



Newnham Associates Summer 2020 Careers Programme A career in the Civil Service / Public Sector

Are you aware of the huge variety of careers in the public sector?

Would you like to hear about the interesting career paths of Newnhamites who have walked in your shoes?

Like to ask a fellow Newnhamite: "what do Civil Servants actually DO?"

Would you like a chance to discuss your CV and prepare for the selection process?

Come and join us to find out more!

Newnhamite undergrads and postgrads are invited to join us for a Civil Service / Public Sector Q&A Zoom on Saturday 8 August at 10-11am.

To book your place, please register at:

<https://www.newn.cam.ac.uk/event/associates-career-support-programme/>

	<p>Pat Phillips spent 30 years in the Civil Service and Diplomatic Service including serving as HM Ambassador to Angola, and postings in Washington, The Netherlands and Jordan, interspersed with policy jobs in London. She now works part-time delivering training courses on negotiation and policy skills, and does a range of voluntary jobs.</p> <p>Pat read History at Newnham and also has an MBA from the Open University and an MA from the University of Birmingham.</p>
	<p>Jen Ablitt has over 10 years' experience in the rail industry, primarily in the areas of safety strategy, policy and organisational culture and management systems. She is currently Deputy Director at the Office of Rail and Road and Head of the UK Delegation to the Channel Tunnel Safety Authority. She spent 6 years in France at the European Union Agency for Railways.</p> <p>Jen studied Law at Newnham and qualified as a commercial property solicitor at Slaughter and May in London.</p>
	<p>Sally O'Neill's career choices have been senior finance and leadership roles, mainly in Arts, Media and Heritage (National Theatre, BFI, ITV, Channel 4, Historic Royal Palaces, Royal Opera House), latterly as Finance Director, including a spell as interim CEO at Royal Opera House, as well as Chief Operating Officer. She has also had a variety of pro bono non exec roles as trustee over the last 20 years. Her current role is Deputy Treasurer to The Queen working in Buckingham Palace as part of the Royal Household.</p> <p>Sally read Natural Sciences at Newnham (Zoology last year) after which she trained and qualified as a chartered accountant.</p>