Consulting Services at Oxford University Innovation
Solving your challenges with Oxford expertise
Who are Consulting Services?

The Consulting Services group at OUI, the University’s wholly-owned innovation company, was established by the University to offer a professional and effective service to both external organisations and to Oxford’s academics. With consultants drawn from over 5,000 staff at the University, we can mobilise expertise from across the physical, life, medical and social sciences as well as the humanities. We can also arrange access to the state-of-the-art testing and analysis facilities that underpin Oxford’s world class research.

How we work...

Unlike some consultancy companies, we don’t sell a particular method or approach. Instead, our goal is to ensure the whole process of engagement is as straightforward as possible for all concerned. We do this by handling all contractual, financial and administrative aspects of the project; working with your organisation to ensure your requirements are met and leaving our academic consultants to focus on providing the expertise you require from Oxford.
Who do we work with?

We work with organisations across many different sectors, helping to solve a wide variety of different challenges with Oxford’s world-class expertise. These include:

- Government bodies and charities
- Pharmaceutical and healthcare organisations
- Heritage sector
- Manufacturing and engineering companies
- Finance industry
- Energy sector
- Telecommunication companies

What type of work do our academics undertake?

- Expert reports on technical or commercial challenges
- Scientific or clinical advisory boards
- Expert witness advice
- Technical due diligence
- Bespoke training programmes
- Heritage projects such as digitising ancient manuscripts
- Independent review of government strategy and policy

Access to University technology and facilities

The University of Oxford has a vast array of world-class research equipment within its many departments, including highly specialised facilities that many organisations do not possess. Many of these facilities provide access for commercial use, as well as providing analytical or material production services. If your organisation is interested in accessing any University facilities, please get in touch with Consulting Services to explore options.
What our clients say:

“Access to expert academic consultants provides a valuable adjunct to our internal knowledge-base. That we can foster substantial relationships with these leading academics is an added benefit and helps to build important networks for research projects.

Dr Phillip Murphy, Head of Clinical Imaging, GlaxoSmithKline

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To speak to us about how your organisation can access Oxford’s world-class expertise, please contact:

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Or please speak to one our experienced project managers in the area relevant to your company who will be happy to assist with your enquiry:

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