

University of St Andrews

Postgraduate Senate Regulations

Amendments taking effect from 2012-13

Postgraduate Senate Regulations: Dual Registration

B. POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMAS AND DEGREES OF MASTER OF LETTERS, MASTER OF SCIENCE, MASTER OF RESEARCH AND MASTER OF PHILOSOPHY

III Admission

Reason for introduction: There was previously no Senate Regulation that prohibited a student from being registered at two UK Universities at the same time (including study at one while on a leave of absence at the other).

New Regulation

4. No applicant shall be eligible for admission and no student would be allowed to matriculate who would thereby be registered simultaneously on programmes leading to awards in more than one institution, except a) under the terms of an agreement between the University and that institution, or b) with the permission of the Dean of the relevant Faculty. The discovery of any such dual registration may result in the suspension or termination of studies.

Postgraduate Senate Regulations: Module Re-Registration

B. POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMAS AND DEGREES OF MASTER OF LETTERS, MASTER OF SCIENCE, MASTER OF RESEARCH AND MASTER OF PHILOSOPHY

VII Examinations

Reason for introduction: There was no Senate Regulation that prohibited a taught postgraduate student from taking a module again in order to improve the pass grade.

New Regulation

5. Once a pass grade has been achieved in a module a student cannot re-register for the module.

Postgraduate Senate Regulations: Auditing a Module

2. SENATE REGULATIONS

J. AUDITING MODULES

Reason for introduction: There was no Senate Regulation describing what was meant by a student "auditing" a module.

New Regulation

Students may request permission to "audit" a module as an appropriate way of gaining additional knowledge or skills. Permission must be sought from the relevant Head of School who will determine whether and to what extent the student may attend of lectures, seminars and/or practical sessions. Students will not receive a grade or any credit for the module and will not necessarily receive resources for the module or access to School facilities.

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