1. COURT RESOLUTIONS

The University has the power to confer degrees under the various Court Ordinances and Resolutions detailed below. The full text of each can be found on the University Court website at www.st-andrews.ac.uk/about/UniversityCourt/Ordinancesandresolutions. The Senatus Academicus, with the approval of the University Court, has the power to make regulations on any matters in order to give effect to these instruments.

- Resolution 1994 No.1 - Conferment of Undergraduate Degrees (4 July 1994)
- Resolution 2000 No.4 - Degree of Master in Physics (M.Phys.) (2 March 2001)
- Resolution 2001 No.3 - Degrees of Doctor of Engineering (D.Eng.)
- Resolution 2008 No.3 - Degree of Bachelor of Arts (International Honours) (5 December 2008)
- Resolution 2009 No.1 – Degree of Master of Research in Medicine (26 February 2010)
- Resolution 2012 No.1 – Degree of Master of Geology (M.Geol.), (13 April 2012)
- Resolution 2013 No.1 – Degree of Master of Biochemistry (M.Biochem) (24 January 2014)

2. 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

“LTC” for Learning and Teaching 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 equivalent period of part-time study, where the equivalent period for a programme is normally twice the period specified.

“Honours Programme” for that element of the Degree Programme which comprises 3000 level modules or above.
I GENERAL REGULATIONS

A. General Entrance Requirements

1. A candidate will normally be expected to have attained:
   SCQF Level 6 in three subjects or
   QCF Level 3 in two subjects or
   its equivalent
   together with a pass in SQA Credit Level Standard Grade English or an equivalent qualification, in order to gain admission to the University.

2. A candidate for admission to a Faculty must have obtained prior to admission qualifications which satisfy the above minimum and the Faculty Entrance Requirements determined by the LTC and such other requirements as the Senatus Academicus may approve.

3. Any or all of these requirements may be waived by the Director of Admissions in consultation with the Dean of the relevant Faculty either for candidates who are at least 21 years of age on entry or in order to promote wider access.

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.

B. Credit Transfer

5. 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 or experience may be deemed by the Dean 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. For a student admitted to a General degree a maximum of only 180 credits may be awarded in recognition of prior study.

6. A candidate for an Honours degree, 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 Dean of the relevant Faculty.

7. In the case of students eligible for admission under 5 above, the Head of School in consultation with the Dean of the relevant Faculty shall determine the programme and module prerequisites that are deemed to have been fulfilled by prior study.

8. 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.
C. Students

9. 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.

10. 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, or 60 per semester. Under no circumstances may a student register for more than 160 credits per session. A part-time day-time student shall at the beginning of each year normally register for modules leading to the award of at least 20 credits per semester and normally no more than 80 credits per session. A part-time Evening degree student shall at the beginning of each year normally register for modules leading to the award of at least 15 credits per semester and normally no more than 80 credits per session.

11. A non-graduating student may apply for admission to graduating status. Applications will be considered by the Dean of the relevant Faculty.

12. 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 there-advising period. Exceptionally, the Dean of the relevant Faculty, with the approval of the Head of School(s) concerned, may permit later amendments.

D. Modules and Assessments

13. 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.

14. Normally, no full-time student may enrol for a 3000 level module with fewer than 200 credits, including at least 40 at 2000 Level. Modules at 4000 and 5000 level may only be taken as part of an approved honours programme.

15. Regular attendance (as set down in School Handbooks) is required from all students who wish to proceed in a module. Students who breach this requirement may be awarded 0X by the Board of Examiners and receive no credits for the module.

16. No student who has been absent from a module for more than two consecutive weeks or more than 10 consecutive teaching days, or a total of 15 non-consecutive teaching days, shall be permitted to continue in that module, save in exceptional circumstances and with the consent of the Dean of the relevant Faculty.

17. A student who is absent from classes for a two year period, may be required to reapply for admission and in such circumstances the Dean of the relevant Faculty will determine the amount and nature of the credit to be awarded in respect of any previous study.

18. To gain a pass in a module a student must perform at, or above, the standard specified in the School Handbook for that module. A student who gains a pass in a module shall be awarded the credits for that module.
19. 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.

20. 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.

21. Students enrolled in a module proceed to an end-of-semester assessment and (if unsuccessful in the assessment) to reassessment subject to the two following requirements:
   (a) where the student has fulfilled the terms and conditions of attendance and submission of work required in the School Regulations; and
   (b) where the student has in the end-of-semester examination fulfilled the requirements laid down in the School Handbook.

