

**Education Committee****Approved by the Graduate Panel of Education Committee on 21 June 2013****Regulations for the Degrees of Master of Letter and Master of Science by Research**

This is a change which amends the regulations for the Degrees of Master of Letters and Master of Science by Research to reduce the maximum number of terms' extension permitted for MLitt and MSc (by Research) students from six terms to three terms.

**With immediate effect***In Examination Regulations 2014***Regulations for the Degree of Master of Letters**

On p. 760, l. 36-44, amend the text as shown below:

7. If a full-time Student for the Degree of Master of Letters has held that status for nine terms, or a part-time student for fifteen terms, but has been prevented by exceptional circumstances from completing his or her thesis, the board shall have power to grant an extension of time for a period or periods not exceeding ~~six~~ **three** terms in all for a full-time student, or three terms in all for a part-time student, to be determined by the board. Applications for such extension of time shall be made through the Registrar not later than the term in which the student is due to apply for permission to supplicate, and must be accompanied by statements of support from the student's society and supervisor.

On p. 768, l. 12-19, amend the text as shown below:

6. If a full-time Student for the Degree of Master of Science by Research has held that status for nine terms, or a part-time student for fifteen terms but has been prevented by exceptional circumstances from completing his or her thesis, the board shall have power to grant an extension of time for a period or periods not exceeding ~~six~~ **three** terms in all for a full-time student, or three terms in all for a part-time student, to be determined by the board. Applications for such an extension of time shall be made through the Registrar not later that the term in which the student is due to apply for permission to supplicate.