

Humanities Divisional Board

Approved by officers on behalf of the Board on 21 June 2019

Title of Programme/ Name of Regulation

Honour School of European and Middle Eastern Languages

Brief note about nature of change: minor amendment to detail of Year Abroad

Location of change

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

Effective date

From MT 2019

Detail of change

Amend citation reference 1.9 as follows (deleted text struck through, new text underlined)

^{1.9}They will also be required to spend, after their matriculation, a year of residence in an appropriate country or countries, and to provide on their entry form for the examination a certificate that they have done this, signed by the Head or by a tutor of their society. Candidates wishing to be dispensed from the requirement to undertake a year of residence abroad must apply in writing to the ~~Chair of the Medieval and Modern Languages Board, 41 Wellington Square, Oxford, OX1 2JF~~ Chair of the Oriental Studies Board, Oriental Institute, Pusey Lane, Oxford, OX1 2LE, stating their reasons for requesting dispensation and enclosing a letter of support from their society

Explanatory Notes

This amendment corrects an anomaly: whereas the Year Abroad for all other Modern Languages and Joint Schools degrees is carried out under the aegis of the Modern Languages Faculty, for EMEL, it is under the aegis of the Oriental Studies Faculty (being a year in a country or countries pertaining to the Middle Eastern language being studied), and so the authorising body for any application for dispensation from the Year Abroad should properly be the Oriental Studies Faculty rather than the Modern Languages Faculty. (In

practice, the Oriental Studies Faculty consults with the Modern Languages Faculty before determining its response to all such applications, given joint ownership of the Joint Schools degree programme)