

Changes to *Examination Regulations 2013*

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Medical Sciences Board

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Title of Examinations: Honour School of Cell & Systems Biology; Honour School of Neuroscience

Brief note about nature of change: To permit students studying for the Part I examinations in these Honour Schools to take Supplementary Subjects (in addition to entering for them in the Part II examinations).

Effective date: With immediate effect (i.e. for first examination in 2014)

Location of change: *Examination Regulations 2013*

Details of change:

1. In *Examination Regulations*, 2013, p. 164, l. 34, after 'Candidates for' insert 'Part I and'
2. Ibid., p. 392, l. 31, after 'Candidates for' insert 'Part I and'

Explanatory Notes

It has always been the intention of the course organisers that students in the Honour School of Cell & Systems Biology and the Honour School of Neuroscience should be able to take Supplementary Subjects in Part I as well as in Part II. Students have been aware of this via the relevant course handbooks; however, this was not reflected in the regulations that were originally drafted and these amendments now redress the matter.

The relevant examination conventions reflect that: a student who achieves a pass in a Supplementary Subject will be awarded an extra 0.5% in their final FHS mark and a student who achieves a distinction will be awarded an extra 1%. These extra marks will only be available for one Supplementary Subject per student. This is consistent with practice in the Honour School of Medical Sciences.