one Scholarship in perpetuity. The Endowment Fund is a symbolic gesture of gratitude towards Her Majesty's Government from Marshall Scholars. More than two hundred alumni from the classes of 1954 to 2015 donated to the Marshall Scholarship Endowment, and these gifts were then matched by Reid Hoffman (1990). In addition, several alumni have begun supporting and preparing to support Marshall Scholarships at their respective alma maters Sussex University; Magdalene College, Cambridge; Lincoln College, Oxford; Emmanuel College, Cambridge and Magdalen College, Oxford. Through co-ordination with the AMS, the MACC, and the aforementioned Colleges, these alumni have pledged over half-a-million dollars toward Marshall Scholarships at these schools.

The British Schools and University Foundation (BSUF) and alumnus Reid Hoffman (1990), committed a second round of \$25,000 each to support a current scholar studying in the field

of music at Kingston University. The AMS is pleased to confirm that BSUF has agreed to extend this grant in perpetuity on the condition that the AMS continues to provide a matching gift through an alumni donation each year.

In 2016, the AMS established a Marshall Scholar Foundation to support new initiatives that engage the Marshall Scholar network to benefit the public, strengthen US-UK ties, and bolster the scholarship program for the 21st Century. This spring, the AMS announced launch of the Marshall Challenge campaign, which aims to raise at least \$1.5 million for the Foundation's initiatives. Every donation made to this campaign, is being matched dollar for dollar by Reid Hoffman (1990). The AMS has raised just under \$500,000 toward the Marshall Challenge, and just over \$500,000 in gifts to support the Marshall Scholarship Endowment and Marshall Scholars at the aforementioned Colleges, bringing its total in cash donations and grants raised thus far in 2017 to just under one million dollars.

Programmes:

The Harvard Marshall Forum on June 3, 2017 at Harvard University in Cambridge, MA marked the legacy of the Marshall Plan and was attended by 365 students, faculty, guests, and Marshall Scholars. Partners included: Harvard University, The German Marshall Fund of the United States, the British Embassy, and the British Consulate in Boston. The AMS was grateful for the opportunity to collaborate on the program with the MACC – in particular in the awarding of Marshall Medals as part of the ceremonies. Four medals were given in person to Secretary Madeline Albright, Ambassador Matthew Barzun, William Janeway (1965), and Nancy Cox (1970) for their contributions to US-UK understanding, leadership in public life, and creative energies reflecting the legacy of George C. Marshall.

The Forum was bookended by a sold out gala dinner at the Harvard Museum on June 2, 2017, which featured a performance by the Silk Road Ensemble and the 2017 AMS Annual Meeting, which took place on June 4, 2017. Guest speakers over the full weekend of events included:

- Malcolm Rifkind, former UK Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs
- Madeleine Albright, former U.S. Secretary of State
- Bert Koenders, Dutch Minister of Foreign Affairs
- Kim Darroch, Her Majesty's Ambassador to the United States
- Graham Allison, Director, Belfer Center, Harvard Kennedy School (1962)
- Baroness Valerie Amos, Director, School of Oriental & African Studies, Univ. of London
- Jane Harmen, President Woodrow Wilson Center
- Danielle Allen, University Professor, Harvard (1993)
- Brian Atwood, former Administrator for USAID
- Daniel Benjamin, Director, John Sloan Dickey Center, Dartmouth College (1983)
- Stephen Breyer, US Supreme Court Justice (1959)
- Neil Gorsuch, US Supreme Court Justice (1992)
- Bill Burns, President, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace (1978)
- Kathleen Sullivan, former Dean, Stanford Law School (1976)
- Joichi Ito, Director MIT Media Lab
- Heidi Crebo-Rediker, CEO International Capital Strategies
- Frederick Logevall, Laurence D. Belfer Professor of International Affairs, Harvard Kennedy School
- Karen Donfried, President, German Marshall Fund
- Peter Orszag, Managing Director & Vice Chair of Investment Banking, Lazard (1991)
- Martha Minow, Dean, Harvard Law School
- Stephen Pomper, former National Security Council Sr Director for African Affairs, Multilateral Affairs and Human Rights
- Benn Steil, Director, International Economics, Council on Foreign Relations
- Dan Barouch, Harvard Medical School (1993)
- Daniel Baer, former Ambassador to the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (2001)
- Sewell Chan, New York Times International News Editor (1998)
- Douglas Melton, Harvard University (1975)

The Forum Host Committee included Marshall Scholars: Doug Melton, Dan Barouch, Jeannie Suk Gerson, Eric Nelson, Graham Allison, Nannerl Keohane, Michael Klarman and Michael Sulmeyer; Dean of Harvard Law School, Martha Minow and Dean of Harvard College, Rakesh Khurana; and the British Consul General to New England, Harriet Cross.

