

HUMANITIES DIVISIONAL BOARD	
<b>Title of Programme</b>	Master of Philosophy in Oriental Studies
<b>Brief note about nature of change:</b>	Amendment to administrative procedures for the degree. This corrects a change published in the Gazette of 23 July 2015 as HDB(15)87_G.
<b>Effective date</b>	<p><b>For students starting from MT 2014</b></p> <p><b>For first examination from 2015-16</b></p>
<b>Location of change</b>	In <i>Examination Regulations</i> online
<b>Detail of change</b>	<p>[1.21] 5. Subject to such regulations as the board may hereinafter make, every candidate must offer a thesis<sup>11</sup> on a subject approved by the board (or by a person or persons to whom it may delegate the power of giving such approval), and as far as possible falling within the scope of the subject offered by the candidate in the examination. Applications for approval of the thesis subject must reach the Board of the Faculty of Oriental Studies, Oriental Institute, on or before Monday of nought week of Hilary Term in the second year of the course. A title approval form is available on the Oriental Studies website. Two typewritten copies and an electronic copy in PDF format in a memory stick or CD, of the thesis must be submitted to the Chairman of the Examiners, name of degree, c/o Examination Schools, High Street, Oxford OX1 4BG, not later than noon on the Friday of the second week of the Trinity Term in which the examination is taken except in (ii) and (xiv) below, in which the thesis should be presented not later than noon on the Friday of the fourth week of the Trinity Term in which the examination is taken; (v), (vii) and (xiii) below, in which the thesis should be presented by noon on Friday of 6th week of Trinity Term; <del>(vii) below, in which the thesis should be presented not later than noon on the Monday of seventh week of Trinity Term in which the examination is taken;</del> The work must bear the candidates examination number (but not the candidates' name). Candidates must include a signed declaration sealed in an envelope addressed to the Chair of Examiners that the work is the candidate's own.</p>
<b>Explanatory Notes</b>	This change streamlines the dissertation deadlines for the degree.