

Charles Board

Treasurer



I am a first year PhD student studying Mathematics, and I am applying for the position of MCR treasurer for 2015/16. I have also been at Trinity Hall for the past five years as an undergraduate, and with my experience here, I feel I can contribute meaningfully to the MCR.

As treasurer I would be responsible for preparing the annual MCR budget, as well as managing the MCR accounts and working with the rest of the committee to keep MCR life running smoothly and appropriately funded. I hope to be able to ensure the MCR has a sustainable budget, allowing us to fund events and societies, both new and old, for our members to enjoy throughout this and future years. With the news that the negotiations over room rents may be reopened, I would also work together with the rest of the executive to put forward our case in the strongest fashion possible, building on the excellent work of the outgoing committee.

I have some experience in the role of treasurer. Whilst I was an undergraduate, I spent two years as the treasurer of the Student-run Computing Facility, a university society with several thousand members. In this role I was responsible for managing the society's finances, ensuring that payments were processed swiftly and on time, and for preparing the accounts for submission to the relevant university authorities. More generally I have also served as part of the society's executive for the past five years, helping to guide and direct it. I hope to be able to take my experience from this into the role of MCR treasurer, helping to make this year a success for everyone.