We are pleased to report that the 2017 Harvard Marshall Forum received over 1.2 million coverage views, with press coverage from over 40 major newspapers and media outlets (such as the Wall Street Journal, New York Times, Washington Post, and Associated Press, among others). The event was trending #1 on Twitter for the Boston region on Saturday, June 2, 2017, and the New York Times featured a significant print article on Sunday, June 3, 2017 about the panel discussion moderated by Jeffrey Rosen (1986) with two Marshall Scholars now serving on the US Supreme Court: Justice Neil Gorsuch (1992) and Justice Stephen Breyer (1959).

The AMS was also honored to have received a personal letter of congratulations from Her Majesty the Queen on the commemoration of the 70th Anniversary of the Marshall Plan. The full text is posted to our website.

The AMS hosted regional and partner events in New York, Washington, Boston, San Francisco and London over the course of the year, before and after the Forum.

In addition to regional, annual and partner events, the AMS is pleased to continue its annual support for a small selection of current scholar activities through the Marshall Scholar Plus Program organized by the current classes.

UK Relations: The AMS is pleased to be working with the Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission, British Consulate Generals, and the British Embassy on key outreach, program and other strategic efforts to strengthen the visibility and vitality of the Marshall Community and Scholarship program.

Richard Falkenrath (1991), Avery Willis Hoffman (2000) and Michael Elias (1981) participated in the British Embassy's "special relationship" social media campaign in early January 2017.

The AMS and the New York Consulate hosted a second event as part of the "Special Relationship" collaboration series. The collaboration event featured a musical performance and film screening celebrating the 50th Anniversary of Sgt Pepper by the Beatles. It was hosted in collaboration with the UK Consul General in New York and was moderated by musician and Marshall Scholar Aaron Einbond (2000), who is currently a Lecturer at City, University of London.

Report submitted by:

Nell Breyer, Executive Director, Association of Marshall Scholars
 Andrew Klaber, President, Board of Directors, Association of Marshall Scholars



SELECTION OF 2017 SCHOLARS

At the MACC meeting held in September 2016, consideration was given to the budget for financial year 2017/2018. The MACC agreed to recommend to the Ambassador's Advisory Council that 32 new awards should be made for 2017. In December 2016 the British Government announced an increase of funding that would allow the MACC to select 40 Scholars. The selection of the 2017 Scholars was undertaken by the Regional Selection Committees, listed on page 24 and confirmed by the Advisory Council held in Washington on 5 December 2016.

The number of Scholarships which the MACC is able to award reflects the level of FCO funding and the potential support available through partnerships with British Universities, Oxford and Cambridge Colleges and with other institutions.

University Partnership Scholarships:

As at September 2017 the following academic institutions offered partnership support, usually through fee waiver programmes.

More than one new Scholar per year:

- University of Birmingham
- University of Bristol
- University of Edinburgh
- Imperial College London
- King's College London
- University of Liverpool
- London School of Economics and Political Studies
- London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine
- University of Reading
- University College London

One new Scholar per year:

- Cardiff University
- Dundee University, any subject at Doctoral level at the College of Life Sciences
- Durham University
- University of East Anglia
- University of Exeter
- University of Glasgow
- Goldsmiths, University of London
- Guildhall School of Music and Drama
- Keele University
- University of Kent
- University of Leeds
- University of Manchester
- Newcastle University
- University of Nottingham
- Queen Mary, University of London
- Queen's University Belfast

- Royal Holloway, University of London
- Royal Academy of Music
- Royal Northern College of Music -any subject at doctorate level
- School of Oriental and African Studies
- University of Sheffield
- University of Southampton
- University of Surrey
- University of Sussex
- University of Warwick
- University of York

College Partnership Scholarships:

These Scholarships are jointly funded by the MACC and the partner Oxford/Cambridge College for any subject either at Masters or Doctoral level, except where otherwise indicated:

More than one new Scholar per year:

- New College, Oxford

One new Scholar per year:

- Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge
- King's College, Cambridge
- Magdalene College, Cambridge (funded by 1996 Marshall Scholar Adam Mortara)
- Nuffield College, Oxford
- Oriel College, Oxford
- Pembroke College, Cambridge
- St John's College, Cambridge
- Somerville College, Oxford -Somerville Janet Watson Marshall Scholarship
- Trinity College, Oxford

Foundation Funded Scholarships:

- Walter and Leonore Annenberg Marshall Scholarship: Funded by an endowment donated by the Annenberg Foundation. One Scholarship at a time for two years.
- BSUF Marshall Scholarship: Funded by the British Universities and Schools Foundation and the AMS. One Scholarship at a time for two years.

