Humanities Divisional Board

Approved by officers on behalf of the Board on 30 September 2019

Title of Programme
Master of Studies in Theology

Brief note about nature of change: Removal of streams of study not offered

Location of change
In Examination Regulations 2018 (http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2018-19/mostudintheo/)

Effective date
For students starting from MT 2019
For first examination from 2019-20

Detail of change
New text underlined, deletions struck-through:

(1.4) III. Christian Doctrine, specialising in one of four two fields:

(1.5) History of Doctrine: Patristic Theology (c. AD 100-787)
(1.6) History of Doctrine: Scholastic Theology (c. AD 100-787)
(1.7) History of doctrine: Theology of the Reformation Period
(1.8) Modern Theology (post-1789)
(...)

(1.37) A and B (essays and dissertations). All work must fall within one of the four two specialised fields listed above under Christian Doctrine.

(1.38) C (the written examination) takes particular forms for the different fields. In the
History of Doctrine specialisms, the examination includes passages for translation and comment from prescribed texts: Greek or Latin texts in the case of Patristic Theology; Latin texts in the case of Scholastic Theology; and Latin, German, or French texts in the case of Theology of the Reformation Period. In each of these cases Essays will also be set, both on the prescribed texts and on general topics within the same period. In the Modern Doctrine field, the examination will be on Methods & Styles in Theology.

Explanatory Notes

Amendment to update the examination regulations with regard to streams of study no longer offered since 2017.