

APPROVED VARIATIONS TO UNDERGRADUATE REGULATIONS 2021-2022

With reference to the Undergraduate Regulations for 2021-22, Academic Board has approved variations to these Regulations for the following programmes:

- BA (Hons) Accountancy and Finance, and BA (Hons) Business and Finance
- BSc (Hons) Acupuncture
- Cert HE Ambulance Clinical Technician Practice
- Bachelor of Architecture with Honours (and BA (Hons) Architecture)
- Master of Biosciences (MBio), BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science and BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science with Science Foundation Year (applicable to students enrolling on and after 2017/2018)
- Master of Biosciences (MBio) and BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science programmes (applicable to students enrolled before 2017/2018)
- BA (Hons) Business Studies with Professional Practice, BA (Hons) Business and Management with Professional Practice, BA (Hons) Business and Marketing with Professional Practice
- BSc (Hons)/MComp Computer Science and BSc (Hons)/MComp Games Computing
- BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering programmes, MEng Mechanical Engineering programmes, BEng (Hons) Electrical Engineering programmes, Meng Electrical Engineering programmes, BEng (Hons) Mechatronics (including the above with Science Foundation Year)
- FdSc Engineering Management
- In-Year Resits for specific programmes in the School of Health & Social Care: BSc (Hons) Midwifery, BSc (Hons) Nursing with registered nurse (Adult), BSc (Hons) Nursing with registered nurse (Mental Health), BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered nurse Adult), BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered nurse Mental Health), BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered nurse Child), Cert HE Ambulance Clinical Technician Practice, Diploma(HE) Nursing Associate, and BSc (Hons) Paramedic Science
- Proceed with Conditions for specific programmes in the School of Health & Social Care: Ambulance Technician Practice (Cert HE), Nursing (Adult; Child; Mental Health) (BSc (Hons)), Nursing Degree Apprenticeship, FdSc Nursing Associate, Midwifery (BSc (Hons)), Paramedic Science (BSc (Hons)), Social Work Degree Apprenticeship.
- Interruption of Studies for specific programmes in the School of Health & Social Care: BSc (Hons) Midwifery,
 BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered Nurse –Adult), BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered Nurse –Child), BSc (Hons)
 Nursing (Registered Nurse –Mental Health), BSc (Hons) Paramedic Science, BSc (Hons) Professional Practice,
 BSc (Hons) Social Work, Cert (HE) Ambulance Technician Practice, FdSc Nursing Associate.
- BSc (Hons) Herbal Medicine
- BSc (Hons) Food Science and Technology, BSc (Hons) Food and Drink Operations and Manufacturing Management, BSc (Hons) Agri-Produce and Supply Chain Management and BSc (Hons) Operations and Supply Chain Management
- LLB (Hons) Law and LLB (Hons) Law Joint Awards (including Certificate of HE programmes)
- FsSc Maritime Studies
- BSc (Hons) Midwifery
- Non-Medical Prescribing Short Course and Graduate Certificate in Independent/ Supplementary Prescriber Prescribing
- BSc (Hons) Nursing (including Adult Nursing and Mental Health Nursing pathways)
- BSc (Hons) Nursing with Registered Nurse (Adult) and BSc (Hons) Nursing with Registered Nurse (Mental Health) including Return to Practice (Nursing) short course
- BSc (Hons) Nursing (Pre-registration Adult) and the BSc (Hons) Nursing (Pre-registration Mental Health) and the BSc (Hons) Nursing (Pre-registration – Child)
- Diploma of HE Nursing Associate Programme
- FdSc Nursing Associate
- BSc (Hons) Paramedic Science
- Master of Pharmacy
- BSc Physics/MPhys (including 'Mathematics and' and 'with Philosophy' pathways)
- BSc (Hons) Professional Practice
- BSc Professional Practice (Module NUR9037M: Paediatric Urgent Care)
- BSc (Hons) Psychology; BSc (Hons) Psychology with Clinical Psychology; BSc (Hons) Psychology with Mental Health; BSc (Hons) Psychology with Forensic Psychology
- Post Qualifying Professional Practice Programmes
- BSc (Hons) Social Work
- BSc (Hons) Sport and Exercise Therapy and Cert HE Sport and Exercise Therapy
- University of Lincoln and UoWM KDU (Penang) University College, Malaysia (Undergraduate Dual Awards)

The Schedules for the above variations are set out overleaf.

SCHEDULE BA (HONS) ACCOUNTANCY AND FINANCE BA (HONS) BUSINESS AND FINANCE

NB: Academic Board approved the following proposal to run from 2018/19 onwards. Students on existing cohorts in years 2 and 3 will have the opportunity to request a professional resit but new students coming in at either levels 1, 2 or 3 in 2018/19 will not have that opportunity.

The variation outlined below will end with the last cohort of students exiting in the year 2019/20 unless they have had a year out when it would be 2020/21.

- 1. Students must achieve an examination* mark of at least 40% in each of the modules** at Levels 1, 2 and 3, as specified by the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA), in order to meet professional requirements for exemptions.
- 2. Students meeting University progression requirements but not achieving a mark of 40% in the examination element of the module assessment should have the right to resit the relevant failed examination. The maximum number of reassessment attempts shall be limited to one, giving a total of two attempts at the specified modules.

Level 1 Modules

ACC1002M Introduction to Accountancy and Finance

ACC1026M Introduction to Business Law
BUS1001M Contemporary Business Analysis
ECO1023M Analysis of Business Data

Level 2 Modules

ACC2013M Financial Accountancy
ACC2014M Management Accountancy
ACC2015M Financial Management
BUS2106M Contemporary Business Issues

Level 3 Modules

ACC3162M Advanced Financial Accountancy
ACC3163M Advanced Management Accountancy
FIN3026M Advanced Financial Management
FIN3028M Taxation and Financial Planning

ACC3164M Auditing

^{*}Only applies to the examination component of the module

^{**} Specified modules

SCHEDULE BSc (HONS) ACUPUNCTURE

- 1. For the specified professional modules* students must achieve at least 40% in each component, and hence an overall module mark of at least 40%, in order to meet professional requirements for accreditation.
- 2. Reassessment and retake entitlements shall be subject to the standard university undergraduate assessment regulations. Resit marks shall be capped at 40%.
- 3. Students are required to meet the attendance requirements of the clinical modules at levels 2 and 3. Students not meeting these requirements will be given the opportunity to make good the deficit with a specified time scale but progression to Semester B at each level will be subject to successfully achieving the professional attendance requirement.
- 4. Students not achieving, following reassessment or retake of the module(s), the required standard for single honours Acupuncture shall be considered for an alternative exit award as follows:

Tariff Award

360 BSc (Hons) Complementary Medicine Studies

300 BSc Complementary Medicine Studies

(at least 60 at level 3 and 120 at level 2)

Diploma in Higher Education in Complementary Medicine Studies

(at least 120 at level 2)

120 Certificate in Higher Education in Complementary Medicine Studies

These alternative exit awards are not professionally accredited.

