

Humanities Divisional Board

Approved by officers of the Board on 5 July 2018

Title of Programme/ Name of Regulation

Master of Studies in Study of Religions

Brief note about nature of change: Online submission of coursework

Location of change

Examination Regulations 2017-18 online (<https://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2017-18/mosistudofreli>)

Effective date

For students starting from MT 2018

For first examination from 2018-19

Detail of change

New text underlined, deleted text struck through:

^{1.2}2. A 10,000-15,000 word dissertation must be offered. All candidates must normally make a written application for approval of the topic no later than Monday of fifth week of Hilary Term. The application should be submitted to the Faculty of Theology and Religion for consideration by the Theology and Religion Graduate Studies Committee. In cases where there is some uncertainty about the acceptability of the proposal, candidates are asked to submit their applications earlier if possible. All applications should be accompanied by a recommendation from the candidate's supervisor. ~~Two copies of the dissertation must be sent to the Chair of Examiners for the Degree of M.St in the Study of Religions, c/o the Examination Schools, High Street, Oxford before the end of eighth week of Trinity Term in the year of examination.~~ The dissertation must be uploaded to the Assignment section of the MSt Study of Religions WebLearn site before the end of eighth week of Trinity Term in the year of examination. Each submission will require the candidate to make a declaration indicating that this is their own work.

^{1.3}Titles for the two shorter essays must normally be submitted to the Faculty of Theology and Religion no later than Monday of fifth week of Hilary Term for consideration by the Graduate

Studies Committee. Two copies of the essays must be ~~submitted to the Examination Schools~~ uploaded to the Assignment section of the MSt Study of Religions WebLearn site by the Friday before the beginning of Trinity Term in the year in which the examination is taken. Each submission will require the candidate to make a declaration indicating that this is their own work.

~~1.4 The three-hour examination will be held in tenth or eleventh week of Trinity Term.~~

~~1.5~~ 3. Each candidate will be required to present himself or herself for an oral (viva voce) examination unless individually dispensed by the examiners. This ~~will take place within a few days of the written examination, and~~ may include discussion of both the examination paper and any pre-submitted work.

Explanatory Notes

These changes provide for the online submission of assessed coursework with effect from 2018-19.