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## Oxbridge Mock Interview Course, London

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## About Elite IB Tutors - Oxbridge Consulting

Elite IB Tutors offer invaluable advice and support through all the stages of the Oxbridge application process. With a large team of Oxford and Cambridge university graduates, Elite IB Tutors our team have helped students gain entry across most degree courses to these prestigious institutions by guiding them through the necessary stages – personal statement preparation, college selection, entrance exam support, and final point, interview.

## About the Elite Oxbridge Mock Interview Course

Mentors who have sat on Oxbridge interview panels will coach applicants in all of the key interview skills necessary to gain entrance to Oxford & Cambridge Courses. The Course is divided into a morning seminar, and mock interviews in the afternoon.

The Oxbridge Mock Interview Course is an intensive, day-long Course held by EIB's most experienced tutors and Oxbridge graduates. The Course is held in the weeks following the UCAS application submission and prior to the respective Oxford & Cambridge interview dates. Our mentors will give students an invaluable advice and support in all of the key interview skills to help you to shine at the interview.

As the UCAS Oxbridge applications are due by October 15th, this Course focuses solely on preparing for interview applicants, and will not involve any support for personal statements, university choices or aptitude test revision. Should you wish to receive guidance throughout your Oxbridge application, Elite Oxbridge Consulting have a range of support options which we would be delighted to discuss with you, and invite you to see our Oxbridge Consultancy page [here](#) or to get in touch at [contact@eliteib.co.uk](mailto:contact@eliteib.co.uk).



## Who We Are

Elite Oxbridge Consulting is a branch of the leading London tutoring agency Elite IB Tutors and we have been supporting prospective Oxbridge students since 2013. We have the perfect mentors to guide you through the process on how to stand out to admissions officers throughout all stages of the application process, from college selection and crafting of the personal statement, to interview coaching to ensure applicants perform to their full potential at interview.

We pair students up with the Oxford & Cambridge mentors who hold degrees from the courses the student aspires to undertake. Having a mentor who has been through this daunting process themselves can give students the edge against peers who may not understand the nuances of this highly-competitive practice.

## How is the course organised?

Our Oxbridge Mock Interview Course runs for approximately 3 hours and is tailored individually. Students are asked prior to the Course to submit their Personal Statement or any other written work they have submitted, Extended Essay or any other piece of work written in the field of study of their interest, and (I)GCSE results in order to target the interview Course practice to reflect what they are most likely to encounter on interview day.

Morning seminars are capped at eight students per group to ensure that they are engaging and enjoyable, whilst the afternoon mock interviews are highly personalised.

## Course Structure

### Morning Seminars (3 x 30 minutes):

The morning seminars are designed to support students applying for any range of Oxbridge subjects and will focus on debating and developing students' knowledge and understanding of common and pertinent Oxbridge interview content.



### **Interview technique**

- Body language
- Structuring your answers
- How the interview questions are marked

### **Interview Questions**

- Common questions, and how to answer them effectively
- What is the admission team looking for in your answers
- Going around the group, you will be asked interview questions individually. Although nerve-wracking, this is helpful so you can learn from other people's mistakes and they can learn from yours!

### **Knowing Your Interviewers**

- Who will be interviewing you?
- Finding out more about the person on the other side of the table
- What reading and research you can do prior to your interview

### **Break (20 minutes):**

Coffee, tea and pastries will be provided. This is an opportunity to socialize with our Oxbridge Mentors so they can share their advice and you can ask them any questions you may have about life at Oxford and Cambridge.

### **Afternoon Mock interviews:**

2 x 20 minute mock interviews, each followed by a 10 minute constructive feedback review.

These mock interviews will focus on assessing and developing the applicant's ability to express their motivations for applying to Oxbridge convincingly and succinctly, their knowledge of the critical debates in their field, and their ability to debate texts in a considered but effective and engaging fashion.

Although the mock interviews are designed to replicate as closely as possible the interviews applicants will undergo during the application process, please do note that we cannot guarantee that there will be multiple interviewers per applicant. It is likely there will be an individual interviewer simulating the respective interview style, as they can then provide full, overarching feedback to each individual candidate.



### At the end of the course..:

Each student will receive a personal feedback on their mock interview performance, as well as a personal take-home feedback report as well as tips from our most experienced Oxbridge interview coaches.

## **Fees & Payment**

**Total: £175**

### **Reservation fee: £25**

In order to secure your place at the Course, we require an upfront non-refundable reservation fee to be paid within 48 hours of the registration.

### **Final payment: £150**

In order to ensure we can make all necessary arrangements for the Course in good time, including preparing our mentors for the correct number of attendees and preparing materials for students to take away and benefit from after the course, we require the final payment to be paid 1 week before the start of the Course, making the final payment date 18th November 2016.

