Changes in Examination Regulations to the University Gazette

Social Sciences Division/Board

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Title of Programme
MPhil in Criminology and Criminal Justice

Brief note about nature of change: Introduction of regulations to cover arrangements for re-assessment in line with other PGT programmes in the subject

Effective date
With effect from 1 October 2011

Location of change
In *Examination Regulations* 2010 as amended by *Gazette* of 23 September 2010

Detail of change
Examination Regulation, p.504, after l.29 insert:

8. Arrangements for reassessment shall be as follows:

Candidates who fail, or withdraw from, Social Explanation and Data Analysis may resubmit assessments in line with cl. 9 of the examination regulations for the MSc in Criminology and Criminal Justice. Such candidates who have completed successfully all or part of any of the other components may carry forward the marks gained for the successfully completed parts of the degree.

Candidates who fail, or withdraw from, the Legal Research Methods course as specified for the M.Phil. in Law (if they have received permission to take this course instead of Research Design and Data Collection and Social Explanation and Data Analysis), may resit course elements according to the standard arrangements for reassessment for that course. Such candidates who have completed successfully all
or part of any of the other components may carry forward the marks gained for the successfully completed parts of the degree.

Candidates who fail, or withdraw from, the M.Phil. thesis may resubmit the thesis to the Examination Schools, High Street, Oxford, by noon on Friday Week 8 of the term following publication of their results. Such candidates who have completed successfully all or part of any of the other components may carry forward the marks gained for the successfully completed parts of the degree.’.

Explanatory Notes

The Centre for Criminology is introducing a new section to the MPhil examination regulations. Currently the examination regulations for the MPhil in Criminology and Criminology and Criminal Justice do not have a section on re-assessment for the MPhil. This has now been provided following the MSc model for reassessment of the empirical research methods courses and following the examination regulations for reassessment of the thesis of other taught MPhil programmes in the University.