- 5. Students shall be subject to the programme disciplinary code of behaviour which, in line with professional requirements, allows for the immediate suspension of a student from a clinical area. Details of the disciplinary code of behaviour will be given to all students enrolled on the programme.
- * Specified professional modules

Level 1

Chinese Medicine Theory Chinese Medicine Diagnostics Meridian and Acupuncture Points

(double module)

Acupressure Massage

Level 2

Syndrome Pattern and Treatment (double module)

Acupuncture Skill and Clinical Observation 1 [clinical module]
Acupuncture Skill and Clinical Observation 2 [clinical module]

Level 3

Acupuncture Management of Common Diseases Acupuncture Management of Chronic Diseases

Acupuncture Clinical Practice 1 [clinical module]

Acupuncture Clinical Practice 2 [clinical module] (double module)

SCHEDULE CERT HE AMBULANCE CLINICAL TECHNICIAN PRACTICE

All assessment elements must be passed in order to achieve each module; no compensation will be allowed between assessment elements.

Students will only be required to re-sit failed elements of modules.

All practice related assessments are pass or fail and no grade will be attributed to assessments associated with practice learning.

Where there has been evidence of breach in confidentiality within an assessment, students will be referred to the Fitness to Practise Process.

SCHEDULE BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE WITH HONOURS AND BA (HONS) ARCHITECTURE

BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE WITH HONOURS

- 1. Students must pass all individual module components with at least a mark of 40%.
- 2. Students who fail to satisfy the Architects Registration Board (ARB) and Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) criteria, but fulfil the University's general standards in assessment, will be allowed to graduate with a BA (Hons) Architecture.

BA (HONS) ARCHITECTURE

3. For BA (Hons) Architecture - Students who successfully pass Level one with an average mark of at least 55% are permitted to transfer to the BArch (Hons)/Bachelor of Architecture programme in Level two.

MBIO & BSc (HONS) BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE & BSc (HONS) BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE WITH FOUNDATION YEAR FROM 2017-18 (APPLICABLE TO STUDENTS ENROLLING ON OR AFTER 2017/2018)

Progression requirements:

The **essential modules** listed below must be passed at 40% overall.

| Research Methods for the Life Sciences Intro to Life Sciences Human Anatomy and Physiology Health and Disease Medical Biochemistry Data Skills for the Life Sciences Clinical Biochemistry and Diagnostics Immunology Medical Microbiology Fundamentals of Pharm and Tox Molecular Biology Human Ageing and Disease Research Project 21st Century Medicine Cancer Epidemiology and Pathology Blood Sciences | BGY1012M BIO1043M BMS1073M BMS1074M BCH1003M BGY2011M BMS2032M BGY2002M BMS2031M BMS2031M BMS2033M BGY2003M BMS2033M BGY3003M BMS3035M BMS3037M BMS3036M |
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For the **optional modules** listed below, the normal progression requirements as are detailed in the University's Undergraduate Regulations apply.

| 3031M |
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| 3005M |
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| S3033M |
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Resit entitlement:

Where a student fails to achieve the progression requirements they shall be permitted resit opportunities in accordance with standard University CATS limits for resits.

Progression:

If after first sit and resit attempts, a student fails to meet the progression requirements they will not be permitted to retake the level on the MBio/BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science or the BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science with Science Foundation Year programmes but will be dealt with as follows:

- 1. Students meeting the University's general pass standard but not the professional requirements will be progressed onto the next level of the Medical Bioscience programme with the same award.
- 2. Students not meeting the University's general pass standard will be transferred to the Medical Bioscience programme with the same award and re-take the level. Students may not normally transfer back to the MBio/BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science programme at any future point.
- 3. Students that fail to meet the professional requirements but meet the University's general pass standard, who subsequently choose not to transfer to the non-accredited programme, may withdraw from studies with the appropriate exit award in Medical Bioscience.
- 4. Level 2 students who meet the progression requirements in 90 CATS and who also have sufficient grades to progress on ordinary route, will be permitted to PPO on the BSc Biomedical Science. Failure to complete the PPO modules during level 3 will mean the student will be awarded (at best) an Ordinary degree in BSc Medical Bioscience.

Award:

If a final year student meets the University's general pass standard but not the professional requirements, they will be eligible for the award of MBio/BSc (Hons) Medical Bioscience.

BSc students who have not passed the final level but have passed at least 60 Level 3 credits they will be eligible for the award of an unclassified (ordinary degree) in BSc Medical Bioscience.

MBio Biomedical Science students who have not passed the final level but have passed at least 60 Level 4 credits will be eligible for the award of the BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science degree as per their level 3 performance and in addition will be entitled to a PG Cert in Medical Bioscience.

SCHEDULE MBIO AND BSc (HONS) BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE (APPLICABLE TO STUDENTS ENROLLED BEFORE 2017/2018)

Level 1:

IBMS accreditation requirements mean, a minimum mark of 40% for the modules BMS1070M and BMS1072M Human Anatomy and Physiology with Clinical Correlations 1 & 2 is required. IBMS accreditation requirements mean, all examinations below must be passed with a mark of at least 40% at first sit or resit:

BGY1005M Genetics
BGY1008M Biochemistry & Metabolism
BMS1071M Health & Disease
BMS1072M Human Anatomy & Physiology with Clinical Correlations

Students failing to meet the relevant pass requirements at level 1 after first sit/resit will be transferred as follows:

- 1. Students meeting the University's general pass standard but not the professional requirements will be transferred onto level 2 of the BSc (Hons) Medical Bioscience programme
- 2. Students not meeting the University's general pass standard will be transferred onto the BSc (Hons) Medical Bioscience and re-take level 1. Students may not transfer back to the MBio/BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science programme at any future point.

Students that fail to meet the professional requirements at level 1 but meet the University's general pass standard, and choose not to transfer, may withdraw from studies with an exit award of Certificate of Higher Education in Medical Bioscience. No opportunity to retake level 1 on the MBio/BSc Biomedical Science will be permitted.

Level 2:

IBMS accreditation requirements mean, a minimum mark of 40% in all examinations at first sit or resit in the modules below:

BIO2038M Medical & Veterinary Microbiology BGY2002M Immunology BMS2009M Biology of Human Disease BMS2013M Introduction to Clinical Biochemistry

In order to progress to level 3 MBio students must also meet the standard regulations for progression on integrated master's programmes, which includes an overall level average mark of at least 50%.

Students failing to meet the relevant pass requirements at level 2 after first sit/resit will be transferred as follows:

- 1) MBio students not meeting the University's general Integrated Masters pass standard but meeting the University's general undergraduate pass standard and the professional requirements will be transferred onto level 3 of the BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science programme (in line with undergraduate regulation section E 4.3)
- 2) Students meeting the University's general pass standard but not the professional requirements will be transferred onto level 3 of the BSc (Hons) Medical Bioscience programme 6/25

3) Students not meeting the University's general pass standard will be transferred onto the BSc (Hons) Medical Bioscience and re-take level 2. Students may not transfer back to the MBio/BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science programme at any future point.

Students that fail to meet the professional requirements at level 2 but meet the University's general pass standard, and choose not to transfer, may withdraw from studies with an exit award of Diploma of Higher Education in Medical Bioscience. No opportunity to retake level 2 on the MBio/BSc Biomedical Science will be permitted.

Level 3:

IBMS accreditation requirements mean, minimum mark of 40% in all exams at first sit or resit:

BMS3006M Cellular Pathology BMS3007M Clinical Biochemistry & Immunology BMS3008M Haematology BMS3009M Infection Sciences BMS3010M Transfusion and Transplantation

In order to progress to level 4 MBio students must also meet the standard regulations for progression on integrated master's programmes, which includes an overall level average mark of at least 50%.

