Faculty of Asian and Middle Eastern Studies

Approved at the Oriental Studies Faculty Board, Divisional Board and Congregation

Title of Programme/ Name of Regulation

Master of Studies in Oriental Studies

Brief note about nature of change: As a result of the Faculty's name change, replacing all instances of "Oriental Studies" with "Asian and Middle Eastern Studies"

Location of change

https://examregs.admin.ox.ac.uk/Regulation?code=mosinoriestud&srchYear=2021&srchTerm=1&year=2020&term=1

Effective date

For students starting from MT 2022

Detail of change:

TITLE: Master of Studies in Oriental Asian and Middle Eastern Studies

- [1.1] The Regulations made by the Board of the Faculty of Oriental Asian and Middle Eastern
 Studies are as follows:
 - [1.2] §1. General Regulations
 - [1.3] 1. Before admission to the course, candidates must satisfy the Board of the Faculty of Oriental Asian and Middle Eastern-Studies that they possess the necessary qualifications to profit by the course. The Board will not permit students to be admitted to the course if an M.St. in a particular subject under the aegis of the Board is considered more appropriate.
 - [1.4] 2. Candidates shall be required to attend for at least three terms such lecture courses and participate in such seminars as their supervisor shall specify.

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- [1.5] 3. Applications for approval of options must reach the Senior Academic Administrator <u>in</u> the faculty office Oriental Institute, on or before Monday of week 0 of Hilary Term.
- [1.6] 4. The dates for papers examined by three-hour sit-down examination will be published no later than five weeks before the examination.
- [1.7] 5. In the case of failure in at most one examination, candidates may retake that examination at the next opportunity following their initial attempt.

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[1.18] 2.1. For paper 2(a), each candidate shall submit two essays of between 5,000 and 7,000 words in length each (excluding bibliography), on a topic to be approved as defined under §1.3. Guidelines for the scope and submission of this paper are published in the PGT Student Handbook Oriental Asian and Middle Eastern-Studies 2.2

[1.19] 2.2. For paper 2(b), each candidate shall submit a paper of between 12,000 and 15,000 words in length, excluding bibliography, on a topic to be approved as defined under §1.3. Guidelines for the scope and submission of the thesis are published in the PGT Student Handbook Oriental Asian and Middle Eastern-Studies

Explanatory Notes

Change all instances of "Oriental Studies" to "Asian and Middle Eastern Studies"

This is as a result of the re-naming of the Faculty as of 1 August 2022. Change of degree name approved by Education Committee 11 July 2022

For Faculty Purposes only: What are the financial implications of these changes?