Third Year Funding Scholarships:

- Oxford Marshall Scholarships: Fully funded by the University of Oxford, up to three Scholarships.

US Partnership Scholarships:

- NIH Marshall Scholarships: Jointly funded by the MACC and the National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, USA. These scholarships support research specifically in the subject areas of bioscience, medicine and related disciplines with a predominant application in bioscience.

Other Partnership Scholarships:

- ISH Marshall Scholarships: Contribution of £5,000 towards rent at International Student House London. These Scholarships are available to Scholars who can demonstrate financial need.

New Partnerships:

The following Universities and Colleges have agreed to become partners and will be funding Scholarships from 2018:

- Balliol College, Oxford
- University of Bradford
- Exeter College, Oxford
- Lincoln College, Oxford (jointly funded by 1965 Marshall Scholar Peter Barack)
- Magdalen College, Oxford
- Peterhouse, Cambridge
- Trinity College, Cambridge
- University of St Andrews
- University College, Oxford

The University of Manchester has also agreed to increase the number of Scholarships it will fund.

In addition the AMS has permanently endowed an additional Marshall Scholarship, the first of which will be awarded in 2018.

PLACEMENT

After the necessary places at British Universities had been confirmed, the 40 Marshall Scholarships for 2017 were awarded as follows:

Atlanta Region

Name	US Institution	UK Institution	Degree
Nancy Fairbank *	University of Texas-Dallas	University of Birmingham	MSc International Development (Poverty, Inequality and Development)
William Henagan	University of Virginia	University College London	MSc Global Prosperity
Zachary Hulcher *	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Cambridge, Pembroke	MPhil Physics
Emilia Truluck	Emory University	Oxford, St Catherines	MSc Refugee and Forced Migration Studies
Daniel Zuo	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Cambridge, King's	MPhil Advanced Computer Science

Boston Region

Name	US Institution	UK Institution	Degree
Julius Bright Ross *	Harvard University	Oxford, Somerville	DPhil Zoology
David Elitzer*	Brown University	University College London	MSc International Public Policy
Jacob Miller*	University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth	Cambridge, Magdalene	MPhil Management
Victoria Mousley	College of the Holy Cross	University College London	MA Language Sciences (Sign Language and Deaf Studies)
Hasher Nisar	Middlebury College	Oxford, St Antony's	MPhil Islamic Studies and History

Chicago Region

Name	US Institution	UK Institution	Degree
Seamus Caragher*	Georgetown University	University of Glasgow	MSc Cancer Research
Noam Kantor	Emory University	Oxford Oriel	MSc Mathematics
Sarah Koch	University of Virginia	University of Edinburgh	MSc Islamic and Middle Eastern Studies
Deshawn McKinney*	University of Wisconsin - Madison	London School of Economics and Political Science	MSc Social Policy (Social Policy and Planning)
Evan Silver	Brown University	The Royal Central School of Speech and Drama	MA Advanced Theatre Practice
Devin Weiss*	University of Illinois -Urbana Champaign	University of Sussex	MA Human Rights

Houston Region

Name	US Institution	UK Institution	Degree
Bailey Anderson	University of Texas - Austin	Oxford, Linacre	MPhil Water Science, Policy and Management
Matthew Hurst	University of Colorado - Boulder	University College London	MSc Mathematical Modelling
Daniel Kinch*	Northwestern University	Durham University	MSc Mathematical Sciences
Maille Radford*	Harvard University	University College London	MA History of Art
David Wagner*	United States Air Force Academy	University of Edinburgh	MSc Artificial Intelligence

Los Angeles Region

Name	US Institution	UK Institution	Degree
Ian O'Grady	Claremont McKenna College	Oxford, Corpus Christi	MPhil Politics (Comparative Government)
Debbie Samaniego*	Westminster College UT	Queen Mary, University of London	MA International Relations
Erin Schulte*	Arizona State University	King's College London	MSc Political Economy of Emerging Markets
Kevin Zhou*	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Cambridge, St Johns	MASt Mathematics

