UNIVERSITY COLLEGE CORK

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COLLEGE OF ARTS, CELTIC STUDIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

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Students who pass a subject by compensation, can opt to repeat this subject at the Autumn Supplemental Examination or in a repeat year if they wish to register for the subject in second year and third year. Students who achieve the pass standard (at least 40% in the subject and 40% in each module in this subject) at the Autumn Supplemental Examination or in a repeat year can register for this subject in Second and Third Year. Students who do not reach the pass standard (at least 40% in the subject and at least 40% in each module in the subject in Autumn, can use the result achieved in Summer to progress to Second Year but will not be allowed to register for this subject.

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<td>1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination Board in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination Board of a Repeat Year.</td>
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<td>2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination Board of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed – are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.</td>
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<td>In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.</td>
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<td>In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.</td>
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| Three Year Rule: | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
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#### Second University Examination in Arts – Single Subject

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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must: 1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules 2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits. In addition,  
  - **Gaeilge/Irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA2001.  
  - **French:** In order to pass the year, students must pass FR2101.  
  - **German:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GE2101.  
  - **Italian:** In order to pass the year, students must pass IT2101.  
  - **Spanish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass HS2101 or HS2102.  
  3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s). |

*For teaching purposes, the Teaching Council require that students must have verifiable residential experience of at least two months in an area designated as a Gaeltacht area. In order to fulfil this requirement an additional 5 credit module, GA3025 Tréimhse Chónaithe sa Ghaeltacht (5 credits), is available to students taking this programme. The module is taken in addition to the prescribed programme requirements, at no cost to the student. Work towards this module can be undertaken in part in Semester 3 of years 1, 2 or 3 but must be completed in time for the Summer or Autumn Examination Board in the final year of the programme. All students will register for this module in their final year, irrespective of when they actually undertake it. Attendance at, and examination in, the module will be recorded on the student transcript. The module will not contribute to the final degree award. Students wishing to take this module should contact the Head of the Department of Modern Irish for further information.*

| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in Second Year. |
**Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:**

Marks from Second Year are carried forward towards the Final Degree mark in the following subjects and in the following proportions, where the subjects listed are the 50-credit subjects:

**Archaeology, Economics, Philosophy and Politics:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 1000 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 1000 marks.

**History of Art, Religions and Global Diversity, and Sociology:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 20% of 1000 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 80% of 1000 marks.

**English:** The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33 of 1000 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 1000 marks.

**Exemptions:**

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years (or 2 in the case of Computer Science modules) subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below).

Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.
**Repeat Year Examinations:**

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination Board in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination Board of a Repeat Year.*

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination Board of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. *Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed – are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.*

| **Three Year Rule:** | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.
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**Second University Examination in Arts – Major Subject**

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| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination Board in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination Board of a Repeat Year.  

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination Board of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed – are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.**  

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.  

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board. |
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**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art002.html](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art002.html) Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the [Book of Modules](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the [Book of Modules](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must:
1. in each subject, achieve an aggregate mark of at least 240/600 across all modules
2. in each subject, pass modules to the value of at least 25 credits.

   - **Gaeilge/Irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA2001. Students taking Irish/History Honours must pass GA2029
   - **French:** In order to pass the year, students must pass FR2101.
   - **German:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GE2101.
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3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:** Honours are not awarded in Second Year.

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| **Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:** | Marks from Second Year are carried forward towards the Final Degree mark in the following subjects and in the following proportions:

**Applied Mathematics, Archaeology, Economics, Mathematical Studies, Mathematics, Philosophy and Politics:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 600 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 600 marks.

**Geography, History of Art and Religions and Global Diversity, Sociology:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 20% of 600 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 80% of 600 marks.

**English:** The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 600 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 600 marks. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

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**Three Year Rule:** Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
**BA (HONS) DEGREE**

**BA (Hons) Degree Examination – Single Subject**

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| Honours: | Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall. First Class Honours  
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**Note:** Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only. Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.

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| **BA (HONS) DEGREE** |
| **BA (Hons) Degree Examination – Major Subject** |

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an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate
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### Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:
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- **Archeology, Economics, Mathematical Studies, Mathematics** and **Philosophy** and
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**Three Year Rule:**
Candidates must pass within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
## B SOC SC (HONS) DEGREE

### First University Examination in Social Science

**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art012.html](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art012.html) Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five credit module; 200 per 10 credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** To pass First Year and progress to Second Year candidates must pass modules to the value of 60 credits. All modules must be passed.

**Honours:** Honours are not awarded in First Year.

**Exemptions:** All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:** Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

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**B SOC SC (HONS) DEGREE**

Second University Examination in Social Science

**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

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**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level)** To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must: 1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules 2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits. 3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:** Honours are not awarded in Second Year.

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**Supplemental Examinations:** Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

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Three Year Rule:

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
## B SOC SC (HONS) DEGREE

### B Soc Sc (Hons) Degree Examination

**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

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Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

**Exemptions:** All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.
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### Repeat Year Examinations:

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- Note: students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only.
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**BMUS (HONS) DEGREE**

**First University Examination in Music**

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## BMUS (HONS) DEGREE

### Second University Examination in Music

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In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.  

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### BMUS (HONS) DEGREE

#### Third University Examination in Music

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| **Modules:** | http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art011b.html | Total: 60 credits |
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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Fourth Year a candidate must: 1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules 2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits. 3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module. |
| **Honours:** | Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall. |

| **First Class Honours** | an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits |
| **Second Class Honours: Grade I** | an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits. |
| **Second Class Honours: Grade II** | an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits. |
| **Third Class Honours** | an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits. |

Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |

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**Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination:** In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

Students who pass a subject by compensation, can opt to repeat this subject at the Autumn Supplemental Examination or in a repeat year if they wish to register for the subject in second year and third year. Students who achieve the pass standard (at least 40% in the subject and 40% in each module in this subject) at the Autumn Supplemental Examination or in a repeat year can register for this subject in Second and Third Year. Students do not reach the pass standard (at least 40% in the subject and at least 40% in each module in the subject in Autumn, can use the result achieved in Summer to progress to Second Year but will not be allowed to register for this subject.

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**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only. Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.

1. **Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules.** In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

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| **Three Year Rule:** | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
### BA (HONS) DEGREE (ARTS-MUSIC)

#### Second University Examination in Arts Music – Major Subject

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**Gaeilge/Irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA2001.  
**French:** In order to pass the year, students must pass FR2101.  
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| **Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Award of Final Degree:** | Marks from Second Year are carried forward towards the Final Degree mark in the following subjects and in the following proportions.  
**Archaeology, Economics, Mathematical Studies, Mathematics and Politics:** the mark in the BA (Arts-Music) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Arts-Music) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 400 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 400 marks.  
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**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art027.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art027.html). Total 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module; Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must:
1. in each subject, achieve an aggregate mark of at least 240/600 across all modules
2. in each subject, pass modules to the value of at least 25 credits
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

- **Gaeilge/ Irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA2001.
- **French:** In order to pass the year, students must pass FR2101.
- **German:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GE2101.
- **Italian:** In order to pass the year, students must pass IT2101.
- **Spanish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass HS2101 or HS2102.

**Honours:** Honours are not awarded in Second Year.

**Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:** Marks from Second Year are carried forward towards the Final Degree mark in the following subjects and in the following proportions.

- **Applied Mathematics, Archaeology, Economics, Mathematical Studies, Mathematics and Politics** the mark in the BA (Arts-Music) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Art Music) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 600 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 600 marks.

- **Geography, History of Art and Religions and Global Diversity,** the mark in the BA (Arts-Music) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Arts-Music) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 20% of 600 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 80% of 600 marks.

- **English:** The mark in the BA (Arts-Music) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Arts-Music) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 600 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 600 marks.
| Exemptions: | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| Supplemental Examinations: | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  
*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.  
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. |
| Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: | In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| Repeat Year Examinations: | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  
1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used.  
*Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*  
2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark.  
Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.  
In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.  
In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board. |
| Three Year Rule: | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
### BA (HONS) DEGREE (ARTS-MUSIC)

#### Third University Examination in Arts-Music (International Pathway)

This year is spent studying in a university abroad. Students will be assessed by their host university.

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### BA (HONS) DEGREE (ARTS-MUSIC)

#### University Degree Examination in Arts-Music – Single Subject

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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Third Year a candidate must:  
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules  
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits.  
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).  
   - **Gaelige/Irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA3001  
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**For teaching purposes, the Teaching Council require that students must have verifiable residential experience of at least two months in an area designated as a Gaeltacht area. In order to fulfill this requirement an additional 5 credit module, GA3025 Tréimhsé Chónaithe sa Ghaeltacht (5 credits), is available to students taking this programme. The module is taken in addition to the prescribed programme requirements, at no cost to the student. Work towards this module can be undertaken in part in Semester 3 of years 1, 2 or 3 but must be completed in time for the Summer or Autumn Examination Board in the final year of the programme. All students will register for this module in their final year, irrespective of when they actually undertake it. Attendance at, and examination in, the module will be recorded on the student transcript. The module will not contribute to the final degree award. Students wishing to take this module should contact the Head of the Department of Modern Irish for further information.**

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**Second Class Honours: Grade I**

an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.

**Second Class Honours: Grade II**

an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

**Third Class Honours**

an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

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The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suit their requirements.  
*Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only. Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.*  
1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Spring/Summer Examinations in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used.  
Note: for students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year. |
2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. *Note: For certain modules there is no provision for a Repeat Year Examination.* In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. All students – whether they have failed or passed – are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

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| Pass Standard (Programme level): | To pass Third Year a candidate must:  
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 320/800 in the 40 credit subject and 160/400 in the 20 credit subject  
2. pass modules to the value of at least 35 credits in the 40 credit subject and 15 credits in the 20 credit subject  
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).  
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### Honours:

Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.

**First Class Honours**

an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

**Second Class Honours: Grade I**

an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.

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**Third Class Honours**

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Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

### Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:

Marks from Second Year are carried forward towards the Final Degree mark in the following subjects and in the following proportions.

**Archaeology, Economics, Mathematical Studies, Mathematics:** the mark in the BA (Arts-Music) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts-Music and BA (Arts-Music) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 400 marks, BA (Hons) Arts-Music Degree 66.66% of 400 marks.

**Geography, History of Art and Religions and Global Diversity:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Arts-Music Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts-Music and BA (Arts-Music) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 20% of 400 marks, BA (Hons) Arts-Music Degree 80% of 400 marks.

**English:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Arts-Music Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts-Music and BA (Arts-Music) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: 40-credit Subject: Second Arts 30% of 800 marks, BA (Hons) Arts-Music Degree 70% of 800 marks. 20-credit Subject: Second Arts-Music 30% of 400 marks, BA (Hons) Arts-Music Degree 70% of 400 marks.

### Exemptions:

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.
### Supplemental Examinations:

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.** Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

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Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations:

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suit their requirements.

**Note:** Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only.

Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules.
   - In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark.
   - Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

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### Three Year Rule:

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
# BA (HONS) DEGREE (ARTS-MUSIC)

## BA (Hons) Degree Examination - Joint Subject Candidates

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**Gaeilge/Irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA3001  
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### Honours:

Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.

**First Class Honours:**
An aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.

**Second Class Honours: Grade**
An aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.

**Second Class Honours: Grade II**
An aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.

**Third Class Honours**
An aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of not less than 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.

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### Carrying Forward of Marks towards Final Degree Award:

Marks from Second Year are carried forward towards the Final Degree mark in the following subjects and in the following proportions:

**Applied Mathematics, Archaeology, Economics, Mathematical Studies and Mathematics:** The mark in the BA (Arts-Music) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts-Music and BA (Hons) Arts-Music Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts-Music 33.33% of 600 marks, BA (Hons) Arts-Music Degree 66.66% of 600 marks.

**Geography, History of Art and Religions and Global Diversity,** the mark in the BA (Arts-Music) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts-Music and BA (Hons) Arts-Music Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts-Music 20% of 600 marks, BA (Hons) Arts-Music Degree 80% of 600 marks.

**English** the mark in the BA (Arts-Music) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts-Music and BA (Hons) Arts-Music Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts-Music 30% of 600 marks, BA (Hons) Arts-Music Degree 70% of 600 marks.

### Exemptions:

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.
### Supplemental Examinations:

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Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination. In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations:

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only. Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining the aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination or the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students – whether they have failed or passed – are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.
**BA (HONS) DEGREE (ARTS-MUSIC) WITH CHINESE STUDIES**

### Third University Examination in Arts-Music with Chinese Studies (Year Abroad)

This year is spent studying in a university in China. Students will be assessed by their host university.

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### BA HONOURS DEGREE (ARTS – MUSIC) WITH CHINESE STUDIES
BA (Hons) Degree Examination in Arts-Music with Chinese Studies

| **Time:** | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art027.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art027.html) | Total 60 credits. |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module; Total Marks: 1200. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the [Book of Modules](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the [Book of Modules](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Fourth Year a candidate must:  
1. **in each subject**, achieve an aggregate mark of at least 240/600 across all modules  
2. **in each subject**, pass modules to the value of at least 25 credits.  
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s). |
| **Honours:** | Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.  
**First Class Honours**  
an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.  
**Second Class Honours: Grade I**  
an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.  
**Second Class Honours: Grade II**  
an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits  
**Third Class Honours**  
an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits  
Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  

Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only. Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.  

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.**  

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity, all students – whether they have failed or passed – are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.**  

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass Standard for the year on the combined results from both years. |
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For teaching purposes, the Teaching Council require that students must have verifiable residential experience of at least two months in an area designated as a Gaeltacht area. In order to fulfill this requirement an additional 5 credit module, GA3025 Téimhse Chónaithe sa Ghaeltacht (5 credits), is available to students taking this programme. The module is taken in addition to the prescribed programme requirements, at no cost to the student. Work towards this module can be undertaken in part in Semester 3 of years 1, 2 or 3 but must be completed in time for the Summer or Autumn Examination Board in the final year of the programme. All students will register for this module in their final year, irrespective of when they actually undertake it. Attendance at, and examination in, the module will be recorded on the student transcript. The module will not contribute to the final degree award. Students wishing to take this module should contact the Head of the Department of Modern Irish for further information. |
| **Honours:** Honours are not awarded in Second Year. |
### Exemptions:

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

### Supplemental Examinations:

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.**

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**Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination:** In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations:

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules.
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### Three Year Rule:

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
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This year is spent studying in a university abroad. Students will be assessed by their host university.

**Time:**
A pass/fail judgement for the Year Abroad will be forwarded to the Autumn Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass mark there will be a Winter Supplemental Examination with marks going to the Winter Examination Board.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass Third Year and progress to Fourth Year a candidate must achieve a pass standard as applied by the Host Institution on a set of modules approved by the Department.

**Honours:**
Honours are not awarded in the Year Abroad.

**Supplemental Examinations:**
Students who fail at the Autumn Examination Board will be required to submit an extended essay (or equivalent) in UCC. Students should consult with the relevant Department. The maximum mark awarded will be 40%.

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| **Time:** | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
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1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.**

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.**

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

**Three Year Rule:**

Candidates must pass within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
## BA(HONS) DEGREE (FILM AND SCREEN MEDIA)

### First University Examination in Film and Screen Media

| **Time:** | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art032.html Total: 60 credits. |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass First Year and progress to Second Year candidates must (i) achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules (ii) pass Film and Screen Media (30 credits) with a mark of not less than 40% in each module (iii) pass at least one other subject with a mark of not less than 40% in each module (iv) achieve not less than 30% in the remaining subject (15 credits) Note: only subjects which are passed with at least 40% in each module in that subject may be continued in second and third year. |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in First Year. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
Students who pass a subject by compensation, can opt to repeat this subject at the Autumn Supplemental Examination or in a repeat year if they wish to register for the subject in second year and third year. Students who achieve the pass standard (at least 40% in the subject and 40% in each module in this subject) at the Autumn Supplemental Examination or in a repeat year can register for this subject in Second and Third Year. Students do not reach the pass standard (at least 40% in the subject and at least 40% in each module in the subject in Autumn, can use the result achieved in Summer to progress to Second Year but will not be allowed to register for this subject.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

**Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):**

Students must pass the Film and Screen Media Examination within three academic years from the date of first registration for First Year. Failure to comply with this rule would mean that the student would be ineligible to proceed further with his/her studies. Exceptions to this rule may be granted by the College of Arts, Celtic Studies and Social Sciences, only for very serious reasons.
#### BA (HONS) DEGREE FILM AND SCREEN MEDIA

### Second University Examination in Film and Screen Media

**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art032.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art032.html) Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must:
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 320/800 in the 40 credit subject and 160/400 in the 20 credit subject.
2. pass modules to the value of at least 35 credits in the 40 credit subject and 15 credits in the 20 credit subject. In addition, **Gaeilge/irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA2001. **French:** In order to pass the year, students must pass FR2101. **German:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GE2101. **Italian:** In order to pass the year, students must pass IT2101. **Spanish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass HS2101 or HS2102.
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:** Honours are not awarded in Second Year.

**Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award**

The mark in the BA (Hons) Film and Screen Media Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Year and BA (Hons) Film and Screen Media Degree Examinations in the following proportions: Second Arts 40% of 800 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 60% of 800 marks.

**Archaeology, Economics, Mathematical Studies, Mathematics, Philosophy and Politics:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: 40-credit Subject: Second Arts 33.33% of 800 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 800 marks. 20-credit Subject: Second Arts 33.33% of 400 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 400 marks.

**Geography, History of Art and Religions and Global Diversity, Sociology:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: 40- credit Subject: Second Arts 20% of 800 marks, BA (Hons)
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**English:** The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: 40-credit Subject: Second Arts 33.33% of 800 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 800 marks. 20-credit Subject: Second Arts 33.33% of 400 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 400 marks.

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**
Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*

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### BA (HONS) DEGREE (FILM AND SCREEN MEDIA)

**BA (Hons) Degree Examination in Film and Screen Media (for students who entered First Year Film and Screen Media from 2014-2015 onwards)**

**Time:**
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art032.html Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass Third Year, a candidate must:
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 320/800 in the 40 credit subject and 160/400 in the 20 credit subject
2. pass modules to the value of at least 35 credits in the 40 credit subject and 15 credits in the 20 credit subject. In addition
   - **Gaeilge/Irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA3001.
   - **French:** In order to pass the year, students must pass FR4101.
   - **German:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GE3101.
   - **Italian:** In order to pass the year, students must pass IT3101.
   - **Spanish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass HS3001.
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:**
Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

- **Second Class Honours: Grade I**
  - an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.

- **Second Class Honours: Grade II**
  - an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

- **Third Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

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**CACSSS Marks and Standards 2018-2019**
Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

**Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award**

The mark in the BA (Hons) Film and Screen Media Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Year and BA (Hons) Film and Screen Media Degree Examinations in the following proportions: Second Arts 40% of 800 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 60% of 800 marks.

**Archeology, Economics, Mathematical Studies, Mathematics, Philosophy and Politics**: the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: 40-credit Subject: Second Arts 33.33% of 800 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 800 marks. 20-credit Subject: Second Arts 33.33% of 400 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 400 marks.

**Geography, History of Art, and Religions and Global Diversity**: the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: 40-credit Subject: Second Arts 20% of 800 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 80% of 800 marks. 20-credit Subject: Second Arts 20% of 400 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 80% of 400 marks.

**English**: The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: 40-credit Subject: Second Arts 30% of 800 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 70% of 800 marks. 20-credit Subject: Second Arts 30% of 400 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 70% of 400 marks.

**Exemptions:**

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass.
40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

| Repeat Year Examinations: | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements. Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only. Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.  

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations re used. Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.  

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In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board. |
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### BA (HONS) DEGREE APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY (CK106)

#### First University Examination in Arts (Applied Psychology)

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### Repeat Year Examinations:

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.**

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

A student who repeats the first year of the programme must pass and progress in accordance with university rules, as well as selecting from modules available in the repeat year which may differ from those available in an earlier attempt year. Where a student has been granted exemptions due to having passed module(s) in an earlier attempt year, an exemption in any particular module is relevant to the repeat year only where that module is included in the current prescribed programme. Students repeating first year from 2018/19 onwards may be required to take new modules as prescribed by the School. In some instances, modules may potentially carry different credit weightings and content compared to an earlier attempt year.

### Three Year Rule:

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
| **Time:** | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | [https://www.ucc.ie/en/ck120](https://www.ucc.ie/en/ck120) Total: 60 credits. |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per 15 credit module; Total Marks: 1200. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |
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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must: 1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules 2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits. 3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s). |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in Second Year. |
| **Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:** | The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts (Applied Psychology) and the BA (Applied Psychology) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts (Applied Psychology) 33.33% of 1200 marks, BA (Applied Psychology) Degree 66.66% of 1200 marks. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
**Supplemental Examinations:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the [Book of Modules](https://www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

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  - an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

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**Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:** The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts (Applied) and the BA (Applied Psychology) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts (Applied Psychology) 33.33% of 1200 marks, BA (Applied Psychology) Degree 66.66% of 1200 marks.

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### Supplemental Examinations:

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### Repeat Year Examinations:

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Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.

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| **Three Year Rule:** | Candidates must pass within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
### BA (HONS) Degree (Applied Psychology) (CK120)

**First University Examination in Arts (Applied Psychology)**

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(ii) Pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits  
(iii) Achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining modules |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in First Year. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
### Supplemental Examinations:

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: for some modules there is no supplemental examination.

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In the case of a candidate choosing option 2, who had already passed in their first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

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### Three Year Rule:

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
## BA (HONS) DEGREE (APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY) (CK120)

### Second University Examination in Arts (Applied Psychology)

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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year, a candidate must:  
1. Achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules  
2. Pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits  
3. Achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s) |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in Second Year. |
| **Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:** | The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts (Applied Psychology) and the BA (Applied Psychology) degree examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts (Applied Psychology) 33.33% of 1200 marks, BA (Applied Psychology) 66.66% of 1200 marks. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
**Supplemental Examinations:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note for some modules there is no supplemental examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. Note: for students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students, whether they have failed or passed, are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

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**Three Year Rule:**

Candidates must pass/progress within three academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
## BA (HONS) DEGREE (APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY) (CK120)

### BA (Hons) Degree Examination (Applied Psychology)

**Time:**
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**
https://www.ucc.ie/en/ck120  Total 60 credits

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module, 400 per twenty credit module. Total marks 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/)

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40% Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/)

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass Third Year, a candidate must:
1. Achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
2. Pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits
3. Achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s)

**Honours:**
Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.

- **First Class Honours**
an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

- **Second Class Honours: Grade I**
an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.

- **Second Class Honours: Grade II**
an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

- **Third Class Honours**
an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.

Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations government the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.
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| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.  
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The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
Capping of marks at Supplementary Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  
Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only. Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.  
1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.  
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BA (HONS) DEGREE IN GEOGRAPHY AND ARCHAEOLOGY

Third University Examination in Geography and Archaeology (International Pathway) (for students who entered prior to 2016-2017)

This year is spent studying in a university abroad. Students will be assessed by their host university.

