

# Programme-specific regulations

## Faculty of Business and Law

Welcome to the programme-specific regulations for the Faculty of Business and Law. These are additional requirements, normally in place to address requirements outlined by a Professional, Statutory and Regulatory Body (PSRB). They relate to NEW level 4 (first year) undergraduate students from September 2022 onwards, both on block delivery programmes and on programmes with other delivery patterns, so students in level 5 in 2023/24 will now be subject to these regulations. They also apply to new postgraduate students from September 2023. Please refer to the [academic regulations](#) for further details.

Please note, there is a separate set of programme-specific regulations for taught programmes which apply to continuing postgraduate students and undergraduate students in level 6 or level 7 in 2023/24.

For further information please contact your Associate Dean (Academic) in the first instance. Alternatively, please contact Sally Lloyd, Department of Academic Quality, [sloyd@dmu.ac.uk](mailto:sloyd@dmu.ac.uk).

### N60044 BA (Hons) Human Resource Management

### N60073 MA Human Resource Management

### N60099 PgDip Human Resource Management

Leadership, Management & Marketing Board  
The Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development (CIPD)

#### Passing a module and compensation

In order for students on these programmes to attain The Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development (CIPD) accreditation the following additional regulations are required:

- All assessments must be passed at 40% for undergraduate (UG) courses and all non-dissertation assessments must be passed at 50% for postgraduate (PG) courses. The overall mark for a module with failed assessments will not exceed 39% for UG courses and 49% for PG courses. A student can be reassessed in any failed assessment as per the permitted reassessment attempts within the DMU regulations. Where reassessment is undertaken the module mark will be capped at 40% for UG courses and 50% for PG courses. Note that the dissertation module on an MA programme does not contribute to the CIPD accreditation.
- Compensation is not permitted for UG courses. Note that PG students are not eligible for compensation under DMU regulations.

Students who fail modules due to not passing an assessment, but who would have passed the module or received compensation under DMU only regulations will be offered the opportunity to sacrifice the opportunity to attain CIPD accreditation and be assessed under DMU only regulations. This means that the student will not attain accreditation by CIPD.

If a student fails a module at the final attempt, they will be assessed under the DMU only regulations and will not attain accreditation by CIPD.

If a student reverts to being assessed under DMU only regulations, any module passes or higher module marks that would have been achieved under DMU only regulations will be applied and eligibility for compensation will be considered for UG students.

## **N20091 CertHE Crowd Management**

**Apprenticeship, Corporate and Executive Education Board**  
**Crowd Safety Management Competency Framework (Operations Manager)**

### **Passing a module and passing the award**

- To be awarded, and in addition to the standard requirements for awarding a CertHE, students must pass an additional O credit Crowd Management Competency module requiring a series of satisfactory observations and/or professional discussions relevant to the award aim, as set out in the Crowd Safety Management Competency Framework (Operations Manager)

## **N10060 BSc (Hons) Business Studies (Niels Brock January Starts)**

**Leadership, Management & Marketing/Niels Brock Board**

### **Progression for January starts**

- To progress to the next level of undergraduate study students must have passed a minimum of 30 credits and have a at least 30 credits in the compensation band (30-39%). Students may progress with the remaining module marks below 30%.
- Where these progression regulations are not met, students will be required to interrupt their studies and undertake their reassessments during the summer assessment period. If the reassessments are passed, the student will join the September cohort.

## **UCPD Level 5 in Management**

**Apprenticeship, Corporate and Executive Education Board**

### **Modules sizes and compensation**

- Modules are weighted at 20 credits
- No compensation is allowed

## **Level 5 Apprenticeship Operations or Departmental Manager**

**Apprenticeship, Corporate and Executive Education Board**

### **Modules sizes and compensation**

- Modules in this programme are worth 20 credits each.
- There will be no compensation on this programme. All modules must be passed.

## PgCert in Leadership

Apprenticeship, Corporate and Executive Education Board

### Modules sizes and classification upgrade

Modules are weighted at 20 credits. Students in the band of consideration receive the higher award if 40 credits are graded in the higher category, rather than the standard DMU reg of 45 credits.

