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Change(s) in the regulations governing the Honour School of Modern Languages: communication from the Board of the Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages

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Humanities Divisional Board

Honour School of Modern Languages (Spanish, FHS, Papers I and III)

Brief note about nature of the change(s)
To bring the Spanish course into line with other Modern Languages courses, by introducing an essay to paper 4 I and translations to paper 4 III.

With immediate effect

In Examination Regulations, 2011, p. 344, delete ll. 30-34, and substitute:

‘Spanish
I     Prose translation from English into Spanish of about 250 words and an essay in Spanish of about 500 words.
IIA    Translation from Modern Spanish
IIB    Translation from Modern Spanish
III    Prose translation from English into Spanish of about 250 words and a translation from Spanish into English of an earlier passage of about 250 words. For this second exercise candidates will choose between a medieval and a Golden Age passage.

Explanatory note
There is currently a disparity between the Grey Book description of the Spanish language papers at FHS (2011, p. 344, ll. 30-34), and the contents of the Spanish FHS handbook. The Sub-faculty changed the content of its language papers to the following (taken from the current FHS handbook) for first examination in 2012 but the changes never made their way into the Grey Book. The Examiners have taken this matter up with the Proctors for 2012. The Proctors have authorised papers for 2012 to be set in accordance with information in the handbook, subject to current students (and their tutors) affected by the changes being notified in writing.