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| <strong>Modules:</strong> | <a href="http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art034.html">http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art034.html</a> Total: 60 credits. |
| <strong>Marks Maxima:</strong> | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200. |
| <strong>Distribution of Marks:</strong> | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (<a href="http://www.ucc.ie/modules/">www.ucc.ie/modules/</a>). |
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| <strong>Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):</strong> | To pass First Year and progress to Second Year candidates must pass modules to the value of 60 credits. All modules must be passed. |
| <strong>Honours:</strong> | Honours are not awarded in First Year. |
| <strong>Exemptions:</strong> | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years (or 2 in the case of Computer Science modules) subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| <strong>Supplemental Examination:</strong> | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (<a href="http://www.ucc.ie/modules/">www.ucc.ie/modules/</a>) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass. |</p>
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### BA (HONS) DEGREE GEOGRAPHICAL AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL SCIENCES

#### Second University Examination in Geographical and Archaeological Sciences
(for students who enter from 2016-2017 onwards)

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3. must obtain a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s). |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in Second Year. |
| **Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:** | Marks from Second Year are carried forward towards the Final Degree. The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks obtained in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 1200 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 1200 marks. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years (or 2 in the case of Computer Science modules) subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
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## BA (HONS) DEGREE GEOGRAPHICAL AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL SCIENCES

### Third University Examination in Geographical and Archaeological Sciences – International Pathway
(for students who enter from 2016-52017 onwards)

This year is spent studying in a university abroad. Students will be assessed by their host university.

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<td>To pass Third Year and graduate a candidate must: 1. obtain an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules to the value of 50 credits 2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits. 3. must obtain a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).</td>
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<td>Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall. First Class Honours an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits Second Class Honours: Grade I an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits. Second Class Honours: Grade II an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits. Third Class Honours an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits. Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.</td>
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<td>Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements. <strong>Note:</strong> Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only. Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred. 1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year. 2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.</td>
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In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

| Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply): | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
**BA (HONS) INTERNATIONAL DEGREE**

**First University Examination in Arts International**

**Time:**
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**
http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art002.html Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass First Year and progress to Second Year candidates must
1. achieve an overall mark of 480/1200 across all modules
2. pass at least three subjects (45 credits) with a mark of not less than 40% in each module and in each subject
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in the remaining subject (15 credits)

Note: only subjects which are passed with at least 40% in each module in that subject may be continued in second and third year.

For teaching purposes, the Teaching Council require that students must have verifiable residential experience of at least two months in an area designated as a Gaeltacht area. In order to fulfill this requirement an additional 5 credit module, GA3025 Tréimhse Chónaithe sa Ghaeltacht (5 credits), is available to students taking this programme. The module is taken in addition to the prescribed programme requirements, at no cost to the student. Work towards this module can be undertaken in part in Semester 3 of years 1, 2 or 3 but must be completed in time for the Summer or Autumn Examination Board in the final year of the programme. All students will register for this module in their final year, irrespective of when they actually undertake it. Attendance at, and examination in, the module will be recorded on the student transcript. The module will not contribute to the final degree award. Students wishing to take this module should contact the Head of the Department of Modern Irish for further information.

**Honours:**
Honours are not awarded in First Year.

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years (or 2 in the case of Computer Science modules) subsequent to the award of the exemption.
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  
**Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. Students who pass a subject by compensation, can opt to repeat this subject at the Autumn Supplemental Examination or in a repeat year if they wish to register for the subject in second year and third year. Students who achieve the pass standard (at least 40% in the subject and 40% in each module in this subject) at the Autumn Supplemental Examination or in a repeat year can register for this subject in Second and Third Year. Students do not reach the pass standard (at least 40% in the subject and at least 40 % in each module in the subject in Autumn, can use the result achieved in Summer to progress to Second Year but will not be allowed to register for this subject. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  
1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.  
2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students – whether they have failed or passed – are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade. |
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In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.
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*For teaching purposes, the Teaching Council require that students must have verifiable residential experience of at least two months in an area designated as a Gaeltacht area. In order to fulfill this requirement an additional 5 credit module, GA3025 Tréimhse Chónaithe sa Ghaeltacht (5 credits), is available to students taking this programme. The module is taken in addition to the prescribed programme requirements, at no cost to the student. Work towards this module can be undertaken in part in Semester 3 of years 1, 2 or 3 but must be completed in time for the Summer or Autumn Examination Board in the final year of the programme. All students will register for this module in their final year, irrespective of when they actually undertake it. Attendance at, and examination in, the module will be recorded on the student transcript. The module will not contribute to the final degree award. Students wishing to take this module should contact the Head of the Department of Modern Irish for further information.*
Marks from Second Year are carried forward towards the Final Degree mark in the following subjects and in the following proportions, where the subjects listed are the 50-credit subjects:

**Archaeology, Economics, Philosophy and Politics:**
the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 1000 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% 1000 marks

**History of Art, Religions and Global Diversity, and Sociology:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 20% of 1000 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 80% of 1000 marks.

**English:** The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 1000 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 1000 marks.

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years (or 2 in the case of Computer Science modules) subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.

*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.
**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed – are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

**Three Year Rule:**

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
## Second University Examination in Arts International – Major Subject

### Time:
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

### Modules:
[http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art002.html](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art002.html) Total: 60 credits.

### Marks Maxima:
- 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module; Total Marks: 1200.

### Distribution of Marks:
- Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

### Pass Standard (module level): The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

### Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):
To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must:
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 320/800 in the 40 credit subject and 160/400 in the 20 credit subject.
2. pass modules to the value of at least 35 credits in the 40 credit subject and 15 credits in the 20 credit subject.
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Gaeilge/Irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA2001.
**French:** In order to pass the year, students must pass FR2101.
**German:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GE2101.
**Italian:** In order to pass the year, students must pass IT2101.
**Spanish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass HS2101 or HS2102.

For teaching purposes, the Teaching Council require that students must have verifiable residential experience of at least two months in an area designated as a Gaeltacht area. In order to fulfill this requirement an additional 5 credit module, GA3025 Tréimhse Chónaithe sa Ghaeltacht (5 credits), is available to students taking this programme. The module is taken in addition to the prescribed programme requirements, at no cost to the student. Work towards this module can be undertaken in part in Semester 3 of years 1, 2 or 3 but must be completed in time for the Summer or Autumn Examination Board in the final year of the programme. All students will register for this module in their final year, irrespective of when they actually undertake it. Attendance at, and examination in, the module will be recorded on the student transcript. The module will not contribute to the final degree award. Students wishing to take this module should contact the Head of the Department of Modern Irish for further information.

### Honours
Honours are not awarded in Second Year.
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## BA (HONS) INTERNATIONAL DEGREE

**Second University Examination in Arts International – Joint Subject**

| **Time:** | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art002.html Total: 60 credits. |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must:  
1. **in each subject**, achieve an aggregate mark of at least 240/600 across all modules  
2. **in each subject**, pass modules to the value of at least 25 credits.  
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).  

**Gaeilge/Irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA2001.  
**French:** In order to pass the year, students must pass FR2101.  
**German:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GE2101.  
**Italian:** In order to pass the year, students must pass IT2101.  
**Spanish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass HS2101 or HS2102.  

**For teaching purposes, the Teaching Council require that students must have verifiable residential experience of at least two months in an area designated as a Gaeltacht area. In order to fulfil this requirement an additional 5 credit module, GA3025 Tréimhse Chónaithe sa Ghaeltacht (5 credits), is available to students taking this programme. The module is taken in addition to the prescribed programme requirements, at no cost to the student. Work towards this module can be undertaken in part in Semester 3 of years 1, 2 or 3 but must be completed in time for the Summer or Autumn Examination Board in the final year of the programme. All students will register for this module in their final year, irrespective of when they actually undertake it. Attendance at, and examination in, the module will be recorded on the student transcript. The module will not contribute to the final degree award. Students wishing to take this module should contact the Head of the Department of Modern Irish for further information.**

| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in Second Year. |
### Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:

Marks from Second Year are carried forward towards the Final Degree mark in the following subjects and in the following proportions.

**Applied Mathematics, Archaeology, Economics, Mathematical Studies, Mathematics, Philosophy and Politics:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 600 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 600 marks.

**Geography, History of Art, Religions and Global Diversity, and Sociology:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 600 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 800 marks. 20-credit Subject: Second Arts 33.33% of 400 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 600 marks.

### Exemptions:

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

### Supplemenal Examinations:

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Examinations:

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.
2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed – are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

**Three Year Rule:** Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
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## BA (HONS) INTERNATIONAL DEGREE

**BA (Hons) International Degree Examination - Single Subject**  
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<td><strong>Pass Standard (module level):</strong></td>
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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Third Year, a candidate must:  
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules  
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits. In addition  
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s). 
   - *Gaeilge/Irish*: In order to pass the year, students must pass GA3001. 
   - *French*: In order to pass the year, students must pass FR4101. 
   - *German*: In order to pass the year, students must pass GE3101. 
   - *Italian*: In order to pass the year, students must pass IT3101. 
   - *Spanish*: In order to pass the year, students must pass HS3001. |
| **Honours:** | Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.  
   - **First Class Honours**  
an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits  
   - **Second Class Honours: Grade I**  
an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits  
   - **Second Class Honours: Grade II**  
an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits  
   - **Third Class Honours**  
an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits |
Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

**Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:**

Marks from Second Year are carried forward towards the Final Degree mark in the following subjects and in the following proportions, where the subjects listed are 50-credit Subjects:

- **Archaeology, Economics, Philosophy and Politics:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 1000 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 1000 marks.

- **History of Art, and Religions and Global Diversity:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 20% of 1000 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 80% of 1000 marks.

- **English:** The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 20% of 1000 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 80% of 1000 marks.

**Exemptions:**

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years (or 2 in the case of Computer Science modules) subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.
**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used.  
   *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed – are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

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**Three Year Rule:**

Candidates must pass within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Third Year, a candidate must:  
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 320/800 in the 40 credit subject and 160/400 in the 20 credit subject  
2. pass modules to the value of at least 35 credits in the 40 credit subject and 15 credits in the 20 credit subject.  
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).  
   **Gaeilge/Irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA3001.  
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For teaching purposes, the Teaching Council require that students must have verifiable residential experience of at least two months in an area designated as a Gaeltacht area. In order to fulfill this requirement an additional 5 credit module, GA3025 Tréimhse Chónaithe sa Ghaeltacht (5 credits), is available to students taking this programme. The module is taken in addition to the prescribed programme requirements, at no cost to the student. Work towards this module can be undertaken in part in Semester 3 of years 1, 2 or 3 but must be completed in time for the Summer or Autumn Examination Board in the final year of the programme. All students will register for this module in their final year, irrespective of when they actually undertake it. Attendance at, and examination in, the module will be recorded on the student transcript. The module will not contribute to the final degree award. Students wishing to take this module should contact the Head of the Department of Modern Irish for further information.
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**BA (Hons) International Degree Examination – Joint Subject**

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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Third Year a candidate must:  
  1. in each subject, achieve an aggregate mark of at least 240/600 across all modules  
  2. in each subject, pass modules to the value of at least 25 credits.  
  3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).  
  **Gaeilge/Irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA3001  
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**Honours:**

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**First Class Honours**

an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

**Second Class Honours: Grade I**

an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.

**Second Class Honours: Grade II**

an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

**Third Class Honours**

an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

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**Geography, History of Art, and Religions and Global Diversity:** the mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 20% of 600 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 80% of 600 marks.

**English:** The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 30% of 600 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 70% of 600 marks.

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Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.
1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.
2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed – are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.
In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board. |
| **Three Year Rule:** | Candidates must pass within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
| **Time:** | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art002.html Total: 60 credits. |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass First Year and progress to Second Year candidates must: (i) achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules (ii) pass English (30 credits) with a mark of not less than 40% in each module (iii) pass at least one other subject with a mark of not less than 40% in each module (iv) achieve not less than 30% in the remaining subject (15 credits) |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in First Year. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examination:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  
*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*  
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The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.  
Students who pass a subject by compensation, can opt to repeat this subject at the
Autumn Supplemental Examination or in a repeat year if they wish to register for the subject in second year and third year. Students who achieve the pass standard (at least 40% in the subject and 40% in each module in this subject) at the Autumn Supplemental Examination or in a repeat year can register for this subject in Second and Third Year. Students do not reach the pass standard (at least 40% in the subject and at least 40 % in each module in the subject in Autumn, can use the result achieved in Summer to progress to Second Year but will not be allowed to register for this subject.

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## BA (HONS) ENGLISH

### Second University Examination in English

**Time:**
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**
http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art002.html Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must:
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits.
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:**
Honours are not awarded in Second Year.

**Carrying forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:**
**English:** The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions: Second Arts 33.33% of 1200 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 1200 marks.

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years (or 2 in the case of Computer Science modules) subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.**

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.
| Repeat Year Examinations: | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination Board in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination Board of a Repeat Year.  

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination Board of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade. |

<p>| Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply): | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |</p>
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This year is spent studying in a university abroad. Students will be assessed by their host university.

**Time:**

A pass/fail judgement for the Year Abroad will be forwarded to the Autumn Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass mark there will be a Winter Supplemental Examination with marks going to the Winter Examination Board.

**Pass and Progression Standard (Programme Level):**

To pass Third Year and progress to Fourth Year a candidate must achieve a pass standard as applied by the Host Institution on a set of modules approved by the Board of Studies (International).

**Honours:**

Honours are not awarded in the Year Abroad.

**Carrying Forward of Marks towards Final Degree Award:**

**English:** The mark of the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions: Second Arts 30% of 1200 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 70% of 1200 marks.

**Supplemental Examinations:**

Students who fail at the Autumn Examination Board will be required to submit an extended essay (or equivalent) in UCC. Students should consult with the relevant Department. The maximum mark awarded 40%.

**Three Year Rule:**

Candidates must pass within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
| **Time:** | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art002.html Total: 60 credits. |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200. |
| **Distribution of Marks** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass Standard (Module Level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (Programme Level):** | To pass Third Year and graduate a candidate must: 1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules 2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits. 3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s). |
| **Honours:** | Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.  
First Class Honours:  
an aggregate of at least 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above)  
Second Class Honours Grade 1:  
an aggregate of at least 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)  
Second Class Honours Grade 2:  
an aggregate of at least 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)  
Third Class Honours (where awarded):  
an aggregate of at least 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%)  
Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below. |
| **Carrying forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:** | English: The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions: Second Arts 30% of 1200 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 70% of 1200 marks. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years (or 2 in the case of Computer Science modules) subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examination:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination*  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  
1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination Board in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination Board of a Repeat Year.*  
2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination Board of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade. In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years. In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board. |
| **Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):** | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
**BA (HONS) DEGREE WORLD LANGUAGES**

First University Examination in Arts - (World Languages)

**Time:**
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**
https://www.ucc.ie/admin/registrar/calendar/arts/art043.htmlTotal: 60 credits

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total marks: 1200

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass First Year and progress to Second Year candidates must
1. achieve an overall mark of 480/1200 across all modules
2. pass at least three subjects (45 credits) with a mark of not less than 40% in each module and in each subject. The following modules must be passed where taken: AS1601
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in the remaining subject (15 credits)

**Note:** only languages which are passed with at least 40% in each module in that subject may be continued in Second Year. Where candidates pass all three languages with at least 40% in each modules in that subject and achieve an aggregate mark of not less than 30% in the subject World Languages (WL1101, WL1103), they may continue to study World Languages in Second Year.

**Honours:**
Honours are not awarded in First Year.

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.
### Supplemental Examination:

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

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Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

### Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
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Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the [Book of Modules](www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

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In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.
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# BA (HONS) WORLD LANGUAGES

**BA (Hons) Degree Examination in Arts (World Languages)**

| **Time:** | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | https://www.ucc.ie/admin/registrar/calendar/arts/art043.html Total: 60 credits |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total marks: 1200 |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Fourth Year a candidate must:  
(i) obtain an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules  
(ii) pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits. The following modules must be passed where taken:  
AS1501, AS1502, AS1503, AS1504, AS1601, AS1602, AS1603, AS1604, CH1001, CH3017, CH3021, FR4101, GA3001, GE3101, HS3001, HS3012, IT1101, IT1109, IT3101, LC3101, LC3202, LT2009, PU1101, PU2201, PU3301.  
(iii) obtain a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module. |
| **Honours:** | Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks.  
**First Class Honours:** an aggregate of at least 840/1200 marks (70% and above) or an aggregate of at least 816/1200 marks (68%) with at least 30 credits from **Fourth Year** attained with marks of 70% or above  
**Second Class Honours, Grade I:** an aggregate of at least 720/1200 marks (60% - 69%) or an aggregate of at least 696/1200 marks (58%) with at least 30 credits from **Fourth Year** attained with marks of 60% or above  
**Second Class Honours, Grade II:** an aggregate of at least 600/1200 marks (50% - 59%) or an aggregate of at least 576/1200 marks (48%) with at least 30 credits from **Fourth Year** attained with marks of 50% or above  
**Third Class Honours:** an aggregate of at least 540/1200 marks (45% - 49%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks (43%) with at least 30 credits from **Fourth Year** attained with marks of 45% or above. |
**Fourth Year** attained with marks of 45% or above

Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

**Exemptions:**

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the [Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/)](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only. Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and
who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

| **Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):** | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Fourth Year, otherwise they cannot graduate. |
First University Examination in Arts (Early Years and Childhood Studies)

**Time:**
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art007b.html Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass First Year and progress to Second Year candidates must pass modules to the value of 60 credits. All modules must be passed.

**Honours:**
Honours are not awarded in First Year.

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.  

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.  

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.  

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board. |
| **Three Year Rule:** | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
### BA (HONS) DEGREE (EARLY YEARS AND CHILDHOOD STUDIES)

#### Second University Examination in Arts (Early Years and Childhood Studies)

| Time: | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| Modules: | [http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art007.html](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art007.html) Total: 60 credits. |
| Marks Maxima: | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module, 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200. |
| Distribution of Marks: | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |
| Pass Standard (module level): | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |
| Pass and Progression Standard (programme level): | To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must: 1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules 2. pass both the Placement and reflective portfolio element of SS2027 3. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits (including SS2027). 4. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s). |
| Honours: | Honours are not awarded in Second Year. |
| Exemptions: | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| Supplemental Examinations: | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn).  
Please refer to the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  
*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.  
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
A student who has failed or not completed the Placement, may, at the discretion of the examiners, repeat it, but only once.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the December (Winter) Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the December Examination of a Repeat Year.**

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the December Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.**

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

**Three Year Rule:**

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.

**Transfer to Bachelor Childhood Theory and Policy (BACTP):**

Student who fail the placement module SS2027 in Year 2 of the BA (EYCS) programme over the Summer and Autumn Supplemental Examinations may opt to transfer their registration to the alternative Bachelor Childhood Theory and Policy (BACTP) pathway and register for three of the following modules: SS2004, SS2007, SS2025 and SS2026 instead of SS2027 (Placement) in a repeat year. Students who pass three of these modules (in addition to the other pass and progression criteria (see above)) will progress to BACTP3 and will not be eligible to register for BAEPYCS3.
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Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.  
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.  
A student who has failed or not completed the Placement may, at the discretion of the examiners, repeat it but only once. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  
Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only. Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.  
1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*  
2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade. |
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<td><strong>Transfer to Bachelor Childhood Theory and Policy (BACTP)</strong></td>
<td>Students who fail the placement modules ED3010 (10 credits) and AP3501 (5 credits) in Year 3 of the BA (EYCS) programme over the Summer and Autumn Supplemental Examinations may opt to transfer their registration to the alternative BA Childhood Theory and Policy (BACTP) 3 (Hons.) pathway and take ED3326 (10 credits.) plus one of the following 5 credits. AP modules: AP3015, AP3033, AP3037 in a repeat year. <strong>Please note that students who pass AP3501 and fail ED3010 in Year 3 of the BA (EYCS) programme over the Summer and Autumn Supplemental Examinations, may opt to register for the BA Childhood Theory and Policy (BACTP) 3 (Hons) and will only be required to take ED3326 (10 credits.)</strong></td>
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## BA (HONS) DEGREE EARLY YEARS AND CHILDHOOD STUDIES

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<td><strong>Distribution of Marks:</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Pass Standard (module level):</strong></td>
<td>The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the <a href="http://www.ucc.ie/modules/">Book of Modules</a>.</td>
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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme Level):** | To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must:  
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules  
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits  
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s). |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in Second Year. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the [Book of Modules](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.  
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| Repeat Year Examinations: | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  
1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Winter and Summer Examinations in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.  
2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Winter and Summer Examinations of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.  
In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.  
In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board. |
| Two Year Rule: | Candidates must pass/progress within 2 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
### Bachelor Childhood Theory and Policy (BACTP) Degree Examination

**Time:**
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art007b.html Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass Third Year a candidate must:
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:**
Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.

- **First Class Honours**
  an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

- **Second Class Honours: Grade I**
  an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.

- **Second Class Honours: Grade II**
  an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

- **Third Class Honours**
  an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits
Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

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| Two Year Rule: | In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years. 

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board. |

| | Two Year Rule: Candidates must pass/progress within 2 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
**BA (HONS) DRAMA AND THEATRE STUDIES DEGREE**

**First University Examination in Drama and Theatre Studies**

| **Time:** | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art007a.html. Total: 60 credits. |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass First Year and progress to Second Year candidates must (i) achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules (ii) pass Drama & Theatre Studies (30 credits) with a mark of not less than 40% in each module (iii) pass at least one other subject with a mark of not less than 40% in each module (iv) achieve not less than 30% in the remaining subject (15 credits) |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in First Year. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** **For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.** Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
Students who pass a subject by compensation, can opt to repeat this subject at the Autumn Supplemental Examination or in a repeat year if they wish to register for the subject in second year and third year. Students who achieve the pass standard (at least 40% in the subject and 40% in each module in this subject) at the Autumn Supplemental Examination or in a repeat year can register for this subject in Second and Third Year. Students do not reach the pass standard (at least 40% in the subject and at least 40% in each module in the subject in Autumn, can use the result achieved in Summer to progress to Second Year but will not be allowed to register for this subject.

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In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

| Three Year Rule: | Candidates must pass_progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
**BA (HONS) DRAMA AND THEATRE STUDIES DEGREE**

**Second University Examination in Drama and Theatre Studies and Drama and Theatre Studies International - Single Subject**

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**Pass Standard (module level):** To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must:

1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits. In addition,

- **French:** In order to pass the year, students must pass FR2101.
- **German:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GE2101.
- **Italian:** In order to pass the year, students must pass IT2101.
- **Spanish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass HS2101 or HS2102.

3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:**

Honours are not awarded in Second Year.

**Exemptions:**

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn) Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  

*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

| Repeat Year Examinations: | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  
1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.  
2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.  
In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.  
In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board. |
| Three Year Rule: | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
# BA (HONS) DRAMA AND THEATRE STUDIES DEGREE

**Second University Examination in Drama and Theatre Studies and Drama and Theatre Studies International - Joint Subject**

| **Time:** | Written Examinations will be held in Summer. Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | [http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art007a.html](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art007a.html) Total: 60 credits. |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module. Total Marks: 1200. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).* |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).* |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must:  
1. **in each subject**, achieve an aggregate mark of at least 240/600 across all modules  
2. **in each subject**, pass modules to the value of at least 25 credits.  
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).  
**French:** In order to pass the year, students must pass FR2101.  
**German:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GE2101.  
**Italian:** In order to pass the year, students must pass IT2101.  
**Spanish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass HS2101 or HS2102. |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in Second Year. |
| **Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:** | Marks from Second Year are carried forward towards the Final Degree mark in the following subjects and in the following proportions:  
**Archaeology, Economics, Mathematical Studies, Mathematics, Philosophy and Politics:** the mark in the BA (DTS) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (DTS) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 600 marks, BA (DTS) Degree 66.66% of 600 marks.  
**Geography, and Religions and Global Diversity:** the mark in the BA (DTS) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (DTS) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 20% of 600 marks, BA (DTS) Degree 80% of 600 marks. |
**English:** The mark in the BA (DTS) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (DTS) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 600 marks, BA (DTS) Degree 66.66% of 600 marks.

