

**RESOLUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY COURT, 1994 No. 1
CONFERMENT OF UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Universities (Scotland) Act, 1966, the University Court of the University of St Andrews hereby resolves as follows:-

1. The University of St Andrews may confer (a) any of the following as a General Degree or as a Special Degree or with Honours: the degree of Master of Arts (M.A.); the degree of Bachelor of Divinity (B.D.); the degree of Master of Theology (M.Theol.); the degree of Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) in Pure Science or in Medical Science; (b) either of the following degrees with Honours: the degree of Master in Science (M.Sci.) or the degree of Master in Chemistry (M.Chem.).
2. The Senatus Academicus, with the approval of the University Court, may from time to time make regulations on any matters in order to give effect to this Resolution.
3. A candidate who has satisfied the Senatus Academicus that (s)he has attained the necessary standard, who has paid all fees required, and who has satisfied the other requirements of this Resolution and any regulations made thereunder, shall be entitled to receive one of the Degrees specified in paragraph 1 above.
4. The following Resolutions of the University Court are hereby revoked:- 1987 No. 4, 1990 No. 3, 1990 No. 4, 1993 No. 3.
5. This Resolution shall come into effect on 4th July 1994.

**RESOLUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY COURT, 2000, No 4
Degree of Master in Physics (M.Phys.)**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Universities (Scotland) Act, 1966, the University Court of the University of St Andrews hereby resolves as follows:-

1. The University of St Andrews may confer the degree of Master in Physics with Honours (M.Phys.)
2. The Senatus Academicus, with the approval of the University Court, may from time to time make regulations on any matters in order to give effect to this Resolution.
3. A candidate who has satisfied the Senatus Academicus that (s)he has attained the necessary standard, who has paid all fees required, and who has satisfied the other requirements of this Resolution and any regulations made thereunder, shall be entitled to receive one of the Degrees specified in paragraph 1 above.
4. This Resolution shall come into effect on 15th December 2000.

SENATE REGULATIONS

DEFINITIONS

"Dean of the Faculty" for "the Dean of the Faculty or other Faculty Officer to whom the Dean may delegate the authority"

"Head of School" for "Head of School or the person to whom the authority may be delegated"

"Teaching, Learning and Assessment Committee" for "Teaching, Learning and Assessment Committee or the standing Committee to which it may delegate the authority"

"Requirements for a module" for "attendance at such classes, performance of such work and completion of all the assessment at such a standard as may be specified by the School concerned"

"full-time study" for "full-time study or the equivalent period of part-time study".

I GENERAL REGULATIONS

A. General Entrance Requirements

1. A candidate for admission to a Faculty must have obtained prior to admission qualifications which satisfy at least the General Entrance Requirements of the University and the Faculty Entrance Requirements determined by the Teaching, Learning and Assessment Committee and such other requirements as the Senatus Academicus may approve. Any or all of these requirements may be waived in the case of candidates who will be 21 years of age or more on 1 September of the year of entry to their studies.

B. Credit Transfer

2. A student who, before matriculating in a Faculty, has completed a period of study in another University or Institution of Higher or Further Education, or has alternative accredited study, may be deemed by the Business Committee of that Faculty to have gained up to 120 credits for courses passed in each year of study in that institution, up to a maximum of 240 credits, or up to a maximum of 180 credits for part-time evening degree students,
3. A candidate for an Honours degree, except in Medical Science, who has obtained appropriate Advanced Level, Advanced Higher or equivalent passes, may be offered entry "with advanced standing". Such candidates may be awarded up to 120 credits towards a particular degree programme by the Faculty Business Committee.
4. In the case of students eligible for admission under 2 above, the Head of School in consultation with the Dean of the Faculty shall determine whether a student is qualified to enter 2000 or 3000/4000 level modules offered by the School.
5. For students registered on an accredited overseas educational programme, a period of study at a foreign university will form an integral and compulsory part of the degree programme.
6. A student who, before matriculating in a Faculty has obtained a first degree with Honours from another university, may be deemed by the Business Committee of that Faculty to have gained 240 credits in respect of completing that degree, and may be permitted to enter an Honours Programme, the Programme prerequisites for which are deemed by the Head of School to be fulfilled by that prior qualification.

