

## Amendments to UPR AS11 (Schedule of Awards) for 2019/20

This paper summarises the approved amendments to UPR AS11 for the 2019/20 academic year.

### 1. Doctor of Cyber Security (CSecD) and Doctor of Public Health (DPH)

Academic Board approved the introduction of these two Professional Doctorates in September 2018. However, the amendments to UPR AS11 incorrectly referred to the degree titles 'Doctorate in...' rather than 'Doctor of...' for the two awards. The following corrections to UPR AS11, section 3.4 have therefore been approved:

### 3 HIGHER DEGREES

#### 3.4 Initial Doctorate (professional doctorate)

DBA	Doctor of Business Administration
DClinPsy	Doctor of Clinical Psychology
<del>CSecD</del>	<del>Doctorate in Doctor of</del> Cyber Security
DDes	Doctor of Design
EdD	Doctor of Education
EngD	Doctor of Engineering
DFA	Doctor of Fine Art
DHRes	Doctor of Health Research
DHeritage	Doctor of Heritage
DMan	Doctor of Management
MD	Doctorate in Medicine
DPH	<del>Doctorate in Doctor of</del> Public Health
<del>DPM</del>	<del>Doctor of Project Management</del>
DPsych	Doctor of Psychotherapy

#### 3.4, A Professional doctorate

(UPR AS18<sup>1</sup> and UPR AS10<sup>11</sup>, refer.)

*Doctor of Business Administration (DBA); Doctor of Clinical Psychology (DClinPsy); ~~Doctorate in Doctor of~~ Cyber Security (CSecD); Doctor of Design (DDes); Doctor of Education (EdD); Doctor of Engineering (EngD); Doctor of Fine Art (DFA); Doctor of Health Research (DHRes); Doctor of Heritage (DHeritage); Doctor of Management (DMan); Doctorate in Medicine (MD), ~~Doctorate in Doctor of~~ Public Health (DPH), ~~Doctor of Project Management (DPM)~~ and Doctor of Psychotherapy (DPsych).*

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### 2. Award titles acknowledging employment experience

UPR AS11 currently states that award titles can recognise the successful completion of at least 36 weeks of placement activity, in the form of a sandwich award. This applies to all Bachelor's programmes, with and without Honours. Subsequent to this, the UH Placements Policy Group considered whether recognition could be given for approved placement learning which did not meet the 36 weeks threshold for sandwich. In response, in January 2019 ADC approved all University programmes to be able to offer award titles with the adjunct '(with Employment Experience)', on the understanding that (i) programme

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<sup>1</sup> UPR AS18 'PhD (Professional Doctorate) – Generic Regulations'

specifications are amended to identify these award titles and (ii) they can only be awarded subject to successful completion and assessment of the activities concerned. The following amendment to UPR AS11, section 2.4 has therefore been approved:

## 2 REGULATIONS FOR AWARDS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HERTFORDSHIRE

### 2.4 *Award titles acknowledging employment experience*

#### 2.4.1 Sandwich awards

A sandwich award requires the successful completion of at least **36** weeks full-time equivalent placement activity from a maximum of two separate *approved* placements, neither of which *shall* be normally less than **12** weeks in duration, in order for the award to be made. The sandwich award title should be:

**<Award title (Sandwich)>**

#### 2.4.2 *Awards for employment experience*

*Successful completion of at least 12 weeks full-time equivalent placement activity (whether that be interrupted sandwich placement learning or alternative shorter periods of approved placement learning) from a maximum of two separate approved placements, neither of which shall be normally less than 4 weeks in duration, shall enable students to request the following award title:*

**<Award title with Employment Experience>**

### 3. Withdrawal of redundant awards

The University approved the awards of Enhanced Diploma and Enhanced Diploma in Midwifery to meet the needs of the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC). However, both awards are now redundant, the last one having been awarded in February 2016. The School of HSK have confirmed that they no longer require these awards, and their withdrawal from the Schedule of awards has therefore been approved:

## 10 OTHER UNDERGRADUATE AWARDS

The University awards the following other undergraduate awards:

~~EnhD ————— Enhanced Diploma~~

~~EDM ————— Enhanced Diploma of Midwifery~~

Total credit at specified Level(s) normally required for an award (credit at a specified Level can be replaced by credit at a higher Level)	Typical duration of study required full-time	Minimum University of Hertfordshire credit and Level	Maximum combined APCL/ APEL, and Level					
			Total	0	4	5	6	7
<del><b>Enhanced Diploma:</b> 360 credits, including at least 195 @ Level 6/5, of which at least 45 must be @ Level 6</del>	<del>6 Semesters</del>	<del>90 @ 5/6</del>	<del>270</del>	<del>-</del>	<del>165</del>	<del>105</del>	<del>-</del>	<del>-</del>
<del><b>Enhanced Diploma of Midwifery:</b> 360 credits, including at least 195 @ Level 6/5, of which at least 45 must be @ Level 6</del>	<del>6 Semesters</del>	<del>360 @ 5/6</del>	<del>0</del>	<del>-</del>	<del>-</del>	<del>-</del>	<del>-</del>	<del>-</del>

~~10, A ———— Enhanced Diploma (EnhD)~~

~~The title 'Enhanced Diploma' is reserved for pre-registration nursing and midwifery programmes.~~

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~~10, B ———— Enhanced Diploma of Midwifery (EDM)~~

~~Refer to table (above).~~

The Business School and the Doctoral College have also confirmed that there is no intention to recruit to the Doctor of Project Management (DPM), and its withdrawal from the Schedule of awards has therefore been approved:

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