General Regulations for the Degree of Bachelor of Philosophy or Master of Philosophy

Brief note about nature of change: Introduction of time limits for resits.

Location of change

In Examination Regulations 2018, General Regulations for the Degree of Bachelor of Philosophy or Master of Philosophy, http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2018-19/grftdobopomastofphil/

Effective date

For students starting from MT19

Detail of change

Amend citation reference 1.51 as follows (new text is underlined):

5. A candidate who has failed to satisfy the examiners in any one of the examinations for the Degrees of Bachelor or Master of Philosophy may enter again for that examination on one (but not more than one) subsequent occasion. Unless the special regulations for the examination specify otherwise, this resit attempt shall normally be taken at the next opportunity, but may be deferred once, i.e. it must be taken at one of the next two opportunities. No candidate who has satisfied the examiners in any one of the examinations for the Degrees of Bachelor or Master of Philosophy may enter again for that same examination.

Explanatory Notes

Taught Degrees Panel of Education Committee decided at its meeting of 5 March 2019 that general regulations for postgraduate taught examinations should set time limits on taking resits, and that these provisions in general regulations should apply unless otherwise specified in special regulations.