C. Students

7. A student may be admitted as a graduating student who intends to complete a programme of studies leading to the award of a degree or as a non-graduating student who does not intend to complete a programme of studies leading to the award of a degree or other qualification.
8. A student, graduating or non-graduating, may be admitted to full-time study or to part-time study. A full-time student shall at the beginning of each year register normally for modules leading to the award of 120 credits and, under no circumstances, for more than 160 credits. A part-time student shall at the beginning of each year normally register for modules leading to the award of at least 20 credits and normally no more than 80 credits.
9. A non-graduating student will normally be admitted into modules worth 120 credits per session or 60 credits per semester and, under no circumstances, worth more than 160 credits per session. A non-graduating student may transfer to graduating status with the Dean's permission.
10. No students shall be admitted to any module unless they have had their programmes of studies approved by the Dean of the relevant Faculty and have matriculated in the University. Students may, with the permission of the Dean of the relevant Faculty, amend their programmes of studies, but only up to the end of the second week of each semester save that, with the permission of the Head of School and of the Dean of the Faculty, students may transfer between an introductory and an advanced 1000 level language module up to the end of the seventh week of the First Semester.
11. No student may withdraw from a module after the end of the second week of a semester, save with the permission of the Dean of the relevant Faculty and of the Head of School concerned.

D. Modules, Assessments and Permission to Proceed

12. No student may enrol in a module who does not have the prerequisite(s) for that module save with the permission of the Head of the School concerned and of the Dean of the relevant Faculty. Normally, no student may be admitted to a 3000/4000 Level module with fewer than 200 credits, including at least 40 at 2000 Level.
13. Regular attendance (as set down in School Handbooks) is required from all students who wish to complete a module and gain credit for it. Students who breach this requirement will have their permission to proceed in that module revoked and may not attend further classes or examinations.
14. No student who has been absent from a module for three consecutive weeks shall be permitted to continue in that module, save in exceptional circumstances and with the consent of the Dean of the relevant Faculty.
15. The successful completion of a module requires a satisfactory standard of performance in all those parts of the module that are specified in School Handbooks.
16. The method of assessment for a module shall be by examination, by assessment of coursework, or by a combination of both, or by a means of a written dissertation.
17. There will be a diet of examinations at the end of each semester and there will be a reassessment diet, or other reassessment opportunity, before the end of the session.
18. Students enrolled in a module require permission from their Head of School to proceed (a) to an end-of-semester assessment; (b) to an initial reassessment; and (c) need permission from the Dean to proceed to a subsequent reassessment under such arrangements as govern Limitation of Studies: Reassessment for Non-Matriculated Students (SR 42). Permission under (a) will be issued where a student has performed in the continuously assessed part of the module at or above a threshold level laid down in School Handbooks; under (b) will be issued where a student has performed in the end-of-semester examination at or above a threshold level laid down in School Handbooks; and under (c) will be issued under provisions that are set out in (SR42).
19. A student who passes the assessment for a module shall be awarded the credits for that module.
20. Students who fail reassessment in a module are not eligible for a further reassessment (except under the rules that govern Limitations of Studies: Reassessment for Non-matriculated Students [SR42]).

21. The Teaching, Learning and Assessment Committee, with advice from the Faculty Business Committees, shall approve the modules which may be offered in the Faculty, and, for each module, shall determine:-
- (a) the prerequisites;
 - (b) the method of assessment; and
 - (c) the credits to be awarded to a student who passes the assessment.