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn) Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  
*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**
Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used.  
*Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.
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**BA (HONS) DRAMA AND THEATRE STUDIES DEGREE**

**BA (Hons) Examination in Drama and Theatre Studies and Drama and Theatre Studies International – Single Subject**

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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Third Year, a candidate must:

1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits. In addition
   - **French:** In order to pass the year, students must pass FR4101.
   - **German:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GE3101.
   - **Italian:** In order to pass the year, students must pass IT3101.
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3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining modules |
| **Honours:** | Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits
- **Second Class Honours: Grade I**
  - an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits
- **Second Class Honours: Grade II**
  - an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits
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  - an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits |
Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

**Exemptions:**

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

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Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only. Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.

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| Three Year Rule: | Candidates must pass within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
### BA (HONS) CRIMINOLOGY DEGREE

#### First University Examination in Criminology

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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass First Year and progress to Second Year candidates must: 1. achieve an overall mark of 480/1200 across all modules 2. pass at least 45 credits (including all of the Criminology modules taken) with a mark of not less than 40% in each module and in each subject 3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in the remaining subject  

**Note:** only subjects which are passed with at least 40% in each module in that subject may be continued in second and third year. |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in First Year. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption |
| **Supplemental Examination:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.  

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.  

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
Repeat Year Examinations:

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*

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In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
BA (HONS) CRIMINOLOGY DEGREE

Second University Examination in Criminology

**Time:**
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art038.html Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five-credit module; 200 per 10-credit module; 300 per fifteen-credit module. Total Marks: 1200

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must:
(i) obtain an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
(ii) pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits.

Students taking 15-credit modules should note that these module(s) must be passed. In addition, **Gaeilge/Irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA2001. **French:** In order to pass the year, students must pass FR2101. **German:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GE2101. **Italian:** In order to pass the year, students must pass IT2101. **Spanish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass HS2101 or HS2102.
(iii) obtain a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:**
Honours are not awarded in Second Year. The mark in the BA (Hons) Criminology Degree is the combination of 100% of the mark from second year combined with 100% of the mark for third year.

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

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**Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):**

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
### BA (HONS) CRIMINOLOGY

### Third University Examination in Criminology (International Pathway)

This year is spent studying in a university abroad. Students will be assessed by their host university.

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**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art038.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art038.html) Total: 60 credits

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five-credit module; 200 per 10-credit module; 300 per fifteen-credit module. Total Marks: 1200

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** To pass Third Year a candidate must

(i) obtain an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
(ii) pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits. *Students taking 15 credit modules should note that these module(s) must be passed. In addition,*

- **Gaeilge/Irish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GA3001
- **French:** In order to pass the year, students must pass FR4101.
- **German:** In order to pass the year, students must pass GE3101.
- **Italian:** In order to pass the year, students must pass IT3101.
- **Spanish:** In order to pass the year, students must pass HS3001.
(iii) obtain a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:** The mark in the BA (Hons) Criminology Degree is the combination of 100% of the mark from second year combined with 100% of the mark for third year. Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that all subject areas are passed.

- **First Class Honours:**
  - an aggregate of at least 1680/2400 marks (70% and above)
  - *or an aggregate of at least 1632/2400 marks (68%) with at least 30 credits from Third Year attained with marks of 70% or above;*

- **Second Class Honours Grade I:**
  - an aggregate of at least 1440/2400 marks (60%) or
  - an aggregate of at least 1392/2400 marks (58%) with at least 30 credits from Third Year attained with marks of 60% or above

- **Second Class Honours Grade II:**
  - an aggregate of at least 1200/2400 marks (50%) *or an aggregate of at least 1152/2400 marks (48%) with at least 30 credits from Third Year attained with marks of 50% or above*
**Third Class Honours:**
an aggregate of at least 1080/2400 marks (45%) or an aggregate of at least 1032/2400 marks (43%) with at least 30 credits from *Third Year* attained with marks of 45% or above

Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

**Exemptions**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**
Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements:

[Notes: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only. Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.]

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*

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| Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply): | Candidates must pass within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
# B SOC SC (HONS) YOUTH AND COMMUNITY WORK DEGREE

## First University Examination in Social Science (Youth and Community Work)

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The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

There are special requirements for Placement I (SS1107). If a student has failed, the First Year Professional Placement in Youth and Community Work he/she may subsequently be offered the option of a repeat placement opportunity. The repeat placement will be of 125 hours’ duration. It will be carried out over a four to eight-week period and will be reviewed periodically after halfway to assess whether the student should continue on to completion. The Placement module may be repeated only once.

Therefore, a student who fails a repeat placement will be unable to proceed and must withdraw from the programme. If it is deemed necessary, a student may be directed to defer a repeat placement for the period of a year or more. This may be due to practice considerations, illness or other extenuating circumstances.

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**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art013.html](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art013.html) Total: 60 credits

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module. The Placement module (SS2107) is assessed on a Pass/Fail basis. Total Marks: 1000.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 400/1000 across all modules (excluding SS2107)
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits (including SS2101, SS2107, and SS2108).
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).
4. have satisfied the Fitness to Practice requirements (from 2014/2015)

**Attendance** As the B.Soc.Sc. (Youth and Community Work) is a professional training programme, Youth and Community Work students are reminded that they are bound to attend every class of each module (and every tutorial, class meeting, placement session, placement supervision, and placement two-way and three-way meeting) unless *unavoidably* prevented from doing so. All absences must be satisfactorily explained in writing to the Year Tutor. If a student’s attendance falls below 80% in any module, s/he will be required to repeat that module before being allowed to proceed).

**Honours:** Honours are not awarded in Second Year.

**Exemptions:** All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.
**Supplemental Examinations:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

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The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

**Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination:** In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

There are special requirements for SS2107 Placement II. If a student has failed, the Second Year Professional Placement in Youth and Community Work, he/she may subsequently be offered the option of a repeat placement opportunity. The repeat placement will be of 125 hours’ duration. It will be carried out over a four to eight-week period and will be reviewed periodically after halfway to assess whether the student should continue on to completion. **The Placement module may be repeated only once.** Therefore, a student who fails a repeat placement will be unable to proceed and must withdraw from the programme. If it is deemed necessary, a student may be directed to defer a repeat placement for the period of a year or more. This may be due to practice considerations, illness or other extenuating circumstances.

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**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*

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Third Class Honours
an aggregate of not less than 450/1000 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 430/1000 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

Exemptions:
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Supplemental Examinations:
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There are special requirements for SS3107 Placement III. If a student has failed, the Third Year Professional Placement in Youth and Community Work he/she may subsequently be offered the option of a repeat placement opportunity. It will be carried out over an eight-week period and will be reviewed periodically after halfway to assess whether the student should continue on to completion.
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***Please note that students who pass SS3104 and fail SS3107 in Year 3 of the BSSc(Youth and Community Work) programme over the Summer and Autumn Supplemental Examinations, may opt to register for the BSSc (Theory and Policy in Youth and Community Work) (Hons) Year 3 and will only be required to take 10 credits by choosing two modules from the following list of 5 credit SS modules: SS3005, SS3006, SS3008, SS3009, SS3011, SS3015, SS3016, SS3019, SS3021, SS3033, SS3041, SS3045, SS3118, in a repeat year.
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3. Achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s). |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in Second Year. |
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### Supplemental Examinations:

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In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.
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<td>To pass Third Year a student must: 1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules (excluding SS2107) 2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits (including SS3113). 3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).</td>
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<td>Honours:</td>
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In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

| **Two Year Rule:** | Candidates must pass/progress within 2 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
# BSW (HONS) DEGREE

## First University Examination in Social Work

**Time:**
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**
http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art014.html Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass First Year and progress to Second Year candidates must pass modules to the value of 60 credits and have satisfied the Fitness to Practice requirements. All modules must be passed.

**Honours:**
Honours are not awarded in First Year.

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks Carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining Aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.
### Repeat Year Examinations:

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.**

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.**

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

### Three Year Rule:

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
## BSW (Hons) DEGREE

### Second University Examination in Social Work

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<td><strong>Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):</strong></td>
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<td>Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.</td>
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### Third University Examination in Social Work

**Time:**
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**
[http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art014.html](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art014.html) Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 400 per twenty credit module. The Placement module (SS3206) and Placement Portfolio (SS3207) modules are assessed on a Pass/Fail basis. Total Marks: 600.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass Third Year and progress to Fourth Year a candidate must pass modules to the value of 60 credits and from 2015/2016 have satisfied the Fitness to Practice requirements. All modules must be passed.

**Honours:**
Honours are not awarded in Third Year.

**Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:**
The mark in the BSW (Hons) Degree Examination is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Third Social Work Examination and the BSW (Hons) Degree Examination, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Third Social Work Examination 33.33% of 600 marks, BSW (Hons) Degree Examination 66.66% of 600 marks.

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks Carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining Aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

There are special requirements for SS3206 Placement I. If a student has failed SS3206 Placement I she/he may subsequently be offered the option of a repeat Placement opportunity. This will be carried out over a minimum of 10 weeks (following on in the period immediately after the final term). The Placement may be repeated only once. Therefore, a student who chooses not to repeat or who fails a repeat Placement will be unable to proceed and must withdraw from the programme.

### Repeat Year Examinations

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

### Three Year Rule:

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
| **Transfer to Bachelor Applied Social Studies Degree (BASS)** | 1. Students who choose not to pursue professional social work training take modules SS3212 and SS3213 in Teaching Period 2/3 instead of SS3206 (Placement) and SS3207 (Placement Portfolio). Students who pass SS3212 and SS3213 (in addition to the other pass and progression criteria (see above) will progress to BASS IV and will not be eligible to register for BSW IV.  
2. Students who fail SS3206 (Placement) and SS3207 (Placement Portfolio) at the summer examination may opt to change their registration to the alternative BASS pathway and register for modules SS3212 and SS3213 to be taken in Teaching Period 2/3. Students who pass SS3212 and SS3213 (in addition to the other pass and progression criteria (see above) will progress to BASS IV and will not be eligible to register for BSW IV.  
3. Students who fail the repeat Placement (taken over the Summer) may opt to transfer to BASS III in a repeat year. |
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**Time:**
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**Modules:**
http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art014.html Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 400 per twenty credit module. The Placement module (SS4208) and the Placement Portfolio (SS4209) are assessed on a Pass/Fail basis. Total Marks: 600.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass Fourth Year a candidate must:
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 240/600 across all modules (excluding SS4208 and SS4209).
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits (including SS4208 and SS4209)
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).
   have satisfied the Fitness to Practice requirements (from 2016/2017)

**Honours:**
Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.

- **First Class Honours**
  an aggregate of not less than **420/600** marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than **408/600** marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least **15** credits

- **Second Class Honours: Grade I**
  an aggregate of not less than **360/600** marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than **348/600** marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least **15** credits.

- **Second Class Honours: Grade II**
  an aggregate of not less than **300/600** marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than **288/600** marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least **15** credits
### Third Class Honours

An aggregate of not less than 270/600 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 258/600 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 15 credits.

Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

### Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award

The mark in the BSW (Hons) Degree Examination is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Third Social Work Examination and the BSW (Hons) Degree Examination, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Third Social Work Examination 33.33% of 600 marks, BSW (Hons) Degree Examination 66.66% of 600 marks.

### Exemptions:

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

### Supplemental Examinations:

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

Placement II. If a student has failed SS4208 she/he may subsequently be offered the option of a repeat Placement opportunity. This will be carried out over a minimum of 10 weeks (following on in the period immediately after the final term). The Placement may be repeated only once. Therefore, a student who chooses not to repeat or fails a repeat Placement will be unable to proceed and must withdraw from the programme.
**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only.

Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

**Three Year Rule:**

Candidates must pass within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Fourth Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.

**Transfer to Bachelor Applied Social Studies Degree (BASS):**

A student who chooses not to repeat or fails a repeat Placement will be unable to proceed and must withdraw from the BSW programme. These students have the option of registering for BASS IV.
Third University Examination in Bachelor Applied Social Studies (BASS)

**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:** http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art014.html Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 400 per twenty credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme Level):** To pass Third Year and progress to Fourth Year a candidate must:

1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:** Honours are not awarded in Third Year.

**Exemptions:** All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:** Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.  

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity,** all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.  

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.  

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board. |
| **Two Year Rule:** | Candidates must pass/progress within 2 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
### Bachelor Applied Social Studies (BASS) Degree Examination

**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art014.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art014.html) Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** To pass Fourth Year a candidate must:
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:** Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits
- **Second Class Honours: Grade I**
  - an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits
- **Second Class Honours: Grade II**
  - an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits
- **Third Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.
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| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.  

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.**  

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.  

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board. |
| **Two Year Rule:** | Candidates must pass/progress within 2 academic years of the date of first registration for Fourth Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
# B ED (HONS) SPORTS STUDIES AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEGREE

## First University Examination in Sports Studies and Physical Education

**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art024.html](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art024.html) Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
- 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module. 400 per twenty credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** To pass First Year and progress to Second Year candidates must pass modules to the value of 60 credits. All modules must be passed. All students must have satisfied the Fitness to Practise requirements.

**Honours:** Honours are not awarded in First Year.

**Exemptions:** All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Repeat Year Examinations:** Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used.
   
   Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.**

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by
the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

**Three Year Rule:** Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
**B ED (HONS) SPORTS STUDIES AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

**Second University Examination in Sports Studies and Physical Education**

**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art024.html](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art024.html) Total: 70 credits

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module, 300 per fifteen credit module, 400 per twenty credit module. Total Marks: 1400

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must:
1. Obtain an aggregate mark of at least 40% 560/1400
2. Pass modules to the value of at least 60 credits (compensate only 5 credits from Arts subject modules and 5 credits from remaining modules).
3. Pass ED2317
4. Pass all 10/15/20 credit modules
5. **Gaeilge/Irish Students only:** in order to pass the year, students must pass GA2001.
6. Obtain a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module
7. Have satisfied the Fitness to Practice requirements

**Honours:** Honours are not awarded in Second Year.

**Carrying Forward of Marks Towards the Final Degree**

The mark in the BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks obtained in the Second, Third and Fourth Year Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that all years have been passed independently:

- **Second Year:** BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education (25% of 1400 marks)
- **Third Year:** BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education (25% of 1400 marks)
- **Fourth Year:** BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education (50% of 1400 marks)

**Exemptions:** All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:** Please refer to the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.

*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student’s record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. 
   
   *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 70 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.**

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

**Three Year Rule:** Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
## B ED (HONS) SPORTS STUDIES AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

### Third University Examination in Sports Studies and Physical Education

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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Third Year and progress to Fourth Year a candidate must:  
1. Obtain an aggregate mark of at least 40% 560/1400  
2. Pass modules to the value of at least 60 credits (compensate only 5 credits from Arts subject modules and 5 credits from remaining modules).  
3. Pass ED3317. Please note that students who do not pass this module may be offered an exit route through the Bachelor in Sports Studies (Hons) pathway.  
4. Pass all 10/15/20 credit modules  
5. Obtain a pass mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module.  
6. Have satisfied the Fitness to Practice requirements.  
7. Candidates taking Gaeilge/Irish must pass GA3001*  
8. Candidates taking French must pass FR4101*  

*Note: The Teaching Council requires all language students to attain a language proficiency level of B2.2 on the CEFR Language Competency Framework in order to be registered to teach languages. Evidence of this competency is assessed and certified on an individual basis by the Department of French or the Department of Irish (where students will need to attain a mark of 60% or higher in GA3001 for this to be issued) and is not guaranteed by passing GA3001/FR4101 |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in Third Year. |
**Carrying Forward of Marks Toward The Final Degree Award:**
The mark in the BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks obtained in the Second, Third and Fourth Year Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that all years have been passed independently:
- Second Year: BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education (25% of 1400 marks)
- Third Year: BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education (25% of 1400 marks)
- Fourth Year: BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education (50% of 1400 marks)

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:**
Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.

*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed Modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.
Repeat Year Examinations:

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used.

   Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

Three Year Rule:

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.

Transfer to Bachelor of Sports Studies (BSS)

Students who fail ED3317 at the Summer Examination Board or at the supplemental Examination Board or who choose not to pursue the teaching pathway, may opt to change their registration (if possible within the current academic year) to the alternative pathway and will progress to the Bachelor of Sports Studies IV. These students will not be eligible to register for BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education IV.

Note: students who opt for this pathway will not be eligible for a professional teaching qualification.
### B Ed Degree Examination in Sports Studies and Physical Education

**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. There is no supplemental examination for ED4320.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art024.html](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art024.html) Total: 70 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
- 100 per five credit module;
- 200 per ten credit module;
- 300 marks per fifteen credit module;
- 400 per twenty credit module. Total Marks: 1400.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme Level):**

To pass Fourth Year a candidate must:
1. Obtain an aggregate mark of at least 40% (560/1400)
2. Pass modules to the value of at least 60 credits (compensate only on 5 credit modules).
3. Pass ED4320, ED4316 and ED4315. Note: Students who are deemed not to have reached the appropriate standard of teaching on school placement in ED4320 and ED4316, will be offered an opportunity to exit through the Bachelor in Sports Studies (Hons).
4. Pass all 10/15/20 credit modules.
5. Obtain a mark of not less than 30% in any remain module.
6. Have satisfied the Fitness to Practise requirements.

Students taking Irish or French must also complete ED2319 Residency module (5 credits) and will complete 75 credits in total. Work towards this module can be undertaken in part in Semester 3 of years 1, 2 or 3 but must be completed in full in time for examination at the Summer Examination Board in the final year of the programme.

**Honours:** Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.

- **First Class Honours** an aggregate of not less than 980/1400 marks (70%) or an aggregate of not less than 952/1400 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits
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<td>Third Class Honours</td>
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Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass.

For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

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### Exemptions:

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

### Supplemental Examinations:

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.

*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

A student who has failed or not completed ED4320 and/or ED4316 may, at the discretion of the examiners, repeat them once only.
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  
*Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only.*  
**Final Year students wishing to repeat the year with a view to improving their degree result may do so only if they have not been conferred.**  
1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*  
2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 70 credits. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. *Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.*  

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.  

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board. |
| **Three Year Rule:** | Candidates must pass within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
| **Transfer to Bachelor of Sports Studies (BSS):** | Students who fail ED4320 and/or ED4316 or who decide not to pursue the teaching pathway may opt to change their registration to the alternative pathway and register for ED4314 in the next academic year (or if possible within the current academic year). Students who pass ED4314 (in addition to the pass and progression criteria for the other Fourth Year modules) qualify with a Bachelor of Sports Studies (Hons) degree.  
*Note: students who opt for this pathway will not be eligible for a professional teaching qualification.* |
# B ED (HONS) SPORTS STUDIES AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEGREE

## Third University Examination in Bachelor of Sports Studies (BSS)

**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. For students whose marks are presented to the Autumn Board, there is no Supplemental Examination.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art024.html](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art024.html) Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** To pass Third Year and progress to Fourth Year a candidate must:
1. Obtain an aggregate mark of at least 40% (480/1200) across all modules
2. Pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits (compensate only 5 credits from Arts subject modules and 5 credits from remaining modules).
3. Obtain a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module.

**Honours:** Honours are not awarded in Third Year.

**Carrying Forward of Marks Towards the Final Degree Award:** The mark in the Bachelor of Sports Studies Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks obtained in the Second, Third and Fourth Year Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that all years have been passed independently:
- Second Year: BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education (25% of 1200 marks) (ED2317 Placement 2 (10 credits) will not count towards the final degree calculation)
- Third Year: BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education or Bachelor of Sports Studies (Hons) (25% of 1200 marks)
- Fourth Year: BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education or Bachelor of Sports Studies (Hons) (50% of 1200 marks)

**Exemptions:** All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:** Please refer to the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination. (e.g. for students who register for ED3316 in Teaching Period 3).*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental
Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations:

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.**

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.**

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

### Three Year Rule:

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
### B ED (HONS) SPORTS STUDIES AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEGREE

**Bachelor (Hons) of Sports Studies (BSS) Degree**

**Time:**
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. Students who change their registration to the Bachelor of Sports Studies (Hons) will opt to register for ED4314 and on successful completion will graduate with the Bachelor of Sports Studies (Hons).

**Modules:**
http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art024.html Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 400 per twenty credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass Fourth Year a candidate must: 1. Obtain an aggregate mark of at least 40% (480/1200) across all modules 2. Pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits. Compensate on 5 credit modules only. 3. Obtain a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module. 4. Pass ED4314

**Carrying Forward of Marks Towards the Final Degree Award:**
The mark in the Bachelor of Sports Studies Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks obtained in the Second, Third and Fourth Year Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that all years have been passed independently:

- Second Year: BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education degree (25% of 1200 marks) (ED2317 Placement 2 (10 credits) will not count towards the final degree calculation)
- Third Year: BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education-degree or Bachelor of Sports Studies (25% of 1200 marks)
- Fourth Year: BEd (Hons) Sports Studies and Physical Education degree or Bachelor of Sports Studies (40 credits in Education modules) (50% of 1200 marks)

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:**
Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for
individual modules.

*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%.

The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

A student who has failed or not completed the ED4314 may, at the discretion of the examiners, repeat it but only once.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*

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In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

**Three Year Rule:**

Candidates must pass within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
# BA DIGITAL HUMANITIES AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

## First University Examination in Digital Humanities and Information Technology

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Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination Board in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination Board of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination Board of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.**

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

### Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
### Second University Examination in Digital Humanities and Information Technology

| Time | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| Modules | http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art046.html Total: 60 credits. |
| Marks Maxima | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200. |
| Distribution of Marks | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| Pass Standard (Module Level): | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| Pass and Progression Standard (programme level): | To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year candidates must: (i) obtain an overall aggregate pass of 480/1200 marks (40%). across all modules (ii) obtain a pass in modules to the value of at least 50 credits (iii) obtain a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s). (iv) obtain a pass in their 10 credit Arts subject (v) no compensation is allowed between subjects |
| Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award: | Marks from Second Year are carried forward towards the Final Degree mark The mark in the BA (Hons) Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts and BA (Hons) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts 33.33% of 1200 marks, BA (Hons) Degree 66.66% of 1200 marks. |
| Honours: | Honours are not awarded in Second Year. |
| Exemptions: | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years (or 2 in the case of Computer Science modules) subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| Supplemental Examination: | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. |
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination Board in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination Board of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination Board of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

**Three Year Rule:**

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
This year is spent studying in a university abroad, or in work placement. Students studying abroad will be assessed by their host university.

**Time:**

Work Placement: Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

University Year Abroad: A pass/fail judgement for the Year Abroad will be forwarded to the Autumn Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass mark there will be a Winter Supplemental Examination with marks going to the Winter Examination Board.

**Modules:**

http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art046.html Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**

100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module; 600 for a 30 credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:**

Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**

The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**

To pass Third Year and progress to Fourth Year a candidate must either achieve a pass standard as applied by the Host Institution on a set of modules approved by the Board of Studies (BA Digital Humanities and Information Technology) or Achieve a pass standard in the placement module (s).

**Honours:**

Honours are not awarded in Third Year.

**Exemptions:**

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years (or 2 in the case of Computer Science modules) subsequent to the award of the exemption.

