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Humanities Division Board of the Faculty of Theology and Religion

Approved at the meeting of 10 March 2016

Title of Programme/ Name of Regulation

Postgraduate Diploma in Theology

Brief note about nature of change: Course title change

Effective date

For students starting from MT 2017

For first examination in 2017-18

Location of change

In Examination Regulations 2016 (http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2016-17/pdiplintheo/)

Detail of change

New text underlined, deleted text struck-through

Postgraduate Diploma in Theology and Religion

GENERAL REGULATIONS

- 1.11. It shall be lawful for the Board of the Faculty of Theology and Religion to grant Postgraduate Diplomas in Theology <u>and Religion</u> to candidates who have satisfied the conditions prescribed in this Section.
- ^{1.2}2. The examination shall be under the supervision of the Board of the Faculty of Theology and Religion.
- ^{1.3}3. Subject to the provisions of this Section, any member of the University who has obtained the leave

of the Board of the Faculty of Theology and Religion normally may be admitted to the examination for the Postgraduate Diploma in Theology <u>and Religion</u> provided that they have passed all the examinations required for the Degree of Bachelor of Arts and have obtained First or upper Second Class Honours in the Second Public Examination, or have attained such honours in a degree examination of another university, such university having been approved by Council for the purposes of Senior Status.

- 1.44. Applications for leave under cl. 3 shall be sent to the Registrar, through the Head or tutor of the College to which the applicant belongs or desires to belong. The board shall have power to determine the character and length of a course of study in Theology <u>and Religion</u> to be followed by the applicant before they may be admitted to the examination.
- ^{1.5}5. The examiners may award a distinction in any subject in the examination.
- ^{1.6}6. A student reading for the diploma who is not a graduate of the University shall wear the same gown as that worn by Students for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy.

SPECIAL REGULATIONS

1.71. Every candidate is required to follow for at least three terms a course of instruction in Theology and Religion, and they will, when they enter their name for the examination, be required to produce from their College a certificate showing that they are following a course of instruction in Theology and Religion for at least three terms.

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1.36The candidate must submit two typed copies of the essay (bound or held firmly in a stiff cover), addressed to the Chair of the Examiners, Postgraduate Diploma in Theology and Religion, Examination Schools, High Street, Oxford not later than noon on the Friday of the first week of Trinity Term.

Candidates must not put their names on the examination paper or on any pre-submitted work.

Explanatory Notes

The choice of course name was originally selected to align it with that of the Faculty. The decision to rename the faculty as the Faculty of Theology and Religion, led to an anomaly and it was agreed to rename the course as the Postgraduate Diploma in Theology and Religion. Education Committee granted approval of the name change on 25 August 2016.