

Social Sciences Division**Approved by Taught Degrees Panel at the meeting of 9 March 2021****Affected regulations**

Preliminary Examination in Geography

Honour School of Archaeology and Anthropology

Honour School of Economics And Management

Honour School of Geography

Honour School of Human Sciences

Master of Philosophy in Biodiversity, Conservation and Management

Master of Philosophy in Classical Archaeology

Master of Philosophy in Comparative Social Policy

Master of Philosophy in Development Studies

Master of Philosophy in Economics

Master of Philosophy in Environmental Change and Management

Master of Philosophy in Evidence-Based Social Intervention and Policy Evaluation
(EBSIPE)

Master of Philosophy in Latin American Studies

Master of Philosophy in Medical Anthropology

Master of Philosophy in Nature, Society and Environmental Governance

Master of Philosophy in Politics (Comparative Government, Political Theory, European
Politics and Society)

Master of Philosophy in Russian and East European Studies

Master of Philosophy in Social Anthropology

Master of Philosophy in Sociology and Demography

Master of Philosophy in Visual, Material, and Museum Anthropology

Master of Philosophy in Water Science, Policy and Management

Master of Studies in Classical Archaeology

Master of Science by Coursework in African Studies

Master of Science by Coursework in Applied Linguistics and Second Language Acquisition

Master of Science by Coursework in Applied Linguistics for Language Teaching (Part-time)

Master of Science by Coursework in Archaeological Science

Master of Science by Coursework in Archaeology

Master of Science by Coursework in Biodiversity, Conservation, and Management

Master of Science by Coursework in Cognitive and Evolutionary Anthropology

Master of Science by Coursework in Comparative Social Policy

Master of Science by Coursework in Education

Master of Science by Coursework in Educational Assessment (Part-time)

Master of Science by Coursework in Environmental Change and Management

Master of Science by Coursework in Evidence-Based Social Intervention and Policy Evaluation (EBSIPE)

Master of Science by Coursework in Global Governance and Diplomacy

Master of Science by Coursework in Latin American Studies

Master of Science by Coursework in Law and Finance

Master of Science by Coursework in Management Research

Master of Science by Coursework in Medical Anthropology

Master of Science by Coursework in Migration Studies

Master of Science by Coursework in Nature, Society, and Environmental Policy

Master of Science by Coursework in Political Theory Research

Master of Science by Coursework in Politics Research

Master of Science by Coursework in Refugee and Forced Migration Studies

Master of Science by Coursework in Russian and East European Studies

Master of Science by Coursework in Social Anthropology

Master of Science by Coursework in Social Data Science

Master of Science by Coursework in Social Science of the Internet (Part-time)

Master of Science by Coursework in Social Science of the Internet

Master of Science by Coursework in Sociology

Master of Science by Coursework in Sociology (part-time)

Master of Science by Coursework in Sustainability, Enterprise and the Environment

Master of Science by Coursework in Taxation (Part-time)

Master of Science by Coursework in Teacher Education (Part-time)

Master of Science by Coursework in Visual, Material, and Museum Anthropology

Master of Science by Coursework in Water Science Policy and Management

Executive Master of Business Administration

Regulations for the Degrees of Bachelor of Civil Law and Magister Juris

Postgraduate Diploma in Education

Postgraduate Certificate In Management Studies

Postgraduate Diploma In Intellectual Property Law And Practice

Postgraduate Diploma In Management Studies

Brief note about nature of change: Electronic submission via approved University online submission system for all taught programmes.

Location of change

In *Examination Regulations 2021*, <https://examregs.admin.ox.ac.uk/>

Effective date

For all students on course from Michaelmas term 2021

Detail of change

For each regulation listed and where relevant:

- All references to WebLearn will be removed.
- All references to hard copy submission of assessments will be changed to electronic submission of assessments.
- For the listed postgraduate taught programmes, references to the award of

distinction will be removed.

Explanatory Notes

During the Covid-19 pandemic, all submission of assessments, e.g. dissertations, extended essays, has been electronic regardless of the mode of submission listed in the Examination Regulations because it was not possible to support hard copy submissions. At its meeting in week 8 HT21, Taught Degrees Panel (TDP) approved making this temporary measure a permanent change. A new Regulation for the Conduct of University Examinations Part 11 has been approved which sets out the parameters for electronic submission of assessments, see the separate notice in this *Gazette* for further information.

Following discussion with the *Gazette* editors and divisional officers, it has been agreed that the changes required for all the special regulations will not be provided in full because this would require approximately 250 Gazette notices. Instead, all regulations needing a change have been identified. A notice is being published for each division or pair of divisions which lists all the regulations within that division for which a change is needed. The *Examination Regulations* editors will edit the regulations listed above as described in the 'detail of change' box.

Where a division has published a separate notice in the *Gazette* for a regulation specified above which includes any of the changes listed above, the changes as given in that notice will take precedence, unless the change is not consistent with the decision taken by TDP.

The opportunity has also been taken to remove references to the award of distinction for postgraduate taught programmes because this information is now covered by the general regulations for the award following the introduction of merit as an outcome for students starting from MT18.