Changes in Examination Regulations to the University Gazette – Social Sciences Division

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Social Sciences Divisional Board

Approved by Officer Action on behalf of Quality Assurance Committee (25/09/2019)

Master of Science by Coursework in Contemporary Chinese Studies

Brief note about nature of change: Minor amendment to clarify the assessment of Research Methods

Location of change

In *Examination Regulations 2019*, http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2019-20/mosbcicontchinstud/administratorview/

Effective date

For students starting from MT 2019

For first examination from 2019-20

Detail of change

1.5₅. Candidates will complete a course in Research Methods for Area Studies:
Candidates will submit a 2,500 word maximum take-home test in qualitative methods to be set on Monday of week 8 and submitted by practical exercise in the collection and analysis of qualitative data not later than 12 noon on Monday of week 9 of Michaelmas Term; and a take-home test in quantitative analysis to be set on Monday of Week 8 and submitted by 12 noon on Monday of week 9 of Hilary Term.

Explanatory Notes

Minor amendment to clarify the Research Methods assessment. The proposed wording more faithfully represents the form of the assessment for qualitative methods as a takehome test.