E. Certificates, Diplomas and Degrees

22. A student must have gained passes in modules taught in the University worth at least 120 credits in order to be eligible for the award of any degree or qualification.
23. A graduating student who, over a minimum period of one year of full-time study, has gained passes in modules taught in the University worth 120 credits shall be eligible for the award of a Certificate of Higher Education.
24. A student who, over a minimum period of two years of full-time study, has gained 240 credits in modules taught in the University, of which at least 80 are in 2000 level modules, shall be eligible for the award of a Diploma of Higher Education.
25. A student who, over a minimum period of three years of full-time study has gained 360 credits, of which at least, 80 are in 2000 level modules and at least 60 are in 3000 level modules and has fulfilled such other requirements prescribed in the Regulations for the M.A., M.Theol., B.Sc., or B.Eng., shall be eligible for the award of a General Degree.
26. A student who, over a minimum period of four years of full-time study, has gained 480 credits, of which at least 240 credits were gained during an approved Honours programme involving Honours modules worth at least 210 credits or 200 in the case of the BSc in Chemical Sciences, and has satisfied the appropriate Board(s) of Examiners, shall be eligible for the award of an Honours degree in the subject(s) of that Honours programme.
27. A student who, over a minimum period of four years of full-time study, has gained 540 credits, of which at least 300 credits were gained during an approved two year Master in Science programme involving Honours modules worth at least 300 credits, or who over a minimum period of five years of full-time study has gained 600 credits of which at least 360 credits were gained during an approved three year Honours Master in Science programme worth at least 330 credits, and has satisfied the appropriate Board(s) of Examiners, shall be eligible for the award of a Master in Science degree with Honours.
28. A student who, over a minimum period of four years of full-time study, has gained 540 credits, of which at least 300 credits were gained during an approved two year Master in Chemistry programme involving Honours modules worth at least 300 credits, or who over a minimum period of five years of full-time study has gained 600 credits of which at least 360 credits were gained during an approved three year Honours Master in Chemistry programme worth at least 330 credits, and has satisfied the appropriate Board(s) of Examiners, shall be eligible for the award of a Master in Chemistry degree with Honours.
29. A student who over a minimum period of four years has gained 600 credits of which at least 120 are at 5000 level within an approved Master in Mathematics programme involving Honours modules, at 3000 level and above, worth at least 330 credits, and has satisfied the appropriate Board(s) of Examiner(s), shall be eligible for the award of a Master in Mathematics degree with Honours in the subject(s) of that programme.
30. A student who, over a minimum period of five years of full-time study, has gained 600 credits, of which at least 360 credits were gained during an approved three year Master in Physics programme involving Honours modules worth at least 330 credits, and has satisfied the appropriate Board(s) of Examiner(s), shall be eligible for the award of a Master in Physics degree with Honours in the subject(s) of that programme.
31. A student who, over a minimum period of five years of full-time study, has gained 600 credits, of which at least 360 credits were gained during approved three year Master in Engineering

- programme involving Honours modules worth at least 330 credits, and has satisfied the appropriate Board(s) of Examiner(s), shall be eligible for the award of a Master in Engineering degree with Honours in the subject(s) of that programme.
32. A student who, over a minimum period of five years of full-time study, has gained 540 credits, of which at least 300 credits were gained during an approved three year programme, involving Honours modules worth at least 210 credits, and additionally 60 credits gained during an Integrated Year Abroad, and has satisfied the appropriate Board(s) of Examiners, shall be eligible for the award of an Honours degree with Integrated Year Abroad in the subject(s) of that programme.
 33. There shall be three classes of Honours determined by performance in the Honours Programme: First Class, Second Class, which shall be divided into II(1) and II(2), and Third Class. Boards of Examiners involving one or more Modern Languages shall be empowered to award a distinction in the spoken language(s).
 34. A student who fails the assessment of an Honours module may be reassessed by such means as the Board of Examiners may decide is appropriate. Honours classification shall be based on the grades achieved in the assessment for each module, but not in any re-assessment.
 35. A student who, owing to medically certified illness or other serious cause, cannot complete the assessment for a module may be assessed by such means as the Board of Examiners shall determine.
 36. Admission to the final two semesters of an Honours programme shall be at the discretion of the Board of Examiners.
 37. The Teaching, Learning and Assessment Committee, with advice from the Faculty Business Committees, shall approve, for each Honours programme:-
 - (a) any prerequisites for admission to the programme in addition to those general prerequisites stated in the Regulations;
 - (b) the modules, both obligatory and optional, which are available within that programme;
 - (c) amendments to the programme for students who spend part of the programme following an approved course of studies in another institution.
 38. No student may enter an Honours programme who does not have the prerequisites for that programme, save with permission of the Head(s) of School(s) concerned; the prescribed grades for those prerequisites at 2000 level may not normally be gained through re-assessment.

