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

Social Sciences Divisional Board

Approved by Officer Action on behalf of Quality Assurance Committee (20/08/2020)

Executive Master of Business Administration (Part-time)

Brief note about nature of change: Amendment to the language used to describe components and updates to the Schedule.

Location of change

In Examination Regulations 2019, https://examregs.admin.ox.ac.uk/Regulation?code=emofbusiadmi&srchYear=2020&srchTerm=1&year=2019&term=1

As amended in the Gazette of 12 December 2019

Effective date

For students starting from September 2020

For first examination from 2021-22

Detail of change

1. Amend citation 1.29 – 1.37 as follows (new amendments highlighted yellow):

1.29. Candidates taking the course on a part-time basis must follow for not less than 21 months a course of instruction in Management Studies. Part-time candidates must follow a course of instruction in Management Studies and Candidates must complete components (a) to (gd) below:

(a) all eight ten thirteen courses from the Schedule;
(b) six four electives, a maximum of two of which can be completed by taking equivalent (up to four) ‘half’ electives. The list of electives will be published by the Director of the part-time MBA not later than the first day of the first module of the second year of the programme;
(c) an Entrepreneurship Project (EP);
(d) the Global Rules of the Game integrative module;
(e) the Strategic Leader integrative module;
(f) the Business in Emerging Markets module;
6. Students must attempt all assessments associated with components (a)-(g) above, but may fail one of the elective courses from component (b) (or two half elective courses) and still pass the programme as a whole. Candidates may be required to attend an oral examination on any part.

2. Amend the Schedule as follows:

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(m) The Strategic Leader

Explanatory Notes

An edit to the language used to describe components has been made to align to the Examination Conventions, which are clearer. The Schedule has been updated to reflect the order in which the courses are assessed, and the list expanded to include all core courses. No changes to the structure or assessment of the degree is made.