

Schedule C - General Regulations for Awards Conferred Jointly With Other Degree Awarding Institutions

The following General Regulations for awards Conferred Jointly with other Degree Awarding Institutions apply to all degrees awarded jointly by the University of Aberdeen and other degree awarding institutions. The degrees governed by these General Regulations are conferred in accordance with Resolution No. 256 of 2008, which was approved by the University Court on 20 May 2008, as modified by subsequent University Court Resolutions.

1. The Senatus Academicus may designate as Joint Degrees, programmes responsible for the delivery and/or quality assurance of which is shared between the University and other institutions having degree-awarding powers. A list of the programmes currently so designated is contained in Schedule A to these Regulations, and may be amended from time to time.

2. In respect of each joint programme, the University Court on the recommendation of the Senatus Academicus, shall enter into a Memorandum of Agreement [MoA]. This Memorandum shall for each programme designate an Institution of Primary Registration, which shall be responsible for the processing of applications for admission, termination of study and conferral of awards. The Memorandum shall also specify arrangements for collection of fees and distribution of resource and for quality assurance matters.

3. Where the University of Aberdeen is not the Institution of Primary Registration, the students on joint programmes shall nevertheless be registered as Individual Subject Study or Registered Postgraduate Students, as appropriate.

4. The provisions of the Code of Practice on Student Discipline shall apply to breaches committed within the campuses of the University of Aberdeen, or in respect of courses for which the University of Aberdeen provides the Course Co-ordinator.

5. The external examiners at programme level for joint degrees shall be appointed and remunerated by the Institution of Primary Registration, following consultation with the other institutions involved.

6. In the case of joint Research programmes, the Memorandum will confirm the arrangements for the oral examination. Any arrangements for the oral examination that differ from those given in Schedule A will be clearly defined in the Memorandum and approved by Senate.