



Somerville City Careers Event

Friday 11th November 6pm

Alan Connery (1994, Classics)

Alan spent almost 7 years as a Pan-European Equity Research Analyst at Schrodgers before joining AllianceBernstein as an Equity Portfolio Manager. Alan runs a Pan-European Growth fund, a Pan-European Small/Mid-Cap Fund and an International Small/Mid/Cap fund.

Cordelia Witton (2006, Ancient and Modern History)

After leaving Somerville I took a year out to work in Beijing for the M Restaurant Group before starting on the Lloyd's of London Graduate Scheme in 2010. I spent 5 years in the insurance market – working in underwriting, business development, claims and performance management. My final role was in Overseas Underwriting Performance which involved working on the business plans for syndicates writing insurance and reinsurance in Singapore, China and Dubai. In October 2016 I joined Aon as part of their Corporate Finance team which operates as a boutique investment bank within the wider Aon structure, serving the capital raising, NewCo and M&A needs of Aon's insurance clients as well as private equity.

Simon Hodge (2006, History)

After leaving Somerville, I spent a year at King's College, London, studying for an MA in International Relations. My research focused on regional security in Central Asia, with a policy focus on Afghanistan. After that I joined Capgemini as a Management Consultant for three years, where I worked on strategy and technology projects across Financial Services, Utilities, Infrastructure and Higher Education. Lloyds Bank came next, where I was a Product Manager in Consumer Lending for two years. I then continued my career as a moneylender at a much cooler Fintech company called Zopa, a peer-to-peer lender, where I run a team which makes Operations awesome.

Sarah Glenister (2006, Chemistry)

Sarah worked as a Management Consultant for Tesco specialising in commercial profit protection before joining Amazon earlier this year as a buyer for the Kindle Content Acquisition team - responsible for the relationship between Kindle UK and the 5 big global publishing houses. In addition to this, Sarah also runs a private tutoring company.