

Academic regulations OVERVIEW

		Max period of registration	RPL credits (max)	Progression/award eligibility						Award classification calculation			
				Reassessment credits/opps	Compensation credits (max)	Credits (min) required to progress	Credits	Level average mark	Exit awards (available)	Average for classification calculation based on (credits)	Classification bands	Classification criteria	
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UCPD		FT: 3 yrs PT: 3 yrs	30	Twice in each module	15	N/A	60	40%	N/A	All 60	Distinction 70%+ Merit 60-69% Pass 40-59%	Minimum 45 credits or overall average mark in higher band	
LEVEL 4	CertHE	FT: 2 yrs PT: 3 yrs	60	60 per level	30	PT: 30	120	40%	N/A				
	HNC	FT: 2 yrs PT: 3 yrs	60	60 per level	30	PT: 30	120	40%	N/A	All 120	Distinction 70%+ Merit 60-69% Pass 40-59%	Overall level average mark in higher band	
LEVEL 5	HND	FT: 4 yrs PT: 6 yrs	30	60 per level	30	PT: 30	240	40%	N/A	All 120 L5	Distinction 70%+ Merit 60-69% Pass 40-59%	Overall level 5 average mark in higher band	
	DipHE	FT: 4 yrs PT: 6 yrs	30	60 per level	30	PT: 30	240	40%	N/A				
	Foundation degree	FT: 4 yrs PT: 6 yrs	30	60 per level	30	PT: 30	240	40%	N/A	All 120 L5	Distinction 70%+ Merit 60-69% Pass 40-59%	Overall level 5 average mark in higher band	
LEVEL 6	GradCert	FT: 1 yrs PT: 2 yrs		60 per level	15	PT: 30	60	40%	N/A				
	Non-honours	FT: 5 yrs PT: 7 yrs		60	45 credits across levels 5&6 – max 25% @ level 6	PT: 30	300	40%	N/A				
	GradDip	FT: 2 yrs PT: 3 yrs		60	30	PT: 30	120	40%	Grad Cert				
	Honours	FT: 6 yrs PT: 8 yrs		60 per level	30	PT: 30	360	40%	Non-hons	Best 105 L5 single-weighted Best 105 L6 triple-weighted	First 70%+ 2:1 60-69% 2:2 50-59% Third 40-49%	Consideration band: First 68-69% 2:1 58-59% 2:2 48-49% Min 60 level 6 credits or overall level average in higher band	
	Honours with placement	FT: 7 yrs PT: 9 yrs		60	30	PT: 30	390	40%	Non-hons	Best 120 L5 single-weighted Best 105 L6 triple-weighted	First 70%+ 2:1 60-69% 2:2 50-59% Third 40-49%	Consideration band: First 68-69% 2:1 58-59% 2:2 48-49% Min 60 level 6 credits or overall level average in higher band	
LEVEL 7	Integrated master's	FT: 7 yrs PT: 9 yrs		Once in each module	N/A	PT: 30	480	50%	N/A	Best 225 over L5&6 single-weighted Best 105 L7 triple-weighted	First 70%+ 2:1 60-69% 2:2 50-59% Third 40-49%	Consideration band: First 68-69% 2:1 58-59% 2:2 48-49% Min 60 level 7 credits or overall level average in higher band	
	PGCert	FT: 1 yrs PT: 2 yrs	30	Once in each module	N/A	Research methods to start final/major piece	60	50%	N/A	All 60	Distinction 70%+ Merit 60-69% Pass 50-59%	Minimum 45 credits or overall average mark in higher band	
	PGDip	FT: 2 yrs PT: 4 yrs	60	Once in each module	N/A	Research methods to start final/major piece	120	50%	PGCert	All 120	Distinction 70%+ Merit 60-69% Pass 50-59%	Minimum 90 credits or overall average mark in higher band	
	Master's	FT: 3 yrs PT: 6 yrs	90	Once in each module	N/A	60 credits to start final/major piece	180	50%	PGCert PGDip	All 180	Distinction 70%+ Merit 60-69% Pass 50-59%	Major/final piece and minimum 120 credits or overall average mark in higher band	