

APPENDIX TO MINUTE 226

ORDINANCE OF THE UNIVERSITY COURT
of the UNIVERSITY OF ABERDEEN
No 134 [REMOVAL OF CO-OPTED MEMBERS OF
COURT]
At ABERDEEN, the fifteenth day of May Two
Thousand and One

WHEREAS the Universities (Scotland) Act 1966, Schedule 2, Part I, paragraph 1, empowers the University Court to amend its own powers:

AND WHEREAS the University Court deems it expedient, in the interests of good governance, to make additional regulations as to the powers of the University Court:

THEREFORE the University Court, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Section 3 of the Universities (Scotland) Act 1966 and with particular reference to paragraph 1 of Part I of Schedule 2 to that Act, and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby statutes and ordains;

1. The Court shall have power to remove from its membership a person or persons co-opted by the Court in accordance with section 2(k) of University of Aberdeen Ordinance No 133–Composition of the University Court.
2. The criterion for the exercise of the power set out in section 1 above shall be gross or persistent breach of the Code of Conduct for Members of the Court as approved by the Court from time to time or such other behaviour as the Court may deem inimical to the good standing of the Court.
3. The Court shall have power to determine by Resolution the procedure to be used in exercising the power set out in section 1 above.

This Ordinance shall come into force on the date on which it is approved by Her Majesty in Council.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF these presents are sealed with
the Common Seal of the University Court of the
University of Aberdeen and subscribed on behalf of

the Court in terms of the Requirements of Writing (Scotland) Act 1995.

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Member of the University Court

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Secretary to the University

APPENDIX TO MINUTE 227

DRAFT RESOLUTION NO. 225 OF 2001
[CHANGES IN REGULATIONS FOR VARIOUS DEGREES]

After consultation with the Senatus Academicus, the University Court, at its meeting on 15 May 2001, passed the following Resolution:

1. On the recommendation of the Senatus Academicus, the following amendments to Degree Regulations are hereby approved.
2. This Resolution shall come into force on the day on which it is passed by the University Court.

1. Supplementary Regulations for the Degree of Master of Arts (MA)

Regulation 10

To the list of disciplines in which a Designated Degree may be awarded add 'European Cultural Studies'; for 'Historical Studies' substitute 'History'; for 'Scottish Culture and Traditions' substitute 'Scottish Cultural Studies'; delete 'Statistics'.

Regulation 11.1

In the existing regulation for 'Historical Studies' substitute 'History' and delete 'Statistics'.

Regulation 11.2.1

In the existing list of courses at level 1 substitute 'MS 1006' for 'MS 1003'.

New Regulation

Following the existing Regulation 11.5 insert a new Regulation as follows, and re-number subsequent Regulations accordingly:

'The additional requirements for the award of the Designated Degree of MA in European Cultural Studies are a minimum of 72 credits including a minimum of 36 credits in European Cultural Studies

(18 of which must be a level 3 or above). Full details of the courses that can be counted towards the award of this degree are available from KEY Learning Opportunities.'

Regulation 11.9

In the existing list of courses at level 1 substitute 'MS 1006' for 'MS 1003' and 'MS 1505' for 'MS 1502'; in the list of courses at level 2 substitute 'MS 2004' for 'MS 2002' and 'MS 2508' for 'MS 2505'.

Regulation 11.12

For the existing regulation substitute the following:

'The additional requirements for the award of the Designated Degree of MA in Scottish Archaeology are a minimum of 72 credits including a minimum of 36 credits in Scottish Archaeology (18 of which must be at level 3 or above). Full details of the courses that can be counted towards the award of this degree are available from KEY Learning Opportunities.'

Regulation 11.13

For the existing regulation substitute the following:

'The additional requirements for the Designated Degree of Scottish Cultural Studies are a minimum of 72 credits including a minimum of 36 credits in Scottish and Local Studies (18 of which must be a level 3 or above). Full details of the courses that can be counted towards the award of this degree are available from KEY Learning Opportunities.'

Regulation 11.15

In the existing list of courses at level 1 substitute 'MS 1006' for 'MS 1003' and 'MS 1505' for 'MS 1502'; in the list of courses at level 2 substitute 'MS 2004 and Sports and Leisure Studies I' for 'MS 2002, MS 2505 and new courses in Sports and Leisure Studies beginning in 2001/02'.