F. Limitation of Studies

39. In order to continue to a further semester a matriculated student must have passed or have permission to proceed in a module or modules worth at least 20 credits in the current semester of study and also -

in the case of full-time students:

 - (a) must have gained 80 credits after two semesters of study as a matriculated student;
 - (b) must have gained 160 credits after four semesters of study as a matriculated student;
 - (c) must have gained 240 credits after six semesters of study as a matriculated student;
 - (d) must fulfil the requirements for the degree for which they are registered within two semesters of study as a matriculated student of the minimum period specified for that degree;
 - (e) having been admitted to an Honours degree programme, must have completed the requirements for that programme within the period of study which has been specified for that programme.

and in the case of part-time students:

 - (a) must have gained 80 credits after six semesters of study as a matriculated student;
 - (b) must have gained 160 credits after ten semesters of study as a matriculated student;

- (c) complete the requirements for the General degree after eighteen semesters of study as a matriculated student.
- 40. Students who fail to meet the requirements in 39 shall have their studies limited and shall cease attending modules.
- 41. Students whose studies have been limited have the right of appeal for permission to continue their studies in the following semester. They may apply to the Faculty Business Committee which shall determine either that the students' studies be discontinued or the conditions under which students may be permitted to continue their studies.
- 42. **Limitation of Studies: Reassessment for Non-matriculated Students.** Students whose studies are limited may apply to the Dean of the relevant Faculty for permission to sit, as non-matriculated students, in the academic session following limitation, two further reassessments in any module they failed in the academic session in which they were limited. (Save in exceptional circumstances, and at the discretion of the Dean, such permission will only be granted where a student has attempted to pass the module in question at both the initial assessment diet and at a reassessment diet). These non-matriculated reassessments will ordinarily take place in the year immediately following limitation of studies. Students to whom missing credit is awarded as a result of a non-matriculated reassessment may apply to the Dean for permission to resume their studies in the University.

II ARTS REGULATIONS

A. Faculty Entrance Requirements

- 1. In addition to the General Entrance Requirements, prior to admission to study in the Faculty, a student must have gained passes at SCE Standard Grade, or its equivalent, in:-
 - (a) a language other than English; and
 - (b) either Mathematics or an approved Science.The Dean may grant exemption from these conditions.

B. Subjects

- 2. Modules in the following subjects shall be recognised as qualifying for the award of any M.A. degree:-
 - (i) Ancient History, Mediaeval History, Modern History, Scottish History;
 - (ii) Art History, Classical Studies, Music, Russian Literature & Society;
 - (iii) Arabic, English, French, German, Italian, Russian, Spanish, English as a Foreign Language;
 - (iv) Economics, Geography, Management, International Relations, Psychology, Social Anthropology;
 - (v) Greek, Hebrew, Latin;
 - (vi) Information Technology, Mathematics, Statistics;
 - (vii) Divinity, Linguistics, Philosophy;
 - (viii) any subject qualifying for a degree in another Faculty.

C. General Degree

- 3. The degree of M.A. (General) may be awarded to a student who has gained not less than 360 credits, of which:-
 - (a) at least 240 have been gained in subjects listed in Arts Regulation 2 (i) - (vii);
 - (b) at least 40 credits have been gained in subjects in each of at least three of the groups listed in Arts Regulation 2;

- (c) at least 80 credits have been gained in 2000 level modules.
- (d) at least 60 credits have been gained in 3000 level modules.

D. Honours

4. A student who has gained at least 240 credits, of which at least 160 credits have been gained in subjects listed in Arts Regulation 2 (i) - (vii) above, and has gained passes in at least 80 credits in 2000 level modules may be admitted to an Honours Degree programme, save that with the permission of the Head(s) of School(s) concerned, a student may be permitted to enter a programme having gained only 200 credits and to attend additional 1000 or 2000 level modules worth up to 40 credits in the first year of the Honours programme.

III DIVINITY REGULATIONS**A. Subjects**

1. The following subjects shall be recognised as qualifying for the award of any M.Theol. and B.D. degree:-
 - (i) Divinity
 - (ii) any subject qualifying for a degree in another Faculty.

