The Friends of the Pitt Rivers Museum

Spring Away Day at Radcliffe Observatory Quarter

and the

Investcorp Building

Middle East Centre, St Antony's College Wednesday, 3 April 2019,13.30–17.00

The Radcliffe Observatory Quarter (ROQ) is one of the most significant development projects undertaken by the University of Oxford for more than a century. The Radcliffe Infirmary, opened in 1770, was Oxford's first hospital. With the formation of the National Health Service in 1948 it became part of United Oxford Hospitals. The site was sold to the University of Oxford in 2003 and the hospital's services were relocated to the John Radcliffe Hospital in Headington. Our tour will start at St Luke's Chapel, taking a look inside the Old Infirmary Building and the Blavatnik School of Government. Then, after passing the Jericho Health Centre, the Gibson Building, and the Green Templeton Observatory we will reach the Mathematical Institute.

After tea in Café Pi, a 5-minute walk will take us to the stunning Investcorp Building, designed by the late Dame Zaha Hadid and opened in 2015. The building provides much-needed space for St Antony's Middle East Centre (MEC). Spanning two Victorian buildings on Woodstock Road, it houses MEC's expanding library and archive, and a 117-seat lecture theatre.

Anyone with enquiries about disabled access or other more general queries should contact Felicity Wood: 93 Woodstock Road, Oxford, OX2 6HL felicity2wood@gmail.com

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Booking form for Spring Away Day at

Radcliffe Observatory Quarter and the Investcorp Building

Name(s)				
Address				
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would like to bookplace(s) for the visit at £5 per head, payable on the day				
Name of guest (if applicable)				

Post this form to **Felicity Wood**, **93 Woodstock Road**, **Oxford OX2 6HL** (if no email, send with SAE for reply) or email **felicity2wood@gmail.com** with subject: **ROQ and MEC**. Bookings will be acknowledged. Maximum 25 people. No more than one guest per Friend. Booking is on a first-come, first-served basis; **cut-off date**: **Monday 25 March 2019**.