Regulation 11.16

In the existing list of optional courses listed at level 2 substitute 'PI 1507' for 'PI 1506'; in the list of courses at level 3 substitute 'CE 1010' for 'CE 1001' and 'CE 1510' for 'CE 1501'.

Regulation 11.17

In the existing compulsory courses at level 1 substitute 'WS 1004' for 'WS 1003'; in the list of optional courses delete 'EL 35OL'; 'PI 4019'; and substitute 'CU4522' for 'CU 4509'.

Regulation 13

- (1) From the list of Single Honours programmes currently available delete 'Statistics'; Statistics (Econometrics); to the list of programmes available add 'Celtic Civilisation'.
- (2) In the list of Joint or Combined Honours programmes currently available for 'Celtic Civilisation with Film Studies' substitute 'Celtic Civilisation –Film Studies'; for 'Cultural History with Film Studies' substitute 'Cultural History-Film Studies'; for 'Divinity with Film Studies' substitute 'Divinity-Film Studies'; for 'English with Film Studies' substitute 'English-Film Studies'; for 'French with Film Studies' substitute 'Film Studies-French'; for 'German with Film Studies' substitute 'Film Studies-German'; for 'Hispanic Studies with Film Studies' substitute 'Film Studies- Hispanic Studies'; for 'History with Film Studies' substitute 'Film Studies-History'; for 'History of Art with Film Studies' substitute 'Film Studies -History of Art'; for 'Philosophy with Film Studies' substitute 'Film Studies- Philosophy'; for 'Religious Studies with Film Studies' substitute 'Film Studies-Religious Studies'. To the list of programmes available add 'Celtic-Film Studies'; 'Cultural History-Social Research'; 'Economic Science-Social Research'; 'Geography with Women's Studies'; 'International Relations with Women's Studies'; 'Management Studies-Psychology'; 'Politics with Women's Studies'.
- (3) To the list of General Honours programmes available add 'Scottish Cultural Studies'

Regulation 16

To the existing regulation add 'from courses at levels 1 and 2' after '48 credits'.

2. Supplementary Regulations for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Marine Resource Management (BSc Mar Res Man)

Regulation 2.1

In the existing list of courses for programme year 1 substitute 'MR 1510' for 'MR 1007' and 'MR 1008' for 'MR 1508'; in the existing list of courses for programme year 2 substitute 'Coastal Ecology & Sustainability (MR 2505)' for 'Marine & Coastal Environmental Management (MR 2504)'.

Regulation 2.2

In the existing list of prescribed courses for programme year 3 substitute 'MR 3509' for 'MR 3010' and 'MR 3012' for 'MR 3508'.

Regulation 3

In the existing list of courses substitute 'Integrated Coastal Management (MR 3013)' for 'Coastal & Marine Law and Management (MR 3009)'.

3. Supplementary Regulations for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Pure Science (BSc)

Regulation 9

To the list of disciplines in which a Designated Degree may be awarded add 'Computing and E-Business, Chemistry in the Life Sciences, Environmental Chemistry, Environmental Science (Pollution & Reclamation), Geology-Physics, Internet Information Systems, Medicinal Chemistry, Wildlife Management'.

From the list of disciplines in which a Designated Degree may be awarded delete 'Biochemistry-Microbiology, Computing Science-Management Studies, Plant Science (Plant Cell & Molecular Biology), Statistics'.

Regulation 11

To the list of disciplines in which a Single Honours Degree may be awarded, add 'Environmental Chemistry, Environmental Science (Pollution & Reclamation), Chemistry in the Life Sciences, Internet Information Systems, Medical Computing Science, Medicinal Chemistry, Wildlife Management'.

From the list of disciplines in which a Single Honours Degree may be awarded, delete 'Chemistry with Environmental Analytical Chemistry, Plant Science (Plant Cell & Molecular Biology), Statistics'.

To the list of disciplines in which a Joint Honours Degree may be awarded, add 'Computing and E-Business, Geology-Physics'.

From the list of disciplines in which a Joint Honours Degree may be awarded, delete 'Biochemistry-Microbiology, Biochemistry-Microbiology with Industrial Placement, Computing Science-Management Studies'.

From the list of disciplines in which a Combined Honours Degree may be awarded, delete 'Geography with Plant Science, Geography with Soil Science, Statistics with Economics'.

Regulation 13

From the existing Regulation, delete 'Courses at level 4 may be taken in only one session except with the permission of the Senatus Academicus on the recommendation of the Undergraduate Programme Committee in Science.'