22. Students who fail reassessment in a module are not eligible for a further reassessment.

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

24. The Deans, with advice from the Curriculum Approvals Group, 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

25. 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 a Certificate or Diploma, at least 180 credits to be eligible for the award of a General Degree and at least 240 to be eligible for the award of a Honours degree. Exceptions to this requirement may be made at the discretion of the Dean of the relevant Faculty.

26. 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.

27. 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.

28. A student who, over a minimum period of three years of full-time study, or fewer where Recognition of Prior Learning has been granted, has gained 360 credits, of which at least, 80 are in 2000 level modules and at least a further 60 are in 3000 level modules and who has fulfilled such other requirements prescribed in the Regulations for the M.A., M.Theol., B.Sc. shall be eligible for the award of a General Degree.

29. The General Degree may be awarded with Distinction to a candidate who fulfils the conditions for the award of the degree and who either gains passes at grade 16.5 or above in modules totalling at least 120 credits; or gains passes at grade 13.5 or above in modules totalling at least 180 credits, of which modules worth at least 20 credits out of the 180 must be passed at grade 16.5 or above, and at least 40 credits of the 180 must be in 2000 and 3000 level modules. Each individual module counting towards the Distinction must be passed at
the indicated level: use of Grade Point Average across 120 or 180 credits is not acceptable.

30. A student who, over a minimum period of four years of full-time study, or fewer where Recognition of Prior Learning has been granted, 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 and including at least 90 credits in 4000 level modules, and has satisfied the appropriate Board(s) of Examiners, shall be eligible for the award of B.Sc./M.A./B.D. or M.Theol. degree with Honours in the subject(s) of that Honours programme. In the case of the B.Sc Chemical Sciences programme the minimum number of Honours credits is 200 of which at least 90 credits are in 4000 level modules.

31. A student who over a minimum period of five years of full-time study, or fewer where Recognition of Prior Learning has been granted, has gained 600 credits of which at least 120 are at 5000 level within an approved Integrated Masters programme, and involving Honours modules, at 3000 level and above, worth at least 330 credits, and who has satisfied the appropriate Board(s) of Examiner(s), shall be eligible for the award of a Masters degree with Honours in the subject(s) of that programme.

32. There will be Integrated Masters programmes in Chemistry (Master in Chemistry), Engineering (Master in Engineering), Mathematics (Master in Mathematics), Physics (Master in Physics), Geology (Master in Geology), Biochemistry (Master in Biochemistry) and Science (Master in Science).

33. In order to be eligible for the award of an Honours degree with Integrated Year Abroad a student must, over a minimum period of five years of full-time study, gain 540 credits and satisfy the appropriate Board(s) of Examiners. These credits must include at least 300 obtained during an approved three year programme, involving Honours modules worth at least 210 credits including at least 90 at 4000 level, and additionally 60 credits gained during an Integrated Year Abroad.

34. There shall be five types of Honours Degrees: Single Honours; Joint Honours; “With” Degrees (Honours); Triple Subject Honours Degrees involving Modern Languages; and International Honours.

(a) Single Honours degrees shall be degrees where the number of required credits in a single subject area exceeds three-quarters of the total credits for the Honours programme. Any other subjects taken as part of the Honours programme shall not be named.

(b) Joint Honours degrees shall be degrees where more than one-third of the credits of the Honours programme are taken in each of two subject areas. In these cases both subjects will be named.

(c) “With” Degrees (Honours) shall be degrees where credits for an Honours programme are obtained from two subject areas, and where no fewer than one-quarter and no more than one-third of the credits are taken in one of the two subject areas. These degrees are also known as Major/Minor degrees.

(d) Triple Subject Honours degrees involving three modern languages or two modern languages and one other subject shall be degrees where credits for an Honours programme are obtained from three subject areas, at least two of which are modern languages, and where no more than one-half and no fewer than one-quarter of the
credits are taken in each of the three subjects.

(e) International Honours degrees shall be degrees where the number of required credits in a single (or core) subject area equals three-quarters of the total credits for the Honours programme. Any other subjects taken as part of the Honours programme shall not be named.

35. 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, except that Third Class Honours shall not be awarded in an International Honours programme. Boards of Examiners involving one or more Modern Languages shall be empowered to award a distinction in the spoken language(s).