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no supplemental examination. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination where there is provision to do so, and if not disallowed by the Examination Board or in a Repeat Year (See below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

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University Year Abroad: Students who fail at the Autumn Examination Board will be required to submit an extended essay (or equivalent) in UCC. Students should consult with the relevant department. The maximum mark awarded will be 40%.

| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  
1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination Board in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination Board of a Repeat Year.  
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| **Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):** | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Third Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
# BA (HONS) DIGITAL HUMANITIES AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

## BA (Hons) Degree Examination in Digital Humanities and Information Technology

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   (CS4623 Research Project, DH4003 Research project)  
2. (iii) pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits (including the Project Modules)  
   (iv) obtain a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s)  
   (v) obtain a pass standard in their 10 credit Arts subject. |
| Honours: | Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.  
First Class Honours: an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks  
Second Class Honours: Grade I: an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks  
Second Class Honours: Grade II: an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks  
Third Class Honours: an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks  
Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below. |
| Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award: | Marks from Second Year are carried forward towards the Final Degree mark  
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In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

| Two Year Rule (or other rule to apply): | Candidates must pass/progress within 2 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
## BA (HONS) DEGREE IN PSYCHOLOGY AND COMPUTING

### Second University Examination in Psychology and Computing

| **Time:** | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | [https://www.ucc.ie/en/ck121/](https://www.ucc.ie/en/ck121/) | Total: 60 credits |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must: 1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules 2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits. 3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s). |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in Second Year. |
| **Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:** | The mark in the BA Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts (Psychology and Computing) and the BA (Psychology and Computing) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts (Psychology and Computing) 33.33% of 1200 marks, BA (Psychology and Computing) Degree 66.66% of 1200 marks. |
| **Exit award:** | N/A |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 2 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examination:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.  Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried |
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Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

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| Two Year Rule (or other rule to apply): | Candidates must pass within 2 academic years of the date of first registration for Final or Degree Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
**BA PSYCHOLOGY AND COMPUTING (WORK EXPERIENCE PATHWAY)**

First University Examination in Psychology and Computing  
(Work Experience Pathway)

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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | To pass First Year and progress to Second Year a candidate must:  
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules  
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits.  
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s). |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in First Year. |
| **Exit award:** | N/A |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 2 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examination:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.  
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass mark of 60/100 for each credit module.  
Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.  
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
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| Two Year Rule (or other rule to apply): | Candidates must pass/progress within 2 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
Second University Examination in Psychology and Computing  
(Work Experience Pathway)

For students taking the Work Experience Pathway, third year is spent in a work placement. Students may register for this pathway at the beginning of Second Year. There are no special requirements for pursuing the work experience pathway.

**Time:**  
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**  
https://www.ucc.ie/en/ck121/ Total: 60 credits

**Marks Maxima:**  
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:**  
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**  
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**  
To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year a candidate must:
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits.
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:**  
Honours are not awarded in Second Year.

**Carrying Forward of Marks Towards Final Degree Award:**  
The mark in the BA Degree is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the Second Arts (Psychology and Computing) (Work Experience Pathway) and the BA (Psychology and Computing) (Work Experience Pathway) Degree Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: Second Arts (Psychology and Computing) Work Experience Pathway 33.33% of 1200 marks, BA (Psychology and Computing) (Work Experience Pathway) Degree 66.66% of 1200 marks.

**Exit award:**  
N/A

**Exemptions:**  
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 2 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:**  
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental
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The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations:

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.**

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### Two Year Rule (or other rule to apply):

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| **Third University Examination in Psychology and Computing**  |
| **(Work Experience Pathway)**  |

For students taking the Work Experience Pathway, third year is spent in a work placement. Students may register for this pathway at the beginning of Second Year. There are no special requirements for pursuing the work experience pathway.

**Time:**
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board.

Students failing the written work (e.g. Reflective Portfolio) can resubmit only having received a Pass Judgement in the Placement. The resubmitted work will be presented to the Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**
https://www.ucc.ie/en/ck121/ Total: 60 credits

**Marks Maxima:**
Full year is assessed on a pass/fail basis.
NOTE: AP3135 is assessed on a pass/fail basis

**Distribution of Marks:**
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**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass Third Year and progress to Fourth Year a candidate must:
Achieve a pass standard in the placement module AP3135. This requires students to separately pass both elements i.e. (i) Placement Practice Report from the placement supervisor and course director and (ii) Reflective Portfolio.

**Honours:**
Honours are not awarded in Third Year.

**Exit award:**
N/A

**Exemptions:**
N/A

**Supplemental Examination:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

There are two elements in assessment of the placement module: (i) Placement Practice Report from the placement supervisor and course director and (ii) Reflective Portfolio. Both must be passed separately to pass the module overall. Students who fail in the Placement Practice Report have no opportunity to repeat the placement and have no supplemental
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### BA (HONS) DEGREE PSYCHOLOGY AND COMPUTING

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**Honours:** Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

- **Second Class Honours: Grade I**
  - an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.

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  - an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

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| Two Year Rule (or other rule to apply): | Candidates must pass within 2 academic years of the date of first registration for Final or Degree Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
# BSc (HONS) GOVERNMENT DEGREE

## First University Examination in Government

### Time:
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

### Modules:
Students take 60 credits


### Marks Maxima:
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

### Distribution of Marks:
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) individual modules that are contained in the Book of Modules [http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)

### Pass Standard (module level):
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules [http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)

### Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):
To pass First Year and progress to Second Year, a candidate must:

1. obtain an overall aggregate pass of 40% (i.e. 480/1200 marks) across all modules
2. obtain a pass in each module in modules to the value of at least 50 credits
3. obtain not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

### Honours:
Students are eligible for the award of honours on the aggregate mark for the year over the Winter, Summer and Autumn Supplemental Examinations.

- **First Class:** an aggregate of at least 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of at least 816 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 70% or above.

- **Second Class, Grade I:** an aggregate of at least 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of at least 696 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 60% or above

- **Second Class, Grade II:** an aggregate of at least 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of at least 576 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 50% or above

- **Third Class:** an aggregate of at least 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 45% or above.

For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

### Exemptions:
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

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### Supplemental Examinations:

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rules are applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks obtained in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation, progression, and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass (40%). The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements. *Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only.*

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation, progression, and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination Board in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation, progression, and the calculation of the award of honours, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination Board of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a
| **Three Year Rule** | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. | higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board. |
# BSc (HONS) DEGREE GOVERNMENT

## Second University Examination in Government

### Time:
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

### Modules:
Students take 60 credits: [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/commerce/index.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/commerce/index.html)

### Marks Maxima:
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

### Distribution of Marks:
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) individual modules that are contained in the Book of Modules [http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)

### Pass Standard (module level):
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules [http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)

### Pass and Progression Standard (programme level)
To pass Second Year and progress to Third Year, a candidate must:

i. obtain an overall aggregate pass of 40% (i.e. 480/1200 marks) across all modules

ii. obtain a pass in each module in modules to the value of at least 50 credits

iii. obtain not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

### Honours:
Students are eligible for the award of honours on the aggregate mark for the year over the Winter, Summer and Autumn Supplemental Examinations.

- **First Class:** an aggregate of at least 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of at least 816 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 70% or above.

- **Second Class, Grade I:** an aggregate of at least 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of at least 696 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 60% or above.

- **Second Class, Grade II:** an aggregate of at least 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of at least 576 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 50% or above.

- **Third Class:** an aggregate of at least 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50% or an aggregate of at least 516 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 45% or above.

For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

### Exemptions:
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.
**Supplemental Examinations:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rules are applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks obtained in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation, progression, and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass (40%). The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

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<td>1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation, progression, and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination Board in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. <em>Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.</em></td>
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<td>2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation, progression, and the calculation of the award of honours, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination Board of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade</td>
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In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to
If candidates qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

| Three Year Rule: | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Second Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
### BSc (HONS) DEGREE GOVERNMENT

#### Third University Examination in Government

**Time:** Written Examinations will be held in Spring. Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Spring Examination Board.

For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Spring Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Government Placement (GV3102) shall be undertaken after the Third University Examination, for a period of 14 weeks. Results of the Work Placement will be presented to the Winter Examination Board.

There are three pathways available in Year 3:

- The majority of students will take 50 credits in UCC and then 10 credits on Placement (GV3102) from April.
- Some students will take the Albany Pathway whereby they take 30 credits in Semester 1 in UCC, 20 credits in a university in upstate New York (GV3402) and 10 credit Government Placement in the New York State Assembly, Albany (GV3401).
- There is also the option of taking a Study Abroad Year, as described below.

Students who are placed in Albany will take GV3401 Government Placement New York State Assembly (10 credits) and GV3402 US State Government and Legislative Studies (20 credits). Results of GV3402 will be presented to the Summer Examination Board and results of GV3401 will be presented to the Winter (11) Examination Board.

**Modules:** Students take 60 credits:

- [https://www.ucc.ie/admin/registrar/calendar/arts/art057.html](https://www.ucc.ie/admin/registrar/calendar/arts/art057.html)

**Study Abroad:** Students may, on the approval of the BSc Government Board of Studies, spend third year pursuing an approved programme of study at a university outside of Ireland.

Programmes taken will be validated by the host institution. Students will be asked to complete a workload either (a) broadly equivalent to 60 ECTS credits at the host institution or (b) broadly equivalent to 50 ECTS at the host institution together with GV3102 Work Placement. The workload should be at a broadly equivalent level to the UCC BSc Government III.

Students who are placed in Albany will be asked to take 30 ECTS i.e. GV3401 Government Placement New York Assembly (10 credits) and GV3402 US State Government and Legislative Studies (20 credits).

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module. Total Marks: 1000 (the Work Placement module GV3102 is assessed on a Pass/Fail basis).
**Distribution of Marks**  
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules [http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard**  
**(module level):**  
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any are detailed in the Book of Modules [http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard**  
**(programme level):**  
To pass Third Year and progress to Fourth Year, a candidate must:

(i) Obtain an overall aggregate pass of 40% (i.e. 400/1000 marks) across all taught modules.

(ii) Obtain a pass in each module in modules to the value of at least 40 credits (excluding the Work Placement module GV3102).

(iii) Obtain not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:**  
Students are eligible for the award of honours on the aggregate mark for the year over the Spring and Autumn Supplemental Examinations:

- **First Class:** an aggregate of at least 700/1000 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of at least 680 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 70% or above.
- **Second Class Grade I:** an aggregate of at least 600/1000 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of at least 580 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 60% or above.
- **Second Class Grade II:** an aggregate of at least 500/1000 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of at least 480 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 50% or above.
- **Third Class:** an aggregate of at least 450/1000 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 430 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 45% or above.

Honours are awarded for the BSc Government III students who study abroad. Academic transcripts and/or other certified documentation from the host university shall be assessed by the BSc Government Board of Studies based on equivalence with UCC Marks and Standards. This assessment of equivalence shall be forwarded to the Summer Examination Board, UCC for approval.

- **First Class:** an aggregate of at least 700/1000 marks (i.e. 70% and above).
- **Second Class Grade I:** an aggregate of at least 600/1000 marks (i.e. 60% and above, but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Grade II:** an aggregate of at least 500/1000 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)
- **Third Class:** an aggregate of at least 450/1000 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%).

For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

**Carrying Forward of Marks:**  
50% of the Third Year aggregate mark of taught modules (maximum 500 marks) is carried forward and added to the Fourth Year aggregate mark (maximum 1200 marks) to determine the final mark of the BSc (Hons) Government degree.
# BSc Government Degree Examination

## Time:
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

## Modules:
Students take 60 credits: [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/commerce/index.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/commerce/index.html)

## Marks Maxima:
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

## Distribution of Marks:
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules [http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)

## Pass Standard (module level):
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules [http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)

## Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):
To pass Fourth Year, a candidate must

(i) obtain an overall aggregate pass of 40% (i.e. 480/1200 marks) across all modules

(ii) obtain a pass in each module in modules to the value of at least 50 credits

(iii) obtain not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

*Note: Students must pass the Work Placement (GV3102) to graduate*

## Carrying Forward of Third Year Marks Towards the Final Degree Award:
50% of the Third Year aggregate mark of taught modules (maximum 500 marks) is carried forward and added to the Fourth Year aggregate mark (maximum 1200 marks) to determine the final mark in the BSc (Hons) (Government) Degree Examination (maximum total marks 1700). With the exception of students who spend their third year abroad in which case the overall result will be based solely on the marks achieved in fourth year (maximum 1200 marks).
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<td><strong>First Class:</strong></td>
<td>an aggregate of at least 1190/1700 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of at least 1156 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 70% or above.</td>
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<td><strong>Second Class Grade I:</strong></td>
<td>an aggregate of at least 1020/1700 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of at least 986 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 60% and above</td>
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<td><strong>Second Class Grade II:</strong></td>
<td>an aggregate of at least 850/1700 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of at least 816 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 50% or above</td>
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<td><strong>Third Class:</strong></td>
<td>an aggregate of at least 765/1700 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 731 with at least half of the credits attained with marks of 45% or above.</td>
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| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
Supplemental Examination:

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements. Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks obtained in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks obtained in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

Three Year Rule:

Candidates must pass within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for Fourth Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
### DIPLOMA IN ARTS (APPLIED IRISH)

**First University Examination in Diploma in Arts (Applied Irish)**

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<th><strong>Time:</strong></th>
<th>Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. <em>There is no supplemental examination for GA1063.</em></th>
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<td><strong>Marks Maxima:</strong></td>
<td>200 per 10 credit module. Total Marks: 600.</td>
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<td><strong>Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):</strong></td>
<td>To pass First Year and progress to Second Year candidates must pass modules to the value of 30 credits. All modules must be passed.</td>
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<td><strong>Supplemental Examinations:</strong></td>
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<td>Students who fail the module may repeat the module in a Repeat Year. Module(s) passed in a Repeat Year will be capped.</td>
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<td><strong>Two Year Rule:</strong></td>
<td>Students normally must pass Year One of the Diploma in Arts (Applied Irish) within two academic years of the date of first registration for Year One. Failure to comply with this rule means that the student will be ineligible to proceed further with his/her studies. Exceptions to this rule may be granted by the College of Arts, Celtic Studies and Social Sciences only for very serious reasons.</td>
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## Diploma in Arts (Applied Irish) Examination

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<td><strong>Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):</strong></td>
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| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.**

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students who fail the module may repeat the module in a Repeat Year. Module(s) passed in a Repeat Year will be capped. |
| **Two Year Rule:** | Students normally must pass Year Two of the Diploma in Arts (Applied Irish) within two academic years of the date of first registration for Year Two. Failure to comply with this rule means that the student will be ineligible to proceed further with his/her studies. Exceptions to this rule may be granted by the College of Arts, Celtic Studies and Social Sciences, only for very serious reasons. |
### Diploma in Arts and Social Sciences Examination

**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art016b.html](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/calendar/arts/art016b.html) Total: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
- 100 per five credit module;
- 200 per ten credit module;
- 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** To be awarded the Diploma a candidate must:
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits.
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module.

**Honours:** Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.

- **First Class Honours**: an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits
- **Second Class Honours: Grade I**: an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits
- **Second Class Honours: Grade II**: an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits
- **Third Class Honours**: an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

**Exemptions:** All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.
**Supplemental Examinations:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements. **Note:** Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. **Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.**

   In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

   In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

**Three Year Rule:**

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for the Diploma, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
## DIPLOMA IN IRISH TRADITIONAL MUSIC

### Diploma in Irish Traditional Music Examination

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<td><strong>Marks Maxima:</strong></td>
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<td>Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.</td>
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### Supplemental Examinations:

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations:

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements. *Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only.*

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and the calculation of the award of honours, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt Year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed or got honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

### Three Year Rule:

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for the Diploma, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
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| **Time:** | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art031.html Total: 20 credits. |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 400. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass and Progression Standard:** | To fulfil requirements for the successful completion of the Certificate a candidate must pass all modules. |
| **Honours:** | Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall. First Class Honours an aggregate of not less than 280/400 marks (i.e. 70% and above) Second Class Honours an aggregate of not less than 240/400 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) Students passing the Certificate but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining Aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Three Year Rule:** | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for the Certificate, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
**CERTIFICATE IN ARTS**

**Certificate in Languages Examination**

**Time:**
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/arts/art033.html Total: 20 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module. Total Marks: 400.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard:**
To fulfil requirements for the successful completion of the Certificate a candidate must pass all modules.

**Honours:**
Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 280/800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 240/800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)

Students passing the Certificate but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below.

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.**

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

**Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination:**
In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Three Year Rule:**
Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for the Certificate, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
# POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES

## MASTERS QUALIFYING EXAMINATION

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| **Qualifying Standard (programme level):** | To pass a candidate must  
1. pass all modules.  
2. achieve an aggregate of 330/600 marks (55%) across all modules |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded. |
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the [Book of Modules](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.  
The pass//progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students who fail to achieve to qualify at the Summer and Autumn Examinations may not repeat the Examinations in a Repeat Year. |
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MASTERS' DEGREES

MRes DEGREE

These Marks and Standards relate to the taught elements of the programme only. Regulations governing the research element of this programme can be found in the Procedures for Submission and Examination of Research Masters Degrees:

https://www.ucc.ie/admin/registrar/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/page01.html

Time:

Marks for the 20 credits of taught modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. The Research Thesis will be examined in accordance with the procedures for submission and Examination of Research Masters degrees.

https://www.ucc.ie/admin/registrar/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/page01.html

Modules:

http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page96.html Total 90

Marks Maxima:

100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module. Some modules are assessed on a Pass/Fail basis.

Distribution of Marks:

Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual taught modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/academic/modules).

Pass Standard (module level):

As stated in individual module descriptions (www.ucc.ie/academic/modules/)

Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):

All modules must be passed prior to submitting the Thesis.

Honours:

First Class Honours
Second Class Honours
Pass

Exemptions:

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years

Supplemental Examinations:

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.

Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.
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### MPHIL DEGREE

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### MA Degree in Applied Psychology

| **Time:** | Written Examinations will be held in Summer and Autumn. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board with a supplemental examination in Autumn. Marks for AP6153 will be presented to the Autumn Board with a supplemental examination in Winter. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. The Dissertation should be submitted to the School on a date specified by the School. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year. |
| **Modules:** | [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page93.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page93.html) Total 90 credits |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module, 600 marks per thirty credit module. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules, [www.ucc.ie/academic/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/academic/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules/). On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation. |
| **Honours: (If applicable)** | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:  
First Class Honours: an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)  
Second Class Honours Grade 1: an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)  
Second Class Honours Grade 2: an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%). |
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| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).  

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  

*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*  

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.  

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.  

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Psychology** | Students who have completed and passed modules to the value of at least 60 credits in Part I and who do not wish to proceed to Part II may be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Psychology. |
**MA DEGREE IN APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY (POSITIVE AND COACHING PSYCHOLOGY)**

| **Time:** | Written Examinations will be held in Summer. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year. |
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<td><strong>Marks Maxima:</strong></td>
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On the recommendation of the School an Examination Board may decide that a Dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation. |
| **Honours: (If applicable)** | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

**First Class Honours**
an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)

**Second Class Honours Grade 1**
an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)

**Second Class Honours Grade 2**
an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%). |
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| **Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Psychology (Positive and Coaching Psychology)** | Students who successfully complete and pass taught modules to the value of 60 credits in Part 1 and fail or opt not to complete Part 2 may exit the programme and be conferred with a Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Psychology (Positive and Coaching Psychology). Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:  
  First Class Honours  
  an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above)  
  Second Class Honours Grade 1  
  an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)  
  Second Class Honours Grade 2  
  an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%). |
| **Postgraduate Certificate in Applied Psychology (Positive and Coaching Psychology)** | Students who successfully complete and pass at least 30 credits of taught modules in Part 1 may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Applied Psychology (Positive and Coaching Psychology). |
### MA Degree in Applied Psychology (Mental Health)

**Time:**
Written Examinations will be held in Summer and Autumn. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. Marks for AP6180 will be presented to the Autumn Board with a supplemental examination in Winter. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School on a date specified by the School. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

**Modules:**
Students take 90 credits: [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page93.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page93.html)

**Marks Maxima:**
100 marks per 5 credit module, 200 marks per 10 credit module, 400 marks per 20 credit module, 600 marks per 30 credit module. Total marks 1800

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules, [http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules. On the recommendation of the School an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

**Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Psychology (Mental Health):**
Students who have completed and passed modules to the value of at least 60 credits in Part I and who fail AP6137 or do not wish to proceed to Part II may be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Psychology (Mental Health)

**Transfer to MA Applied Psychology:**
Students who pass 40 credits in Part I but fail the Placement (and repeat placement if taken) or are deemed unsuitable to undertake a placement may be permitted to transfer to the MA (Applied Psychology) with exemption of 40 credits to complete the remaining 20 credits of taught modules and 30 credit dissertation on the MA (Applied Psychology) or complete 20 credits of taught modules and exit with a Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Psychology.
### Honours:

Students are eligible for the award of honours on the basis of the marks achieved over the Summer, Autumn Supplemental and Winter Examination Boards. To be eligible for honours, students must pass all modules. Note: for rule governing the award of honours at the Autumn Supplemental Examination and/or in a Repeat Year, please see under ‘Supplemental Examinations’ and/or ‘Repeat Year Examination’ below.

The grade of honours shall be determined as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

### Exemptions

Students who have already passed a module(s) as part of another programme, may seek exemptions from this module(s) and will be required to take another taught Postgraduate Applied Psychology module to the same credit value.

### Supplemental Examinations

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.

*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations:

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present), the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for the award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Candidates who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.
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<th><strong>MA DEGREE IN WORK AND ORGANISATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY/BEHAVIOUR (FULL-TIME)</strong></th>
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| **Time:** | Written exams will be held at the end of each semester. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. 

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School on a date specified by the School. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year. |
| **Modules:** | Total 90 credits |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module, 600 marks per thirty credit module. Total Marks 1800 |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (http://www.ucc.ie/modules/) |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules, On the recommendation of the School an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation. |
| **Honours:** | Students are eligible for the award of honours on the basis of the marks achieved over the Summer, Autumn Supplemental and Winter Examination Boards. To be eligible for honours, students must pass all modules. Note: for rule governing the award of honours at the Autumn Supplemental Examination and/or in a Repeat Year, please see under ‘Supplemental Examinations’ and/or ‘Repeat Year Examination’ below.

The grade of honours shall be determined as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (60%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (50%) |
| **Postgraduate Diploma in Work and Organisational Psychology/Behaviour** | Students who have completed and passed modules to the value of at least 60 credits in Part I consisting of 50 credits of core modules plus 10 credits of elective modules and who fail AP6171 or do not wish to proceed to Part II may be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Work and Organisational Psychology/Behaviour. |
| **Supplemental** | Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for |
**Examination:**

requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

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Candidates who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.
### MA Degree in Work and Organisational Psychology/Behaviour (Part-Time)

**Time:**
Part I is taken over 2 years. Written exams will be held at the end of each semester. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School on a date specified by the School. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

**Modules:**
Total 90 credits

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module, 600 marks per thirty credit module. Total Marks 1800

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules [http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules. On the recommendation of the School an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the research dissertation.

