

Humanities Divisional Board

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Title of Programme

Honour School of History and Economics

Brief note about nature of change: Change to paper requirements

Location of change

In *Examination Regulations* (<http://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2018-19/hsohistandecon/>)

Effective date

For students starting from MT 2019

For first examination from 2020-21

Detail of change

New text underlined, deletions struck-through:

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^{1.53}Each candidate shall offer:

^{1.54}~~B1. Macroeconomics~~

^{1.55}~~As specified for the Honour School of Philosophy, Politics, and Economics.~~

^{1.56}~~B2. Microeconomics~~

^{1.57}~~As specified for the Honour School of Philosophy, Politics, and Economics.~~

^{1.58}~~B3. Quantitative Economics~~

^{1.59}~~As specified for the Honour School of Philosophy, Politics, and Economics.~~

^{1.60}~~B4~~^{B1}. The Development of the World Economy since 1800 (subject 311)-

^{1.61}As specified for the Honour School of Philosophy, Politics, and Economics. This subject must be studied in the first year of the candidate's enrolment for the Honour School.

B2., B3., B4. Three additional subjects in Economics

As specified for the Honour School of Philosophy, Politics and Economics. Any of subjects 300, 301 and 302 must be studied in the first year of the candidate's enrolment for the Honour School. Any other subjects offered may only be studied in the second year of the candidate's enrolment for the Honour School. More than one Special Subject (398) may be offered but all subject choices must satisfy the paper combination requirements specified for the Honour School of Philosophy, Politics and Economics.

^{1.62}B5. An Outline or Theme paper in either European & World History or The History of the British Isles as specified for the Honour School of History. No candidate may offer a paper in the History of the British Isles or European & World History similar to one offered when passing the Preliminary Examination. Illegal combinations will be specified by the Board.

^{1.63}B6., B7. Any one of the following combinations, (a), (b), (c), or (d):

^{1.64}(a) two Further Subjects in History;

^{1.65}(b) two Further Subjects in Economics (the notes to B2-4 above apply);

^{1.66}(c) (i) one Further Subject in History and

^{1.67}(ii) an Outline or Theme paper, subject to the rule on overlap with the Preliminary Examination under B5 above, in

^{1.68}*either* European & World History, except any such period offered under B5 above,

^{1.69}*or* The History of the British Isles, if the paper offered under B5 above is in European & World History;

^{1.70}(d) (i) one Further Subject in History and (ii) one Further Subject in Economics (the notes to B2-4 above apply).

^{1.71}For all Economics papers (~~which shall be taken to include including Development of the World Economy Since 1800~~British Economic History since 1870 but not other papers in Economic History) candidates are permitted the use of one hand-held pocket calculator from a list of permitted calculators published annually by the Department of Economics on its Undergraduate website, which will be updated annually in the week prior to Week 1 of Michaelmas Term.

Explanatory Notes

This change represents a strict increase in student choice, reducing the number of compulsory papers to one. If students wish to offer the old set of compulsory papers in the first year of the FHS then they are free to do so. However, they may also choose to offer alternative combinations of papers in order to tailor the Economics part of their degree to

their interests and any plans for graduate study or future careers. Similar changes for Philosophy, Politics and Economics, and for Economics and Management, have been approved by the Social Sciences Division and the relevant Standing Committees.