B. General Degree (M.Theol.)

2. The degree of MTheol (General) may be awarded to a student who has gained not less than 360 credits, of which:-
 - (a) at least 240 credits have been gained from 1000 and 2000 level modules, including modules specified as part of the approved 1000 and 2000 level module requirements;
 - (b) at least 80 credits have been gained in 2000 level modules;
 - (c) at least 60 credits have been gained from 3000 level modules in Divinity.

C. Honours Degree (M.Theol.)

3. A student who has gained at least 240 credits, including those modules specified as part of the approved 1000 and 2000 level module requirements and including at least 80 credits in 2000 level modules, may be admitted to an Honours Degree programme, save that with the permission of the Head of School, a student may be permitted to enter a programme having gained only 200 credits and to attend additional 1000 and 2000 level modules worth up to 40 credits in the first year of the Honours programme. No student may be permitted to proceed to the second year of an Honours programme who has gained fewer than 240 credits in 1000 and 2000 level modules.
4. The degree of MTheol (Honours) may be awarded to a student who has gained not less than 480 credits, of which:-
 - (a) at least 240 credits have been gained from 1000 and 2000 level modules, including modules specified as part of the approved 1000 and 2000 level module requirements;
 - (b) at least 80 credits have been gained in 2000 level modules;
 - (c) at least 60 credits have been gained from 3000 level modules in Divinity as part of an approved Honours programme;
 - (d) at least 120 credits have been gained from 4000 level modules in Divinity as part of an approved Honours programme;
 - (e) a total of 240 credits have been gained from 3000 and 4000 level modules.

D. Honours Degree (B.D.)

5. A student who has gained at least 240 credits, including those modules specified as part of the approved 1000 and 2000 level module requirements and including at least 80 credits in 2000 level modules, may be admitted to an Honours Degree programme.

6. General Regulation 26 notwithstanding, the degree of B.D. (Honours) may be awarded to a student holding a degree from a British university or an equivalent qualification who over a minimum period of three years has gained not less than 390 credits, of which:-
- at least 240 credits have been gained from 1000 and 2000 level modules specified as part of the approved module requirements;
 - at least 80 credits have been gained in 2000 level modules;
 - at least 30 credits have been gained from 3000 level modules in Divinity as part of an approved Honours programme;
 - at least 90 credits have been gained from 4000 level modules in Divinity as part of an approved Honours programme;
 - a total of 150 credits have been gained from 3000 and 4000 level modules.

IV SCIENCE REGULATIONS

A. Faculty Entrance Requirement

- For admission to the Faculty a candidate for a degree or qualification in Pure Science must satisfy one of the requirements (i) to (iii):-
 - Scottish Certificate of Education examinations. Standard Grade passes in Chemistry, Physics and Mathematics at Credit Level along with Higher (H) grade passes in two of the following subjects (at least one being a subject marked by an asterisk):-
Biology*, Chemistry*, Economics, Geography*, Geology, Mathematics*, Physics*, or such other subjects as may be approved by the Teaching, Learning and Assessment Committee.
 - General Certificate of Education examinations. General Certificate of Secondary Education at grades A, B or C in Chemistry, Mathematics, and Physics, along with Advanced (A) level passes in two of the following subjects (at least one being a subject marked by an asterisk):-
Biology*, Botany, Chemistry*, Economics, Geography*, Geology, Mathematics*, Physics*, Zoology, or such other subjects as may be approved by the Teaching, Learning and Assessment Committee.
 - Passes in other examinations at such levels and in such subjects as the Teaching, Learning and Assessment Committee may accept as an equivalent qualification to those mentioned in (i) or (ii).

(In the case of applicants for a degree in Geoscience or Geology, Geology shall be deemed to be an asterisked subject in clauses (i) and (ii).)

The Dean of the Faculty shall have the authority to exempt applicants from one or more of these requirements.

