

HUMANITIES DIVISIONAL BOARD	
<b>Approved by Humanities Education Development Panel on 15 May 2018</b>	
<b>Title of Programme</b> Honour School of Oriental Studies	
<b>Brief note about nature of change:</b> Dissertation to be made compulsory	
<b>Effective date</b>  <b>For students starting from MT 2018</b>  <b>For first examination in 2019-20</b>	
<b>Location of change</b> In <i>Examination Regulations</i> 2017 ( <a href="http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2017-18/hsoforiestud/">http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2017-18/hsoforiestud/</a> )	
<b>Detail of change</b>  1.190 The following papers will be set:  1.191 <b><i>Either, for Turkish only,</i></b>  1.192 1. Unprepared translation from Ottoman and modern Turkish.  1.193 2. Translation into Turkish and essay in Turkish.  1.194 3. Oral.1  1.195 4. Ottoman historical texts.  1.196 5. Turkish political and cultural texts, 1860 to the present.  1.197 6. Modern Turkish literary texts.  1.198 7., 8., 9. Three papers from a list of options published in the course handbook.  1.199 10. A dissertation.3  1.200 <b><i>or, for Turkish with a subsidiary language,</i></b> Papers 1-6 <u>and 10</u> above. <u>A dissertation is to be approved by the Board of the Faculty of Oriental Studies. See the 'Guidelines for writers of Theses' under Arabic and Islamic Studies above for notes concerning the preparation and submission of a dissertation) and</u>	

~~1.201~~ ~~7., 8., 9., 11., 12., 13.~~ Three papers on one of the following languages: Arabic, Armenian, Classics (in the Honour School of Classics and Oriental Studies), Hebrew, Hindi/Urdu, Persian.

~~1.202~~ ~~10. An *optional* special subject, to be approved by the Board of the Faculty of Oriental Studies.~~

**Explanatory notes:**

The faculty has decided that dissertation is to be made compulsory for candidates taking Turkish with a subsidiary language, in line with requirements for other strands of the degree. There are currently no on-course students taking Turkish with a subsidiary language due to start the FHS in MT 2018.