36. Only grades from 3000-level, 4000-level and 5000-level (where applicable) modules, taken during an approved Honours programme, will be used to calculate the Honours degree classification. Any grades obtained in such modules prior to admission to an Honours programme will not be used. Exceptions to this requirement may be made at the discretion of the Dean of the relevant Faculty.

37. Grades achieved during study abroad will be entered into the Honours degree calculation, but this will not occur for any ungraded credits from study abroad or credits not formally approved as part of an Honours programme.

38. 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. Honours grades passed at reassessment will be capped at grade 7.0 and will be entered into the Honours degree calculation as a grade of 7.0. Sub honours reassessment grades are not capped at grade 7.0. For Honours modules failed at reassessment (and no credit gained) the original failed grade will be included in the calculation of the Honours degree classification.

39. For a student who fails an Honours module at both first sitting and reassessment but then subsequently re-takes and passes the module, both the original and subsequent grades will be entered into the calculation of the Honours degree classification.

40. A student who is awarded a 0X by the Board of Examiners in an Honours level module will have a grade of 0 entered into the calculation for the Honours degree classification even though no credits are obtained for the module.

41. 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.

42. The Deans, with advice from the relevant Curriculum Approvals Group, 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, that are available within that programme;

(c) amendments to the programme for students who spend part of the study period following an approved course of studies in another institution.
43. Students may be permitted automatic, qualified or conditional entry to Honours in accordance with the Policy on Entry to Honours

F. Termination of Studies

44. I. In order to continue to a further semester a full-time matriculated student must have passed a minimum of 20 credits in the current semester of study and:

(a) must have gained 80 credits after two semesters of full-time study as a matriculated student;
(b) must have gained 160 credits after four semesters of full-time study as a matriculated student;
(c) must have gained 240 credits after six semesters of full-time study as a matriculated student;
(d) must fulfil the general requirements for the degree programme within the maximum period specified for that degree. For a General degree the maximum period of full-time study is eight semesters; for an Honours degree the maximum period of full-time study is ten semesters, of which no more than four semesters may form the Honours part of the programme; for an Integrated Masters programme the maximum period of full-time study is twelve semesters, of which no more than six semesters may form the Honours and Integrated Masters part of the programme.

II. In order to continue to a further semester a part-time day-time matriculated student must have passed a minimum of 20 credits in the current semester of study and:

(a) must have gained 40 credits after two semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(b) must have gained 80 credits after four semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(c) must have gained 120 credits after six semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(d) must have gained 160 credits after eight semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(e) must have gained 200 credits after ten semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(f) must have gained 240 credits after twelve semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(g) must fulfil the general requirements for their degree programme within the maximum period specified for that degree. For a General degree the maximum period of part-time study is sixteen semesters; for an Honours degree the maximum period of part-time study is twenty semesters, of which no more than eight semesters may form the Honours part of the programme; for an Integrated Masters programme the maximum period of full-time study is twenty four semesters, of which no more than twelve semesters may form the Honours and Integrated Masters part of the programme.
II. In order to continue to a further semester a part-time Evening degree matriculated student must have passed a minimum of 15 credits in the current semester of study and:

(a) must have gained 30 credits after two semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(b) must have gained 60 credits after four semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(c) must have gained 90 credits after six semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(d) must have gained 120 credits after eight semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(e) must have gained 150 credits after ten semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(f) must have gained 180 credits after twelve semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(g) must have gained 210 credits after fourteen semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(h) must have gained 240 credits after sixteen semesters of study as a matriculated student;
(i) must fulfil the general requirements for their degree programme within the maximum period specified for that degree. For a General Evening degree the maximum period of part-time study is twenty four semesters.

45. Students who fail to meet any of the minimum requirements in Regulation 44 shall have their studies terminated and shall cease attending modules with immediate effect.

46. Students whose studies have been terminated have the right to request a review of the decision to terminate their studies in order to continue their studies in the following semester. They may apply to the relevant Dean who shall determine either that the students’ studies be terminated or the conditions under which students may be permitted to continue their studies. As soon as a student submits a request to review the decision to terminate their studies, the student may attend classes until the outcome of the request is known.

G. Academic Misconduct

47. If academic misconduct relating to work assessed as part of a qualification awarded by the University of St Andrews is at any time proven against someone holding such a qualification, the University reserves the right to withdraw or reclassify the qualification awarded.