**Honours:**
Students are eligible for the award of honours on the basis of the marks achieved over the Summer, Autumn Supplemental and Winter Examination Boards. To be eligible for honours, students must pass all modules. Note: for rule governing the award of honours at the Autumn Supplemental Examination and/or in a Repeat Year, please see under 'Supplemental Examinations' and/or 'Repeat Year Examination' below.

The grade of honours shall be determined as follows:
- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (60%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (50%)
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<th><strong>Postgraduate Diploma in Work and Organisational Psychology/Behaviour</strong></th>
<th>Students who have completed and passed modules to the value of at least 60 credits in Part I consisting of 50 credits of core modules plus 10 credits of elective modules and who fail AP6171 or do not wish to proceed to Part II may be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Work and Organisational Psychology/Behaviour.</th>
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| **Supplemental Examination:** | Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present), the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for the award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.  
Candidates who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
**Time:**
Written Examinations will be held in Summer. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:**
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page14a.html Total 90 credits

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module. Year I 1200 marks; Year II 600 marks Total Marks: 1800.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules*, (http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules*, (http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
Candidates must pass all modules in Year I before proceeding to Year II. Candidates who achieve an aggregate of 40% or higher across all modules in Year I may be permitted to proceed to Year II and to fulfil the Special Requirements for the Supplemental Examination in their failed module(s), which must be passed before the Degree is awarded. Year I and Year II must be passed separately.

**Honours: (If applicable)**
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:
- **First Class Honours** an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1** an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2** an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%).

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
## M Soc Sc

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<td><strong>Pass and Progression Standard (programme level)</strong></td>
<td>The pass standard is 40%. To be awarded the MSocSc a candidate must submit a dissertation of 30,000 words.</td>
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| **Supplemental Examination** | There is no supplemental examination |
### M SOC SC (SOCIAL POLICY) DEGREE

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<td>200 per ten credit module, 800 per forty credit module. Part I - 1000 marks, Part II - 800 marks. Total 1800</td>
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| **Honours** | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:  

First Class Honours  
an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)  
Second Class Honours Grade 1  
an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) |
| **Supplemental Examinations** | Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  
*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Postgraduate Certificate in Social Policy** | Students who pass taught modules to the value of 30 credits may opt to exit the programme and be conferred with a Postgraduate Certificate in Social Policy. |
**MSocSc (VOLUNTARY AND COMMUNITY SECTOR MANAGEMENT) DEGREE**

**Time:**
Year I Written Examinations will be held in Summer. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

Year II: Written Examinations will be held in Summer. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, there will be a supplemental examination in Winter with marks going to the Winter Examination Board.

**Modules:**
- [www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page64b.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page64b.html)
  - Year I 40 credits, Year II 50 credits. Total: 90 credits

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 400 per 20 credit module. Total Marks: 1800

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass and Progression Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
In order to be awarded the MSocSc a student must pass all modules. There is no compensation between modules. **Students must first pass the SS6602 (Applied Social Research in the Voluntary and Community Sector) module as a prerequisite for progressing to the Dissertation.**

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.
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<td><strong>Repeat Year:</strong></td>
<td>Due to the cyclical nature of this programme, a maximum of two attempts to pass any module at the First University Examination in the MSocSc (Voluntary and Community Sector Management) is permitted. Therefore, a student who fails to pass the First University Examination in the MSocSc (Voluntary and Community Sector Management) over the Summer and the following Autumn Supplemental Examination will be unable to proceed and must withdraw from the programme. Except for students who fail or fail to submit the research dissertation they will be permitted to repeat the year in order to complete the research dissertation. In determining aggregation full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examinations in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used.</td>
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<td>All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.</td>
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<td><strong>Postgraduate Diploma in Voluntary and Sector Management</strong></td>
<td>Students who fail or fail to submit the minor dissertation (SS6605) but have passed Year I and passed at least 20 credits in Year II may opt to exit the programme and be conferred with a Postgraduate Diploma in Voluntary and Community Sector Management.</td>
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### First University Examination in MScoc Sc in Youth Work and Community Arts and Sports Studies

**Time:** Written Examinations will be held in Summer. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page110.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page110.html) Total 60 credits

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module, 400 per twenty credit module. Total marks: 700. SS6030 and SS6031 are assessed on a pass/fail basis.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/))

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 50%. Special Requirements for the individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/))

**Progression Standard (programme level):** In order to progress to Second Year, a candidate must

1. Pass all modules (including a pass judgement on SS6030 and SS6031. Those who fail SS6030 and/or SS6031 may be permitted to complete an additional Placement in order to pass at the discretion of the Board of Examiners. A failed placement may be repeated only once However, where there is evidence of professional misconduct a repeat placement will not be permitted.
2. Have satisfied the Fitness to Practice requirements.

**Honours:** Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows: First Class Honours: an aggregate of not less 490/700 marks (i.e. 70% and above) Second Class Honours Grade I: an aggregate of not less than 420/700 marks (i.e.60% and above but less than 70%) Second Class Honours Grade II: an aggregate of not less than 350/700 marks (i.e. 50% and above, but less than 60%)

**Exemptions:** All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:** Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note: for some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.**

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks and a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum marks that will be taken into account is a pass 50%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

| Two Year Rule: | Candidates must pass/progress within two academic years of the date of first registration for Year 1, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
| Postgraduate Certificate in Youth Work with Community Arts and Sports Studies: | Upon satisfactory completion of 30 credits, to include modules SS6020, SS6022, SS6036 and SS6037, students may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Youth Work. A student who subsequently applies to continue to Postgraduate Diploma/Master’s level must do so within 5 years of successful completion of the Certificate Examination. |
| Postgraduate Diploma in Youth Work with Community Arts and Sports Studies: | Upon satisfactory completion of 60 credits, to include modules SS6020, SS6022, SS6023, SS6030, SS6031, SS6036 and SS6037, students may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Youth Work. A student who subsequently applies to continue to Masters’ level must do so within five years of successful completion of the Postgraduate Diploma Examination, |
MSocSc Degree Examination in Youth Work with Community Arts and Sports Studies

<p>| Time | Written Examinations will be held in Summer. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Summer Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the Dissertation in a subsequent year. |
| Modules | <a href="http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/asrts/page110.html">http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/asrts/page110.html</a> Total 60 credits |
| Marks Maxima | 100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module, 300 per fifteen credit module |
| Distribution of Marks | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (<a href="http://www.ucc.ie/modules">www.ucc.ie/modules</a>) |
| Pass Standard (module level) | The pass standard for each module is 50%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any are detailed in the Book of Modules (<a href="http://www.ucc.ie/modules">www.ucc.ie/modules</a>) On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |
| Progression Standard (programme level) | In order to be awarded the MSocSc, a candidate must pass all modules. |
| Honours | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows: First Class Honours: an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) Second Class Honours Grade I: an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) Second Class Honours Grade II: an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) |</p>
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| **Supplemental Examinations** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).  

Please refer to the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/modules)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: for some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*  

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.  

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum marks that will be taken into account is a pass 50%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Two Year Rule** | Candidates must pass/progress within two academic years of the date of first registration for Year 1, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements of honours.  

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
<p>| <strong>Postgraduate Diploma in Youth Work with Community Arts and Sports Studies</strong> | Upon satisfactory completion of 60 credits, to include modules SS6020, SS6022, SS6023, SS6030, SS6031, SS6036 and SS6037, students may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Youth Work. A student who subsequently applies to continue to Master’s level must do so within 5 years of successful completion of the Postgraduate Diploma Examination. |</p>
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| **Modules:** | [www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page67.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page67.html)  
Total: 60 credits |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module. Total Marks: Total Marks: 1200. SS6112 is the fieldwork placement and placement portfolio module. Students who fail to achieve a pass judgement in the placement will not be permitted to submit a placement portfolio. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |
| **Progression Standard (programme level):** | In order to pass First Year and progress to Second Year, a candidate must  
1. Pass all modules  
2. Achieve an aggregate of at least 50% across all modules  
3. Receive a Pass Judgment on Fieldwork Placement i.e. the student is deemed to have passed the placement. Those who fail to do so may be permitted to complete an additional Placement in order to pass at the discretion of the Board of Examiners. A failed placement may be repeated only once. However, where there is evidence of professional misconduct on Fieldwork Placement I (as defined under the heading of ‘Unacceptable Behaviours’ in the MSW Course Handbook, and behaviours that contravene the Irish Association of Social Workers’ Code of Practice and Code of Ethics), a repeat placement will not be permitted.  
4. Have satisfied the Fitness to Practice requirements |
| **Attendance** | As the MSW is a professional training programme, Social Work students are bound to attend every class of each module (including Fieldwork Placements) unless unavoidable prevented from doing so. If a student’s attendance falls below 80% in any module, he/she may be required to repeat that module before being allowed to proceed. |
### Supplemental Examination

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

**Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination:** In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Transfer to the Postgraduate Diploma in Social Work

Candidates who fail to achieve an aggregate of at least 50% across all modules, but who have not fallen below 40% in any module, and who have passed the Fieldwork Placement, may be permitted to register for the Second Year of the Postgraduate Diploma in Social Work Studies.

### Two Year Rule:

Candidates must pass/progress within 2 academic years of the date of first registration for Year 1, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.

### Repeat Year Examinations

Students who have failed all or any part of an individual module at the Summer and Supplemental Examination will be allowed to repeat the failed module(s) only once at the Summer Examination in the following academic year.
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### Masters of Social Work Degree Examination

**Time:**

Written Examinations will be held in Summer. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School in April on a date specified by the School. The Dissertation will be considered at the Summer Board. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

**Modules**

[www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page67.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page67.html)  
Total: 60 credits

**Marks Maxima:**

100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module, 400 per twenty credit module. Total Marks: **1100**. SS6207 is the fieldwork placement and placement portfolio module. Students who fail to achieve a pass judgement in the placement will not be permitted to submit a placement portfolio. SS6200 is compulsory but not assessed.

**Distribution of Marks:**

Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):**

The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.
### Degree Award:

In order to be awarded the degree of MSW, candidates must

1. Pass all Modules
2. Achieve an aggregate of at least 50% across all modules
3. Receive a pass judgment on Fieldwork Placement II. Those who fail to do so may be permitted to complete an additional Placement in order to pass at the discretion of the Board of Examiners. A failed placement may be repeated only once. However, where there is evidence of professional misconduct on Fieldwork Placement II (as defined under the heading of ‘Unacceptable Behaviours’ in the MSW Course Handbook, and behaviours that contravene the Irish Association of Social Workers’ Code of Practice and Code of Ethics), a repeat placement will not be permitted.
4. Have satisfied the Fitness to Practice requirements (from 2014/2015)

### Attendance:

As the MSW is a professional training programme, Social Work students are bound to attend every class of each module (including Fieldwork Placements) unless unavoidable prevented from doing so. If a student’s attendance falls below 80% in any module, he/she may be required to repeat that module before being allowed to proceed.

### Honours:

Honours are not awarded in this degree

### Supplemental Examination

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record

### Repeat Year Examinations

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in the Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours. Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

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### MA Degree in Archaeological Excavation

#### Time:
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

#### Modules:
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page89.html Total: 90 credits

#### Marks Maxima:
100 per five-credit module, 200 per ten-credit module, 300 per 15-credit module; 900 per forty-five-credit module. Total 1800

#### Distribution of Marks:
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

#### Pass Standard (module level):
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

#### Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):
Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

#### Honours:
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)

- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)

- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)
### Supplemental Examinations

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation or other Part 2 modules, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation or other Part 2 modules in the following academic year. The marks obtained in the repeated Dissertation or other Part 2 modules shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours. Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

### Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):

Students are required to pass this degree within three years of their initial registration.

### Postgraduate Certificate in Archaeological Excavation

Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Archaeological Excavation.
### MA Degree in Museum Studies

#### Time:
- **Part I:** Marks will be submitted to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to reach the pass standard there will be an Autumn Supplemental Examination with marks being presented to the Autumn Examination Board.
- **Part II:** Marks will be submitted to the Winter Examination Board. There is no supplemental examination for Part II.

#### Modules:
- [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/masters/arts](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/masters/arts)  
  Total 90 credits

#### Marks Maxima:
- 100 per five-credit module, 400 per 20-credit module, 900 per forty-five-credit module. Total 1800

#### Distribution of Marks:
- Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

#### Pass Standard (module level):
- The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

  On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

#### Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):
- To pass Part I candidates must pass all modules. Candidates must pass Part I before proceeding to Part II. Candidates who achieve an aggregate of 40% or higher across all modules in Part I may be permitted to proceed to Part II and to fulfil the Special Requirements for the Autumn Supplemental Examination in their failed module(s), which must be passed before the Degree is awarded. Part I and Part II must be passed separately.

#### Honours:
- Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:
  - **First Class Honours** an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
  - **Second Class Honours Grade 1** an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
  - **Second Class Honours Grade 2** an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%).

#### Exemptions:
- All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.
| **Supplemental Examination:** | Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer (Part I) Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks obtained in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation or other Part 2 modules, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation or other Part 2 modules in the following academic year. The marks obtained in the repeated Dissertation or other Part 2 modules shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours. Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):** | Students are required to pass this degree within three years of their initial registration. |
| **Postgraduate Certificate in Museum Studies** | Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Museum Studies |
## MA in Renaissance Latin Culture

| Time: | Part I: Part I is taken over 3 semesters. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in the Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.  
Part II: The Dissertation should be submitted to the School of History on a date specified by the School. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year. |
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| Modules: | LT6001 Beginners' Latin (15 credits)  
CC6008 Palaeography and Manuscript Based Research (10 Credits)  
HI6077 The Classical Revival 1250-1500 (10 credits)  
HI6078 New Worlds, Ancient Texts (10 credits)  
HI6079 Schola Latina (15 credits)  
HI6080 Dissertation in Renaissance Latin Culture (30 credits) |
| Marks Maxima: | 100 per 5 credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 600 per thirty credit module. Part I 1200 marks, Part II 600 marks. Total Marks: 1800. |
| Distribution of Marks: | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |
| Pass Standard (module level): | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). On the recommendation of the School of History, an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |
| Pass and Progression Standard (programme level): | Candidates must pass all modules in Part I before submitting Part II. Candidates who achieve an aggregate of 40% or higher across all modules in Part I may be permitted to proceed to Part II and to fulfil the Special Requirements for the Autumn Supplemental Examination in their failed module(s), which must be passed before the Degree is awarded. Part I and Part II must be passed separately. |
| Honours: | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:  
**First Class Honours:**  
an aggregate of at least 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)  
**Second Class Honours Grade 1:**  
an aggregate of at least 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)  
**Second Class Honours Grade 2:**  
an aggregate of at least 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) |
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| Supplemental Examination: | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn).  
Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.  

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| Repeat Year Examinations: | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.  
Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
**MA ROMAN STUDIES**

**Time:**
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the Department by a date selected by the Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students to fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the Dissertation in a repeat year.

**Modules:**
Students take 90 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five-credit module, 200 per ten-credit module, 300 per fifteen-credit module, 900 for GR6007. Part I 900 marks, Part II 900 marks. Total Marks 1800.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including Formal Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules.

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
Candidates must pass all modules in Part I before proceeding to Part II. Candidates who achieve an aggregate of 40% or higher across all modules in Part I may be permitted to proceed to Part II and to fulfil the Special Requirements for the Autumn Supplemental Examination in their failed module(s), which must be passed before the Degree is awarded. Part I and Part II must be passed separately.

**Honours:**
Students are eligible for the award of honours on the basis of the marks achieved over the Summer, Autumn Supplemental and Winter Examination Boards. To be eligible for honours, students must pass all modules. Note: for rules governing the award of honours at the Autumn Supplemental Examinations and/or in a Repeat Year, please see under ‘Supplemental Examinations’ and/or ‘Repeat Year Examination’ below.

The grade of honours shall be determined as follows:
First Class Honours: an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 1206/1800 marks with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 50 credits.
Second Class Honours Grade 1: an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 1044/1800 marks with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 50 credits.
Second Class Honours Grade 2: an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 882/1800 marks with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 50 credits.

*Exit award:* Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Roman Studies. A student who subsequently applies to continue to a Master’s level must do so within 5 years of successful completion of the Postgraduate Certificate.

*Supplemental Examination:* Please refer to the *Book of Modules* for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.

Students who fail individual taught modules at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Autumn Supplemental Examination, where there is a provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board.

Capping of marks at the Autumn Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass – 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

*Repeat Year Examinations:* If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours. Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.
## MA Degree in Criminology

| **Time:** | Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year. |
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On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation. |
| **Honours:** | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

First Class Honours
an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
Second Class Honours Grade 1
an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
Second Class Honours Grade 2
an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) |
| **Supplemental Examinations** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note:* For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Postgraduate Diploma in Criminology** | Candidates who pass at least 60 credits of taught modules may elect to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Criminology. |
### MA Degree in Theatre and Performative Practices

**Time:**

Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

Final Project Dissertation and/or portfolio should be submitted to the School/Department by end of September at the end of the MA year. The dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

**Modules:**

Students take 90 credits

**Marks Maxima:**

100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module, 300 per 15 credit module, 900 per forty-five credit module. Total marks 1800

**Distribution of Marks:**

Distribution of marks and assessment details (including Formal Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)

**Pass Standard (module level):**

The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (http://www.ucc.ie/modules/). On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a Final Project dissertation and/or portfolio is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of the examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**

Candidates must pass all modules in Part I before proceeding to Part II. Candidates who achieve an aggregate of 40% or higher across all modules in Part I may be permitted to proceed to Part II and to fulfil the Special Requirements for the Autumn Supplemental Examination in their failed module(s), which must be passed before the Degree is awarded. Part I and Part II must be passed separately.

**Honours:**

Students are eligible for the award of Honours on the basis of the marks achieved over the Summer, Autumn Supplemental and Winter Examination Boards. To be eligible for Honours, students must pass all modules. Note: for rules governing the award of honours at the Autumn Supplemental Examinations and/or in a Repeat Year, please see under “Supplemental Examinations” below.

The grade of Honours shall be determined as follows:
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<th><strong>First Class Honours:</strong></th>
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<td><strong>Second Class Honours Grade II:</strong></td>
<td>an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 (50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 882/1800 marks with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 50 credits.</td>
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<th><strong>Supplemental Examinations:</strong></th>
<th>Please refer to the Book of Modules for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Students who fail individual taught modules at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent at the Autumn Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board.</th>
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### MA Degree in Celtic Civilisation

**Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page70.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page70.html) Total: 90 credits

**Marks Maxima:** 200 per ten credit module, 800 per forty credit module. Part I 1000 marks, Part II 800 marks Total 1800.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass Standard (programme level):** Part I and Part II must be passed separately. Part I must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

**Honours:** Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)

- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)

- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

| **Postgraduate Certificate in Celtic Civilisation** | Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules (to include CC6001 or CC6011) may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Celtic Civilisation. A student who subsequently applies to continue to a Master’s level must do so within 5 years of successful completion of the Postgraduate Certificate.

| **Postgraduate Diploma in Celtic Civilisation** | Candidates who pass Part I and opt not to proceed to Part II of the Master’s programme may register for CC6002 (10 credits) and, on successful completion of CC6002, be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Celtic Civilisation. Students must submit CC6002 (comprising of an Annotated Bibliography and Project) to the Department by the second Friday in September in the same academic year or may register for CC6002 in the following academic year (part-time), following completion of Part I.

Candidates who pass Part I and opt to proceed to Part II of the Master’s programme and who fail, or fail to submit, Part II may register for CC6002 in the following academic year (part-time), and upon successful completion, will be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Celtic Civilisation.

A student who subsequently applies to continue to Master’s level must do so within 5 academic years of successful completion of Part I. |
**MA DEGREE IN EARLY AND MEDIEVAL IRISH**

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<td>Part I and Part II must be passed separately. Part I must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.</td>
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| **Honours:** | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:  
First Class Honours  
an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)  
Second Class Honours Grade 1  
an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)  
Second Class Honours Grade 2  
an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) |
### Supplemental Examinations:

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations

If a candidate fails (which includes fail to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

### Postgraduate Certificate in Early and Medieval Irish

Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules (to include CC6003) may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Early and Medieval Irish. A student who subsequently applies to continue to a Master’s level must do so within 5 years of successful completion of the Postgraduate Certificate.

### Postgraduate Diploma in Early and Medieval Irish

Candidates who pass Part I and opt not to proceed to Part II of the Master’s programme may register for CC6002 (10 credits) and, on successful completion of CC6002, be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Early and Medieval Irish. Students must submit CC6002 (comprising of an Annotated Bibliography and Project) to the Department by the second Friday in September in the same academic year or may register for CC6002 in the following academic year (part-time), following completion of Part I.

Candidates who pass Part I and opt to proceed to Part II of the Master’s programme and who fail, or fail to submit Part I may register for CC6002 in the following academic year (part-time), and upon successful completion, will be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Early and Medieval Irish.

A student who subsequently applies to continue to Master’s level must do so within 5 academic years of successful completion of Part I.
### MA Degree in the Beginnings of Irish Christianity

#### Time

Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the Department on a date specified by the Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

#### Modules:

http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page104.html Total: 90 credits

#### Marks Maxima:

100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module, 300 per fifteen credit module, 600 per thirty credit module. Part I 1200 marks, Part II 600 marks Total 1800.

#### Distribution of Marks:

Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

#### Pass Standard (module level):

The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

#### Pass Standard (programme level):

Part I and Part II must be passed separately. Part I must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

#### Honours:

Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Postgraduate Certificate in the Beginnings of Irish Christianity** | Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules (10 credits of which must be a core module), may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in The Beginnings of Irish Christianity. |
| **Postgraduate Diploma in the Beginnings of Irish Christianity** | Candidates who pass Part I, but who fail, or fail to submit, the dissertation (Part II) may be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in the Beginnings of Irish Christianity. |
### MASTERS IN EDUCATION (MODULAR) DEGREE

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### Honours

Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

**First Class Honours**
an aggregate of not less than 1680/2400 marks (i.e. 70% and above)

**Second Class Honours Grade 1**
an aggregate of not less than 1440/2400 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)

**Second Class Honours Grade 2**
an aggregate of not less than 1200/2400 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

Or for holders of one of the recognised Diplomas

**First Class Honours**
an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above)

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### Second Class Honours Grade 1

an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)

**Second Class Honours Grade 2**
an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

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### Exemptions

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

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### Suppemental Examination

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Autumn Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

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### Repeat Year Examinations

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

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### Postgraduate Diploma in Education Studies

Candidates who pass at least 60 credits of taught modules may elect to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Education Studies.

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### Postgraduate Certificate in Education Studies

Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Education Studies.
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**PROFESSIONAL MASTER OF EDUCATION**

**First University Examination in Professional Master of Education**

**Time:** Marks for all modules will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. There is no supplemental examination for ED6330.

**Modules:** [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page112.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page112.html)

**Marks Maxima:**
- Tota Year 1 : 60 credits
- 100 marks per five credit module, 400 marks per twenty credit module.
- Total Marks Year 1: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/academic/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules)).

**Pass Standard (module level):** 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules are detailed in the *Book of Modules*, ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** Candidates must pass Year 1 before proceeding to Year 2. To Pass Year 1, candidates must

(i) Pass all modules.

In addition, all students must have satisfied the Fitness to Practise requirements.

**Honours:** No Honours are awarded in Year 1.

**Exemptions:** All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:** Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/academic/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules)) for requirements governing the Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: for some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

- Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

- The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks obtained in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation, progression, and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass (40%). The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):** Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration.
# Professional Master of Education Examination

**Time:**
Marks for all modules will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. There is no supplemental examination for ED6360.

