COLLEGE NOTICE

THE INTERNATIONAL OFFICE

The College is pleased to announce the appointment of a new Director of the International Office. Dr Piers Baker took up post on 8 January, replacing Dr Ilya Eigenbrot in this role.

Dr Baker’s earlier career has been in the Foreign and Commonwealth Office, most recently as Deputy Head of Mission at the British Embassy in Austria. Previous overseas appointments have been in Brussels, and his jobs in the FCO have included being head of its international science policy section. Working closely with Professor Mary Ritter (Pro-Rector for Postgraduate and International Affairs), Dr Baker will lead both the strategic and student-facing work of the International Office.

Following the recent reorganisation of the Office, its other members also combine strategic and student-facing work, on a geographical basis. They are Mr Pete Campion-Spall, Senior International Officer, focusing on North America and South East Asia; Dr Sharon Bolton, International Officer (India, Africa and South America); Dr Ulrike Hillerman, International Officer (Europe and China); and Ms Alison King (International Office Administrator). Contact details and further information on the International Office’s activities are at http://www3.imperial.ac.uk/international.

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