Students failing to meet the relevant pass requirements at level 3 after first sit/resit will be awarded as follows:

- 1) MBio students not meeting the University's general Integrated Masters pass standard but meeting the University's general undergraduate pass standard and the professional requirements will be eligible for the award of BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science.
- 2) Students meeting the University's general pass standard at level 3 but not the professional requirements will be eligible for the award of BSc (Hons) Medical Bioscience.
- 3) Students not meeting the University's general pass standard at level 3 but passing at least 60 level 3 credits will be eligible for the award of BSc Medical Bioscience.

Level 4: MBio students only

Operates under the university standard regulations for Integrated Masters programmes. Students failing to meet the relevant pass requirements at level 4 after first sit/resit will be awarded as follows:

1) Students not meeting the University's general Integrated Masters pass standard will be eligible for the award of BSc (Hons) Biomedical Science.

SCHEDULE ALTERNATIVE EXIT AWARDS BA (HONS) BUSINESS STUDIES WITH PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE BA (HONS) BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT WITH PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE BA (HONS) BUSINESS AND MARKETING WITH PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

The Certificate of Higher Education may be awarded to a student who has successfully completed 120 credit points of an undergraduate programme of study. In the case of the following programmes, where a student has failed to complete a Professional Practice Year, the certificate will bear an alternative title:

BA (Hons) Business Studies (with Professional Practice) will be Certificate of Higher Education in Business Studies; BA (Hons) Business & Management (with Professional Practice) will be Certificate of Higher Education in Business & Management; BA (Hons) Business & Marketing (with Professional Practice) will be Certificate of Higher Education in Business & Marketing

The Diploma of Higher Education may be awarded to a student who has successfully completed 240 credit points of an undergraduate programme of study of which a minimum of 120 credit points of study have been achieved at Levels 2 and/or Level 3.

In the case of the following programmes, where a student has failed to complete a Professional Practice Year, the certificate will bear an alternative title:

BA (Hons) Business Studies (with Professional Practice) will be Diploma of Higher Education in Business Studies; BA (Hons) Business & Management (with Professional Practice) will be Diploma of Higher Education in Business & Management; BA (Hons) Business & Marketing (with Professional Practice) will be Diploma of Higher Education in Business & Marketing

An Ordinary (without Honours) degree may be awarded to a student who has successfully completed 300 credit points of study of an undergraduate programme, with at least 120 credits at Level 2 and at least 60 credits at Level 3.

BA (Hons) Business Studies (with Professional Practice) will be Bachelor of Arts Business Studies (Ordinary); BA (Hons) Business & Management (with Professional Practice) will be Bachelor of Arts Business & Management (Ordinary); BA (Hons) Business & Marketing (with Professional Practice) will be Bachelor of Arts Business & Marketing (Ordinary)

SCHEDULE
BSc (HONS) COMPUTER SCIENCE
BSc (HONS) GAMES COMPUTING
MCOMP COMPUTER SCIENCE
MCOMP GAMES COMPUTING

SCHEDULE FOR BSc AWARDS IN THE SCHOOL OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

- 1. Students must achieve an overall mark of at least 40% in the Level Two Team Software Engineering module.
- 2. Students must achieve an overall mark of at least 40% in the Level Three Project module.

SCHEDULE FOR MCOMP AWARDS IN THE SCHOOL OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

- 1. Students must achieve an overall mark of at least 40% in the Level Two Team Software Engineering module.
- 2. Students must achieve an overall mark of at least 40% in the Level Three Project module.
- 3. Students must achieve an overall mark of at least 50% in the Level Four MComp Research Project module.

EXIT AWARD FOR INTEGRATED MASTERS PROGRAMMES

At its meeting on 27 January 2016, Academic Board approved the proposal to allow the provision of an exit award of Postgraduate Certificate for students who had successfully completed 60 M-level (Level 4) credits but had failed to complete the full 120 credits of Level 4 study. This means that in the case of a student failing the MComp award but successfully completed 60 credits of M Level credit they will be awarded the Postgraduate Certificate and the associated Bachelor of Science (Honours).

BENG (HONS) MECHANICAL ENGINEERING PROGRAMMES, MENG MECHANICAL ENGINEERING PROGRAMMES, BENG (HONS) ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING PROGRAMMES, MENG ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING PROGRAMMES, BENG (HONS) MECHATRONICS (INCLUDING THE ABOVE WITH SCIENCE FOUNDATION YEAR)

This variation relates to the specific programmes below:

BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering

BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (Control Systems)

BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (Power and Energy)

MEng Mechanical Engineering

MEng Mechanical Engineering (Control Systems)

MEng Mechanical Engineering (Power and Energy)

BEng (Hons) Electrical Engineering (Electronics)

BEng (Hons) Electrical Engineering (Control Systems)

BEng (Hons) Electrical Engineering (Power and Energy)

MEng Electrical Engineering (Electronics)

MEng Electrical Engineering (Control Systems)

MEng Electrical Engineering (Power and Energy)

BEng (Hons) Mechatronics

BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering with Science Foundation Year

BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (Control Systems) with Science Foundation Year

BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (Power and Energy) with Science Foundation Year

BEng (Hons) Electrical Engineering (Electronics) with Science Foundation Year

BEng (Hons) Electrical Engineering (Control Systems) with Science Foundation Year

BEng (Hons) Electrical Engineering (Power and Energy) with Science Foundation Year

BEng (Hons) Mechatronics with Science Foundation Year

Progression Requirements

In order to pass Level 4 students must achieve a minimum mark of 40% in all elements of assessment in 90 credits of study and a module mark of at least 35% in the remaining 30 credits at this level.

In order to pass Levels 5 and 6 students must achieve a minimum mark of 40% in all elements of assessment in all 120 credits of study at this level. For students on MEng programmes to pass, they must also have achieved a mean of all module marks of not less than 50%.

In order to pass Level 7, students must achieve a minimum mark of 50% in all 120 credits of study at this level.

Resit and Retake Entitlement

Where a student fails to meet the progression requirements outlined above, they shall be permitted resit opportunities in accordance with the standard University CATS limits for resits.

Standard University retake allowances are permitted without a change in the award for a which a student is enrolled.

If after first sit and resit attempts and allowable retake opportunity a student fails to meet the requirements outlined in this schedule, they will be dealt with as below.

Progression at all levels

Students meeting the University's general pass standard but not the variation outlined in this schedule will be progressed from MEng or BEng programmes onto the next level of the equivalently named BSc (Hons) version of the programme.

Students may not transfer back to the accredited programmes at any future point.

Students that fail to meet the professional requirements but meet the University's general pass standard, who subsequently choose not to transfer to the non-accredited programme, may withdraw from studies with the appropriate exit award for the programme.

Award

If a student at Level 6 meets the University's general pass standard but not the variations outlined in this schedule, they will be eligible for the equivalent BSc (Hons) award.

Students on MEng and BEng programmes who have not met the general pass standard but have passed at least 60 credits of Level 7 modules will be eligible for the award of an unclassified (ordinary degree) in the equivalent BSc (Hons) programme.

Students at Level 7 who meet the general pass standard but not the variations outlined in this schedule will be eligible for the award of BEng (Hons) in the equivalently named programme plus any PGT exit award as determined by standard University regulations.

SCHEDULE FdSc ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT

1. For all modules on the programme students must achieve at least 40% in each component.

In-Year Resists for Specific Programmes in the School of Health & Social Care

1. Students enrolled on the programmes included will be granted an in-year resit at any point in the academic year, up to a limit of one resit opportunity for each failed element of assessed work up to the resit credit allowance for that level of study, as determined by a University Board of Examiners.

