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

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Social Sciences Board

Approved by Chair's Action on 25/01/16

Title of Programme

Research Degrees in Anthropology

Brief note about nature of change: clarification of word limit

Effective date

For students starting from MT 2016

Location of change

In Examination Regulations 2015

Detail of change

5. Submission of theses

D.Phil. theses submitted by the students in Anthropology must not exceed 100,000 words, (including notes and captions to figures within the main text, (but excluding the abstract and other front matter, the bibliography, glossary, and any appendices, glossaries etc.) containing ethnographic material and archaeological evidence), unless for exceptional reasons and on the recommendation of the candidate's supervisor the Teaching Committee of the School of Anthropology and Museum Ethnography otherwise determines. This word limit applies to both the monograph and integrated thesis formats.

NB: Appendices should only be used to provide data sets or other factual or methodological material ancillary to the thesis proper. The main text of the thesis should contain all the information required to understand the arguments presented within it, without the need to resort to an appendix.

Explanatory Notes

Clarification of word limit