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Oxford, England

David R. Young, a former White House aide who was a member of the "plumbers" unit, has been accepted for graduate studies at Oxford University, a university spokesman said yesterday.

Young, 36, last fall pleaded not guilty to California state charges of burglary and conspiracy to commit burglary in the burglary of Daniel Ellsberg's psychiatrist's office. The charges were dismissed in March of this year.

A spokesman at Queen's College, Oxford, said Young had been an undergraduate there from 1961 to 1963 before starting work in Washington.

According to the Oxford spokesman, Young is expected to spend a year or two at the university doing research in social studies and American foreign policy.

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