This variation applies to:

BSc (Hons) Midwifery

BSc (Hons) Nursing with registered nurse (Adult)

BSc (Hons) Nursing with registered nurse (Mental Health)

BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered nurse – Adult)

BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered nurse – Mental Health)

BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered nurse – Child)

Cert HE Ambulance Clinical Technician Practice

Diploma (HE) Nursing Associate

BSc (Hons) Paramedic Science

Proceed with Conditions for specific programmes in the School of Health & Social Care: Ambulance Technician Practice (Cert HE), Nursing (Adult; Child; Mental Health) (BSc (Hons)), Nursing Degree Apprenticeship, FdSc Nursing Associate, Midwifery (BSc (Hons)), Paramedic Science (BSc (Hons)), Social Work Degree Apprenticeship

For students and learners enrolled on a programme contained within the schedule of programmes(below), the following shall apply:

Ambulance Technician Practice (Cert HE) (PARACTUC)

Nursing (Adult; Child; Mental Health) (BSc (Hons)) (NURNURUB; NURCLDUB; NURNMHUB)

Nursing Degree Apprenticeship (NURNURUB; NURCLDUB; NURNMHUB)

FdSc Nursing Associate (NURASOUF and NURASOAF)

Midwifery (BSc (Hons)) (MIDMIDUB)

Paramedic Science (BSc (Hons)) (NURPARUB)

Social Work Degree Apprenticeship (SOWDAPUB)

The Board of Examiners will consider the following criteria for progression, and where necessary, will make arrangements for resits, up to the maximum permitted resit credits for the level of study (please see Undergraduate Regulation A.4.3.G):

A student will be permitted to proceed to the next stage of the programme whilst completing the awarded resits(Proceed with Conditions). This period, which will be used by the student to complete all assessments outstanding from the previous academic year. The maximum time period for this to take place is12 weeks from the commencement of the new academic year, which for the purposes of clarity will commence at the beginning of University Week No 1 in each Academic Year.

If any resit has still not been successfully completed and approved by a board of examiners by the end of twelfth week of study in the new academic year for the respective programme, a student will not be permitted to continue. The Board of Examiners will make arrangements as appropriate in order to provide an opportunity for completion of an agreed award.

Interruption of Studies

BSc (Hons) Midwifery, BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered Nurse –Adult), BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered Nurse –Child), BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered Nurse –Mental Health), BSc (Hons) Paramedic Science, BSc (Hons) Professional Practice, BSc (Hons) Social Work, Cert (HE) Ambulance Technician Practice, FdSc Nursing Associate.

Students on the following programmes will be permitted to interrupt studies for the current academic year after week 32, and up to as stipulated below:

- BSc (Hons) Midwifery (MIDMIDUB) 39 weeks after the start of the programme year.
- BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered Nurse Adult) (NURNURUB) 39 weeks after the start of the programme year.
- BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered Nurse –Child) (NURCLDUB) 39 weeks after the start of the programme year.
- BSc (Hons) Nursing (Registered Nurse –Mental Health) (NURNMHUB) -39 weeks after the start of the programme year.
- BSc (Hons) Paramedic Science (NURPARUB) 42 weeks after the start of the programme year.
- BSc (Hons) Professional Practice (NURPPCUB) 47 weeks after the start of the programme year.
- Cert (HE) Ambulance Technician Practice (PARACTUC) 42 weeks after the start of the programme year.
- Degree Nursing Apprenticeship (NURNURUB) (Registered Nurse Adult) 47 weeks after the start of the programme year.
- Degree Nursing Apprenticeship (NURCLDUB) (Registered Nurse Child) 47 weeks after the start of the programme year.
- Degree Nursing Apprenticeship (NURNMHUB) (Registered Nurse Mental Health) 47 weeks after the start of the programme year.
- Degree Social Work Apprenticeship (SOWDAPUB) 47weeks after the start of the programme year.
- FdSc Nursing Associate (NURASOUF) 47 weeks after the start of the programme year.

SCHEDULE BSc (Hons) HERBAL MEDICINE

- 1. For all modules on the course students must achieve at least 40% in each component, and hence an overall module mark of at least 40%, in order to meet professional requirements for accreditation.
- 2. Reassessment and retake entitlements shall be subject to the standard university undergraduate assessment regulations. Resit marks shall be capped at 40%.
- 3. Students are required to meet the attendance requirements of the clinical modules at levels 1, 2 and 3. Students not meeting these requirements will be given the opportunity to make good the deficit with a specified time scale.
- 4. Students not achieving, following reassessment or retake of the module(s), the required standard for single honours Herbal Medicine shall be considered for an alternative exit award as follows:

| Tariff | Award |
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| 360 | BSc (Hons) Complementary Medicine Studies |
| 300 | BSc Complementary Medicine Studies |
| | (at least 60 at level 3 and 120 at level 2) |
| 240 | Diploma in Higher Education in Complementary Medicine Studies |
| | (at least 120 at level 2) |
| 120 | Certificate in Higher Education in Complementary Medicine Studies |

These alternative exit awards are not professionally accredited.

5. Students shall be subject to the programme disciplinary code of behaviour which, in line with professional requirements, allows for the immediate suspension of a student from a clinical area. Details of the disciplinary code of behaviour will be given to all students enrolled on the programme.

BSc (HONS) FOOD SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, BSc (HONS) FOOD AND DRINK OPERATIONS AND MANUFACTURING MANAGEMENT, BSc (HONS) AGRI-PRODUCE AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT AND BSc (HONS) OPERATIONS AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

Students undertaking the above programme have approved progression onto an independent project worth 40 credits which is both part of the University of Lincoln degree programme and end point assessment for the 'apprenticeship' element of the degree apprenticeship standard.

LLB (Hons) LAW AND LLB (Hons) JOINT AWARDS (including Certificate of HE programmes)

- Students must achieve an overall module mark of at least 40% in each of the core modules* at Levels 1, 2 and 3, as specified by the Solicitors Regulation Authority (SRA) and the Bar Standards Board (BSB), in order to meet professional requirements for recognition.**
- 2. Students meeting University progression requirements but not achieving an overall module mark of 40% should have the right to resit the relevant failed element(s) of the module(s). The maximum number of reassessment attempts shall be limited to two, giving a total of three attempts at the specified professional modules.
- * Specified modules

For students commencing prior to September 2014:

Level 1 Law 1009M Contract Law Law 1010M Constitutional Law Law 1011M Tort Law (for Single Hons students)

Level 2 Law 2001M Criminal Law Law 2154M European Union Law Law 2156M Land Law

Level 3
Law 3154M Equity and Trusts
Law 3004M Law of Tort (for Joint Hons students)

For students commencing in September 2014 and thereafter:

Level 1
Law 1009M Contract Law
Law 1017M Constitutional and Administrative Law
Law 1011M Tort Law (for Single Hons students)

Level 2 Law 2001M Criminal Law Law 2154M European Union Law Law 2156M Land Law

Level 3 Law 3154M Equity and Trusts Law 3004M Law of Tort (for Joint Hons students)

SCHEDULE FdSc MARITIME STUDIES

Students are entitled to study 60 credits of Level4 at the same time as Level 5 credits without the requirement to meet the University's general pass standard for level 4.