H. Teaching

48. There will be no compulsory undergraduate teaching and/or curricular activity after 1pm on Wednesday afternoons during Michaelmas and Candlemas semesters. Any request to allow an exception to this regulation must first be made in writing by the Head of School to the Vice-Principal (Proctor), with appropriate documentary evidence.
I. Auditing of Modules

49. 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 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.
II ARTS REGULATIONS

A. Faculty Entrance Requirements

1. In addition to the General Entrance Requirements, prior to admission to study in the Faculty, a candidate must have gained a pass at SQA Credit Level Standard Grade, or its equivalent, in Mathematics. It is also desirable that candidates have gained a pass at SQA Credit Level Standard Grade, in a language other than English (with the exception of Modern Languages students who will have higher entry requirements).

The Dean may grant exemptions 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, Film Studies;
   (iii) Arabic, English, French, German, Italian, Persian, Russian, Spanish, Comparative Literature, English as a Foreign Language;
   (iv) Economics, Geography, Management, International Relations, Psychology, Social Anthropology, Sustainable Development;
   (v) Greek, Hebrew, Latin;
   (vi) Information Technology, Mathematics, Statistics;
   (vii) Divinity, Linguistics, Philosophy;
   (viii) Interdisciplinary Modules approved by the Faculties of Arts & Divinity;
   (ix) 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:-

   (a) at least 160 credits have been gained in modules identified by Arts Regulation 2 (i) - (vii) above;
   (b) at least 80 credits have been gained at 2000 level
and meets all other programme rules and requirements, may be permitted entry to an Honours Degree programme in accordance with the Policy on Entry to Honours.

A student having satisfied (a) and (b) but gained less than 240 credits may be permitted to enter an Honours programme and to attend one additional 1000 or 2000 level module worth up to 30 credits in the first year of the Honours programme. No student may be permitted to proceed to the final year of the Honours programme who has gained fewer than 240 credits in 1000 and 2000 level modules in accordance with (a) and (b).

5. Admission to the final two semesters of an Honours programme shall be at the discretion of the Board of Examiners.
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 M.Theol.(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

3. A student who has gained at least 240 credits:
   (a) of which at least 80 credits have been gained at 2000 level;
   (b) including those modules specified as part of the approved 1000 and 2000 level module requirements
and meets all other programme rules and requirements, may be permitted entry to an Honours Degree programme in accordance with the Policy on Entry to Honours

A student having satisfied (a) and (b) but gained less than 240 credits may be permitted to enter an Honours programme and to attend one additional 1000 or 2000 level module worth up to 30 credits in the first year of the Honours programme. No student may be permitted to proceed to the final year of the 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.

5. The degree of BD (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 90 credits have been gained from 4000 level modules in Divinity as part of an approved Honours programme;

(d) a total of at least 210 credits have been gained from 3000 and 4000 level modules in Divinity as part of an approved Honours programme.
IV SCIENCE REGULATIONS

A. Faculty Entrance Requirement

1. In addition to the General Entrance Requirements, prior to admission to study in the Faculty, a candidate must have gained SQA Standard Grade (1 or 2), or GCSE (A or B) or equivalent in English and Mathematics along with at least two Highers (H) OR at least one GCE A level, or equivalent in the following subjects: Biology, Chemistry, Computing Science, Geography (or Geology), Mathematics, Physics, Psychology.

   International Baccalaureate: At least Standard B Level in: Mathematics and English. A Higher IB Level pass is also required in one of the following subjects: Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Geography, Geology, Mathematics, Physics, Psychology.

   The Dean may grant exemption from these conditions.

B. Subjects

2. The following modules shall be recognised as contributing to the award of any B.Sc. (except Medical), M.Sci., M.Chem., M.Math., M.Phys., M.Geol., or M.Biochem degree:-

   (i) Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Earth Science, Geography, Information Technology, Mathematics, Physics, Psychology, Statistics;

   (ii) Economics, Interdisciplinary Modules approved by the Faculty of Science, Management, Philosophy (within the programmes for Logic and Philosophy of Science only), Sustainable Development;

   (iii) Modern Languages as specified in the requirements of a recognised ‘With Language’ or ‘With Linguistics’ degree;

   (iv) 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 modules identified by Science Regulation 2 (i) - (iii), of which at least 180 have been gained in Science Regulation 2(i)- (ii);

   (b) at least 40 credits have been gained in modules identified by Science Regulation 2 (i);

   (c) at least 80 credits have been gained in 2000 level modules;

   (d) at least 60 in 3000 level modules.

