

Humanities Divisional Board

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Title of Programme/ Name of Regulation

Honour School of Oriental Studies

Brief note about nature of change: Change of paper title

Location of change

Examination Regulations 2017 (<http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2017-18/hsoforiestud/>)

Effective date

For students starting from MT 2018

For first examination in 2019-20

Detail of change

New text underlined, deleted text struck through:

^{1.101}***Or, for Egyptology and Ancient Near Eastern Studies with Archaeology and Anthropology***, candidates will be required to offer papers 1, 3-4, and 7-10 above, **and** the following papers:

^{1.102}~~12. Anthropological theory and archaeological enquiry.~~ The nature of archaeological and anthropological enquiry.

^{1.103}13. Urbanisation and change in complex societies: comparative approaches **or** From Hunting and Gathering to States and Empires in South-West Asia.

^{1.104}14. Social analysis and interpretation **or** Cultural representations, beliefs and practices.

Explanatory Notes

This change concerns students taking Egyptology and Ancient Near Eastern Studies who take Archaeology and Anthropology as their subsidiary subject. These students sit a paper in the Final Honour School created especially for them 'Anthropological theory and archaeological enquiry', that provides an appropriate balance of the two subjects.

In 2016 the School of Archaeology changed its Moderations paper 4 to include anthropology. This paper provides an appropriate balance of anthropology and archaeology questions. The Faculty of Oriental Studies has therefore agreed that its students sit Moderations paper 4 entitled "The Nature of Archaeological and Anthropological Enquiry" as their Finals paper 12. This will simplify teaching and examination, as this will have the same content that is given to archaeology and anthropology students.

The paper will receive separate coding appropriate for a Finals paper in the Honour School of Oriental Studies and will be marked according to the conventions for the FHS.