Marks for the Professional Research Paper (ED6359) will also be considered at the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Professional Research Paper, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

**Modules:**
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page112.html

Total Year 2: 60 credits.

**Marks Maxima:**
100 marks per five credit module, 200 marks per ten credit module, 400 marks per twenty credit module, 600 marks per thirty credit module. Total Marks for Year 2: 1200.

Total Marks for Professional master of Education: 2400.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
40%. Special Requirements for individual modules are detailed in the Book of Modules, (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

On the recommendation of the School of Education, an Examination Board may decide that the Professional Research Paper is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Professional Research Paper within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
Candidates must pass both Year 1 and Year 2 independently.

To Pass Year 2, candidates must
(i) Pass all modules.
In addition, all students must have satisfied the Fitness to Practise requirements.

To Pass the Professional Master of Education, candidates must
(i) Pass Year 1 and Year 2 of the programme.

**Honours:**
To be eligible for the award of Honours, candidates must obtain an aggregate of at least 500/1000 marks (i.e. 50% and above) in ED6330 and ED6360.

Honours are awarded for the Professional Master of Education on the
aggregate marks over Year 1 and Year 2 as follows:

**First Class Honours:**
an aggregate of at least 1680/2400 marks (i.e. 70% and above).

**Second Class, Grade 1:**
an aggregate of at least 1440/2400 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%).
**Second Class, Grade 2:** an aggregate of at least 1200/2400 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%).

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:**
Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/academic/modules) for requirements governing the Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: for some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail individual modules at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Autumn Supplemental Examination, where there is a provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board.

Capping of Marks at the Autumn Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass – 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations**
If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Professional Research Paper, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Professional Research Paper in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Professional Research Paper shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Professional Research Paper in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

**Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):**
Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration.
## PROFESSIONAL MASTER OF EDUCATION (ART AND DESIGN)

### First University Examination in Professional Master of Education (Art and Design)

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<th><strong>Time:</strong></th>
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<td><a href="http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page113.html">http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page113.html</a>  Total Year 1: 60 credits</td>
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<td>100 marks per five credit module, 400 marks per twenty credit module. Total Marks Year 1: 1200.</td>
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<td><strong>Pass Standard (module level):</strong></td>
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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | Candidates must pass Year 1 before proceeding to Year 2. To Pass Year 1, candidates must  
(i) pass all modules;  
In addition, all students must have satisfied the Fitness to Practice requirements. |
| **Honours:** | No Honours are awarded in Year 1. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examination:** | Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/academic/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules)) for requirements governing the Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  
*Note: for some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.  
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks obtained in repeated modules.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation, progression, and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass (40%). The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):** | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration. |
# Professional Master of Education (Art and Design) Degree Examination

## Time:
Marks for all modules will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. There is no supplemental examination for ED6358.

Marks for the Professional Research Paper (ED6359) will also be considered at the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Professional Research Paper, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the Professional Research Paper in a subsequent year.

## Modules:
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page113.html
Total Year 2: 60 credits

## Marks Maxima:
- 100 marks per five credit module
- 200 marks per ten credit module
- 400 marks per twenty credit module
- 600 marks per thirty credit module
Total Marks for Year 2: 1200.
Total Marks for Professional Master of Education (Art & Design): 2400.

## Distribution of Marks:
Distribution of marks and assessment details for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules).

## Pass Standard (module level):
40%. Special Requirements for individual modules are detailed in the Book of Modules, (www.ucc.ie/modules/).
On the recommendation of the Joint Management Board (JMB), an Examination Board may decide that a Professional Research Paper is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Professional Research Paper within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

## Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):
Candidates must pass both Year 1 and Year 2 independently.
To Pass Year 2, candidates must
(i) Pass all modules.
In addition, all students must have satisfied the Fitness to Practise requirements.
To Pass the Professional Master of Education (Art & Design), candidates must
(i) Pass Year 1 and Year 2 of the programme.
**Honours:**

To be eligible for the award of Honours, candidates must obtain an aggregate of at least 500/1000 marks (i.e. 50% and above) in ED6322 and ED6358.

Honours are awarded for the Professional Master of Education (Art & Design) on the aggregate marks over Year 1 and Year 2 as follows:

- **First Class Honours:** an aggregate of at least 1680/2400 marks (i.e. 70% and above).
- **Second Class, Grade 1:** an aggregate of at least 1440/2400 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class, Grade 2:** an aggregate of at least 1200/2400 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

**Exemptions:**

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:**

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/academic/modules) for requirements governing the Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: for some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail individual modules at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Autumn Supplemental Examination, where there is a provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation, progression, and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass (40%). The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations**

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Professional Research Paper, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Professional Research Paper in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Professional Research Paper shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Professional Research Paper in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

**Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):**

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration.
### MA Degree in English

**Modernitys: American and British Literature and Film/Texts and Contexts: Medieval to Renaissance**

#### Time:
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

#### Modules:

| Modules: | [www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page15a.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page15a.html) | Total: 90 credits |

#### Marks Maxima:

| Marks Maxima: | 200 per ten credit module, 400 per twenty credit module, 800 per forty credit module. Part I - 1000 marks; Part II - 800 marks. Total Marks: 1800. |

#### Distribution of Marks:

| Distribution of Marks: | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |

#### Pass Standard (module level):

| Pass Standard (module level): | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

#### Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):

| Pass and Progression Standard (programme level): | Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation. Candidates failing Part 1 modules at the Autumn supplemental must withdraw from the programme. |

#### Honours:

| Honours: | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows: |

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)

- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)

- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)
| **Exemption** | All passed modules carry an exemption which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examination** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours. Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Postgraduate Certificate in English (Modernities, Romanticism, Modernism and Post-Modernism)** | Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in English (Modernities, Romanticism, Modernism and Post-Modernism) |
| **Postgraduate Certificate in English (Texts and Contexts, Medieval to Renaissance)** | Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in English (Texts and Contexts, Medieval to Renaissance). |
**MA DEGREE IN CREATIVE WRITING**

| **Time:** | Marks for all modules (except EN6034), including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. Marks for EN6034 will be presented to the Autumn Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Autumn Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Winter with a Winter Examination Board. The Dissertation should be submitted to the School on a date specified by the School. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year. |
| **Modules:** | http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page105.htmlTotal: 90 credits |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module, 800 per forty credit module. Part I - 1000 marks; Part II - 800 marks. Total Marks: 1800. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation. Candidates failing Part 1 modules at the Autumn supplemental must withdraw from the programme. |
### Honours:
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

### Exemptions:
All passed modules carry an exemption which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

### Supplemental Examination
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.

**Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations
If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

### Postgraduate Certificate in Creative Writing
Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules and who achieve an aggregate of 40% overall in Part I, may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Creative Writing.
### MSC IN APPLIED COASTAL AND MARINE MANAGEMENT

**Time:**

- **Part I:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in Part 1 at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

- **Part II:** The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

**Modules:**

[http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page) Total 90 credits

**Marks Maxima:**

- 100 marks per five credit module, 200 marks per ten credit module. 300 marks per fifteen credit module. Total marks 1800, Part I: 1200 marks, Part II 600 marks.

**Distribution of Marks:**

Distribution of marks and assessment details for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/academic/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules/)

**Pass Standard (module level):**

The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/academic/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules/).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**

Part I and Part II must be passed independently. Students achieving an aggregate of 40% at the Summer Examination but not passing all taught modules in Part I must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Autumn Supplemental Examination. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the Research Dissertation (GG6514)

**Honours:**

Honours are awarded on the aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours:**
  - an aggregate of at least 1260/1800 marks) i.e. 70% or above

- **Second-Class Honours, Grade I:**
  - an aggregate of at least 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% - 69%)

- **Second Class Grade II:**
  - an aggregate of at least 900 /1800 marks (i.e. 50% - 59%)

Students achieving an aggregate of at least 720/1800 (i.e. 40% and above but less than 50%) will be awarded a Pass (non-Honours) degree.
**Exemptions:**

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations**

A candidate who fails the Research Dissertation (GG6514) will be permitted to re-submit the dissertation within 12 months, for re-examination at the next available Examination Board. Marks will be capped in a repeat year examination. Candidates will not be eligible for the award of Honours in a Repeat Year.

**Three year rule**

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.

**Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Coastal and Marine Management**

Candidates who pass Part I but fail or fail to submit Part II will be eligible to exit the programme with the award of a Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Coastal and marine Management.
GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

**MSC (GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS) DEGREE (FULL-TIME)**

**Time:**
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standards in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. The Work-based dissertation in Government and Politics (GV6123) shall be undertaken after the taught modules, for a period of 14 weeks. Results of the Research Project will be presented to the Winter Examination Board.

In place of the Work-based dissertation in Government and Politics there is also the option of a dissertation (GV6106), which should be submitted to the School/Department by a prescribed date at the beginning of October. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. There is no repeat provision for the Dissertation or Work-based dissertation in Government and Politics.

**Modules:**
Students take 90 credits:
[https://www.ucc.ie/admin/registrar/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/commerce/page15.html](https://www.ucc.ie/admin/registrar/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/commerce/page15.html)

**Marks Maxima:**
100 per five-credit module, 200 per ten-credit module, 400 per twenty-credit module, 600 per thirty-credit module. Total Marks 1800.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including Formal Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules.

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department, an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
To pass Part 1 a candidate must achieve a pass (40%) in each module. All failed/absent modules from Part I must be retaken in the Autumn. To proceed to Part 2 a candidate must pass Part 1. Candidates who do not achieve a pass standard in Part 1 may commence the Work-based dissertation in Government and Politics /Research Dissertation in Part 2 while awaiting the results of the Autumn Supplemental examinations.

Candidates failing the Autumn Supplemental examinations must withdraw from the programme. Candidates who are deemed at the Autumn Examination Board to have failed Part 1 will not be eligible to repeat the year. To pass Part 2 candidates must achieve 40% in the Research Project. To be awarded the MSc (Government and Politics) candidates must pass Part 1 and Part 2.

**Postgraduate Diploma in Government & Politics**
Students passing all taught modules in Part I (60 credits), or choosing not to complete the research dissertation (part 2) may opt to exit the programme and
MSC (GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS) DEGREE (FULL-TIME)

| Honours Standard (Overall Award): | Students are eligible for the award of honours on the basis of the marks achieved over the Summer, Autumn Supplemental and Winter Examination Boards. To be eligible for honours, students must pass all modules. Note: For rules governing the award of honours at the Autumn Supplemental Examinations and/or in a Repeat Year, please see under ‘Supplemental Examinations’ and/or ‘Repeat Year Examination’ below. The grade of honours shall be determined as follows:
First Class Honours: an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 1206/1800 marks with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 50 credits.
Second Class Honours Grade 1: an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks ((60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 1044/1800 marks with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 50 credits.
Second Class Honours Grade 2: an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 (50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 882/1800 marks with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 50 credits. |
| Autumn Supplemental Exams: | Please refer to the Book of Modules for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Students who fail individual taught modules at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Autumn Supplemental Examination, where there is a provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board.
Capping of Marks at the Autumn Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass – 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
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<td>Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):</td>
<td>To pass Part 1 a candidate must achieve a pass (40%) in each module. All failed/absent modules from Part I must be retaken in the Autumn. To proceed to Part 2 a candidate must pass Part 1. Candidates who do not achieve a pass standard in Part 1 may commence the Work-based dissertation in International Public Policy and Diplomacy /Research Dissertation in Part 2 while awaiting the results of the Autumn Supplemental examinations. Candidates failing the Autumn Supplemental examinations must withdraw from the programme. Candidates who are deemed at the Autumn Examination Board to have failed Part 1 will not be eligible to repeat the year. To pass Part 2 candidates must achieve 40% in the Research Project. To be awarded the MSc (International Public Policy and Diplomacy) candidates must pass Part 1 and Part 2.</td>
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<td>Postgraduate Diploma in Government &amp; Politics</td>
<td>Students passing all taught modules in Part I (60 credits), or choosing not to complete the research dissertation (part 2) may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in International Public Policy and Diplomacy.</td>
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## MSC (INTERNATIONAL PUBLIC POLICY AND DIPLOMACY) DEGREE (FULL-TIME)

| **Honours Standard (Overall Award):** | Students are eligible for the award of honours on the basis of the marks achieved over the Summer, Autumn Supplemental and Winter Examination Boards. To be eligible for honours, students must pass all modules. Note: For rules governing the award of honours at the Autumn Supplemental Examinations and/or in a Repeat Year, please see under ‘Supplemental Examinations’ and/or ‘Repeat Year Examination’ below. The grade of honours shall be determined as follows:

- **First Class Honours:** an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 1206/1800 marks with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 50 credits.

- **Second Class Honours Grade 1:** an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks ((60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 1044/1800 marks with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 50 credits.

- **Second Class Honours Grade 2:** an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 (50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 882/1800 marks with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 50 credits. |

| **Autumn Supplemental Exams:** | Please refer to the Book of Modules for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Students who fail individual taught modules at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Autumn Supplemental Examination, where there is a provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board.

**Capping of Marks at the Autumn Supplemental Examination:** In determining aggregation and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass – 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
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<td><strong>Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):</strong></td>
<td>All modules must be passed before submission of the thesis is permitted. A candidate for the MRes Government and Public Policy Master’s Degree will be allowed a maximum of four years to submit their thesis. Candidates who do not submit their thesis within the prescribed number of years from the date of registration for the programme for which they have been approved will require approval for extensions from the College.</td>
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| **Honours:** | First Class Honours: an aggregate of at least 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)  
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Second Class Honours Grade 2: an aggregate of at least 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) |
| **Exit award:** | MRes Government and Public Policy |
| **Exemptions:** | None. |
| **Supplemental Examination:** | Please refer to the Book of Modules for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | N/A |
| **Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):** | A candidate for the MRes Government and Public Policy Master’s Degree will be allowed a maximum of four years to submit their thesis. Candidates who do not submit their thesis within the prescribed number of years from the date of first registration for the programme for which they have been approved will require approval for extensions from the College/Business Office. |
### MA Degree in Politics

**Time:**  
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board.  
For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.  
The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

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On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |
| Pass and Progression Standard (programme level): | Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation. |
| Honours: | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:  
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Second Class Honours Grade 2  
an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) |
| **Supplemental Examinations** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Postgraduate Diploma in Politics** | Students passing the taught modules in Part 1 (60 credits) may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Politics |
## MA DEGREE IN HISTORY

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| **Honours:** | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:  
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**Second Class Honours Grade 2:** an aggregate of at least 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)  
**Exit award:** Students who pass Part I of the MA programme (45 credits) but fail, or fail to submit Part II, will be eligible to exit with a Postgraduate Diploma History if they complete and pass a 6,000-word Research Project (HI6085). |
Students who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in History.

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**
If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.
## MA Degree in Medieval History

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| **Supplemental Examination:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in the Autumn. Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: for some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Postgraduate Certificate in Medieval History** | Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Medieval History. |
**MA MEDIEVAL HISTORY (PART-TIME)**

| **Time:** | Part I is taken in year 1. Part II is taken in Year 2. Written examinations will be held at the end of each semester. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. All modules in Part 1 must be passed before progressing to Part II, the Dissertation.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School on a date specified by the School. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve a pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the Dissertation in a subsequent year. |
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| **Modules:** | [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page29.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page29.html) Total 90 credits |
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| **Marks Maxima:** | 200 per ten credit module; 300 per fifteen credit module; 900 per forty-five credit module. Part I 900 marks, Part II 900 marks. Total Marks: 1800. |
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| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |
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| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department, an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |
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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | Candidates must pass all modules in Part I before being allowed to submit Part II. Candidates who achieve an aggregate of 40% or higher across all modules in Part I may be permitted to proceed to Part II and to fulfil the Special Requirements for the Autumn Supplemental Examination in their failed module(s), which must be passed before the Degree is awarded. Part I and Part II must be passed separately. |
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| **Honours:** | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

**First Class Honours:** an aggregate of at least 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)

**Second Class Honours Grade 1:** an aggregate of at least 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) |
| **Honours:** | **Second Class Honours Grade 2:**  
an aggregate of at least 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) |
| **Supplemental Examination:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in the Autumn.  
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| <strong>Postgraduate Certificate in Medieval History</strong> | Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Medieval History. |</p>
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| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules [http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/). On the recommendation of the School of History an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |

| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation. |

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| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Exit Award:** | Students who pass Part I of the MA programme (45 credits) but fail or fail to submit Part II, will be eligible to exit with a Postgraduate Diploma in International Relations if they complete and pass a 6000 word research project (HI6085)

Students who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in International Relations. |
| **Exemptions** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption. |
## MA Degree in the Irish Revolution 1912 - 1923

### Time:
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

### Modules:
[http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page101.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page101.html)
Total 90 credits

### Marks Maxima:
300 per fifteen credit module; 900 per forty-five credit module. Part I 900 marks, Part II 900 marks. Total Marks: 1800.

### Distribution of Marks:
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

### Pass Standard (module level):
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

### Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):
Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

### Honours:
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)

- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
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- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)
**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

**Supplemental Examination:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

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**Repeat Year Examinations**
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Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

**Postgraduate Certificate in History (The Irish Revolution, 1912-1923).**
Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in History (The Irish Revolution, 1912-1923).
### MA Degree in Local History

**Time:**
- Part I Year I: Marks for all taught modules will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.
- Part II Year II: The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

**Modules:**

**Marks Maxima:**
- 100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module; 1200 per sixty credit module. Part I 600 marks Part II 1200 marks Total Marks: 1800.

**Distribution of Marks:**
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**Pass Standard (module level):**
- The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the [Book of Modules](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

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**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
- Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

**Honours (if applicable):**
- Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:
  - First Class Honours an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
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| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
## MA DEGREE STRATEGIC STUDIES

### Time

Part I: Part I (60 credits) is taken over 2 years. Students can take a maximum of 50 credits or a minimum of 40 credits in Year 1, and a maximum of 20 credits or a minimum of 10 credits in Year 2. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment (except HI6068) will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. Marks for HI6068 are approved at the Autumn Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in this module, there will be a Supplemental Examination in the Winter with a Winter Examination Board.

Part II: The Dissertation should be submitted to the School of History on a date specified by the School. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

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### Distribution of Marks

Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

### Marks Maxima

200 per ten credit module; 600 per thirty credit module. Part I 1200 marks, Part II 600 marks. Total Marks: 1800.

### Pass standard (module level)

The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

On the recommendation of the School of History, an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

### Pass and progression standard (programme level)

Candidates must pass all modules in Part I before proceeding to Part II. Candidates who achieve an aggregate of 40% or higher across all modules in Part I may be permitted to proceed to Part II and to fulfil the Special Requirements for the Autumn Supplemental Examination in their failed module(s), which must be passed before the Degree is awarded. Part I and Part II must be passed separately.

### Honours:

Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours:** an aggregate of at least 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1:** an aggregate of at least 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
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| **Supplemental Examination** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn).  
Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.  
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.  
Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
<p>| <strong>Postgraduate Diploma in Strategic Studies</strong> | Students who fail or fail to submit their minor dissertation but have passed Part I may opt to exit the programme and be conferred with a Postgraduate Diploma in Strategic Studies. |
| <strong>Postgraduate Certificate in Strategic Studies</strong> | Students who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Strategic Studies. |</p>
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### Supplemental Examinations:

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. 

*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

### Postgraduate Certificate in Modern and Contemporary Arts History, Theory and Criticism

Students passing modules to the value of at least 30 credits and achieving an aggregate of 40% across modules to the value of 45 credits in Part I may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in History of Modern and Contemporary Art History, Theory and Criticism.
**MA DEGREE IN TRANSLATION STUDIES**

| **Time:** | Part I: Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for Part I at the Summer Examination Board, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.  
Part II: Minor Dissertation should be submitted in September. Marks for the dissertation will be submitted to the Winter Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year. |
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| **Modules:** | [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/artspage100.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/artspage100.html)  
Total: 90 credits |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 marks per five credit module, 200 marks per ten credit module, 300 marks per fifteen-credit module; 600 marks per thirty credit module. Total marks: 1800. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Part I: 60 credits (1200 marks); Part II: 30 credits (600 marks)  
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules*, ([www.ucc.ie/academic/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules)).  
On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decided that a dissertation is borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve a pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of the examination results. |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules*, ([www.ucc.ie/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/modules)).  
On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation. |
### Honours:

Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - An aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)

- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - An aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)

- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - An aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

### Exemptions:

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

### Supplemental Examinations

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn).

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

### Three Year Rule (or other rule Apply):

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.
**MA DEGREE IN LANGUAGES AND CULTURES**

| **Time:** | Part I Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.  
Part II The Dissertation should be submitted to the Department on a date in October specified by the Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.  
**Part-time students**  
Year 1 Written Examinations will be held in Summer. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.  
Year 2 Written Examinations will be held in Summer. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. The dissertation should be submitted to the Department on the first Friday in October. The dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year. |

| **Modules:** | [www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page72.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page72.html)  
Total: 90 credits |

| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 marks per five credit module; 200 marks per ten credit module; 600 marks per thirty-credit module  
Part I 1200 marks; Part II 600 marks. Total marks: 1800. |

| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules, ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |

| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |

<p>| <strong>Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):</strong> | Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation. |</p>
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### Time:
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

### Modules:
[http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page42.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page42.html)
Total: 90 credits.

### Marks Maxima:
200 marks per ten credit module, 600 marks per thirty credit module. Part I 1200 marks: Part II 600 marks. Total marks 1800.

### Distribution of Marks:
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules, ([www.ucc.ie/academic/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules)).

### Pass Standard (module level):
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules, ([www.ucc.ie/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/modules)).

### Pass and Progression Standard (prog level):
Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

### Honours: (If applicable)
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

### Exemptions:
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.
**Supplemental Examinations:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations**

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

**Postgraduate Diploma in Modern Irish**

Candidates who pass at least 60 credits of taught modules may elect to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Modern Irish.
Time: Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date in September specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

Modules: http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page42.html
Total: 90 credits.

Marks Maxima: 200 marks per ten credit module, 600 marks per thirty credit module. Part I 1200 marks: Part II 600 marks. Total marks 1800.

Distribution of Marks: Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules, (www.ucc.ie/academic/modules).

Pass Standard (module level): The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules, (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

Pass and Progression Standard (programme level): Candidates must pass all modules in Part I before proceeding to Part II. Candidates who achieve an aggregate of 40% or higher across all modules in Part I may be permitted to proceed to Part II and to fulfil the Special Requirements for the Autumn Supplemental Examination in their failed module(s), which must be passed before the Degree is awarded. Part I and Part II must be passed separately.

Honours: Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

First Class Honours an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (70%)
Second Class Honours Grade 1 an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (60%)
Second Class Honours Grade 2 an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (50%)

Exemptions: All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

Supplemental Examination Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental
Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The Pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

| **Postgraduate Diploma in Gaelic Literature** | Students who have completed and passed modules to the value of at least 60 credits in Part I and who fail or do not wish to proceed to Part II may exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Gaelic Literature. |
### MA Degree in Irish Language and European Law

| **Time:** | Marks for all taught modules in Part 1 including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. The research project of the third-semester residential module, GA6028, should be submitted to the Department of Modern Irish on a date specified by the Department. The marks for Part 2 (GA6027 and GA6028) will be considered at the Winter Board. |
| **Modules:** | | **http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/**. Total: 90 credits. |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 marks per five credit module; 200 marks per ten credit module, 600 marks per thirty credit module. Part I 1200 marks: Part II 600 marks. Total marks 1800. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules, **http://www.ucc.ie/modules/** |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules, **http://www.ucc.ie/modules/**. On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a research project is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the essay within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | Part I and Part II must be passed separately. |
| **Honours (if applicable):** | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows: **First Class Honours** an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above) **Second Class Honours Grade 1** an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) **Second Class Honours Grade 2** an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption. |
Supplemental Examinations:  Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

Repeat Year Examinations  If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the research project (GA6028) the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed project in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any essay shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the research project in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

Postgraduate Diploma in Irish Language and European Law  Candidates who pass at least 60 credits of taught modules may elect to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Irish Language and European Law.
## MA DEGREE IN EXPERIMENTAL SOUND PRACTICE

### Time:
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The portfolio should be submitted to the Department either by mid-August for consideration at the Autumn Examination Board or by the first Friday in October for consideration at the Winter Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the portfolio, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the portfolio in a subsequent year.