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 40 have been gained in modules identified by Science Regulation 2 (i);

   (c) at least 160 have been gained in modules identified by Science Regulation 2 (i) - (iii)
and meets all other programme rules and requirements may be permitted entry to an Honours degree programme in accordance with the Policy on Entry to Honours.

A student having satisfied (a) and (b) but gained less than 240 credits may be permitted to enter an Honours programme and to attend one additional 1000 or 2000 level module worth up to 30 credits. No student may be permitted to proceed to the final year of the Honours programme who has gained fewer than 240 credits in 1000 and 2000 level modules in accordance with (a), (b) and (c).

5. Admission to the final two semesters of an Honours programme shall be at the discretion of the Board of Examiners.

6. 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, Master in Physics, Master in Biochemistry and Master in Geology

7. 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.Geol., or M.Biochem degree programme.

8. A candidate for the M.Sci., M.Chem., M.Math., M.Phys., M.Geol., or M.Biochem 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 the corresponding Honours B.Sc programme.


10. A candidate for the M.Sci., M.Chem. M.Math., M.Phys., M.Geol., or M.Biochem degree may transfer to the corresponding Honours B.Sc programme with the permission of the Dean.
V. MEDICAL REGULATIONS

A. Faculty Entrance Requirements

1. In addition to the General Entrance Requirements, candidates for admission should satisfy one of the following:

   (a) Scottish Qualifications Authority (SQA) Higher examinations. At least AAAAB including Chemistry (A grade) and at least one of Biology, Mathematics or Physics. If Biology or Mathematics have not been passed at Higher grade, each must normally have been passed at Standard grade Credit Level (grade 1 or 2) or Intermediate 2 (grade A or B). A pass must also be offered in Standard grade English at Credit Level (grade 1 or 2) or Intermediate 2 (grade A or B).

   (b) General Certificate of Education (GCE) examinations. AAA at Advanced (A2) level, including Chemistry and at least one of Biology, Mathematics or Physics. If Biology or Mathematics are not offered at Advanced (A2), each must normally have been passed at GCSE grade B or better. A pass must also be offered in GCSE English at grade B or better.

   (c) Passes in other examinations at such levels and in such subjects as the Dean may accept as an equivalent qualification to those mentioned in (a) or (b).

B. Honours

2. A student who has gained 240 credits, of which at least 120 credits have been gained at 2000 level in approved modules in Medicine and 120 credits of advanced standing or 120 credits in such subjects as the Dean may accept as an equivalent qualification, and meets all other programme rules and requirements may be permitted entry to the Honours B.Sc. Degree programme in Medicine in accordance with the Policy on Entry to Honours.

C. Honours Degree

3. To qualify for the Honours degree, candidates must satisfy the following requirements:

   (a) They must be admitted to the Faculty of Medicine.

   (b) They must, during not less than three years and not more than four years following the date of first matriculation attend the modules and pass or be exempted from the corresponding module examinations, for the approved Programme in Medicine.

D. General Degree

4. The degree of B.Sc. (General) in Medicine may be awarded to a student who has gained not less than 360 credits, of which:

   (a) at least 240 must have been gained in approved modules in Medicine and;

   (b) no less than 80 may have been modules from the Schools of Biology, Chemistry or Psychology;

   (c) up to 40 credits may have been gained from modules at 1000 or 2000 level in the Faculties of Arts or Divinity;

   (d) at least 80 credits must have been gained in 2000 level modules;
(e) at least 60 credits must have been gained in 3000 level modules.
E. Termination of Studies

5. The following regulations concerning Termination of Studies for Medical students shall apply:

Every student:

(a) must have gained 60 credits at 2000 level in approved modules in Medicine after two semesters of study at that level.

(b) must have gained 120 credits at 2000 level in approved modules in Medicine after four semesters of study.

(c) must have gained 120 credits at 3000 level in approved modules in Medicine after six semesters of study.

(d) Every student must complete all modules for the Honours degree in Medicine within four years.

Students who fail to meet the above requirements shall have their studies terminated and shall cease attending modules.

Students whose studies have been terminated have the right to request a review of the decision to terminate their studies in order to continue their studies in the following semester. They may apply to the Dean of Medicine who shall determine either that the students’ studies be terminated or the conditions under which students may be permitted to continue their studies. As soon as a student submits a request to review the decision to terminate their studies, the student may attend classes until the outcome of the request is known.