

MARP Table of Changes 2024-25

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| All | | | Inclusion of version numbers. Where in-year changes are made, these will be highlighted via an appendix | n/a – admin | n/a | All chapters will be labelled Version 1.0; any subsequent versions will be indicated by either a decimal point (e.g., 1.1) where minor amends made; 2.0 where change of substance made, with appendix or similar detailing nature of change and clauses affected. |
| Academic Appeals | Throughout | | Role title changes | n/a – admin | n/a | Updates to titles to reflect organisational arrangements. |
| Academic Integrity | Academic Malpractice & Artificial Intelligence Detection Software | 2.9.1 | Additional clauses | University Associate Academic Dean for Students | July 2024 | Update to explicitly prohibit uploading of assessments to plagiarism/AI detection software websites. |
| Academic Integrity | Academic Malpractice in Undergraduate and Postgraduate Coursework and Remote Examinations | 4 | Relocation of what was AM 5.3 Remote Examinations into AM 4 | SAC | July 2024 | To clarify the process of addressing instances of possible academic malpractice within a remote examination. |
| Academic Integrity | Academic Malpractice in Undergraduate and Postgraduate Coursework and Remote Examinations | 4.3.3 | Clarification of condonation where a zero mark is awarded by the Standing Academic Committee | n/a – admin | n/a | Clarification regarding outcomes where specific penalties are applied. |
| External Examiners | External Examiner Role | 1.3.1 | Inclusion of AdvanceHE Principles for EE role | ASQC | April 2024 | Updates to phrasing and framing of EE role, in line with sector expectations. |

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| External Examiners | Termination of EE Appointments | 2.8.4; 2.8.6 | Amends to process | n/a – admin | n/a | Updates to process, including requirement to contact EE inbox when EE resigns, and form for early EE termination. |
| General Regulations | Moderation | 2.4.2; 2.4.22 | Moderation of feedback | ASQC | November 2023 | Addition of requirement to include feedback as part of paper pack for internal & external moderation (UG & PGT) |
| Undergraduate Assessment Regulations | Progression Within Part II | 4.3.2-3 | Integrated Masters and Repeat Years | n/a – admin | n/a | Clarification of new rules governing IMs, to make explicit that the examination board options for repeat years should not include students on the third year of an Integrated Masters programme. |
| Undergraduate Assessment Regulations | Progression from Part I to Part II | 4.2.6 (c) | Repeat Years in Part I | n/a – admin | n/a | Clarifying procedures and support available for students opting for repeat year in Part I. |
| Postgraduate Research Assessment Regulations | Confirmation of PhD status | 2.5.3 | Amendment to responsibility for tracking completion of PhD Confirmation panel | n/a – admin | n/a | Minor amend, updating wording to reflect practice. |
| Postgraduate Research Assessment Regulations | Confirmation of PhD Status | 2.5.3 (a) | Liability for additional fees | n/a – admin | n/a | Clarification of timings regarding confirmation of PhD status and fee liability. |
| UA92 Academic Regulations | Moderation Appendix | | Update to procedures for moderation | n/a – admin | n/a | Update to moderation requirements, removing the need for moderation at L4 unless this contributes to target award (e.g., CertHE, Foundation Degree). |