# **MPLS** Divisional Board

**Approved at the meeting** Minor made by the Chair of Chemistry Teaching Committee, MPLS Division TT19

## Title of Programme/ Name of Regulation

Preliminary Examination in Chemistry

## Brief note about nature of change:

(i) removal of IT training officer reference

(ii) changing reference from Examiner to Moderator

#### Location of change

In *Examination Regulations 2018-19* [http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2018-19/pexaminchem/administratorview/]

#### **Effective date**

# For students starting from MT 2019-20

#### **Detail of change**

• <sup>1.10</sup> 3. Candidates are required to complete an adequate course of laboratory work as specified in the Course Handbook. The Director of Teaching Labs and the IT Training officer shall make available to the chair of the examiners records showing the extent to which each candidate has pursued an adequate course of practical work. Only work completed and marked by 5 p.m. on Friday of sixth week of Trinity Term will be taken into account.

1.11 4. Candidates shall be deemed to have passed the examination if they have satisfied the Examiners- Moderators in all four papers detailed in clause 2, [and in the practical work requirements as outlined in clause 3,] either at a single examination, or at two examinations, as set out in clause 1. Failure to complete the practical work to the satisfaction of the Examiners- Moderators, in the absence of appropriate documentary evidence, will normally constitute failure of the Preliminary Examination. A candidate who fails the practical work will be required

to re-take the entire academic year.

# Explanatory Notes

The IT component of laboratory work has been incorporated in the practical course and is not a stand-alone component.

Changing Examiner to Moderator has been done for consistency.