4. Supplementary Regulations for the Degree of Master of Engineering (MEng)

Regulation 2

In the fourth sentence, for 'Programme years 1, 2 and 3' substitute 'All programme years'.

Regulation 4

In the list of programmes available, for 'Electronic with Communications' substitute 'Electronic Engineering with Communications'.

Delete from the Regulation the final paragraph, which details the abbreviated list of programmes available to those in programme year 5 in Academic Year 2000/2001.

Regulation 6

For the existing Regulation, substitute the following:

'In the case of exemption being granted by the Undergraduate Programme Committee (Engineering), the period of study at the University of Aberdeen must be at least three sessions full-time or the equivalent if part-time study is involved. Normally the total period of study at a university or similar institution shall not be less than four sessions full-time or the equivalent if part-time study is involved. Any such exemptions will be limited to courses in programme years 1 and 2.

Exceptionally, in cases where the Undergraduate Programme Committee (Engineering) has approved arrangements made with other specific institutions, recognition may be given to courses taken at one of these institutions and these courses may be regarded as part of the Honours Programme. In this case the minimum period of study at the University of Aberdeen may be reduced to two sessions full-time.'

Regulation 8

Renumber as regulation 5 and renumber existing Regulations 5-7 accordingly.

Regulation 9

Following the existing Regulation 9(iii), insert a new Regulation 9(iv) as follows:

'(iv) For candidates having entered the degree programme in programme year 4 for full-time study:

If they have not, within two sessions of their first registration for the degree, completed the requirements of the degree.'

Renumber the existing Regulation 9(iv) as 9(v) and for:

'For candidates for the degree by a combination of part-time and full-time study:'

substitute:

'For candidates for the degree by part-time study or a combination of part-time and full-time study:'

5. Supplementary Regulations for the Degree of Bachelor of Engineering (BEng)

Regulation 7

Renumber as Regulation 5 and renumber Regulations 5 and 6 accordingly.

6. Supplementary Regulations for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Engineering (BScEng)

Regulation 4

For the existing Regulation, substitute the following:

'All candidates must be registered for one of the following degree programmes:

Engineering (General)

Engineering (Civil)

Engineering (Mechanical)

Engineering (Electrical)

Engineering (Electronic)'

7. Supplementary Regulations for the Degree of Bachelor of Divinity (BD)

General

For all references to 'the Department of Divinity with Religious Studies' substitute 'the Department of Divinity and Religious Studies'.

Regulations 4 and 5

For the existing Regulations substitute 'All candidates must take courses at Level 1 and Level 2 as prescribed in the Schedule of Courses annexed to these regulations.'

Re-number subsequent Regulations accordingly.

Regulation 11

For the existing Regulation substitute 'Candidates for the Honours degree in *four* years must take at least eight courses at Level 3 as prescribed in Section 3 of the Schedule of Courses annexed to these regulations. Candidates for the Honours degree in *three* years must take at least six courses at Level 3 as prescribed in that Schedule.'

8. Supplementary Regulations for the Degree of Bachelor of Theology (B Th)

General

For all references to 'the Department of Divinity with Religious Studies' substitute 'the Department of Divinity and Religious Studies'.

Regulation 4

For the existing Regulation substitute 'The minimum 72 credits for the Degree must include credits from those courses prescribed in Section 1.1 of the Schedule of Courses annexed to these regulations. Candidates who in addition have completed satisfactorily a programme of courses at Levels 1 to 3 in French, Gaelic, German or Spanish language as prescribed in Section 1.2 of that Schedule may be awarded the Degree of B Th with French or Gaelic or German or Spanish, as appropriate'.

Regulation 6

For the existing Regulation substitute 'The minimum 96 credits for the Degree with Honours must include credits from those courses prescribed in Section 2 of the Schedule of Courses annexed to these regulations.'

9. Supplementary Regulations for the award of the Degree of Bachelor of Theology (BTh) to Continuing Education students

Regulation 2

For sections (a) and (b) of the existing Regulation substitute the following:

'The minimum 72 credits for the degree must include:

- (a) 24 credits at level 1 including: CN 10B7 *or* CN 15B7; one of CN 10H1/15B1, CN 10/15C1, CN 10/15C3; CN 10B6/15G4 *or* CN 10D4/15B8; CN 10G8/15G8, CN 10/15B3 *or* CN 10/15B9; CN 10/15A6 *or* CN 10G9/15G9.
- (b) 48 credits at level 2 and 3 including: (i) CN 20/2542 *or* CN 20/2543; (ii) CN 2004 *or* CN 20/2535 *or* CN 20/2550; (iii) CN 30/3516 *or* CN 2005 *or* CN 30/3517; (iv) CN 2036/2558 *or* CN 2536 *or* CN 20/2549.'