New York Region

Name	US Institution	UK Institution	Degree
Abraham Axler*	University of Virginia	London School of Economic and Political Science	MSc Social Policy
Matthew Cavuto*	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Imperial College London	MSc Biomedical Engineering
Joani Etskovitz*	Princeton University	Oxford, New College	MSt English Language and Literature (1830-1914)
Faiza Masood*	City University of New York - Hunter College	School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS)	MA Islamic Studies
Samuel Ruppert	United States Military Academy	King's College London	MA War Studies
Erin Simpson	University of Chicago	Oxford, St Hilda's	MSc Social Science of the Internet

San Francisco Region

Name	US Institution	UK Institution	Degree
Rebecca Boslough*	University of Montana – Missoula	University of Leeds	MSc Climate Change and Environmental Policy
Taylor Harwood*	St Catherine University	King's College London	MA World History and Cultures
Alina Utrata ▼*	Stanford University	Queen's University Belfast	MA Conflict, Transformation and Social Justice
Reylon Yount	Harvard University	School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS)	MA Music and Development Studies

Washington DC Region

Name	US Institution	UK Institution	Degree
Bill De La Rosa	Bowdoin College	Oxford, St Antony's	MSc Migration Studies
Rahfin Faruk*	Southern Methodist University	University of Reading	MSc Investment Management
Devika Ranjan*	Georgetown University	Cambridge, Gonville and Caius	MPhil Sociology (Modern Society and Global Transformations)
Aaron Solomon*	University of Maryland – College Park	Imperial College London	MSc Genomic Medicine
Bailey Ulbricht	Carleton College	School of Oriental and African College (SOAS)	MA Islamic Law

▼ One year Scholarship

* Funded under University/College Partnership agreement.



Marshall Scholars at the 2017 Leavers' Dinner

The final number of Scholarships offered and accepted was 40. The 2017 Scholars represent 30 different United States universities and colleges, an increase on 2016. Four institutions appeared on the list for the first time – CUNY Hunter College; University of Massachusetts Dartmouth; St Catherine University; and Westminster College, Utah. One of the 2017 Scholars took up the one year Marshall Scholarship.¹

The group will take up their places at the start of the academic year 2017/2018 as follows: twenty two at the universities in London (five at the University College London, three each at King’s College London and the School of Oriental and African Studies; two each at the London School of Economics and Political Science and Imperial College London; and one each at Queen Mary, University of London; and the Royal College of Speech and Drama). Nine at the University of Oxford; five at the University of Cambridge; two at the University of Edinburgh and one each at the Universities of Birmingham, Glasgow, Leeds, Reading and Sussex; and one each at Durham University and Queen’s University Belfast.

University of Birmingham,	
University of Cambridge	
Durham University	
University of Edinburgh	
University of Glasgow	
University of Leeds	
Imperial College London	
London School of Economics and Political Science	
King’s College London	
University of Oxford	
Queen Mary, University of London	
Queen’s University Belfast	
University of Reading	
Royal College of Speech and Drama	
School of Oriental and African Studies	
University of Sussex	
University College London	

The MACC encourages Scholars to consider a wide range of institutions at which to study, reflecting the academic excellence of UK Universities.

MARSHALL SHERFIELD FELLOWSHIPS

The Marshall Sherfield Fellowship scheme, which was established in 1997 to mark the 50th anniversary of the Marshall Plan, enables up to two American post-doctoral scientists and engineers to undertake a year of research at any British university or research institute. The Fellowships are named after Lord Sherfield (1904-1996) who was the main architect of the Marshall Scholarship programme in the 1950s and are funded by the Marshall Sherfield Fellowship Foundation which is based in the US.

After the interviews held in Washington DC on 3 December 2016, one candidate was nominated for the award of a post-doctoral Marshall Sherfield Fellowship from October 2017. This nomination came after applications for the new Fellowships had been reviewed by a specially appointed UK-based Selection Committee of scientific experts, and shortlisted candidates had been interviewed by a specially appointed committee in Washington DC.

Full details of the membership of the Sherfield Selection Committees are given in Membership of the MACC and its Committees (Page 30).

