HUMANITIES DIVISIONAL BOARD

Academic Committee

Change in the regulations governing Philosophy in Honour Schools involving Philosophy:
communication from the Board of the Faculty of Philosophy

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Humanities Divisional Board

Brief note about nature of the change(s): The changes will remove the section on Kant from paper 101: History of Philosophy from Descartes to Kant and change the name of this paper.

(1) Honour Schools including Philosophy

With effect from 1 October 2013 (for first examination in 2014)

1. In Examination Regulations, 2011, p.395, l.10, delete ‘History of Philosophy from Descartes to Kant’, and substitute ‘Early Modern Philosophy’.
2. Ibid., p.395, l.16-17, delete ‘; Kant, Critique of Pure Reason’.
3. Ibid, p.395, l. 19, delete ‘; Section C will include questions about Kant’.
4. Ibid, p. 402, delete ll.5 - 6.
5. Ibid, p. 402, l.7, delete ‘(vii)’ and substitute ‘(vi)’.
6. Ibid, p. 402, l.11, delete ‘(viii)’ and substitute ‘(vii)’.
7. Ibid, p. 402, l.12, delete ‘(ix)’ and substitute ‘(viii)’.

(2) Honour School of Literae Humaniores

With effect from 1 October 2013 (for first examination in 2014)

1. In Examination Regulations, 2011, p. 297, l.45, delete ‘History of Philosophy from Descartes to Kant’, and substitute ‘Early Modern Philosophy’.

(3) Honour School of Philosophy, Politics and Economics

With effect from 1 October 2013 (for first examination in 2014)

1. In Examination Regulations, 2011, p. 409, l.44, delete ‘History of Philosophy from Descartes to Kant’, and substitute ‘Early Modern Philosophy’.

Explanatory note

The change will (a) remove from paper 101: History of Philosophy from Descartes to Kant the section on Kant, since candidates in the exam answer on him only extremely rarely, (b) rename the paper accordingly, and (c) remove from the general regulations for Philosophy the prohibition on answering on Kant in paper 101 and also offering paper 112: The Philosophy of Kant.