New Regulation

Following the existing Regulation 2 insert a new Regulation as follows, and re-number Regulation 3 accordingly:

'A candidate who does not attend 65% of the tutorials, or who does not submit required items of coursework, may be refused permission by the Manager of KEY Learning Opportunities to be assessed for that course.'

10. Supplementary Regulations for the Degree of Bachelor of Laws (LLB)

Regulation 1

Following the first sentence insert a new sentence as follows: 'Only the Degree of LLB shall be available by part-time study'. In the third sentence for 'degree of LLB' substitute 'Degree of LLB'.

Regulation 2

For 'three years' substitute 'the following minimum periods'; and following the existing text insert

- i. *Candidates for the degree by full-time study only.* not less than three sessions.
- ii. *Candidates for the degree by part-time study only.* not less than five sessions.
- iii. *Candidates for the degree by a combination of both part-time and full-time study.* such period as may be determined in individual cases by the Undergraduate Programme Committee in Law.

Notwithstanding General Regulation 4, candidates for the Degree of LLB by part-time study may be permitted to register for up to 9 credits in any half-session, provided that they register for no more than 16 credits in any academic year.'

Regulation 3

For the existing Regulation substitute 'Every candidate must obtain at least 48 credits from the courses which are given in Annex A'.

Regulation 4

For 'courses 1 to 9 as listed in Regulation 3' substitute 'courses 1 to 10 as listed in Annex A'.

Regulations 6 and 13

For the sentence of the existing Regulation which commences 'Candidates who have successfully completed' substitute 'Any such candidates for the degree by full-time study only who have successfully completed the courses detailed in the relevant section of Annex B will be entitled to have their degree certificate endorsed "LL B with Options in French Language", "LL B with Options in German Language", "LL B with Options in Spanish Language", "LL B with Options in Economics", "LLB with Options in Accountancy", or "LLB with Options in Management Studies", as appropriate.'

Regulation 7

For 'Spanish' substitute 'Hispanic Studies'; for 'Regulation 6' substitute 'Annex B'.

Regulation 8

Following 'Degree of LL B with Honours' insert ',which is available by full-time study only,; for 'Regulation 3' substitute 'Annex A'.

Regulation 9

For 'the attached schedule of Honours courses' substitute 'Annex C'; add an additional sentence as follows: 'One of these six courses may be replaced by a level 4 courses from another department, with the permission of the UPC Convener'.

Regulation 12

For 'first day of the Summer Term' substitute 'second day of the Summer Term'.

Regulations 14, 27, 36 and 44

Following each occurrence of 'full-time programme' insert 'only'.

Regulations 15 and 37

For 'courses 1-9 in Regulation 3' ff. substitute 'courses 1-10 in Annex A and the level 1 and 2 courses given in Annex B (i)'

Regulations 17, 18, 19, 30, 39.2, 47.1, 47.2, 50, 55 and 56

Delete these Regulations and re-number subsequent Regulations accordingly.

Regulation 20

For 'provisions of Regulation 17' substitute 'prescriptions in Annex B (v) (a)'.

Regulation 21

For 'provisions of Regulation 18' substitute 'prescriptions in Annex B (v) (b)'.

Regulation 22

For 'provisions of Regulation 19' substitute 'prescriptions in Annex B (v)(c)'

Regulations 23 and 40

For the existing list of courses prescribed under (ii) substitute 'all the courses detailed in Annex B (i); and'; from section (iii) delete 'courses necessary to acquire the'.

Regulations 27, 28 and 29

For 'the University of Regensburg or the University of Freiburg' substitute 'the University of Regensburg, the University of Freiburg or the University of Marburg'.

Regulation 28

For 'courses 1-9 in Regulation 3' ff. substitute 'courses 1-10 in Annex A and the level 1 and 2 courses given in Annex B (ii)'.

Regulation 31

Delete this Regulation and re-number subsequent regulations accordingly.

Regulation 32

For the existing list of courses prescribed under (ii) substitute ' all the courses detailed in Annex B (ii); and'; for section (iii) substitute 'successfully completed the prescriptions given in Annex B (viii) (a), (b) or (c).'