Of the seven candidates who applied for the 2017 Fellowship, four were shortlisted for interview. The award was made to:

Dr Erika Raven (Georgetown University) Neuroimaging, Cardiff University

SCHOLARSHIP STIPENDS

The revised stipend schedule from 1 October 2017, as determined by HMG, resulted in increases to the allowances payable to Marshall Scholars as follows: - basic monthly living allowance from £1,043 to £1,065 (and from £1,279 to £1,306 for those registered at institutions within the London Metropolitan Police district); book allowance from £401 to £414 for first year Scholars. As a result of the stipend adjustments announced the MACC revised the annual grant for approved research travel and the thesis grant from £270 to £275 and £381 to £389 respectively in October 2017.

¹ Further statistics from the selection process, including numbers of applications received, gender and US universities of origin is available in the Marshall Scholarships 2017 Competition Statistical Report, available on the Marshall Website www.marshallscholarship.org.

SECRETARIAT

The MACC renewed its contract which allowed it to continue the arrangement under which its Secretariat is provided by the Association of Commonwealth Universities, whose offices at Woburn House, 20-24 Tavistock Square, London, WC1H 9HF, serve as its headquarters. The detailed work was undertaken by Miss Mary Denyer, Assistant Secretary and Head of Scholarship Administration, Ms Rachel Arnold, Programme Administrator, and Ms Anna Gane, Scholarship Assistant, under the direction of the Executive Secretary of the MACC Dr John Kirkland OBE. Dr Kirkland stood down as Executive Secretary on 30th September 2017 and was succeeded by Dr Joanna Newman MBE.

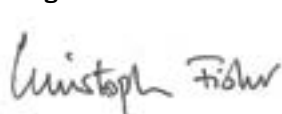
ACCESS TO INFORMATION

The MACC operated under the Code of Practice on Access to Government Information, and had also developed a Publication Scheme to comply with the requirements of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Further information can be found at <http://www.marshallscholarship.org/about/foi>

EXPENDITURE

Under Section 2(7) of the 1953 Act the MACC is required each financial year to prepare accounts of expenditure in such form as the Secretary of State may with the approval of the Treasury direct. The total expenditure of the MACC for the year ended 31 March 2017 was £2,121,256. The Summary Accounts are attached at the end of this Report (Page 34). These Summary Accounts have been prepared, without amendment, from the Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission's 2016-17 accounts, which were certified by the Comptroller and Auditor General on 4 December 2017 and laid in Parliament on 18 December under the reference HC 648. The Association of Commonwealth Universities, on behalf of the Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission, administers and recovers the costs of the Marshall Scholarship Scheme from the Foreign and Commonwealth Office.

Signatures on Behalf of the MACC.



Christopher Fisher
Chair



Joanna Newman MBE
Executive Secretary

MEMBERSHIP OF THE MACC AND COMMITTEES

Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission²

(as of 30 September 2017)

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Member of the House of Lords

² Marshall Grants may be tenable at institutions from which members of the Commission and its committees belong.

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(from June 2017)

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Dr Laura Lafave

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(as at 7 December 2016)

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Chair, Chicago Region

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Chair, Houston Region

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Chair, Los Angeles Region

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Chair, San Francisco Region

Dr Craig Schiffrics (*1980 Scholar*)
Chair, Washington DC Region

Dr Nell Breyer *Executive Director of the AMS*

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Atlanta Region

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1998 Scholar, Managing Principal, Diversified Trust

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Professor, Department of Medicine, University of Alabama Birmingham

Mr Errol B Davis Jr
Superintendent of Atlanta Public Schools (Retired)

Prof. Jane Hawkins
1976 Scholar, Professor of Mathematics, University of North Carolina

Mr Jeremy Pilmore-Bedford
Her Majesty's Consul-General in Atlanta

Boston Region

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Marshall Sherfield Fellowship Foundation Board Member

Dr Craig Schiffries

ASSOCIATION OF MARSHALL SCHOLARS OFFICERS

Mr Andrew Klaber (President)

2004 Marshall Scholar

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Ms Lauren Baer (Vice President)

2002 Marshall Scholar

Prof. Ted Leinbaugh (Director of British Affairs)

1975 Marshall Scholar

Dr Zachary Kaufman (Director of Communications)

2002 Marshall Scholar

Ms Betsy Scherzer/Dr Emma Wu Dowd

(Director of Programs)

2007/2009 Marshall Scholars

Dr Joshua Goldman (Treasurer)

2002 Marshall Scholar

Mr William Coquille (Clerk Secretary)

