### Summary of Regulatory Amendments and/or Additions for Academic Year 2021/22

*The wording in bold reflects the changed wording.*

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| 13 (6) Outcomes of Module Assessment | The wording of Section 13 (6) of the *Postgraduate Taught Regulations* which sets out penalties to be applied for over length work has been amended so that all work is only to be read and marked up to the upper word limit or in the case of certain assessment types a time limit, and then for marking to stop. The previous penalties for over length work have been removed.  

(6) *Any work (written, oral presentation, film, performance) may not be marked beyond the upper limit set. The upper limit may be a word limit in the case of written work or a time limit in the case of assessments such as oral work, presentations, films or performance. In the case of presentations, films or performance these may be stopped once they exceed the upper time limit.* | 10      |
| 14 (5) (b) Extenuating Circumstances | An amendment has been made to Section 14 (5) (b) which makes clear that the School Progression and Awards Board may, in exceptional circumstances, apply for the College to suspend its regulations and allow for an additional attempt at an assessment.  

(a) return an outcome of ‘exceptional third attempt (capped)’ (ET) or exceptional third attempt (uncapped)’ (UT) with a percentage mark, where the first and/or second attempt was affected, to enable the resit or resubmission in the affected assessment with the marks achieved in the unaffected assessment and the resit/resubmission used to return an outcome for the whole module, or exceptionally, to repeat in attendance, in line with Section 13 (2 - 5) of these regulations. In exceptional circumstances, the School Progression and Awards Board may make an application under s 4 of the Approval and Suspension of College Academic Regulations to allow for an additional attempt. | 11-12   |