Regulation 34

For 'Regensburg or Freiburg' substitute 'Regensburg, Frieberg or Marburg'.

Regulation 39.1

For 'indicated below' substitute 'indicated in Annex B (vii)'.

Regulation 45

For 'courses 1-9 in Regulation 3' ff. substitute 'courses 1-10 in Annex A and the level 1 and 2 courses in Annex B (iii)'.

Regulation 47

For 'listed below' substitute 'listed in Annex B (viii)'; delete the final sentence.

Regulation 48

For the existing list of courses prescribed under (ii) substitute 'all the courses detailed in Annex B (iii); and'; from section (iii) delete 'courses necessary to acquire the'.

New Regulations

Following the existing Regulation 52 insert new Regulations to govern the degree of Bachelor of Laws and European Legal Studies, as under:

'The Degree of LLB and European Legal Studies is a full-time programme only, extending over four sessions. The Degree of LLB and European Legal Studies with Honours is a full-time programme only extending over five sessions. For both degrees, candidates must spend their third session of study at the University of Maastricht or Aarhus where the medium of instruction is English.

To be eligible to study at the aforementioned Maastricht or Aarhus Universities, unless granted exemption by the Undergraduate Programme Committee in Law, candidates must have passed by the end of their second academic year the prescribed degree assessment in courses 1-10, 18 and 19 in Annex A.

During their session at either Maastricht or Aarhus University, candidates shall be assessed in accordance with the procedures in force at the relevant University.

The candidate proposed programme of study at Maastricht or Aarhus University must be approved by the appropriate SOCRATES Co-ordinators of both host and sending Universities.

Candidates will be required to attend and pass the required assessment in courses which aggregate at least 60 credits under the European Credit Transfer Scheme (ECTS).

Candidates shall be entitled to graduate with the Degree of LLB and European Legal Studies if they have:

- (i) fulfilled the requirements of Regulations 2 to 5, and of the General Degree Regulations;
- (ii) successfully completed, or been granted exemption in all the courses detailed in Annex A 10-10, 18, 19, and
- (iii) fulfilled the requirement of Regulation 51.

Candidates shall be entitled to graduate with the Degree of LLB Honours and European Legal Studies if they have satisfied the provisions of Regulation 52 and have fulfilled the requirements of Regulations 8 to 13, and of the General Degree Regulations.

A candidate shall immediately inform his or her Advisers of Studies at Aberdeen and Maastricht or Aarhus University if he or she is unable to attend courses for a period longer than two continuous weeks, or fails to take examinations or to complete any required course assessment. In the case of illness he or she shall send a copy of a medical certificate to the Advisers; and in any other case shall submit reasons in writing to the Advisers explaining the absence or failure to complete a required course assessment.

A candidate who does not obtain the necessary 60 ECTS credits at Maastricht or Aarhus University will not be allowed to graduate with the Degree of LLB and European Legal Studies but may be permitted by the Undergraduate Programme Committee in Law to transfer to the Degree of LLB, or the Degree of LLB with Honours.'

Regulation 57

For the existing Regulation substitute 'Candidates who have attended and performed the work of the class and passed the prescribed degree assessments in the subjects required under Annex D shall be eligible for the award of the Diploma in Legal Studies from the University of Aberdeen'.

Regulation 60

For the existing Regulation substitute 'Candidates who have attended and duly performed the work of the class and have passed the prescribed degree assessments in the subjects required under Annex E shall be eligible for the award of the Certificate in Legal Studies from the University of Aberdeen.'

11. General Regulations for Taught Postgraduate Awards

Regulation 1

To the end of Regulation 1 add a new sentence as follows:

'The University also awards a Postgraduate Certificate in Research Methods, a Postgraduate Diploma in Research Methods and the Degree of Master of Research under the provisions of General Regulation 7 for Research Degrees.'

Regulation 2

In the first sentence following 'qualifications' add 'in an appropriate discipline'.

From Section 2 (b) delete 'in an appropriate discipline'.

12. General Regulations for Research Degrees

Regulation 2

In the second sentence following 'obtained' add 'in an appropriate discipline.'

Regulation 7

To the end of Regulation 7 add three new sentences as follows:

'The provisions of General Regulations 6 to 9 for Taught Postgraduate Awards shall apply to candidates registered for a Postgraduate Certificate, Postgraduate Diploma or degree of MRes in Research Methods. In some disciplines research training elements are compulsory. If not passed at an appropriate standard candidates may not be permitted to progress and their candidature be terminated.'