

## Humanities Divisional Board

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

### Title of Programme

Master of Studies in the Study of Religions

**Brief note about nature of change:** Clarification of submission date

### Location of change

In Examination Regulations 2018 (<http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2018-19/mosistudofreli/>)

### Effective date

For students starting from MT 2019

For first examination from 2019-20

### Detail of change

New text underlined, deletions struck-through:

(1.2) 2. A 10,000-15,000 word dissertation must be offered. All candidates must normally make a written application for approval of the topic no later than Monday of fifth week of Hilary Term. The application should be submitted to the Faculty of Theology and Religion for consideration by the Theology and Religion Graduate Studies Committee. In cases where there is some uncertainty about the acceptability of the proposal, candidates are asked to submit their applications earlier if possible. All applications should be accompanied by a recommendation from the candidate's supervisor. The dissertation must be uploaded to the Assignment section of the MSt Study of Religions WebLearn site ~~before the end of eighth week of Trinity Term~~ by Friday of 8<sup>th</sup> week in Trinity Term in the year of examination. Each submission will require the candidate to make a declaration indicating that this is their own work.

(1.3) Titles for the two shorter essays must normally be submitted to the Faculty of

Theology and Religion no later than Monday of fifth week of Hilary Term for consideration by the Graduate Studies Committee. Two copies of the essays uploaded to the Assignment section of the MSt Study of Religions WebLearn site by the Friday ~~before the beginning~~ by Friday of 0<sup>th</sup> week of Trinity Term in the year in which the examination is taken. Decisions on the suitability of titles for both dissertation and essays will be taken in consultation with the Chair of Examiners for that year. Each submission will require the candidate to make a declaration indicating that this is their own work.

### **Explanatory Notes**

Clarifying dates of submission from vague wording, i.e. 'end' or 'beginning' of term, to an exact date on the Oxford calendar, i.e. 'Friday of 8<sup>th</sup> week'.