SCHEDULE BSc (HONS) MIDWIFERY

- 1. Students must achieve a pass mark of 40% in each individual component with no compensation.
- 2. Students will be granted an in-year resit at any point in the academic year, up to a limit of one resit opportunity for each failed element of assessed work up to the resit credit allowance for that level of study, as determined by a University Board of Examiners.
- 3. Students must pass all modules at the specified level of the programme in order to progress to the next level. Exceptions to this requirement are stated below (see points 4 and 5).
- 4. Where approved extenuating circumstances have prevented all outcomes and associated assessment elements being achieved within the assessed period for that part of the programme students will be afforded the opportunity to pass outstanding elements within 12 weeks of the student entering the next part of the programme. No extension to the 12 week period will be permitted.
- 5. The 12 week 'pass and continue' rule applies equally at the end of academic year one and two, and prior to completion of the programme and application to the NMC register.
- 6. Any student will be allowed a first attempt and one resit attempt at practice based modules. The modules are listed below:-

Midwifery Practice 1A MID1003M Midwifery Practice 1B MID1004M Midwifery Practice 2A MID2005M Midwifery Practice 2B MID2003M Midwifery Practice 3A MID3003M Midwifery Practice 3B MID3004M

Those students that fail following the resit attempt for the above modules will be withdrawn from the programme without being permitted to retake the failed module.

- 7. The following intermediate awards shall be available for students who do not successfully complete the programme in full:
- Certificate of Higher Education in Maternal Healthcare
- Diploma of Higher Education in Maternal Healthcare
- Bachelor of Science in Maternal Healthcare: Ordinary (without Honours)
 degree: This may be awarded to a student who has successfully completed
 300 academic credit points of study on the programme, with at least 60 credits
 at Level 3, but who has failed to achieve the overall degree. The student will
 not be eligible to register with the NMC.
- Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Maternal Healthcare: This may be awarded to a student who has successfully completed 360 academic credit points on the programme of study but is not eligible to register with the NMC.

SCHEDULE BSc (HONS) MIDWIFERY (EFFECTIVE FROM SEPTEMBER 2022)

- 1. Students must achieve a pass mark of 40% in each individual component with no compensation between elements of assessment. The principles of the general pass standard do not apply.
- 2. Any student will be allowed a first attempt and one resit attempt at practice-based modules. The modules are listed below:

Midwifery Practice 2A MID2005M Midwifery Practice 2B MID2003M Midwifery Practice 3A MID3003M Midwifery Practice 3B MID3004M Essential Midwifery Practice MID1008M Applying Midwifery Practice MID2006M Evaluating Midwifery Practice MID3007M

Those students that fail following the resit attempt for the above modules will be withdrawn from the programme without being permitted to retake the failed module.

- 3. The following intermediate awards shall be available for students who do not successfully complete the programme in full:
 - Certificate of Higher Education in Maternal Healthcare
 - Diploma of Higher Education in Maternal Healthcare
 - Bachelor of Science in Maternal Healthcare: Ordinary (without Honours) degree: This may be awarded to a student who has successfully completed 300 academic credit points of study on the programme, with at least 60 credits at Level 6, but has failed to achieve the overall degree. The student will not be eligible to register with the NMC.
 - Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Maternal Healthcare: This may be awarded to a student who has successfully completed 360 academic credit points on the programme of study but is not eligible to register with the NMC.
- 4. Students not meeting all the requirements of the programme can be discontinued at any examination board which will be planned throughout each academic year.

SCHEDULE NON-MEDICAL PRESCRIBING SHORT COURSE (LEVEL 6) [HCPC APPROVED]

- 1. Students must achieve the minimum mark of 40% for the written assignments.
- 2. Students must achieve a minimum of 80% in the MCQ examination
- 3. Students must pass the numeracy examination at 100%
- 4. Students must pass all individual module elements assessed as Pass/Fail.

The relevant section taken from the Practice Certificate in Non-Medical Prescribing Level 6 Short Course Specification, Section 3.4, pages 7-8 is included as Appendix B below.

Programme structure

This programme consists of three modules:

- 1. The Consultation (30 academic credits)
- 2. Prescribing Effectively (15 academic credits)
- 3. Prescribing in Context (15 academic credits)

Appendix B

Practice Certificate in Non-Medical Prescribing Level 6 Short Course Specification, Section 3.4, pages 7-8

3.4 Variations to Standard Regulations and Guidance

1. Students must achieve a module pass mark of 40% with no individual component mark being below 40%.

Students must also achieve the minimum mark for the following assessment:

Module 1: The Consultation

- Minimum mark of 80% in the pharmacological knowledge examination consisting of short answer and multiple choice questions.
- 2. All students will only be given one re-sit attempt at the following assessment elements. Where a student fails both their first and re-sit attempt no further re-sit opportunity will be offered and the student will be discontinued.

Students must achieve a pass in the following components in the modules relating to:

Module 1: The Consultation

- Objective Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE)
- Pharmacology numeracy examination (minimum mark of 100%)

Module 3: Prescribing in Context

- Practice Experience; including assessment of the portfolio of evidence
- 3. Any student who fails to meet the requirements of their professional body (NMC, GPhC, HCPC) will fail the Practice Certificate in Non-Medical Prescribing (Level 6)

SCHEDULE GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN INDEPENDENT/ SUPPLEMENTARY PRESCRIBER PRESCRIBING [NMC APPROVED]

- 1. All assessment elements must be successfully achieved in order to pass each module; no compensation will be allowed between assessment elements.
- 2. Where there has been evidence of a breach in confidentiality within an assessment, students will be referred to the Fitness to Practice Process (University General Regulations Part D (2): Fitness to Practice Regulations: Programmes with the School of Health and Social Care).
- 3. Students must achieve a pass mark of 40% with no individual component mark being below 40%.

SCHEDULE BSc (HONS) NURSING (INCLUDING ADULT AND MENTAL HEALTH PATHWAYS)

- 1. Students must achieve a pass mark of 40% in each individual component.
- 2. Students will be permitted one resit opportunity for each failed component of assessed work.
- 3. Students must pass all modules at the specified level of the programme in order to progress to the next level. Exceptions to this requirement are stated below (see points 4 and 5).
- 4. Where exceptional (extenuating) circumstances prevent all outcomes and associated assessment elements being achieved within the assessed period for that part of the programme (academic level / year), then students will be afforded the opportunity to pass outstanding elements within 12 weeks of the student entering the next part of the programme (NMC Regulations R3.10.2). No extension to the 12 week period can be permitted.
- 5. The 12 week 'pass and continue' rule applies equally to progression points at the end of Year 1/ Level 4 and of Year 2 / Level 5.
- 6. If a student is not assessed as competent following this period, by virtue of not having passed all outstanding elements of assessment, then the student will be required to either return to the previous part of the programme to meet the shortfall or be discontinued. (NMC Regulations R3.10.3).
- 7. Any student successfully completing the Pass/Fail clinical elements of the clinical modules (including the NMC competencies and all Essential Skills Clusters assessments (ESCs), but failing to achieve 40% (after permitted resit attempts) in the theoretical component (worth 100%) should not be required to repeat the clinical elements of the module.
- 7a. Any student will be allowed a first attempt and one resit attempt at all Essential Skills Cluster (ESC) assessments. Those that fail following the resit attempt will be discontinued immediately.
- 8. The following intermediate awards shall be available for students who do not successfully complete the programme in full:
- Certificate of Higher Education in Applied Health Science
- Diploma of Higher Education in Applied Health Science
- Bachelor of Science Applied Health Science: Ordinary (without Honours) degree: This may
 be awarded to a student who has successfully completed 300 academic credit points of
 study on an undergraduate programme, with 180 credits at Levels 1 and 2 and at least 60
 credits at Level 3, but who has failed to achieve a pass in the clinical component of the
 degree. The student will not be eligible to register with the NMC.
- Bachelor of Science (Honours) Applied Health Science: This may be awarded to a student
 who has successfully completed 360 academic credit points on an undergraduate
 programme of study but who has failed to achieve a pass in the clinical component of the
 degree. The student will not be eligible to register with the NMC.
- 9. Students not meeting all the requirements of the programme can be discontinued at any examination board which will be planned throughout each academic year.
- 10. Where there has been evidence of breach in confidentiality within an assessment, students in Year 1/Level 4 will be subject to a developmental meeting where the nature of confidentiality will be reiterated and they will be asked to demonstrate an understanding of the serious nature of the issue of confidentiality. For students in Year2/Level 5 and Year 3/Level 6 their given grade will be automatically capped at 40% and the student will be referred to the Fitness to Practise Process, dependent on the nature of that breach.