B. Subjects

- The following modules shall be recognised as contributing to the award of any B.Sc.(except Medical), MSci, MChem, MMath, MPhys, BEng or MEng degree:-
All modules from the Schools of
 - Biology; Chemistry; Computer Science; Geography and Geoscience with prefix GG or GS; Mathematics & Statistics; Physics & Astronomy and Psychology;
 - Geography & Geoscience with prefix GE or ID; Philosophy & Anthropological Studies with the prefix LM, and Social Sciences with prefix EC or MN;
 - Modern Languages as specified in the pre-requisites of a recognised With Language or With Linguistics degree:

- (iv) any other module specified in the requirements of a recognised Honours degree programme (3000, 4000 and 5000 level) in the Faculty;
- (v) any other module qualifying for a degree in another Faculty.

C. General Degree

3. The degree of B.Sc. (General) in Pure Science may be awarded to a student who has gained not less than 360 credits, of which:-
- (a) at least 240 have been gained in subjects listed in Science Regulation 2 (i) - (iii), of which at least 160 have been gained in Science Regulation 2(i)-(ii);
 - (b) at least 40 credits have been gained in subjects listed in Science Regulation 2 (i)
 - (c) at least 80 credits have been gained in 2000 level modules, and at least 60 in 3000 level modules of which at least 60 credits from 2000 and 3000 levels have been gained in modules listed in Science Regulation 2 (i) - (ii).

D. Honours

4. A student who has gained at least 240 credits, of which:-
- (a) at least 80 credits have been gained at 2000 level;
 - (b) at least 200 have been gained in subjects listed in Science Regulation 2 (i) - (iii) above;
 - (c) at least 40 have been gained in subjects listed in Science Regulation 2 (i)
- may be admitted to an Honours B.Sc. Degree programme, save that with the permission of the Head(s) of School concerned, a student may be permitted to enter a programme having gained only 200 credits and to attend additional 1000 or 2000 level modules worth up to 40 credits in the first year of the Honours programme. No student may be permitted to proceed to the Second year of an Honours programme who has gained fewer than 240 credits in 1000 and 2000 level modules.
5. The subjects recognised for the Honours Degree programmes are listed in Appendix Degree List.

E. Master in Science Master in Chemistry, Master in Engineering, Master in Mathematics and Master in Physics

6. A student who has gained at least 240 credits, of which:-
- (a) at least 80 credits have been gained at 2000 level;
 - (b) at least 200 have been gained in subjects listed in Science Regulation 2 (i) - (iii) above;
 - (c) at least 40 have been gained in subjects listed in Science Regulation 2 (i) above may be admitted to an M.Sci. or M.Chem or M.Phys. or M.Math. or M.Eng. degree programme.
7. A candidate for the M.Sci. ,M.Chem. M.Math.or M.Phys. degree who in the opinion of the examiners fails to reach a sufficient level of attainment in the assessment for the modules taken in the first Honours year may be required to transfer to the corresponding Honours B.Sc. programme.
8. A candidate for the M.Eng degree who in the opinion of the examiners fails to reach a sufficient level of attainment in the assessment for the modules taken in any year may be required to transfer to an Honours BEng. programme.
9. The subjects recognised for the M.Sci. and M.Chem. and M.Phys. and M.Math. and M.Eng.degree programmes are listed in Appendix Degree List.

F. Transfer from Medical Science

10. In the case of a student who has been permitted to transfer from the B.Sc. in Medical Science to the B.Sc. in Pure Science, passes in Medical Science classes shall be deemed equivalent to passes in modules as follows:-

| Courses | Level | Credits |
|------------------------------------|-------|---------|
| Medical Science I: Human Anatomy 1 | 1000 | 40 |

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| Medical Science I: Human Physiology 1 | 1000 | 40 |
| Medical Science I: People and Health: Behaviour and Health | 1000 | 10 |
| Medical Science I: People and Health: Stress and Coping | 1000 | 10 |
| Medical Science I: Cellular & Molecular Medicine 1 | 1000 | 20 |
| Medical Science II: Human Anatomy 2 | 2000 | 40 |
| Medical Science II: Ethical and Evidence Medicine: Medical Decision Making | 2000 | 10 |
| Medical Science II: Human Physiology 2 | 2000 | 20 |
| Medical Science II: Cellular & Molecular Medicine 2 | 2000 | 20 |
| Medical Science II: Special Study Module | 2000 | 10 |
| Medical Science II: People and Healthcare: Becoming Ill and Seeking Medical Treatment | 2000 | 10 |
| Medical Science II: People and Healthcare: Interactions with Healthcare | 2000 | 10 |
| Medical Science III: Pathology | 2000 | 25 |
| Medical Science III: Pharmacology | 2000 | 25 |
| Medical Science III: Microbiology | 2000 | 25 |
| Medical Science III: People and Chronic Disease | 2000 | 10 |
| Medical Science III: Public Health | 2000 | 10 |
| Medical Science III: Applied Medical Science | 2000 | 25 |