1971 Marshall Scholar



Marshall Scholars go down the Big Pit, Wales

APPENDIX I:**MARSHALL SCHOLARS GRADUATING AT BRITISH UNIVERSITIES SINCE SIXTY THIRD ANNUAL REPORT**

Name Year & Region	UK Institution	Degree Obtained
Mr Jacob Bourjaily (CHI 2005)	Trinity College, Cambridge	Cert. Adv. St. Mathematics (Degree finished 2006)
Dr Katie Clark (HOU 2005)	Corpus Christi, Oxford	MSt Modern History DPhil History (Degree finished 2010) (Tenure finished 2008)
Dr Annie Bird (SF 2007)	University of Essex London School of Economics and Political Science	LLM International Human Rights Law [Merit] PhD International Relations (Degree finished 2012) (Tenure finished 2010)
Dr Anthony Austin (HOU 2011)	Trinity College, Cambridge Balliol College, Oxford	MASt Mathematics (Part III) [Merit] DPhil Numerical Analysis (Degree finished 2016) (Tenure finished 2013)
Dr Wendi Bacon (NY 2012)	Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge	PhD Haematology (Degree finished 2016) (Tenure finished 2015)
Dr Alice Easton (CHI 2012)	Imperial College London	PhD Infectious Disease Epidemiology (Tenure finished 2015) (NIH Marshall Scholar)
Dr Katherine French (BOS 2012)	Trinity College, Oxford	MSt Archaeology [Distinction] DPhil Plant Sciences (Degree finished 2016)(Tenure finished 2015)
Ms Madeline Grade (LA 2012)	University College London London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine	MSc Clinical Neuroscience [Distinction] MSc Public Health (Degree completed 2014)
Dr Peter Lind (SF 2012)	University of St Andrews	PhD International Security Studies (Degree completed 2015)
Dr Leah Rand (DC 2012)	University College London Lincoln College, Oxford	MA Philosophy DPhil Public Health (Tenure finished 2014)
Mr John Russell Beaumont (HOU 2014)	University of Manchester University College London	MA International Development: Poverty, Conflict, and Reconstruction [Distinction] MArch Architectural Design [Distinction]
Mr Andrew Bulovsky (CHI 2014)	London School of Economics and Political Science St Edmund Hall, Oxford	MSc Comparative Politics [Merit] MSc Social Science of the Internet
Mr Tatum Collins (DC 2014)	Hughes College, Cambridge London School of Economics and Political Science	MPhil International Relations and Politics MSc Philosophy of Science [Merit]
Ms Natalia Emanuel (BOS 2014)	Wolfson College, Oxford	MSc Evidence Based Social Intervention and Policy Evaluation (Degree finished 2015)
Ms Chelsea Glenn (CHI 2014)	St Antony's College, Oxford London School of Economics and Political Science	MSc Economics for Development MSc Management, Information Systems and Digital Innovation [Distinction] (Degree finished 2016)

Name Year & Region	UK Institution	Degree Obtained
Ms Erin Hylton (DC 2014)	Imperial College, London Christ Church, Oxford	MSc Hydrology and Sustainable Development [Distinction] MSc Water Science, Policy and Management [Distinction]
Mr Brandon Liu (BOS 2014)	School of Oriental and African Studies London School of Economics and Political Science	MSc Development Studies [Distinction] MSc Political Sociology [Distinction] (Degree finished 2016)
Mr Ahmad Nasir (SF 2014)	Wolfson College, Oxford	MPhil Modern South Asian Studies (Degree finished 2016)
Ms Samantha Olyha (NY 2014)	Oriel College, Oxford	MSc by Research Oncology (Degree finished 2016)
Ms Joana Petrescu (NY 2014)	King's College, Cambridge University College London	MPhil Research Medical Science MA Philosophy, Politics and Economics of Health [Merit] (Degree finished 2016)
Ms Emily Shearer (SF 2014)	Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine	MPhil Public Policy MSc Health Policy, Planning and Financing [Distinction] (Degree finished 2016)
Mr Jacob Wellman (HOU 2014)	London School of Economics and Political Science University of Bristol	MSc Environmental Economics and Climate Change [Merit] MRes Environment, Energy and Resilience [Distinction] (Degree finished 2016)
Mr Gavin Baird (SF 2015)	London School of Economics and Political Science	MSc International Relations (Degree finished in 2016)
Mr Benjamin Daus-Haberle (DC 2015)	Somerville College, Oxford	MPhil International Relations
Mr Edmund Downie (DC 2015)	Nuffield College, Oxford	MPhil International Relations
Ms Julia Ebert (CHI 2015)	Imperial College London	MRes Bioengineering [Distinction] (Degree finished 2016)
Mr Michael George (BOS 2015)	London School of Economics and Political Science St Catherine's College, Oxford	MSc Inequalities and Social Sciences [Distinction] MSc Comparative Social Policy
Ms Andrea Howard (ATL 2015)	King's College, London Magdalen College, Oxford	MA Science and Security [Distinction] MSc Global Governance and Diplomacy [Distinction]
Mr Mark Jbeily (HOU 2015)	New College, Oxford	MPhil International Relations
Ms Katherine McDaniel (CHI 2015)	London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine University of Edinburgh	MSc Control of Infectious Diseases [Distinction] MSc Medical Anthropology [Merit]
Ms Sarah Mohamed (SF 2015)	St Antony's College, Oxford	MPhil Modern Middle Eastern Studies [Distinction]

