

JESUS COLLEGE OXFORD

JC:P174 LIST OF JESUS MATRICULANDS 1572-1714 COMPILED BY JOSEPH FOSTER, 1895

Joseph Foster (1844-1905), a prolific genealogist and antiquary, published many books of lists and biographical registers, including *Alumni Oxonienses*, published in two series in 1887 (for 1715-1886) and 1891 (for 1500-1714). This particular book appears to have been compiled by Foster in 1895 and given to the College shortly afterwards.

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List of men matriculating from Jesus College between 1572 and 1714, taken from the university's matriculation registers. The names are arranged in chronological order. For each name Foster gives the date of matriculation, name age, name of father, father's status, and place of origin. No information is given about degrees taken or later careers.

At the front of the book is this note in another hand: "Matriculations 1571-1714 (compiled for Jesus College by J. Foster, author of 'Alumni Oxonienses', in 1895)". This suggests that the volume was specially prepared for, and presented to, the College by Foster himself.