BSc (HONS) NURSING WITH REGISTERED NURSE (ADULT) AND BSc (HONS) NURSING WITH REGISTERED NURSE (MENTAL HEALTH)

- 1. Students must achieve a minimum pass mark of 40% in each individual component of assessment. The Exceptions are:
 - Numeracy assessment at level 4 (year 1): Pass mark of 100%
 - Numeracy assessment at level 5 (year 2): Pass mark of 100%
 - Numeracy assessment at level 6 (year 3): Pass mark of 100%
- 2. Students must pass all modules at the specified level of the programme in order to progress to the next level. Exceptions to this requirement are stated below (see points a, b and c).
- 2a. Where exceptional (extenuating) circumstances prevent all outcomes and associated assessment elements being achieved within the assessed period for that part of the programme (academic level / year), then students will be afforded the opportunity to pass outstanding elements within 12 weeks of the student entering the next part of the programme (NMC Regulations R3.10.2). No extension to the 12 week period can be permitted.
- 2b. The 12 week 'pass and continue' rule applies equally to progression points at the end of Year 1/ Level 4 and of Year 2 / Level 5.
- 2c. If a student is not assessed as competent following this period, by virtue of not having passed all outstanding elements of assessment, then the student will be discontinued. (NMC Regulations R3.10.3).
- 3. Students will only be required to re-sit failed elements of modules.
- 4. Students not meeting all the requirements of the programme can be discontinued at any examination board which will be planned throughout each academic year.
- 5. The following intermediate awards shall be available for students who do not successfully complete the programme in full:
- Certificate of Higher Education in Health Care Practice
- Diploma of Higher Education in Health Care Practice
- Bachelor of Science Health Care Practice: Ordinary (without Honours) degree: This may
 be awarded to a student who has successfully completed 300 academic credit points of
 study on an undergraduate programme, with 180 credits at Levels 4 and 5 and at least 60
 credits at Level 6. The student will not be eligible to register with the NMC.
- 6. Where there has been evidence of breach in confidentiality within an assessment, students in Year 1/Level 4 will be subject to a developmental meeting where the nature of confidentiality will be reiterated and they will be asked to demonstrate an understanding of the serious nature of the issue of confidentiality. For students in Year2/Level 5 and Year 3/Level 6 their given grade will be automatically capped at 40% and the student will be referred to the Fitness to Practise Process, dependent on the nature of that breach.
- 7. Any student will be allowed a first attempt and one resit attempt at all Essential Skills Cluster (ESC) assessments. Those that fail following the resit attempt will be discontinued immediately.
- 8. If a resit opportunity is required for the numeracy in-class test component (applicable modules below) in the BSc (Hons) Nursing with Registered Nurse (Adult) and the BSc (Hons) Nursing with Registered Nurse (Mental Health) programmes the overall module mark will be uncapped. The mark awarded for a numeracy reassessed component shall be capped at 40%, however the final module mark will be uncapped. If the remaining 80% component of the relevant module has a resit then the whole module mark shall be capped at 40%.

The variation applies to the numeracy in-class test for the following modules:

BSc (Hons) Nursing with Registered Nurse (Adult):

NUR1020M; NUR2026M; NUR3035M

BSc (Hons) Nursing with Registered Nurse (Mental Health): NUR1023M; NUR2029M; NUR3039M

SCHEDULE RETURN TO PRACTICE (NURSING) SHORT COURSE

In order to ensure that students completing the following short course meet the standards of proficiency to remain on, or be readmitted to, the NMC register and demonstrate safe practice, students are required to pass all assessment elements with a mark of not less than 40%. Compensation between assessment element marks cannot be applied.

Course Code Course Title

RPRNURUI Return to Practice (Nursing)

BSc (HONS) NURSING (PRE-REGISTRATION – ADULT), BSc (HONS) NURSING (PRE-REGISTRATION – MENTAL HEALTH), AND BSc (HONS) NURSING (PRE-REGISTRATION – CHILD)

- 1. All assessment elements must be passed in order to achieve each module; no compensation will be allowed between assessment elements. (NMC, 2018: Standard 5:5.16). This will apply to all summative assessments.
- Where there has been evidence of breach in confidentiality within an assessment, students will be referred to the Fitness to Practise Process (University General Regulations - Part D (2): Fitness to Practise Regulations: Programmes with the School of Health and Social Care). (NMC, 2018: Standard 2:2.10). - This will apply to all summative assessments.
- 3. Students will be permitted one resit attempt at all Summative Practice Learning Assessment components in all relevant modules across the programme. Therefore, no opportunity for the Retake of a Failed Module will be permitted for modules comprising of Summative Practice Learning Assessment components, and the student will be discontinued from the Nursing Programme. (NMC, 2018; Standards 5:5.10). The modules and assessments this variation should be applied to are:

Person-centred, holistic adult nursing care (NUR1032M) – Portfolio (Practice Assessment Document) – 0% weighting.

Person-centred, holistic mental health nursing care (NUR1035M) - Portfolio (Practice Assessment Document) - 0% weighting

Person-centred, holistic child nursing care (NUR1034M) – Portfolio (Practice Assessment Document) – 0% weighting

Assessing Needs, Planning and Coordinating Care (NUR2037M) – Portfolio (Practice Assessment Document) – 0% weighting

Being an Accountable Professional (NUR3044M) (Nurse L6)

- 4. The following intermediate awards shall be available for students who do not successfully complete the programme in full:
 - Certificate of Higher Education (Health and Care)
 - Diploma of Higher Education (Health and Care)
 - Bachelor of Science (Health and Care)

The student will not be eligible to register with the NMC.

SCHEDULE DIPLOMA OF HE NURSING ASSOCIATE

1. Students must achieve a minimum pass mark of 40% in each individual component of assessment and they will only be required to re-sit failed elements of modules. The Exceptions are:

Numeracy assessment at level 4 (year 1): Pass mark of 100% Numeracy assessment at level 5 (year 2): Pass mark of 100%

- 2. Students will be permitted one resit opportunity for each failed component of assessed work. Each student will be allowed a first sit attempt and one resit attempt for each individual assessment component. Those that fail following the resit attempt of any individual component will be discontinued immediately notwithstanding those students who subsequently submit a claim for extenuating circumstances.
- 3. Students must pass all modules at the specified level of the programme in order to progress to the next level.
- 4. The following intermediate awards shall be available for students who do not successfully complete the programme in full:
 - a. Certificate of Higher Education in Health and Social Care.