## **Location**

New Kings Road, SW64LZ, London



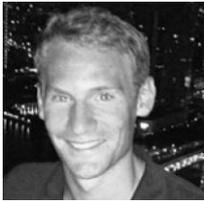
## Elite Oxbridge Mentors

**Marie** (Psychology; Downing, Cam)



Marie is currently Director of Studies in Psychological and Behavioural Sciences at Downing college Cambridge, where she teaches undergraduates. She holds a PhD in Cognitive Neuroscience from the University of Cambridge where she specialised in memory. Marie deals with applicants looking to pursue Psychology and other 'soft' sciences.

**Tim** (Engineering; St. Edmund Hall, Ox)



Tim holds a MEng - Engineering Science from the University of Oxford and scored 44 in his IB, with 7s in Higher Level Physics, Maths and Economics. Tim is the founder of EIB and has tutored students across the board in all levels of Maths. He is also an experienced Oxbridge & UCAS mentor with a proven track record of successfully guiding students through their applications.

**Joe** (English & History; UNIV, Ox)



Joe holds both BA/MA History and MA Creative Writing and Literature from The University of Oxford. He has over twelve years of teaching and is EIB Tutors' lead consultant in Oxbridge Humanities Applications, with his students being accepted to both Cambridge and Oxford for a variety of courses.

**Sam** (Law; Trinity, Ox)



Sam is an Oxford Law graduate and former corporate lawyer for a Magic Circle firm. Sam successfully navigated the LNAT and has successfully guided numerous Law applicants, providing support in college selection and personal statement construction, as well as advising on the real world issues that may arise in interviews.



**Lovkush** (Mathematics; Corpus Christi, Cam)



Lovkush holds a MMath in Mathematics from the University of Cambridge and is currently completing his PhD in Pure Mathematics at The University of Leeds. He has been an IB tutor and Oxbridge mentor for the past four years and is also an undergraduate tutor at the University of Leeds.

**Tom** (Medicine; Imperial, Ox)



Tom is currently practicing as an F2 doctor in London doing rotations in General Medicine and Accident & Emergency. He graduated with an MBBS from Imperial College London in 2012 and has a BA in Immunology from Oxford University. While practicing as an F1 doctor in Brighton last year he was invited to be on the admissions interview panel for Brighton & Sussex Medical School. Tom has successfully helped candidates acquire places at both Oxford & Cambridge, whilst also working on EIB's Medical Mock Interview courses.

**Josh** (PPE; Queen's, Ox)



Josh holds a BA Philosophy, Politics and Economics from the University of Oxford and he scored 45 in his IB. He has over five years of experience tutoring IB students and guiding prospective Oxbridge candidates through the rigorous application process for courses including PPE, E&M and Politics & History.

**Stefan** (Economics & Management; Merton, Ox)



Stefan holds a BA Economics from The University of Oxford and scored 43 in his IB. He was awarded an Exhibition in his first year at Oxford for outstanding performance in his examinations. His previous tutoring experience includes tutoring students on 3-day revision courses in Maths and Business & Management. Stefan guides students applying for E&M.



### **Christian** (Chemistry; Merton, Ox)



Christian holds an MChem (Hons) from The University of Oxford and scored 41 in his IB. He is currently a Graduate Teaching Assistant PhD candidate at King's College London. Christian is one of EIB's most experienced tutors and provides support to prospective Chemistry and BioChemistry Oxbridge applicants.

### **Oscar** (History; Merton, Ox)



Oscar holds a BA Hons Classical Archaeology and Ancient History from Oxford University and a MA Warfare in the Modern World from Kings College London. He was an IB teacher for over five years, teaching History and TOK to students. Oscar is an outstanding tutor whose students have successfully gone onto study at multiple Oxbridge colleges.

### **Caspar** (PPP; St Edmund Hall, Ox)



Caspar graduated with a 1st class degree from Oxford in PPP (Psychology, Philosophy and Physiology), in 2009. Caspar went on to work for Teach First as a Maths & Psychology teacher at a school in London and has supported numerous 6th form students with their UCAS & Oxbridge applications, with wonderful results. Caspar now works for the Ministry of Education so his deep-rooted passion for education is a key tool in the support he offers.

### **Catherine** (Human Sciences; St John's, Ox)



Catherine holds a Degree in Human Sciences, Medicine from the University of Oxford and scored 42 in her IB. She has tutored IB students for the past five years in a wide range of subjects from Biology, to Anthropology and French. She has experience in tutoring for exam preparation, coursework completion, interview preparation and personal statement composition. Catherine has completed over 100 hours tuition with EIB Tutors and has also taught on several of our Revision courses.



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