Name Year & Region	UK Institution	Degree Obtained
Ms Sarah Norvell (HOU 2015)	Corpus Christi College, Oxford	MPhil Greek and/or Roman History
Ms Miranda Rizzolo (LA 2015)	London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art	MA Classical Acting for Professional Theatre [Distinction] (Degree finished 2016)
Ms Tayler Ulmer (ATL 2015)	School of Oriental and African Studies	MA Social Anthropology of Development [Merit] (Degree finished 2016)
Mr Quenton Bubb (DC 2016)	King's College, Cambridge	MPhil Chemistry
Mr Phong Vo (NY 2016)	University of Manchester	MSc by Research Theoretical Physics



Marshall Scholars visit the Imperial War Museum - Duxford

APPENDIX 2:

MARSHALL MEDAL RECIPIANTS

The Marshall medal is awarded to people of outstanding achievement whose contribution to British-American understanding, distinguished role in public life, or creative energy, reflect the legacy of George C Marshall.

2003:

Justice Stephen Breyer
 Dr Ray Dolby OBE
 Mr Tom Friedman OBE
 Professor Nan Keohane
 Mr Christopher Makins
 Senator George Mitchell
 Secretary Colin Powell

2014:

Ms Anne Applebaum
 Secretary Bill Burns
 Dr Frances Dow CBE
 Mr Bob Gray OBE
 Rt Hon Lord Hague of Richmond
 Lord Hannay of Chiswick
 Professor Doug Melton
 Mr Jonathan Taylor CBE
 Dr Daniel Yergin

2017:

Secretary Madeleine Albright
 Ambassador Matthew Barzun
 Dr Nancy Cox
 Mr Reid Hoffman
 Dr Bill Janeway CBE
 Rt Hon David Miliband

STATEMENT OF THE COMMISSION

The summarised financial statements are a summary of information extracted from the full annual financial statements and do not contain sufficient information to allow for a full understanding of the financial affairs of the Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission ('MACC'). For further information, the Commissioners' annual report, the full annual financial statements and the auditor's report on those financial statements, should be consulted. These are all contained in the Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission Accounts 2016-17, copies of which are available on our website and also may be obtained free of charge from the Assistant Secretary and Head of Scholarship administration, MACC, Woburn House, 20-24 Tavistock Square, London, WC1H 9HF.

The Marshall Aid Commemoration Commission Accounts 2016-17 were approved on 21 November 2017 and were laid before Parliament as House of Commons paper HC 648 of 2016-17 on 18 December 2017. The full annual financial statements from which the summary is derived have been audited by the Comptroller and Auditor General, who gave an unqualified audit opinion.

