

SPECIAL REGULATIONS: ACCELERATED DEGREES AT BROMLEY COLLEGE

PREAMBLE

1. These special regulations reflect the following principles:
 - (i) the programme will be delivered over three blocks of learning of similar length (trimesters), and there will not be compressed delivery;
 - (ii) students will be entitled to a full range of academic, pastoral and student-service support for the entire duration for their study;
 - (iii) there will be alignment with the regulations for conventional degrees whenever possible;
 - (iv) there will be a Progression Board at the end of each level;
 - (v) students will have the right to move from an accelerated award to a conventional award on the completion of a 60-credit trimester. To do so, they will be required to interrupt their studies until the next scheduled semester for conventional degree delivery.

INTRODUCTION

2. These special regulations relate only to the following programmes:
 - BSc (Hons) Accounting (2 year accelerated degree)
 - BSc (Hons) Business Studies (2 year accelerated degree)

ADMISSIONS

3. A student will be permitted to transfer from the conventional degree to the accelerated degree where they meet the admissions criteria for the accelerated degree as specified in the programme specification and following a successful interview.
4. A student will be permitted to enter the programme directly at levels 5 or 6 in line with the University regulations on Recognition of Prior Learning. This will be subject to a student meeting the admissions criteria for the accelerated degree as specified in the programme specification and following a successful interview.

REGISTRATION PERIOD

5. The minimum period of registration for the degree will be two years (24 months).

ASSESSMENT

6. A student will be permitted to trail and progress in line with the arrangements set out in the *Regulation and credit framework for the conferment of awards*.
7. A student who is referred or deferred in more than 20 credits, and is not eligible to trail and progress, will be required to transfer to a programme providing

conventional degree delivery and to be reassessed in line with the *Regulation and credit framework for the conferment of awards*.

8. Where reassessment is required under the above principles, students will be required to undertake all reassessment for a level at a suitable reassessment period following the completion of that level.
9. At levels 4 and 5, where reassessment is required under the above principles, students will have one reassessment opportunity only. A student who does not pass on reassessment and is not eligible for compensation, will be required to transfer to a programme providing conventional degree delivery and to be reassessed in line with the *Regulation and credit framework for the conferment of awards*.

STARRED MODULES

10. Students may not select starred modules.

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