GRADING FOR THE DIPLOMA OF HE NURSING ASSOCIATE

- 1. The award of PASS is retained for any individual who averages a score of 40% 59% achieved over the length of the whole Diploma (all modules much achieve at least a pass as per the amended regulations).
- 2. The award of MERIT be agreed for any individual who averages a score of 60% to 69 % in their final year (level 5) of the Diploma (all modules much achieve at least a pass as per the amended regulations).
- 3. The award of DISTINCTION be agreed for any individual who averages a score of 70% to 100% in their final year (level 5) of the Diploma {all modules much achieve at least a pass, as per the amended regulations)
- *This variation will only be applied to the named DipHE Nursing Associate programme and not apply to DipHE exit awards.

SCHEDULE FdSc NURSING ASSOCIATE

- 1. Students must achieve a pass mark of 40% in each individual component with no compensation.
- 2. Students must pass all modules at the specified level of the programme in order to progress to the next level.
- 3. Students will be granted an in-year resit at any point in the academic year, up to a limit of one resit opportunity for each failed element of assessed work up to the resit credit allowance for that level of study, as determined by a University Board of Examiners.
- 4. The following intermediate awards shall be available for students who do not successfully complete the programme in full:
 - Certificate of Higher Education in Supporting Health and Care

SCHEDULE BSc (HONS) PARAMEDIC SCIENCE

- 1. All assessment elements must be passed in order to achieve each module.
- 2. Students will only be required to re-sit failed elements of modules.
- 3. Students will be granted an in-year resit at any point in the academic year, up to a limit of one resit opportunity for each failed element of assessed work up to the resit credit allowance for that level of study, as determined by a University Board of Examiners.
- 4. Where there has been evidence of breach in confidentiality within an assessment, students will be referred to the Fitness to Practise Process (University General Regulations Part D (2): Fitness to Practise Regulations: Programmes with the School of Health and Social Care).
- 5. The following intermediate awards shall be available for students who do not successfully complete the programme in full:
 - Certificate of Higher Education (Emergency Care Assistance)
 - Diploma of Higher Education (Ambulance Practice)

SCHEDULE MASTER OF PHARMACY (MPHARM)

General

- 1. Students must pass all summative assessment components. (Variation on 5.3.2).
- 2. The integrated masters classification is determined by applying the best of the following two calculation methods:
 - a) Calculating the weighted mean of all Level 6 and Level 7 module marks
 - b) Calculating the relative weighting of Level 5, Level 6 and Level 7 module marks using the ratio: Level 5: 20%; Level 6: 40%; and Level 7: 40%. The weighted mean average marks of all modules at each level would be combined.
- 3. Students who fail to reach the MPharm standards, but fulfil University of Lincoln general standards in assessment at each level will be allowed to graduate with the following exit awards:
 - a) Foundation Year Certificate in Pharmaceutical Studies for students who failed to reach the MPharm standard but fulfilled the University general pass standard at Level 0.
 - b) Cert HE Pharmaceutical Studies for students who failed to reach the MPharm standard but fulfilled the University general pass standard at Level 4.
 - c) DipHE Pharmaceutical Studies for students who failed to reach the MPharm standard but fulfilled the University general pass standard at Level 5.
 - d) BSc Pharmaceutical Studies (an ordinary degree with no classification) for students who complete a minimum of 60 credits at Level 6.
 - e) BSc (Hons) Pharmaceutical Studies classified as per standard university regulations) for students who complete 120 credits at Level 6.

Resits

- 1. A student shall have the right to resit providing the summated weightings of components passed is greater than 50% of the summated weightings of components in the modules comprising the academic year (variation on 5.5.8).
- 2. 'Resit' is a further attempt of any assessment component within a module that has been failed at a previous attempt. Except where the University Extenuating Circumstances Panel approves a claim relating to the assessment:
 - a) The mark awarded for reassessed components successfully passed following a resit assessment shall be the pass threshold. The final module mark will not be capped, but will be calculated including capped component marks.
 - b) Notwithstanding the above, following failure of both pass-fail assessments in a module the maximum overall mark for such a module, successfully passed following resit assessments, shall be the pass threshold for that module.

Retake Year

Students who have failed to meet the general Level 5 pass standard will be eligible for one retake attempt of Level 5 failed modules on the MPharm programme. (Variation on F.4.3)

SCHEDULE BSc PHYSICS / MPHYS (including 'Mathematics and' and 'with Philosophy' pathways)

Condonement Section

(variation to Progression regulations A.4.2 fo BSc programmes and A.4.2 and F.3 for IM programmes - implemented for students at all levels from the commencement of AY22/23.

MPhys/BSc Physics

Students must pass all assessment components in the following modules:

- PHY1004M Laboratory 1
- PHY2004M Laboratory 2
- PHY3007M Physics Project

MPhys/BSc Physics with Philosophy

Students must pass all assessment components in the following modules:

- PHY1004M Laboratory 1
- PHY3007M Physics Project

MPhys/BSc Mathematics and Physics

Students must pass all assessment components in the PHY3003M Project module

Students who meet the General University Progression or Award requirements but fail to meet the requirements of this aspect of the variation will be transferred to or awarded as appropriate programmes with the following titles:

BSc/MPhys Physics alternate award title is BSc/MPhys Physics Studies

BSc/MMath Mathematics and Physics alternate award title is BSc/MMath Mathematics and Physics Studies

BSc/MPhys Physics with Philosophy alternate award title is BSc/MPhys Physics Studies with Philosophy

Degree Algorithm Classification Section

(variation to UGT regulation B.1.1)

BSc Physics and BSc Physics with Philosophy and BSc Mathematics and Physics

Where a student has been awarded 360 credits with 240 credits at Levels 5 and 6 and at least 120 at Level 6, then the Board of Examiners will award the student an honours degree based upon the following algorithm:

Calculating the weighted mean of all Level 5 and 6 module marks.

SCHEDULE BSc (Hons) PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

1. For all the following modules a mark of at least 40% in each assessment component, and therefore an overall module mark of at least 40%, must be achieved. No compensation will be permitted.

Modules requiring students to achieve 40% in all assessment components:

- A Comprehensive Approach to History Taking and Physical Assessment (30 level 3 credits)
- Delivering Contemporary Critical Care (30 level 3 credits)
- Foundations of Critical Care (30 level 3 credits)
- Practice Certificate in Non-Medical Prescribing (45 level 3 credits)
- A Multi-Professional Approach to Diabetes Care (30 level 3 credits)
- Foundations in Contemporary Emergency Care Practice. (60 level 3 credits).
- 2. Individual modules may at validation, or revalidation, require a higher pass mark to be required for any individual assessment component.
- 3. Students will <u>not</u> be eligible to request the Ordinary Degree exit award at 300 credit points.

Students enrolled on the following programmes will be granted an in-year resit at any point in the academic year, up to a limit of one resit opportunity for each failed element of assessed work, and up to the resit credit allowance for that level of study, as determined by a University Board of Examiners. This variation applies to:

Practice Certificate Independent/Supplementary Prescriber Preparation (PREPREUI) BSc Professional Practice (NURPPCUB)

SCHEDULE BSc (Hons) PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE PAEDIATRIC URGENT CARE – LEVEL 6 HEA3443M

Students are required to pass all summative assessed elements in order to Achieve the credits for the module.