On behalf of the Commission



Christopher Fisher
Chair

24 January 2018

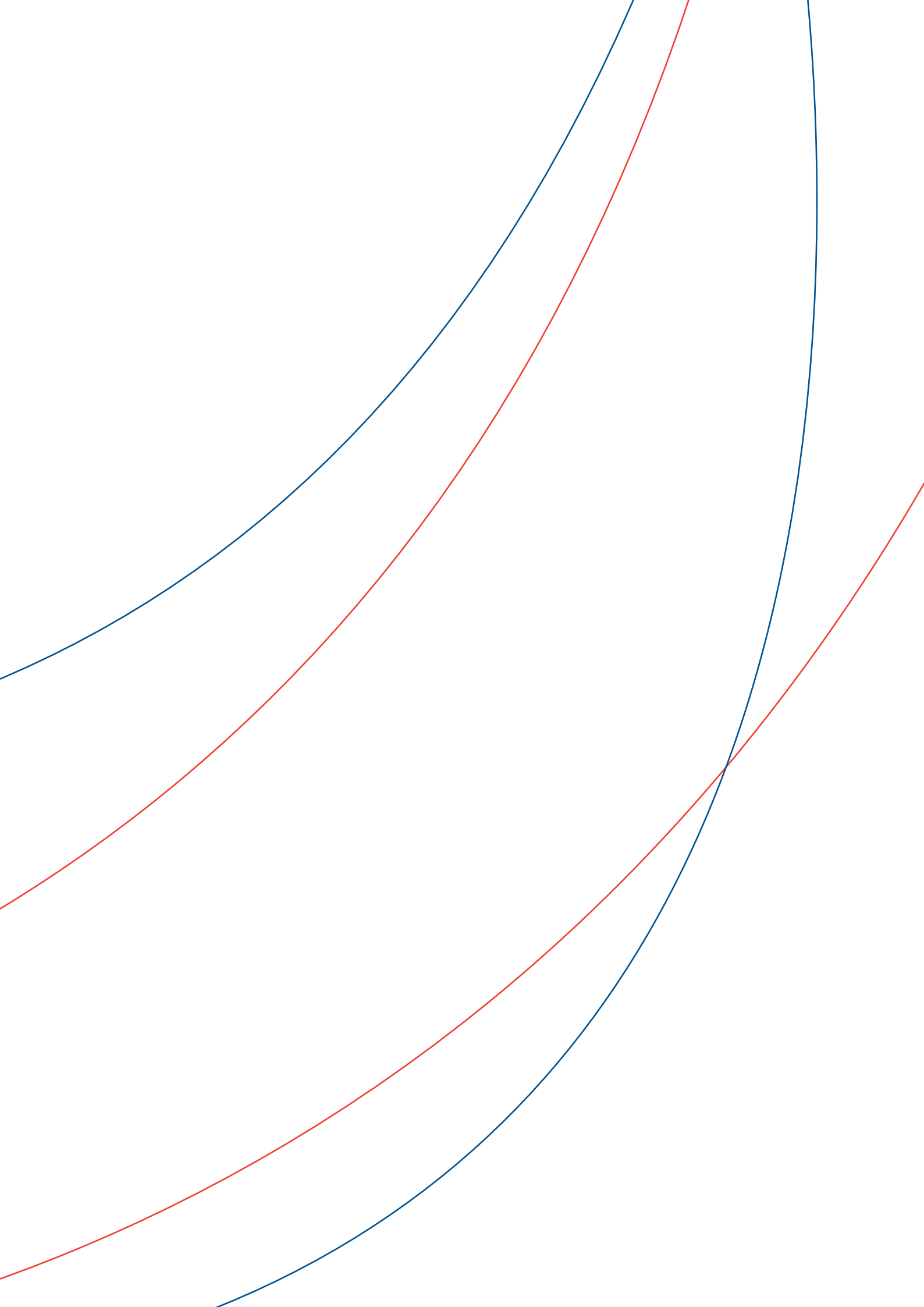
SUMMARISED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE NET EXPENDITURE

For the year ended 31 March 2017

	2016-17	2015-16
	£	£
EXPENDITURE		
Scholarship costs	1,775,297	1,794,265
Selection process	68,922	62,970
Development of the Marshall Scholarship Scheme	22,611	24,178
Administration	243,219	256,403
UK Devolved Government itinerary	11,207	19,451
Total expenditure	2,121,256	2,157,267
INCOME		
Grants and Donations from third parties	154,058	114,446
Other income	1,050	5,950
Total income	155,108	120,396
Net expenditure before interest	(1,966,148)	(2,036,871)
Interest receivable	502	387
Net expenditure for the year	(1,965,646)	(2,036,484)

SUMMARISED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**As at 31 March 2017**

	31 March 2017	31 March 2016
	£	£
CURRENT ASSETS		
Trade and other receivables	532,236	425,646
Cash and cash equivalents	211,813	393,054
Total current assets	744,049	818,700
Total assets	744,049	818,700
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Trade and other payables	(91,715)	(200,669)
Assets less liabilities	652,334	618,031
TAXPAYERS' EQUITY		
<i>GENERAL RESERVES</i>		
MACC – committed (summer term tuition fees)	231,090	234,684
– committed (first quarter stipends)	212,720	196,454
MACC – uncommitted	174,221	186,893
	618,031	618,031
<i>DISCRETIONARY RESERVES</i>		
Surplus arising from value of partnership benefits	34,303	0
Total reserves	652,334	618,031
Current assets		
Trade and other receivables	532,236	425,646





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