

Education Committee

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Regulations for the Doctor of Letters and Doctor of Science

Brief note about nature of change: removal of the regulations following the review of higher doctorates. New regulations are being introduced.

Effective date

From MT18

Location of change

In *Examination Regulations* 2017, <http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2017-18/doladoctofscie/>

Detail of change

1. Remove the entire text of the regulations including title and footnotes.

Explanatory Notes

Education Committee carried out a review of higher doctorates in 2016. As a result of the review, a number reforms to the regulation and administration of higher doctorates were agreed. With Education Committee's approval, the existing regulations were suspended in Trinity term 2016 while these changes were implemented. New regulations for the degrees were approved by Education Committee in Trinity term 2017, to come into effect from Michaelmas term 2018. The regulations for all higher doctorates are being combined into a single set of regulations. Further information and guidance regarding the application process is available at <https://www.ox.ac.uk/students/academic/higher-doctorates>.