



The Oxford School of Industrial Relations 50 years after the 1965-68 Donovan Commission

Saturday 24 October 2015, Nuffield College, New Road, Oxford

Clay Room 10am: Welcome & registration, tea/coffee

Large Lecture Room 11am

Andrew Dilnot, Warden of Nuffield: **Nuffield and public policy**

Peter Ackers, Professor of Employment Relations at Leicester Business School, De Montfort University: **Introducing the Oxford School and the Donovan debate**

Large Lecture Room, Panel 1: 12–1.45pm

The Oxford School at Donovan

George Bain and **Willy Brown**, formerly of the Oxford School of Industrial Relations
Discussant: **Sue Ferns**, Director of Communications and Research at Prospect

John Edmonds, General Secretary of the GMB, 1986-2003

Chair: **Brian Harrison**, Emeritus Fellow of Corpus Christi College, Oxford

Chester Ante Room, 1.45pm-2.30pm Lunch

Large Lecture Room, 2.30pm-4pm

Labour and the unions: Donovan, New Labour and beyond

Jon Cruddas MP

Discussants: **John Edmonds**, **Jim Moher**, **Roger Jeary**, H&P Trade Union Forum

Chair: **Duncan Gallie**, Professor of Sociology, Emeritus Fellow of Nuffield College

Large Lecture Room, Panel 2: 4pm-6pm

Employee voice and work today: legal and voluntary approaches

Sarah Veale, Head of Equality and Employment Rights Department, TUC

Jimmy Donaghey, Professor of Industrial Relations & Personnel Management, Warwick University Business School

Linda Dickens, Emeritus Professor of Industrial Relations at the University of Warwick & member of the Acas panel of Arbitrators and Mediators

Chair: **Jim Moher**, H&P Trade Union Forum

Senior Common Room, 6pm, Drinks Dining Hall, 7pm, Dinner

**Places are free but limited. First come, first served: to book please email
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