V MEDICAL SCIENCE

ADMISSION

I General

1. In addition to the general entrance requirements, candidates for admission must satisfy the Faculty Entrance Requirements set out in Regulation 2 before they may be admitted to the Faculty, and the Class Entrance Requirements set out in Regulation 3 before they may be admitted to any of the classes named therein.

II Faculty Entrance Requirements For Students In Medical Science

2. For admission to the Faculty a candidate must satisfy one of the requirements A to C.
 - A. Scottish Qualifications Authority examinations. Ordinary (O) grade passes in Mathematics (or alternatively Mathematics at Standard grade 1 or 2 at Credit level) and Physics, along with 5 Higher (H) grade passes. Higher (H) grade passes must include Chemistry and either Mathematics or Physics.
 - B. General Certificate of Education examinations. Ordinary (O) level passes (or General Certificate of Secondary Education at grades A, B or C) in Mathematics and Physics, along with 3 Advanced (A) level passes. Advanced (A) level passes must include Chemistry and either Mathematics or Physics.
 - C. Passes in other examinations at such levels and in such subjects as the Faculty Business Committee may accept as an equivalent qualification to those mentioned in A or B.

III Class Entrance Requirements

3. Medical Science II Classes - Passes in all Medical Science I classes are required before entry is permitted to Medical Science II classes.
Medical Science III Classes - Passes in all Medical Science II classes are required before entry is permitted to Medical Science III classes.

ATTENDANCE AT COURSES**IV Classes and Degree Examinations**

4. The classes which candidates for graduation will normally be required to attend shall be of four categories: Medical Science I, Medical Science II, Medical Science III and Medical Science Honours, and there shall be degree examinations in all of these categories.

V Class Certificates

5. There shall be one grade of Class Certificate: Certificate of Due Performance.
6. Only those matriculated students whose attendance, conduct, and work in a class have been satisfactory to the Head of the School(s) will be entitled to receive a Class Certificate in that class.
7. No student who has been absent from a class for a continuous period of four or more weeks or the equivalent thereof, will be given a Class Certificate in that class save in exceptional circumstances and with the consent of the Faculty Business Committee.

VI Admission to Degree Examinations

8. Only students entitled to a Class Certificate are qualified for admission to the corresponding degree examination. This right of admission applies only to the two following diets of Medical Science examinations, though it may be extended with the consent of the Head of School(s) and the Dean, but normally for one further year only.
9. In exceptional circumstances a student who is not awarded a Class Certificate in a Medical Science class may be permitted with the approval of the Head of School(s) to attend the August diet of degree examinations.

THE GENERAL AND HONOURS DEGREE IN MEDICAL SCIENCE

10. There shall be a General and an Honours degree.

VII General Degree

11. Candidates for the General degree must satisfy the following requirements:-
 - A. They must be admitted to the Faculty to study Medical Science.
 - B. They must, during not less than three years and not more than four years, attend the following classes and pass or be exempted from the corresponding degree examinations:-
 - Medical Science I: Human Anatomy 1
 - Medical Science I: Human Physiology 1
 - Medical Science I: Cellular & Molecular Medicine 1
 - Medical Science I: Behavioural Sciences 1 People and Health: Behaviour and Health
 - Medical Science I: Behavioural Sciences 1 People and Health: Stress and Coping
 - Medical Science II: Human Anatomy 2
 - Medical Science II: Human Physiology 2
 - Medical Science II: Cellular & Molecular Medicine 2
 - Medical Science II: Ethical and Evidence Medicine - Medical Decision Making
 - Medical Science II: Behavioural Sciences 2 People and Healthcare: Becoming Ill and Seeking Medical Treatment

Medical Science II: Behavioural Sciences 2 People and Healthcare: Interactions with Healthcare

Medical Science III: Pathology

Medical Science III: Pharmacology

Medical Science III: Medical Microbiology

Medical Science III: Applied Medical Science

Medical Science III: Behavioural Sciences 3 People and Chronic Disease

Medical Science III: Public Health Medicine

For the purposes of graduation, students must attend a course and obtain a Certificate in First Aid and must also satisfactorily complete a Special Study Module.

