SPECIAL REGULATIONS: ALL ACCREDITED AND PENDING ACCREDITING ENGINEERING PROGRAMMES (UG, PG AND APPRENTICESHIPS)

INTRODUCTION

1 The Special Regulations relate to the following programmes:

- MEng (Hons) Chemical Engineering
- BEng (Hons) Chemical Engineering
- BEng (Hons) Chemical Engineering with Foundation Year
- BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering with Foundation Year
- BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (Systems) with Foundation year
- BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (Advance Manufacture) with Foundation year
- BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (Building Services) with Foundation year
- BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering
- BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (Systems)
- BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (Advance Manufacture)
- BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (Building Services)
- MEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (Systems)
- MEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (Advance Manufacture)
- MEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (Building Services)
- BEng (Hons) Biomedical Engineering with Foundation Year
- BEng (Hons) Biomedical Engineering
- MEng (Hons) Biomedical Engineering
- BEng (Hons) Product Design Engineering with Foundation Year
- BEng (Hons) Product Design Engineering
- MEng (Hons) Product Design Engineering
- Science Industry Process/Plant Engineer (Degree) Apprenticeship containing BEng (Hons) Process Engineering
- Manufacturing Engineer (Degree) Apprenticeship containing BEng (Hons) Manufacturing Engineering

APPRENTICESHIP

2 An engineering apprentice is a learner who is studying one of the following courses:

- Science Industry Process/Plant Engineer (Degree) Apprenticeship containing BEng (Hons) Process Engineering;
- Manufacturing Engineer (Degree) Apprenticeship containing BEng (Hons) Manufacturing Engineering.

REASSESSMENT FOR APPRENTICESHIPS

3 An engineering apprentice's first reassessment attempt must be taken in the next available timetabled assessment period, or, where permitted by the University, through in-year reassessment.

4 An engineering apprentice's second reassessment attempt (where allowed by the appropriate Apprenticeship Standard) must be taken in the next available timetabled assessment period without attendance on the module, this can be during the same academic year as the two initial assessment attempts.

5 Engineering apprentices can trail and progress up to 40 credits into the following level. There are no requirements on the average module mark a student must have achieved to be eligible for trail and progress.

COMPENSATION (APPLICABLE TO ALL AWARDS LISTED IN SECTION ONE)

6 The University Compensation Regulations apply except in the following situations:

i. the normal University rules for compensation are permitted at Foundation Year Level only;

ii. during Levels 4-7, compensation can only be applied on one occasion for up to 20-credits; the mark attained by the student in the module to be compensated must be at least 30% at Levels 4-6 or 40% at Level 7;

iii. the automatic awarding of compensation following a referral does not apply to Levels 4-7. For each Level 4 to 7 modules, students will be offered the opportunity to undertake reassessment attempts. Compensation will only be applied after all reassessment attempts where the conditions in (i) and (ii) are met;

iv. if a student has already accepted a module to be compensated at Levels 4 to 7 and has a second module that has not been passed after all opportunities of reassessment have been exhausted, and has a mark in the compensation band, they will receive a non-accredited exit award. In the determination of the non-accredited exit award additional credit can be compensated where it meets the University regulations for compensation.

7 Compensation cannot be applied to the following group based modules which are within the following apprenticeships programmes: Science Industry Process/Plant Engineer (Degree) Apprenticeship containing BEng (Hons); Process Engineering and Manufacturing Engineer (Degree) Apprenticeship containing BEng (Hons) Manufacturing Engineering:

- Level 5 Engineering Applied Product Lifecycle
- Level 5 Professional Applied Process Engineering

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