

Changes in Examination Regulations to the University Gazette – Social Sciences Division

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Social Sciences Divisional Board

Approved by Chair's Action on behalf of the Quality Assurance Committee on 20 June 2023

Title of Programme

Master of Philosophy in Comparative Social Policy

Brief note about nature of change:

Change to option paper submission date.

Effective date

For students starting from Michaelmas 2023

For first examination from 2023/24

Location of change

In *Examination Regulations 2021-22, Master of Philosophy in Comparative Social Policy* (ox.ac.uk)

Details of Change:

Amend citation 1.11 as follows:

^{1.11}These will be from a list published annually by Friday of the sixth week of Michaelmas Full Term in the Department of Social Policy and Intervention. In exceptional circumstances and with the special permission of the Course Director, the option paper may be from subjects outside this list. The option paper will be assessed by a 4,000-5,000 word essay, to be submitted using the University approved online assessment platform by noon on ~~Wednesday, Week 11 of Hilary term~~ **the date specified in the Course Handbook**. In the event of any candidate not reaching the pass mark set for the essay, one further attempt shall be permitted within the same examination year, normally at the end of the following term, though in the event of a successful resubmission only the bare pass mark shall be awarded.

Explanatory Notes