VIII Honours Degree

12. The course of study for the degree of Bachelor of Science in Medical Science with Honours shall extend over at least four academic years of which the last, known as the Medical Science Intercalated Honours Year, shall be devoted by all candidates to the advanced study of specified subjects in the School of Biology.
13. Before being admitted to the Honours year, candidates for the Honours degree shall have completed the General degree in Medical Science and shall satisfy the Head of the School of Biology that they are capable of profiting by studying for an Honours degree.

IX Limitation of Studies

14. The following regulations concerning Limitation of Studies for Medical Science students shall apply:–
 - A. Every student must have passed or been exempted from degree examinations in : EITHER Medical Science I: Human Anatomy 1 AND Medical Science I: Human Physiology 1
OR ONE OF Medical Science I: Human Anatomy 1 or Medical Science I: Human Physiology 1
AND Medical Science I: Cellular & Molecular Medicine 1 AND Medical Science I: Behavioural Sciences 1 (both modules) within one year following the date of first matriculation.
 - B. Every student must have passed or been exempted from degree examinations in all Medical Science I classes within two years following the date of first matriculation.
 - C. Every student must have passed or been exempted from degree examinations in all Medical Science II classes within three years following the date of first matriculation.
 - D. Candidates for the General degree must have passed or been exempted from all the required degree examinations within four years of the date of first matriculation.
 - E. Students who fail to meet the above requirements will have their Medical Science studies discontinued.
 - F. Individual students have the right to appeal for permission to return to the University to continue their Medical Science studies. They may apply first to the Faculty Business Committee and then, if this appeal has failed, to the Senate Student Complaints and Appeals Committee.
 - G. Individual students have the right to appeal to the Faculty Business Committee at any time to be enrolled as Pure Science students.

X Medical Science Examinations

15. The subjects in the Medical Science Examinations at General degree level shall be:-
Medical Science I: Human Anatomy 1
Medical Science I: Human Physiology 1

Medical Science I: Cellular & Molecular Medicine 1

Medical Science I: Behavioural Sciences 1 People and Health: Behaviour and Health

Medical Science I: Behavioural Sciences 1 People and Health: Stress and Coping

Medical Science II: Human Anatomy 2

Medical Science II: Human Physiology 2

Medical Science II: Cellular & Molecular Medicine 2

Medical Science II: Ethical and Evidence Medicine - Medical Decision Making

Medical Science II: Behavioural Sciences 2 People and Healthcare: Becoming Ill and Seeking Medical Treatment

Medical Science II: Behavioural Sciences 2 People and Healthcare: Interactions with Healthcare

Medical Science III: Pathology

Medical Science III: Pharmacology

Medical Science III: Medical Microbiology

Medical Science III: Applied Medical Science

Medical Science III: Behavioural Sciences 3 People and Chronic Disease

Medical Science III: Public Health Medicine

Students must obtain a Certificate in First Aid and satisfactorily complete a Special Study Module before graduation.

16. Medical Science examinations shall be held twice a year in either January or May with reassessment in August.
 - A. In the Medical Science examinations at General degree level in each subject there shall be one or more written papers and, in addition, there may be practical examinations, Objective Structured Scientific Examinations (OSSE), Objective Structured Clinical Examinations (OSCE) and oral examinations.
 - B. At the discretion of individual schools, performance in class examinations may exempt students from up to 50 per cent of the Medical Science I and Medical Science II degree examinations, provided that all such class examination question papers are moderated by the external examiner(s) who shall also have the right to see written papers from these class examinations.
 - C. Lists of results in the Medical Science examinations shall be signed by the Head of the School(s) and the external examiner(s), and by the Dean.