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Medical Sciences Divisional Board

Approved by Senior Divisional Officer on behalf of Division (21st June 2017)

Title of Programme/ Name of Regulation:

Master of Science by Coursework in Psychological Research

Brief note about nature of change:

Minor changes to the schedule regulations for Research Evaluation and Statistical Theory and Methods modules.

Effective date:

For students starting in MT 2017.

Location of change:

In Examination Regulations 2016-17 (http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2016-17/mosbcinpsycrese/administratorview/), Master of Science by Coursework in Psychological Research

Detail of change

In Examination Regulations 2016-17 (http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2016-17/mosbcinpsycrese/administratorview/), Master of Science by Coursework in Psychological Research, amend citation references 1.33 and 1.34 as follows

- [1.33] I. Research Evaluation This module is delivered as a series of oral presentations collaboratively prepared by groups of students prepared by individual students followed by group discussions. The focus is on research articles that illustrate the use of particular kinds of methodology and/or design.
- [1.34] II. Statistical Theory and Methods This module comprises a series of statistical lectures and complementary statistical workshops.

Explanatory Notes

Research Evaluation module: The presentations are prepared by the individual student as it is based on their individual Research Project. The presentations are followed by group discussions.

Statistical Theory and Methods module: The term 'complementary' can give rise to confusion with the students when the lectures and workshops do not match. Students have the lectures which are very general to help bring everyone up to the same level and the workshops are then psychology specific to take students further.