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Tandem project: Cambridge, Oxford, Munich English-German language practice/cultural insight

Dear students,

Our Tandem project with Cambridge University which is designed to try and give you the chance to speak English and German with the students of German at Cambridge University has been extended to include students from the University of Oxford this year.

The project is designed to put you in touch with a student in the UK who is studying German so you can both improve your language skills and cultural insight.

The initial project will consist of:

- A zoom opening meeting where pairs are formed and outline plans for the online sessions are made by the pairs themselves.
- 3 one-hour sessions where 30 mins is in English on a topic chosen by the LMU student and 30 mins is in German on a topic chosen by the Cambridge student. An input article or video on the chosen topics will be shared at least one day before the meeting. **These meetings can be scheduled at your convenience.**
- A zoom closing session to collect feedback.

Due to the extension to include Oxford, we may have some more spaces and we hope it will really be fun for those taking part. There are also a few students from Oxford who are beginners in German so might be good for those of you who are also studying/interested in DaF/DaZ.

If you feel you would like to try this out, just for 3 sessions, please send me an email (subject line: **Oxbridge Tandem**) as soon as possible with the following information:

⇒ name, subject(s), semester, hobbies/interests and if you would be happy to be paired with a beginner in German

I will work on a first-come-first-served basis but if you do not get a space this semester, I can put you on the list for next semester. The first zoom session, when the pairs will be organized, will be in the second/third week of November.

We are really excited that we can work with both Oxford and Cambridge and hope that you are excited about this opportunity as well.

Best wishes,
Sandra Kotzor (S.Kotzor@anglistik.uni-muenchen.de)

PS: There are no ECTS points involved. It is purely for fun! 😊