## M10045 LLB Law

Law (LLB) Board

Bar Standards Board

### Compensation

To retain the validity of the programme as a Qualifying Law Degree a student on one of the LLB programmes can only be compensated in a maximum of one of the core modules, provided that their mark for that module is at least 35.

The core modules are:

- English and European Legal Systems
- Criminal Law
- Contract Law
- Constitutional and Administrative Law
- Law of Tort
- Land Law
- Equity and Trusts

**N20045 BA (Hons) Business Management - City University of Hong Kong**

**N20052 BA (Hons) Business Management - City University of Hong Kong**

City University of Hong Kong (SCOPE) Board

### Compensated Credits

	<b>180 credit degree</b>	<b>360 credit degree</b>
<b>Level 4</b>	0 credit	30 credits
<b>Level 5</b>	15 credits	30 credits
<b>Level 6</b>	30 credits	30 credits

To be compensated for a module failure, a student must have achieved a minimum of 30% in that module.

Can only re-sit for improved mark if no other mark below 30% and at the end of the academic session when all assessments completed.

## Resit Opportunities

	<b>180 credit degree</b>	<b>360 credit degree</b>
<b>Level 4</b>	15 credits	60 credits
<b>Level 5</b>	30 credits	60 credits
<b>Level 6</b>	60 credits	60 credits

Must re-sit within 15 months of final assessment board for cohort

**Registration Period** – (General rule is 60 credits = 1 year but additional time given for part-time students)

**Studying 180 credits full time over 12 months** – 3 years

**Studying 180 credits part time over 2 academic years** – 4 years

**Studying 360 credits full time over 28 months** – 6 years

## Awards

**Honours** 360 total credits – minimum 120 level 6 taught credits  
30 credits compensation permitted at each level

**Non Honours** 300 total credits – minimum 60 level 6 taught credits  
30 credits compensation permitted at level 4  
45 credits compensation permitted across levels 5 & 6 combined, of which compensation at level 6 can constitute no more than 25% of the level 6 credits studied

**DipHE** 240 total credits – minimum 90 level 5 taught credits  
no more than 30 credits compensation permitted at levels 4 & 5

**Cert HE** 120 total credits - minimum 60 level 4 taught credits  
no more than 30 credits compensation permitted at levels 4, no compensation is allowed at level 5

## L23141 BA (Hons) Public Administration and Management - City University of Hong Kong City University of Hong Kong (SCOPE) Board

## Compensated Credits

<b>Volume of level 5 credits studied</b>	<b>Total credits studied</b>	<b>Compensated Credits</b>	
		<b>Level 5</b>	<b>Level 6</b>
60	180	15	30
75	195	15	30
90	210	30	30
120	240	30	30

\*compensatory credits are not allowed for Housing Specialisation modules.

Can only re-sit for improved mark if no other mark below 30% and at the end of the academic session when all assessments completed.

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		Level 5	Level 6
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75	195	30	60
90	210	60	60
120	240	60	60

Must re-sit within 15 months of final assessment board for cohort

## Registration Period

**Full Time** 6 years  
**Part Time** depends on entry

## Awards

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30 credits compensation permitted at each level

**Non Honours** 300 total credits – minimum 60 level 6 taught credits  
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45 credits compensation permitted across levels 5 & 6 combined, of which compensation at level 6 can constitute no more than 25% of the level 6 credits studied

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**N1N247 BA (Hons) Business Management - City University of Hong Kong**

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**City University of Hong Kong (SCOPE) Board**

The following relates to the 180-credit level 5 and 6 top-up provision where 60 credits of level 5 and 120 credits of level 6 are studied

## Compensated Credits

A total of 30 credits of compensation is allowed for a module mark of 30 – 39% across levels 5 and 6 but can only be applied once all modules have been taken and only providing the other 150 credits are passed.

## Progression to level 6 is not specified

Students study level 5 and 6 modules concurrently within the structure.

## Registration Periods

**Full-time:** Normally studied over 1 year with maximum registration of 2 years

**Part-time:** Normally studied over 2 years with maximum registration of 4 years

## **N19071 Executive MBA - 60 credit Top-up**

### **Leadership, Management & Marketing Board**

Students study the level 7 60-credit Business Analysis and Research Project with DMU and are permitted 120 level 7 RPL credits.

For all students, the masters' classification will be based on the 60-credit Business Analysis and Research Project only.