Junior Honours Students (3rd YR) returning in
Semester 2, January 2020

Below you will find important information regarding re-advising for Semester 2. Please read through it carefully.

Change of Junior Honours Adviser next semester

I will be on research leave next semester, which means I will not be conducting your advising from January onwards. This task will be in the very capable hands of Dr Fiona McCallum Guiney (fm25@st-andrews.ac.uk) for the rest of the academic year. All of your queries related to advising and Junior Honours matters should be directed to her from 15th January 2020.

Advising/Re-advising for your Semester 2 modules

- If you have been on a Leave of Absence (LOA) or have been studying abroad for the last semester, you must meet with Dr McCallum Guiney in person for advising for Semester 2 (during the dates and times listed below).
- If your second semester abroad placement was cancelled for unforeseen reasons, you will be given priority re-advising on the dates listed below - you just need to contact Dr McCallum Guiney via email, you do not need to meet her in person unless you were studying abroad in Semester 1.
- If you met with me in person for advising in Semester 1, BUT wish to make changes to your Semester 2 modules, this can be done via email with Dr McCallum Guiney during the listed re-advising dates below.
- If you met with me in person for advising in Semester 1, and are happy with your Semester 2 modules, you do not need to do anything further.

Advising Dates

1) LOA or Study Abroad Students: Advising Dates Monday 20th and Tuesday 21st January, 10.00 – 12.30. Attend in person on either day with your matriculation ID card (Room 207, Arts building), no appointment needed.

2) All those students who had their Semester 2 Study Abroad placements cancelled, please email Dr McCallum Guiney on Tuesday 21st January after 12.30pm. Please put Priority Advising in the email subject header, list your preferred modules in the email and give some information about your cancelled study abroad programme (follow same instructions below on re-advising).

3) All other students who wish to make a change: you can do so from Wednesday 22nd January onwards, via email.

4) If you think you’ll need to speak in person about your module changes, Dr McCallum Guiney will be holding special re-advising office hours on the afternoon of Wednesday 22nd January from 2pm – 4pm.
Please note that no changes can be processed until the above re-advising dates. Any emails sent before then requesting changes will not be processed, and you’d need to send them again on the correct advising dates. To reiterate, if you have been on LOA or have been studying abroad for the last semester, you must meet with Dr McCallum Guiney in person with your matriculation card.

How to re-advice via email

For those using email to request a change, please ensure you include:

- Your full name
- Your Matriculation number
- Clear instructions on which modules you would like to be advised out of and which modules (in ranked order) you would like to be advised into. Please provide a list of 5 preferences with MODULE CODES.

New Semester 2 Modules

You’ll be pleased to know 5 new Junior Honours modules will be offered in Semester 2. These are listed below, and module descriptions are also attached with this email (the module booklets for these new modules will only be available from January). If you are interested in switching into any of these modules, the same procedures listed above apply. Please note, IR3038 and IR3048 have a lot of overlap in content, so students enrolling in one of these should not enrol in the other.

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- Students should be aware that changes are made subject to space in the relevant module, and that due to the number of students and modules involved, there are no waiting lists for any IR modules. **You have until the end of week 1 of Semester 2** to make any further changes to your modules, after which time you will not be able to change modules. As such please email Dr McCallum-Guiney **no later than 2 February 2020 (midnight)** to request any switch. Please refer to the UG Course Catalogue for module descriptions; old module booklets can be found on Moodle (apart from the 5 new modules listed above which as mentioned you’ll find on Moodle in January).
• Further information on 4th year dissertations and Senior Honours allocations will be given to you towards the end of Semester 2 – you will be notified of the date and time for that session in the new year.
• Please do not contact individual module coordinators or tutors regarding re-advising as they cannot make any decisions on module enrolment; you can direct any other queries (but not re-advising requests) to me at my email jkng@st-andrews.ac.uk until the 14th January 2020, after which please direct your queries to Dr McCallum Guiney (fm25@st-andrews.ac.uk). Hopefully this email should have answered most of your queries.

Thank you for being a great cohort, it’s been a pleasure to work with you all as Junior Honours Adviser. I wish you all the best with the rest of your third year; and I hope you have a wonderful Christmas and a relaxing holiday.

Dr Jasmine Gani
Junior Honours Adviser