SCHEDULE
BSC (HONS) PSYCHOLOGY; BSC (HONS) PSYCHOLOGY WITH CLINICAL
PSYCHOLOGY; BSC (HONS) PSYCHOLOGY WITH MENTAL HEALTH; BSC (HONS)
PSYCHOLOGY WITH FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGY

In order to meet British Psychological Society (BPS) regulations the student must achieve a minimum mark of 40% in every element of PSY3121M. Students who after resit meet the General University Regulations but not the BPS regulations will be awarded an alternative exit award of BSc Psychological Studies. |

SCHEDULE POST QUALIFYING PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE PROGRAMMES

In order to demonstrate competency to the HCPC in key post-registration modules, students on the following undergraduate awards are required to pass all modules (and each individual component of assessment within these modules) with a mark of not less than 40%:

| Course Code | Course Title |
|-------------|---|
| SOWIPPUB | BSc (Hons) Inter-Professional Practice (Children) |
| SOWIPCUB | BSc (Hons.) Inter-Professional Practice (Approved Mental Health |
| | Practitioner) |
| CNSLDUI | Consolidation of Learning and Practice |
| DSPWCYUI | Developing Specialist Practice in Working with Children, Young |
| | People, their Families and Carers - UG short course |

SCHEDULE BSc (HONS) SOCIAL WORK

General Pass Standard

For all modules students must achieve a mark of at least 40% in each component and therefore an overall module mark of at least 40%. This provision also includes the Certificate of HE Social Care which will keep the award in line with HCPC standards for social work education.

Students who have not achieved a grade of 40% in an assessment element may resit that element subject to the approval of an Examination Board.

Students must pass all modules at level 1 of the programme in order to progress to level 2.

Students must pass all modules at level 2 of the programme in order to progress to the final placement.

Resit attempts for Practice Placements One or Two will not be offered if Fitness to Practise proceedings are in progress.

Progression Points

The programme has 4 progression points:

- 1) **Entry to a programme**, having satisfied all requirements for Suitability for Professional Practice;
- 2) **Progression to Practice Placement One**, having completed and passed all modules and elements of Modules at Level Four;
- 3) **Continuation onwards to Practice Placement Two**, having completed and passed all modules and elements of Modules at Level Five;
- 4) **Suitability for Qualification** and Progression to the Assessed and Supervised Year in Employment (ASYE) having completed and passed all modules and elements of Modules at Level Six

At Progression Point 2 and 3, students must re – declare their Suitability for Professional Practice, informing the Programme Leader of any changes to their declared status in terms of criminal convictions, health conditions or personal circumstances relevant to their entitlement to be on a qualifying programme leading to professional registration

Progression Points 2, 3 and 4 can only be confirmed by an Examinations Board

Exceptions to Progression Point 2 and 3 can only apply to a student with incomplete modules associated with approved exceptional circumstances. In such situations, a student MAY be allowed to progress with trailed modules and/or elements of modules, but (s)he will not be allowed to commence assessed Practice Learning (placements) until trailed elements have been successfully completed

Students who fail to reach the HCPC standards but fulfil University of Lincoln general standards in assessment at Level 1 or Level 2 will be allowed to graduate with the following awards:

- Certificate of Higher Education in Applied Social Studies
- o Diploma of Higher Education in Applied Social Studies

SCHEDULE BSC (HONS) SPORT AND EXERCISE THERAPY AND CERT HE SPORT AND EXERCISE THERAPY

1. All modules on the programme must be passed at 40% with the exception of:

Level 1

SES1023M Research Skills

Level 2

SES2025M Research Methods and Analysis

Level 3

SES3024M Dissertation

2. For the professional sports therapy modules listed below, students must achieve a pass in all elements of assessment:

Level 1

SES1241M Essential Skills in Sports Therapy

SES1242M Essentials in Functional Anatomy

SES1240M An Introduction to Musculoskeletal Injuries

Level 2

SES2246M Practical Skills in Sports Therapy

SES2247M Sport and Exercise Rehabilitation

Level 3

SES3254M Advanced Sports Therapy Skills

SES3255M Sports Therapy and Clinical Practice

3. Where a student has met the general university pass standard but failed to meet the requirements of this variation the following exit awards will be considered:

Level 1 – Certificate of Higher Education Exercise Science

Level 2 – Diploma of Higher Education Sport Science and Injury Management

Level 3 – BSc Sport Science and Injury Management

SCHEDULE UNDERGRADUATE DUAL AWARDS AND KDU (PENANG) UNIVERSITY COLLEGE (MALAYSIA)

The University has an academic partnership with KDU Penang University College, Malaysia to deliver a number of named dual awards. All programmes at Malaysian universities must be approved by the Malaysian Qualifications Agency (MQA) and this is a strictly regulated process. In order to comply with the requirements of the MQA, the following variations have been approved for the dual awards delivered at KDU Penang:

| University of Lincoln Award | KDU Penang University College Award |
|---|--|
| BSc (Hons) Computer Science | Bachelor of Computer Science (Hons) Artificial Intelligence specialisation – MQR Provisional Accreditation number MQA/PA8050 |
| BSc (Hons) Games Computing | Bachelor of Computer Science (Hons) in Games Programming – MQR Provisional Accreditation number MQA/PA8185 |
| BSc (Hons) Computer Science (Network Technology) | Bachelor of Computer Science (Hons) in Computer and Network Technology – MQR Provisional Accreditation number MQA/PA8180 |
| BSc (Hons) Computer Science (Information Systems) | Bachelor of Information Systems (Hons) – MQR Provisional Accreditation number MQA/PA8186 |
| BSc (Hons) Computer Science (Information Systems) | Bachelor of Computer Science (Hons) Web Programming specialisation – MQR Provisional Accreditation number MQA/PA8050 |
| BA (Hons) Accountancy and Finance | Bachelor of Accountancy (Hons) – MQR Provisional Accreditation number MQA/PA8034 |
| BA (Hons) Business and Management | Bachelor of Arts (Hons) Business Management MQR Provisional Accreditation number MQA/PA8388 |
| BA (Hons) in Media Production | Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Media Production – MQR Provisional Accreditation number MQA/ PA8079 |
| BA (Hons) Public Relations | Bachelor of Arts (Hons) in Communication and Public Relations – MQR Provisional Accreditation number MQA/PA8078 |
| BEng (Hons) Automation Engineering | BSc (Hons) Mechatronics Engineering - MQR Provisional Accreditation number MQA/PA9777 |

- 1. Students must achieve an overall module mark of at least 40% to pass each module. There is no opportunity for modules to be condoned.
- 2. Students must pass all modules at the specified level of the programme in order to progress to the next level.
- 3. Students will be offered a maximum of two retake opportunities to retrieve a failed module.
- 4. Retake opportunities are available for modules that are failed in the final year of study.
- 5. Students shall be awarded an honours degree based on the following algorithm only:
 - Calculating the weighted mean of all Level 3 module marks
- 6. An award of a degree will only be made to a student who has satisfied all the requirements of both institutions.
- 7. At Levels 1 and 2, no exit awards will be made by the University of Lincoln.
- 8. A student who successfully completes one of the KDU programmes listed above but in doing so exceeds the maximum number of retake opportunities permitted by the University of Lincoln regulations and these variations will be made the award of unclassified (ordinary) degree.