### Modules:
[www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page86.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page86.html)  Total: 90 credits.

### Marks Maxima:
- 100 marks per five credit module, 200 marks per ten credit module, 300 marks per fifteen credit module, 600 marks per thirty credit module. Part I 1200 marks: Part II 600 marks. Total marks 1800.

### Distribution of Marks:
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules*, [www.ucc.ie/academic/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules).

### Pass Standard (module level):
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules*, [www.ucc.ie/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/modules).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

### Pass and Progression Standard (prog level):
Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the Portfolio. Candidates failing Part 1 modules at the Autumn supplemental must withdraw from the programme.

### Honours: (If applicable)
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)

- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)

- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

### Exemptions:
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

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Supplemental Examinations:

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Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

Repeat Year Examinations

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.
### MA DEGREE IN MUSIC AND CULTURAL HISTORY

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Second Class Honours Grade 2: an aggregate of at least 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) |
| Exemptions: | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years |
**Supplemental Examinations:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

**Postgraduate Diploma in Music and Cultural History**

Candidates who pass at least 60 credits of taught modules may elect to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Music and Cultural History.
### MA DEGREE IN ETHNOMUSICOLOGY

**Time:** Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. Research Project may be submitted to the Department by first Friday in September for consideration at the Winter Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Research Project, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the Research Project in a subsequent year.

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**Marks Maxima**

- 100 marks per five credit module, 200 marks per ten credit module, 600 marks per thirty credit module, Part I marks 1200; Part II marks 600. Total 1800

**Distribution of Marks:**

Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**

The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**

Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the Research Project.

**Honours:**

Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

**Exemptions**

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.
| **Supplemental Examinations** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
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| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Research Project, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Research Project in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Research Project shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Research Project in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Postgraduate Diploma in Ethnomusicology** | Candidates who pass at least 60 credits of taught modules may elect to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Ethnomusicology |
**MA in Performance (Music) (Full-Time and Part-Time)**

| Time: | Part I: Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.  

Part II: The Performance Project (MU6027) will be submitted by the first Friday in October in the year following the year in which the student commenced the programme (full-time students) and by the first Friday in October in the second year following the year in which the student commenced the programme (part-time students) for consideration at the Winter Examination Board. There will be no Supplemental Examination for the Portfolio (MU6027). |
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Students take 60 credits of taught modules plus a 30-credit performance project. Total: 90 credits |
| Marks Maxima: | 300 marks per 15-credit module; 600 marks per 30-credit module. Part I 1200 marks: Part II 600 marks. Total marks 1800. |
| Distribution of Marks: | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules, ([www.ucc.ie/academic/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules)). |
| Pass Standard (module level): | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules, ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |
| Pass and Progression Standard (programme level): | To pass Parts I and II, students must pass all modules. Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules in Part 1 must be passed prior to submitting the Performance Project. Candidates failing Part 1 modules at the Autumn supplemental must withdraw from the programme.  
Students may opt to exit the programme and graduate with a Postgraduate Diploma in Performance (Music) provided they have achieved the pass standard for Part I. |
| Honours: | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:  
First Class Honours:  
an aggregate of at least 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)  
Second Class Honours Grade 1:  
an aggregate of at least 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)  
Second Class Honours Grade 2:  
an aggregate of at least 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) |
| Exemptions: | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption. |
| Supplemental Examination: | Please refer to the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination. |
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

| **Postgraduate Diploma in Performance (Music)** | Candidates who pass at least 60 credits of taught modules may elect to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Performance (Music) |
**MA DEGREE IN PHILOSOPHY**

**Time:**
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

**Modules**

[www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page44.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page44.html) Total: 90 credits

**Marks Maxima**

200 marks per ten credit module, 600 marks per thirty credit module. Part I 1200 marks; Part II 600 marks. Total 1800

**Distribution of Marks:**

Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):**

The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**

Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

**Honours:**

Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)
### Supplemental Examinations

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

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### Repeat Year Examinations

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

### Postgraduate Certificate in Philosophy

Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules but who fail, or fail to submit, assignments for the remaining credits may be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Philosophy.

### Postgraduate Diploma in Philosophy

Candidates who pass at least 60 credits of taught modules but who fail, or fail to submit, the dissertation, may be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Philosophy.
**MA Degree in Health and Society**

**Time:**
Written Examinations will be held in Summer. Marks for all taught modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standards in these modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. The dissertation (PH6050/EH6040) will be considered at the Winter Board.

**Modules:**
Students take 90 credits
https://www.ucc.ie/admin/registrar/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page114.html

**Marks Maxima:**
100 marks per 5 credit module, 200 marks per ten credit module, 600 marks Total 1800 marks.

**Distribution of Marks:**
In respect of taught modules, distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
**Full time candidates**
In order to pass, a full-time candidate must pass 60 credits of taught modules at the Summer Examination and/or Autumn Supplemental Examination and then pass the dissertation (30 credits) at the Winter examination.

**Part time candidates**
Year I – In order to pass Year One, of the part-time MA Health & Society and progress to Year Two, a candidate must pass 40 credits at the Summer Examination and/or Autumn Supplemental Examination.

Year II: In order to pass Year Two and graduate with an MA in Health & Society, a candidate must pass a further 20 credits at the Summer Examination and/or Autumn Supplemental and then pass the dissertation at the Winter Examination. Students who fail taught modules at the Supplemental examination must exit from the programme.

**Honours:**
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:
First Class: an aggregate of at least 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
Second Class Grade I: an aggregate of at least 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
Second Class Grade II: an aggregate of at least 900 /1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

**Exemptions:**
N/A

**Supplemental Examination:**
Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/academic/modules) for requirements governing the Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is
provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks obtained in repeated modules. Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation, progression, and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass (40%). The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

| Exit Awards | Postgraduate Certificate in Health and Society (NFQ Level 9, Minor award) Students who pass taught modules to the value of at least 30 credits (but less than 60 credits) may exit the programme and be conferred with a Postgraduate Certificate in Health and Society.  
Postgraduate Diploma in Health and Society (NFQ Level 9, Major award)  
Upon successful completion and passing of core modules to the value of 30 credits and optional modules to the value of 30 credits, students may exit the programme and be conferred with a Postgraduate Diploma in Health and Society. A student who subsequently applies to continue to Master's level must do so within 2 years from the date of successful completion of the Certificate Examination and must have obtained an aggregate of at least 40% overall. |
| Repeat Year Examinations (Dissertation only) | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours. Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| One and Two year rules | Full time students must pass the MA in Health and Society examination within two years from the date of first registration for the programme. Part-time MA in Health and Society students must pass Year One within one year from the date of first registration for the programme and must pass Year Two within two years of passing Year One. Failure to comply with these rules means that the student is ineligible to proceed further in the programme. Exceptions to these rules may be granted by the School of Sociology and Philosophy only for very serious reasons. |
### MA DEGREE IN SOCIOLOGY

**Time:** Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

Marks for **SC6001** and **SC6002** will be presented to the Autumn Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in these modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Winter with a Winter Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

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**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

**Honours:** Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours** an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1** an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
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Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

### Postgraduate Diploma in the Sociology of Development and Globalisation

Candidates who pass at least 60 credits of taught modules may elect to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in the Sociology of Development and Globalisation.

### Postgraduate Certificate in the Sociology of Development and Globalisation

Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in the Sociology of Development and Globalisation.
## STUDY OF RELIGIONS
### MA DEGREE IN CONTEMPORARY RELIGIONS

| **Time:** | Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year. |
| **Modules:** | [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page95.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page95.html) Total: 90 credits |
| **Marks Maxima** | 300 marks per fifteen credit module, 600 marks per thirty credit module, Part I 1200 marks, Part II 600 marks. Total 1800 |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results. |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation. |
| **Honours:** | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) |
**Supplemental Examinations**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. 
*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations**

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

**Postgraduate Diploma in Contemporary Religions**

Students who successfully achieve the pass standard in Part I (60 credits) and opt not to proceed to Part II or who successfully achieve the pass standard in Part I (60 credits) but who fail to submit Part II will instead to be awarded the Postgraduate Diploma in Contemporary Religions.
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. The Dissertation/Fieldwork Report should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the programme coordinator.

The dissertation/Fieldwork Placement Report will be considered at the Winter Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation or Fieldwork Placement Report, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the Dissertation/Fieldwork Placement Report, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat in a subsequent year.

### Modules:

Students take 90 credits: [https://www.ucc.ie/admin/registrar/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page135.html](https://www.ucc.ie/admin/registrar/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page135.html)

### Marks Maxima:

- 100 per five-credit module
- 200 per ten-credit module
- 400 per twenty-credit module
- 600 per thirty-credit module

Total Marks 1800

### Distribution of Marks:

Distribution of Marks and Assessment details (including Formal Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules. [http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)

### Pass Standard (module level):

The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules. On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a Dissertation/Fieldwork Report is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation/Fieldwork Report within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

### Pass and Progression Standard (module level):

Candidates must pass all modules in Part 1 before proceeding to Part II, however candidates who achieve an aggregate of 40% or higher across all modules in Part 1 may be permitted to proceed to Part II and fulfil the requirements fo the Autumn Supplemental Examination in their failed module(s), which must be passed before the Degree is awarded. Part 1 and Part II must be passed separately.

### Postgraduate Diploma in Anthropology

Candidates who pass at least 60 credits of taught modules may elect to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Anthropology.

### Postgraduate Certificate in Anthropology

Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may elect to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Anthropology.

### Honours Standard (Overall award):

Students are eligible for the award of honours on the basis of the marks achieved over the Summer, Autumn Supplemental and Winter Examination Boards. To be eligible for the award of Honours, students must pass all modules. Note: for rules governing the award of honours at the Autumn Supplemental Examinations and/or in a Repeat Year, please see under “Supplemental Examination” and/or “Repeat Year Examination” below.

The grade of Honours shall be determined as follows:

- First Class Honours: an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or an aggregate of not less than 1206/1800 marks with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 50 credits.
| **Second Class Honours Grade 1:** an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 1044/1800 marks with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 50 credits.  

**Second Class Honours Grade 2:** an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 (50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 882/1800 marks with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 50 credits. |

| **Autumn Supplemental Examination:** Please refer to the Book of Modules for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Students who fail individual taught modules at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Autumn Supplemental Examination, where there is a provision to do so and if allowed by the Examination Board. Capping of Marks at the Autumn Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass – 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |

| **Repeat Supplemental Examination:** If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation/Fieldwork Report, the candidate shall have the option of repeating in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation/Fieldwork Report shall be capped at the pass mark, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours. Students who fail the Dissertation/Fieldwork Report in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
## MA APPLIED LINGUISTICS

**Time:**
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

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**Supplemental Examination:**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

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**Repeat Year Examinations**

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

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**Postgraduate Certificate in MA Applied Linguistics:**

Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Applied Linguistics.
### Time:
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School on a date specified by the School. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

### Modules
www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page73.html Total: 90 credits

### Marks Maxima
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module, 600 per thirty credit module. Part I 1200 marks; Part II 600 marks Total marks 1800

### Distribution of Marks
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including end of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

### Pass Standard (module level)
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department, an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

### Pass Standard (programme level)
Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

### Honours
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)
| **Supplemental Examinations** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
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| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Postgraduate Diploma in Asian Studies** | Candidates who pass at least 60 credits of taught modules may elect to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Asian Studies. |
### MA Degree in Teaching Chinese to Speakers of Other Languages

**Time:**

Modules will be taught and assessed within each semester. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment except for CH6304 will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. Marks for CH6304 will be presented to the Autumn Examination Board, for students failing to achieve the pass standard in CH6304, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Winter with a Winter Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School on a date in October specified by the School. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

**Modules:**

[www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page???.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page???.html)  
Total: 90 credits

**Marks Maxima:**

100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module, 600 per thirty credit module. Part I 900 marks; Part II 300 marks; Part III: 600 marks. Total marks 1800

**Distribution of Marks:**

Distribution of marks and assessment details (including end of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):**

The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**

Part I, Part II and Part III must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

**Honours:**

Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**  
  an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**  
  an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**  
  an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

**Exit award:**

Candidates who pass at least 60 credits of taught modules may elect to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Teaching Chinese to Speakers of Other Languages.

**Exemptions:**

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.
**Supplemental Examination:**

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of Honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirement for honours. Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

**Three Year Rule (or other rule to apply):**

All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.
## MA Degree in Digital Arts and Humanities

**Time:**
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

**Modules:**
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page102.html Total 90 credits

**Marks Maxima:**
- 100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module, 300 per fifteen credit module, 600 per 30 credit module. Part I 1200 marks, Part II 600 marks. Total, marks 1800.

**Distribution of Marks:**
Distribution of marks and assessment details for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules, (www.ucc.ie/academic/modules).

**Pass Standard (module level):**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules, (www.ucc.ie/academic/modules/).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**
Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

**Honours:**
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.
| **Supplemental Examination:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** *For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
## MA DEGREE IN DIGITAL CULTURES

### Time:
Part I: All marks will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to reach the pass standard there will be an Autumn Supplemental Examination with marks being presented to the Autumn Examination Board.
Part II: The minor dissertation will be presented to the Winter Examination Board. There is no supplemental examination for Part II.

### Modules
[www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page73.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page73.html) Total: 90 credits

### Marks Maxima
100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module, 300 per fifteen credit module, 600 per 30 credit module. Part I 1200 marks. Part II 600 marks. Total Marks 1800.

### Distribution of Marks
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including end of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

### Pass Standard (module level)
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

### Pass Standard (programme level)
Candidates must pass all modules in Part I before proceeding to Part II. Candidates who achieve an aggregate of 40% or higher across all modules in Part I may be permitted to proceed to Part II and to fulfil the Special Requirements for the Autumn Supplemental Examination in their failed module(s), which must be passed before the Degree is awarded. Part I and Part II must be passed separately.

### Honours
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

### Supplemental Examinations
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).
Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations**

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

**Postgraduate Certificate in Digital Cultures**

Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Digital Cultures.
### MA DEGREE IN FILM AND SCREEN MEDIA

**Time:**
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation/Project should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation/Project will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation/Project, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the Dissertation/Project in a subsequent year.

**Modules**
[www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page73.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page73.html) Total: 90 credits

**Marks Maxima**
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module, 400 per twenty credit module, 600 per thirty credit module, 800 per forty credit module. Stream One: Part I 1200 marks; Part II 600 marks. Total marks 1800. Stream Two: Part I 1000 Marks, Part II 800 marks. Total marks 1800.

**Distribution of Marks**
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including end of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level)**
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a Dissertation/Project is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation/Project within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

**Pass Standard (programme level)**
Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules in Part I must be passed prior to submitting the Dissertation/Project in Part II. Candidate failing Part I modules at the Autumn supplemental must withdraw from the programme.

**Honours**
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)

- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)

- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
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| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation/Project, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation/Project in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation/Project shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation/Project in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Postgraduate Certificate in Film Studies** | Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Film and Screen Media. |
### Time:
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

### Modules
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page103.html Total: 90 credits

### Marks Maxima
100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module, 800 per forty credit module. Part I 1000 marks; Part II 800 marks Total marks 1800

### Distribution of Marks
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including end of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

### Pass Standard (module level)
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

### Pass Standard (programme level)
Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation. Candidate failing Part 1 modules at the Autumn supplemental must withdraw from the programme.

### Honours
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)
| **Supplemental Examinations** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Postgraduate Certificate in Irish Studies: Identities and Representations** | Candidates who pass at least 30 credits of taught modules and who achieve an aggregate of 40% overall in Part I, may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Irish Studies: Identities and Representation. |
## MA Degree in Landscape, Built Heritage and Design

### Time:
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

### Modules
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page109.html
Total: 90 credits

### Marks Maxima
100 per five credit module, 600 per thirty credit module. Part I 1200 marks; Part II 600 marks Total marks 1800

### Distribution of Marks
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including end of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

### Pass Standard (module level)
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

### Pass Standard (programme level)
Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

### Honours
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)
**Supplemental Examinations**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations**

If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme.

**Transfer from the MA in Landscape, Built Heritage and Design**

Students who pass all modules in Part I with an aggregate score of 50% (i.e. 600 out of 1200 marks) may, alternatively, opt not to proceed to Part II of the MA programme and transfer instead to the Second Year of the Masters programme in Planning and Sustainable Development (MPlan2) in the following academic year (full-time).

**Postgraduate Diploma in Landscape, Built Heritage and Design**

Candidates who pass Part I but who fail, or fail to submit, the dissertation, may be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Landscape, Built Heritage and Design.
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**MASTERS IN PLANNING AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (M.PLAN.)**

SECOND UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION IN MASTERS IN PLANNING AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (M.PLAN2).

**Time:** Written Examinations will be held in Winter. Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard at the Summer Examinations there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:** www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page77.html Total: 60 credits

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five credit module, 300 per fifteen credit module. Total marks 1200

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules*, (www.ucc.ie/academic/modules).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Where a module includes a written examination element and a continuous assessment / year’s work element, the pass standard for that module must be achieved in each element in order to pass the module. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules*, www.ucc.ie/modules/).

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** To pass Second Year all modules must be passed. There is no compensation between modules.

**Honours:** Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:
- **First Class Honours:** an aggregate of at least 840 /1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade I:** an aggregate of at least 720 / 1200 marks (i.e. 60% - 69%)
- **Second Class Honours:** Grade II: an aggregate of at least 600 / 1200 marks (i.e. 50% - 59%)

**Exemptions:** All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:** Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard at the Autumn Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at a Supplemental Examination where there is provision to do so, and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks obtained in repeated modules.
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is the pass mark for that particular module. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

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### Time:

Part I: Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

Part II: Minor dissertation to be submitted in October (Semester 3). Marks will be submitted to the Winter Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation in a subsequent year.

### Modules:

[www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page80.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page80.html) Total: 60 credits

### Marks Maxima:

900 per 45 credit module Total marks 900. TL6001 is assessed on a pass/fail basis.

### Distribution of Marks:

Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

### Pass Standard (module level):

The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/).

On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

### Pass Standard (programme level):

Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

### Honours:

Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 630/900 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 540/900 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 450/900 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)
| **Supplemental Examinations** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
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| **Repeat Year Examinations** | If a candidate fails (which includes fails to present) the Dissertation, the candidate shall have the option of repeating the failed Dissertation in the following academic year. The marks obtained in any Dissertation shall be capped at the pass mark, and subject to this, a repeat candidate shall be eligible for an award of honours if s/he satisfies the relevant requirements for honours.

Students who fail the Dissertation in a subsequent year must withdraw from the programme. |
### Time:
Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

The Dissertation should be submitted to the School/Department on a date specified by the School/Department. The Dissertation will be considered at the Winter Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the Dissertation, or for students who fail to submit, there will be one opportunity to repeat the dissertation within 5 academic years of successful completion of Part 1.

### Modules
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Masters/arts/page52.html Total 90 credits

### Marks Maxima
100 per five credit module, 200 marks per ten credit module, 300 per fifteen credit module, 900 marks per forty-five credit module, Part I 900 marks, Part II 900 marks. Total 1800

### Distribution of Marks:
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/). On the recommendation of the responsible School/Department an Examination Board may decide that a dissertation is a borderline pass/fail and may agree to permit the student to make minor corrections to achieve the pass standard for the Dissertation within six weeks of the publication of examination results.

### Pass Standard (module level):
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

### Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):
Part I and Part II must be passed separately. All modules must be passed prior to submitting the dissertation.

### Honours:
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1260/1800 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 1080/1800 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 900/1800 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

### Exemptions:
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.
| **Supplemental Examinations** | Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.  
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Postgraduate Certificate in Women’s Studies** | Candidates who pass taught modules to the value of 30 credits or more but who fail, or fail to submit, the dissertation may be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Women’s Studies. |
| **Postgraduate Diploma in Women’s Studies** | Candidates who pass Part I and opt not to proceed to Part II of the Master’s programme may register for WS6006 (15 credits) and, on successful completion of WS6006, be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Women’s Studies. Students must submit WS6006 assignments (project or project and conference report) to the Department by the second Friday in September in the same academic year or may register for WS6006 in the following academic year (part-time), following completion of Part I. Candidates who pass Part I and opt to proceed to Part II of the Master’s programme and who fail, or fail to submit, Part II may register for WS6006 in the following academic year (part-time), and upon successful completion, will be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Women’s Studies.  
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:  
**First Class Honours**  
an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above)  
**Second Class Honours Grade 1**  
an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)  
**Second Class Honours Grade 2**  
an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) |
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Third Class Honours
An aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%)

**Exemptions**

All passed modules carry an exemption which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations**

Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. **Note:** For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examinatin are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.
In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

| **Three Year Rule:** | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
# HIGHER DIPLOMA IN ARTS (PART-TIME)

| **Time:** | Part-time is taken over 2 years. Written exams will be held at the end of each semester. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Diploma/arts/page01a.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Diploma/arts/page01a.html) Total 60 credits. |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module. Total Marks: 1200. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the [Book of Modules](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the [Book of Modules](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | For the successful completion of the Higher Diploma in Arts a student must:-
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
2. pass modules to value of at least 50 credits
3. achieve not less than 30% in any remaining module(s). **Gaeilge/Irish:** students must pass core module GA3001 and all other 10 or 15 credit core module/s if chosen. |
| **Higher Diploma in Geography** | Students taking the Higher Diploma in Arts (Geography) over two years should take GG2022 and GG2038 in the first year and GG3001 and GG306 in the second year. Students taking the Higher Diploma with a view to teaching should refer to the Teaching Council requirements for geography: [http://www.teachingcouncil.ie](http://www.teachingcouncil.ie) |
| **Higher Diploma in Arts Modern Irish** | For teaching purposes, the Teaching Council require that students must have verifiable residential experience of at least two months in an area designated as a Gaeltacht area. In order to fulfil this requirement an additional 5 credit module, [GA3025](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/) Tréimhsce Chónaithe sa Ghaeltacht (5 credits), is available to students taking this programme. The module is taken in addition to the prescribed programme requirements, at no cost to the student. Work towards this module must be completed in time for the Summer or Autumn Examination Board in the final year of the programme. All students will register for this module in their final year, irrespective of when they actually undertake it. Attendance at, and examination in, the module will be recorded on the student transcript. The module will not contribute to the final degree award. Students wishing to take this module should contact the Head of the Department of Modern Irish for further information. |
| **Honours:** | Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

First Class Honours

an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above but less than 60%) |
**Second Class Honours Grade 1**
an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)

**Second Class Honours Grade 2**
an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

**Third Class Honours**
An aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%)

**Exemptions:**
All passed modules carry an exemption which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

**Supplemental Examinations:**
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.

Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

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Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**
Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.

Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules.

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Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.
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In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

**Three Year Rule:**
Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
### First University Examination in Higher Diploma in Psychology

**Time:** Marks for all modules will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

**Modules:** [https://www.ucc.ie/en/cka01/](https://www.ucc.ie/en/cka01/) Total: 60 credits

**Marks Maxima:** 100 per five credit module; 400 per twenty credit module. Total Marks: 1200.

**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (programme level):** To pass First Year and Progress to Second Year a student must pass all modules.

**Carry forward of marks towards final degree award**

The mark in the Higher Diploma in Psychology is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the First and Second Year Examinations in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: First Year Higher Diploma in Psychology 33.33% of 1200 marks, Higher Diploma in Psychology 66.66% of 1200 marks. Where exemptions have been granted, the final aggregate mark will be adjusted.

**Exemptions:** All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years, subsequent to the award of the exemption. Where students have completed any of the required modules as part of their undergraduate programme, they will be assigned alternative modules by the course director rather than being offered exemptions.

**Honours:** Honours are not awarded in First Year.

**Supplemental Examinations:** Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not
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| Three Year Rule: | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
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**Pass Standard (module level):** The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

**Pass Standard (programme level):** To pass Second Year a candidate must:
1. Achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
2. Pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits
3. Achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s)

**Carry forward of marks towards final degree award** The mark in the Higher Diploma in Psychology is the combination of the aggregate marks achieved in the First and Second Year Higher Diploma Examinations, in the following proportions, provided that both years have been passed independently: First Year Higher Diploma in Psychology 33.33% of 1200 marks, Higher Diploma in Psychology 66.66% of 1200 marks. Where exemptions have been granted, the final aggregate mark will be adjusted.

**Exemptions:** All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years, subsequent to the award of the exemption. Where students have completed any of the required modules as part of their undergraduate programme, they will be assigned alternative modules by the course director rather than being offered exemptions.

**Honours:** Honours are awarded as follows, based on the aggregate of the marks provided that the student is deemed to have passed overall.

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above) or
  - an aggregate of not less than 816/1200 marks together with not less than 70% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits

- **Second Class Honours: Grade I**
  - an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) or an aggregate of not less than 696/1200 marks together with not less than 60% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits.
| Honours:                      | Second Class Honours: Grade II
|                              | an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) or an aggregate of not less than 576/1200 marks together with not less than 50% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits
|                              | Third Class Honours
|                              | an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) or an aggregate of at least 516/1200 marks together with not less than 45% in modules to the value of at least 30 credits
|                              | Students passing the Degree Examination but not achieving the required standard for the award of honours will be awarded a pass. For the regulations governing the award of Honours in a Repeat Year, see below

| Supplemental Examinations:   | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).
|                              | Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.
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| Three Year Rule:             | Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
### Time:
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

### Modules:
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Diploma/arts/page22.html
Total: 60 credits

### Marks Maxima:
100 per five credit module, 200 per twenty credit module, 300 per fifteen credit module. Total marks: 1200

### Distribution of Marks:
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

### Pass Standard (module level):
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/).

### Pass Standard (programme level):
To be awarded the Higher Diploma in Social Policy, students must
1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200
2. pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits.
3. achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

### Honours:
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)
- **Third Class Honours**
  - An aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%)

### Exemptions
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of 5 academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption.

### Supplemental Examinations:
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

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**HIGHER DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL POLICY ONLINE (FULL-TIME)**

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Second Class Honours Grade II: an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)  
Third Class Honours: an aggregate of not less than 540/1200 marks (i.e. 45% and above but less than 50%) |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five academic years subsequent to the award of the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).  
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| **Time:** | Part-time is taken over 2 years. Marks for all modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | Total: 60 credits |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module, 300 per fifteen credit module. Total marks 1200 |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules). |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* (www.ucc.ie/modules) |
| **Pass Standard (programme level):** | To be awarded the Higher Diploma in Social Policy online, students must:  
1. Achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200  
2. Pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits  
3. Achieve a mark of not less than 30% in any remaining module(s) |
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| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).  
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## Higher Diploma in Arts (Theatre and Performative Practices)

### Time
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard at the Summer Examinations there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

### Modules

### Marks Maxima
100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module. Total marks 1200

### Distribution of Marks
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/))

### Pass Standard (Module level)
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/))

### Pass and Progression Standard (Programme level)
For the successful completion of the Higher Diploma in Arts, a student must:
1. Achieve an aggregate mark of at least 480/1200 across all modules
2. Pass modules to the value of at least 50 credits
3. Achieve not less than 30% in any remaining module(s)

Gaeilge/Irish: Students must pass the core module GA3001.

### Honours
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:
- First Class Honours: an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- Second Class Honours Grade I: an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
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### Exemptions
All passed modules carry an exemption which is limited to a period of 5 years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

### Supplemental Examinations
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter)

Please refer to the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note for some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

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### Three Year Rule

Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
| **Time** | Part Time is taken over two years  
Written examinations will be held at the end of each Semester. Marks for all taught modules including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in the taught modules, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board. |
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| **Modules** | [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Diploma/arts/page01a.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Diploma/arts/page01a.html)  
Total 60 credits |
| **Marks Maxima** | 100 per five credit module, 200 per ten credit module. Total marks 1200 |
| **Distribution of Marks** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) |
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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level)** | For the successful completion of the Higher Diploma in Arts (Theatre and Performative Practices) a student must:  
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**Marks Maxima:**

100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module. Total Marks: 1000

**Distribution of Marks:**

Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the module descriptions.

**Pass Standard (module level):**

The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the module descriptions.

**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):**

For the successful completion of the Higher Diploma in Advanced Languages and Global Communication a student must:

1. achieve an aggregate mark of at least 400/1000 across all modules
2. pass modules to value of at least 50 credits
3. achieve not less than 30% in any remaining module(s).

**Honours:**

Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:

- **First Class Honours:**
  - an aggregate of at least 700/1000 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- **Second Class Honours Grade I:**
  - an aggregate of at least 600/1000 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 69%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade II:**
  - an aggregate of at least 500/1000 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 59%)

**Pass Standard:** an aggregate of at least 400/1000 marks (i.e. 40% and above but less than 49%).

**Exemptions:**

All passed modules carry an exemption which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.
**Supplemental Examinations:**  
Please refer to the module descriptions for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.  
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. *Note: The Work Placement Module goes to an Autumn Board with a Winter supplemental.*  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Repeat Year Examinations:**  
Students repeating the year may do so choosing whichever of the two following mechanisms best suits his/her requirements.  
1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation and progression, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. *Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.*  
2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 60 credits. In determining aggregation and progression, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students - whether they have failed or passed - are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.  
In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.  
In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who had already passed in their first attempt year but who fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.

**Three Year Rule:**  
Candidates must pass/progress within 3 academic years of the date of first registration for First Year, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.
# POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMAS
## APPLIED SOCIAL STUDIES

## POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL WORK STUDIES

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Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

| **Transfer to MSW** | Candidates who pass each module and achieve an aggregate of at least 50% across all modules and have passed the Fieldwork Placement I, may be permitted to transfer into the Second Year of the Master of Social Work Degree.

| **Two Year Rule:** | Candidates must pass/progress within 2 academic years of the date of first registration for Year 1, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.

| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students who have failed all or any part of an individual module at the Summer and Supplemental Examination will be allowed to repeat the failed module(s) only once at the Summer Examination in the following academic year. |
### Time:
Marks will be presented to the Summer Examination Board in the First Year of registration for the programme. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

### Modules:
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/PGDiplomas/arts/page24.html
Total: 60 credits

### Marks Maxima:
- 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module, 400 marks per twenty credit module. Total Marks: **1200**.
- SS6207 is the fieldwork placement and placement portfolio module. Students who fail to achieve a pass judgement in the placement will not be permitted to submit a placement portfolio. SS6200 is compulsory but not assessed.

### Distribution of Marks:
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

### Pass Standard (module level):
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

### Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):
In order to be awarded the degree of Postgraduate Diploma in Social Work Studies, candidates must

1. Pass all modules. There is no compensation between modules.
2. Submit and pass a practice project (SS6205).
3. Receive a Pass Judgment on Fieldwork Placement i.e. the student is deemed to have passed the placement. Those who fail to do so may be permitted to complete an additional Placement in order to pass at the discretion of the Board of Examiners. A failed placement may be repeated **only once**. However, where there is evidence of professional misconduct on Fieldwork Placement I (as defined under the heading of ‘Unacceptable Behaviours’ in the MSW Course Handbook, and behaviours that contravene the Irish Association of Social Workers’ Code of Practice and Code of Ethics), a repeat placement will not be permitted.
4. Have satisfied the Fitness to Practice requirements (from 2014/2015)

### Attendance:
As the Postgraduate Diploma in Social Work Studies is a professional training programme, Social Work students are bound to attend every class of each module (including Fieldwork Placements) unless unavoidable prevented from doing so. If a student’s attendance falls below 80% in any module, he/she may be required to repeat that module before being allowed to proceed.

### Honours:
Honours are not awarded in this degree.
Supplemental Examination

Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board, or in a Repeat Year (see below). Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

Two Year Rule:

Candidates must pass/progress within 2 academic years of the date of first registration for Year 2, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.

Repeat Year Examinations

Students who have failed all or any part of an individual module at the Summer and Supplemental Examination will be allowed to repeat the failed module(s) only once at the Summer Examination in the following academic year.
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<td><strong>Modules:</strong> Total: 60 credits</td>
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<td><strong>Marks Maxima:</strong> 100 per five credit module; 200 per ten credit module; 400 per twenty credit module. Total Marks 700. SS6030 and SS6031 are assessed on a pass/fail basis.</td>
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<td><strong>Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):</strong> In order to progress to Second Year, a candidate must: 1. Pass all modules (including a pass judgement on SS6030 and SS6031). Those who fail SS6030 and/or SS6031 may be permitted to complete an additional Placement in order to pass at the discretion of the Board of Examiners. A failed placement may be repeated only once. However, where there is evidence of professional misconduct, a repeat placement will not be permitted. 2. Have satisfied the Fitness to Practice requirements.</td>
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<td><strong>Honours:</strong> Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows: First Class Honours: an aggregate of not less than 490/700 marks (i.e. 70% and above) Second Class Honours Grade One: an aggregate of not less than 420/700 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%) Second Class Honours Grade Two: an aggregate of not less than 350/700 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%).</td>
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| **Supplemental Examination** Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter). Please refer to the Book of Modules (http://www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination. Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. The pass progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. Capping of marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into
account is a pass 50%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

**Two Year Rule:**
Candidates must pass/progress within 2 academic years of the date of the first registration for Year 1, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme.

**Postgraduate Certificate in Youth Work:**
Upon satisfactory completion of 30 credits, to include modules SS6020, SS6022, SS6036 and SS6037, students may opt to exit the programme and be awarded a Postgraduate Certificate in Youth Work. A student who subsequently applies to continue to Postgraduate Diploma must do so within 5 years of successful completion of the Certificate Examination.
### POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

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| **Honours:** | Honours are awarded on the aggregate marks as follows:  
First Class Honours: an aggregate of at least 840/1200 marks (70% and above)  
Second Class Honours Grade I: an aggregate of at least 720/1200 marks (60% and above but less than 70%)  
Second Class Honours Grade II: an aggregate of at least 600/1200 marks (50% and above but less than 60%) |
| **Exemptions** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years, from the date a student originally achieved the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/academic/modules) for requirements governing the Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation, progression, and the calculation of honours, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass (40%). The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Two Year Rule:** | Candidates have two years from the date of first registration to complete the Postgraduate Diploma. |
| **Entry to MEd** | Candidates achieving an honours grade in the Postgraduate Diploma are eligible to apply for entry to the MEd Degree. |
### POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS

#### Time:
Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard in written papers and projects for the year at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with an Autumn Examination Board.

#### Modules:
http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/PGDiplomas/arts/page05.html
Total: 60 credits

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- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

#### Exemptions
All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years, from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

#### Supplemental Examinations:
Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Supplemental Examination for individual modules.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.
**Repeat Year Examinations:**

Students repeating the year may do so under one of the following mechanisms, individual repeat candidates choosing whichever mechanism best suits his/her requirements. Note: Students are eligible for the award of Honours in the first Repeat Year only.

1. Students retain exemptions, if any, and must repeat all failed/absent modules. In determining aggregation, progression, and the calculation of the award of honours, full marks achieved in modules passed at the Summer Examination in the first attempt year plus capped marks achieved in modules in Supplemental and Repeat Year Examinations are used. Note: For students selecting different modules not previously taken, there are no restrictions on the marks awarded for those modules at the Summer Examination of a Repeat Year.

2. Students may repeat the year taking the full 30 credits. In determining aggregation, progression, and the calculation of the award of honours, there is no restriction on the marks awarded for modules at the Summer Examination of the Repeat Year. Modules taken at the subsequent Supplemental Examination are capped at the pass mark. Subject to capacity, all students – whether they have failed or passed – are allowed to choose this option in an attempt to improve their grade.

In the case of a candidate choosing option 2 who failed the first attempt year and who also fails a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed a previous year, a pass for the year will be awarded by the Examination Board, provided the student achieves the Pass and Progression Standard for the year on the combined results from both years.

In the case of candidates choosing option 2 who have already passed or got Honours in their first attempt year but who (i) fail the examination in a Repeat Year as a result of failing module(s) already passed in a previous year or (ii) fail to qualify for a higher class of honours at the second attempt, the original programme level judgement and associated marks will be awarded by the Examination Board.
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The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of marks at Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

Due to the cyclical nature of this programme, a maximum of two attempts to pass any module at the First University Examination in the Postgraduate Certificate/Diploma in the Teaching of Science in Primary School over the Summer and the following Autumn Supplemental Examination will be unable to proceed and must withdraw from the programme.

| Repeat Year | Students who have failed all or any part of an individual module at the Summer and Supplemental Examination will be allowed to repeat the failed module(s) only once at the Summer Examination in the following academic year. |
### Time:
Marks will be presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard at the Summer Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with marks going to the Autumn Examination Board.

### Modules:
[http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/PGDiplomas/arts/page33.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/PGDiplomas/arts/page33.html)
Total 60 credits.

### Marks Maxima:
200 marks per ten credit module. Total 1200 marks.

### Distribution of Marks
Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules*, ([www.ucc.ie/academic/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules/)).

### Pass Standard (module level):
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).

### Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):
All modules must be passed.

### Honours:
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:
- **First Class Honours**
  - an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above but less than 75%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 1**
  - an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above but less than 70%)
- **Second Class Honours Grade 2**
  - an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%)

### Supplemental Examination:
Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter).

Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

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*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board will be given the opportunity to complete a supplemental assessment which will be presented to the Autumn Examination Board. |
| **Two Year Rule** | Candidates must pass/progress within 2 academic years of the date of first registration, otherwise they cannot continue in the programme. |
### POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL LANGUAGES

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  First Class Honours: an aggregate of not less than 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above)  
  Second Class Honours Grade 1: an aggregate of not less than 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60% and above, but less than 70%)  
  Second Class Honours Grade 2: an aggregate of not less than 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50% and above but less than 60%) |
| **Exit award:** | N/A |
| **Supplemental Examination:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semester One and Two will be held in August (Autumn). Please refer to the Book of Modules ([http://www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  
  Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board, must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
| **Repeat Year Examinations:** | Students who have failed all or any part of any individual module at the Summer and Supplemental Examination will be allowed to repeat the failed module(s) in the following year. |
## POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN PLANNING AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

### Time
An Examination to be held in Summer with marks being presented to the Summer Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard at the Summer Examinations there will be a Supplemental Examination in Autumn with marks being presented to the Autumn Examination Board.

### Modules
60 credits

### Marks Maxima
100 marks per five credit module. Total Marks 1200

### Distribution of Marks
Distribution of Marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/)

### Pass Standard (module level):
The pass standard for each module is 40%. Other special requirements for individual modules, if any are detailed in the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules)

### Pass Standard (programme level):
Candidates must pass all modules separately.

### Masters in Planning and Sustainable Development
Students who pass all modules with an aggregate score of 50% (i.e. 600 out of 1200 marks) may choose to exit the programme and progress to Year 2 of the Masters in Planning and Sustainable Development (MPlan2)

### Honours
Honours will be awarded on aggregate as follows:
- First Class: an aggregate of at least 840/1200 marks (i.e. 70% and above)
- Second Class Honours Grade I: an aggregate of at least 720/1200 marks (i.e. 60%-69%)
- Second Class Honours Grade II: an aggregate of at least 600/1200 marks (i.e. 50%-59%)

### Exemptions
All passed modules carry an exemption which is limited to a period of five years from the date a student originally achieved the exemption.

### Supplemental Examinations
Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard at the Summer Examination must repeat all failed/absent modules at a Supplemental Examination where there is provision to do so, and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks obtained in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and the calculation of Honours, the maximum mark that will be taken in to account is a pass mark for that particular module. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

### Repeat Year Examinations
Students who fail all or any part of the module will be allowed to repeat the whole module only once at the Summer Examination of a subsequent year and if a pass mark is not achieved, at a Supplemental Examination as provided for above. In repeat year Examinations, marks will be capped at the pass mark of 40%.
### DOCTORAL PROGRAMMES

#### DSOCSC

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| First University Examination in D Soc Sc   | **Time:** Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Autumn Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Autumn Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Winter with a Winter Examination Board.  
**Modules:** http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Doctor/page007.html Total: 90 credits  
**Marks Maxima:** Pass/Fail judgement only  
**Distribution of Marks:** Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).  
**Pass Standard (module level):** Pass/Fail judgement only. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)).  
**Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** In order to progress to the second year of the DSocSc, candidates must Pass all modules and complete research work to the value of 30 credits which meets the satisfaction of the Programme Board. There is no compensation between modules.  
**Honours:** Honours are not awarded in first year.  
**Supplemental Examination** Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 2 and 3 will be held at the Winter Board. Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Winter Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Autumn Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
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**Second University Examination in DSocSc**

| **Time:** | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment will be presented to the Autumn Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Autumn Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Winter with an Winter Examination Board. |
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| **Modules:** | [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Doctor/page007.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Doctor/page007.html) Total: 90 credits |
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| **Marks Maxima:** | Pass/Fail judgement only |
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| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including End of Year Written Examination Profile) for individual modules are contained in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |
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| **Pass Standard (module level):** | Pass/Fail judgement only. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)). |
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| **Pass and Progression Standard (programme level):** | In order to progress to the third year of the DSocSc, candidates must Pass all modules and complete research work to the value of 30 credits which meets the satisfaction of the Programme Board. There is no compensation between modules. |
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| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in second year. |
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| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1, 2 and 3 will held at the Winter Board.  
Please refer to the *Book of Modules* ([www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/)) for requirements governing the Winter Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  
*Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.*  
Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Autumn Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.  
The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  
Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
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THIRD AND FOURTH UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION IN DSocSc

There are no Marks and Standards for Years 3 and 4 of the programme, as in these years there are no prescribed coursework requirements, and students are completing their PhD programme in line with standard university procedure for the structured PhD degree.
COHORT IN PHD IN EDUCATION

First University Examination in the Cohort PhD in Education

| Time: | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Autumn Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Autumn Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Winter with a Winter Examination Board. |
| Marks Maxima: | 100 marks per five credit modules. 200 marks per ten credit module. Total marks 400. |
| Distribution of Marks: | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including Professional Portfolio) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules, [www.ucc.ie/academic/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules) |
| Pass Standard (module level): | The pass standard for each module is 50%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| Pass Standard (programme level) | All modules must be passed. |
| Honours: | Honours are not awarded in first year. |
| Exemptions | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years, from the date a student originally achieved the exemption. |
| Supplemental Examinations: | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter). Please refer to the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.  

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.  

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.  

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. |
Due to the cyclical nature of this programme, a maximum of two attempts to pass any module at the First University Examination in Cohort PhD in Education is permitted. Therefore, a student who fails to pass the First University Examination in the Cohort PhD in Education over the Autumn and the following Winter Supplemental Examination will be unable to proceed and must withdraw from the programme.
Second University Examination in the Cohort PhD in Education

| **Time:** | Marks for all modules, including those wholly assessed by Continuous Assessment, will be presented to the Autumn Examination Board. For students failing to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Autumn Examination, there will be a Supplemental Examination in Winter with a Winter Examination Board. |
| **Modules:** | http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Doctor/page013.html |
| **Marks Maxima:** | 100 marks per five credit modules. Total marks 200. |
| **Distribution of Marks:** | Distribution of marks and assessment details (including Professional Portfolio) for individual modules are contained in the Book of Modules, [www.ucc.ie/academic/modules](http://www.ucc.ie/academic/modules) |
| **Pass Standard (module level):** | The pass standard for each module is 50%. Special Requirements for individual modules, if any, are detailed in the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/). |
| **Pass Standard (programme level):** | All modules must be passed. |
| **Honours:** | Honours are not awarded in second year. |
| **Exemptions:** | All passed modules carry an exemption, which is limited to a period of five years, from the date a student originally achieved the exemption. |
| **Supplemental Examinations:** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter). Please refer to the Book of Modules [www.ucc.ie/modules/](http://www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules. *Note: For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.* Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board. The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules. Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record. Due to the cyclical nature of this programme, a maximum of two attempts to pass any module at the Second University Examination in the Cohort PhD in Education is permitted. Therefore, a student who fails to pass the Second University Examination in the Cohort PhD in Education over the Autumn and the following Winter Supplemental Examination will be unable to proceed and must withdraw from the programme. |
| **Supplemental Examinations:*** | Supplemental Examinations for Semesters 1 and 2 will be held in August (Autumn). Supplemental Examinations for Semester 3 will be held in December (Winter). Please refer to the Book of Modules (www.ucc.ie/modules/) for requirements governing the Autumn Supplemental Examination for individual modules.  **Note:** For some modules there is no Supplemental Examination.  

Students who fail to achieve the pass standard for the year at the Summer Examination Board must repeat all failed/absent modules at the Supplemental Examination, where there is provision to do so and if not disallowed by the Examination Board. Marks from all passed modules are carried forward to the Supplemental Examination Board.

The pass/progression rule is then applied to the combination of marks carried forward in passed modules and marks achieved in repeated modules.

Capping of Marks at a Supplemental Examination: In determining aggregation and progression, the maximum mark that will be taken into account is a pass 40%. The actual mark achieved by the candidate will be recorded on the student record.

Due to the cyclical nature of this programme, a maximum of two attempts to pass any module at the Third University Examination in the Cohort PhD in Education is permitted. Therefore, a student who fails to pass the Third University Examination in the Cohort PhD in Education over the Autumn and the following Winter Supplemental Examination will be unable to proceed and must withdraw from the programme. |
Cohort PhD in Education

Marks for the thesis will be forwarded to the Academic Council Graduate Studies Committee. Candidates must complete the thesis within 6 years from the date of first registration. See PhD general regulations at [http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Doctor/page001.html](http://www.ucc.ie/calendar/postgraduate/Doctor/page001.html)
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**PhD DIGITAL ARTS AND HUMANITIES**

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**PHD DIGITAL ARTS AND HUMANITIES**

Second University Examination in PhD Digital Arts and Humanities

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One opportunity may be provided to repeat one failed clinical placement or, in exceptional cases and at the discretion of the Programme Board, those elements of the placement (competencies), that have been failed. A fail grade on a repeat or subsequent clinical placement will result in the trainees being required to leave the programme.

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