

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

PROGRAMME REGULATIONS 2014-2015

Programme Title: BA in Contemporary Culture and Society

Programme Code: CCS

Offering Type: Full-time (01)

1. Programme-specific rules and requirements

Compulsory attendance

All language modules in Years 1 and 2 require that students attend at least 80% of language classes. Where a student fails to do so, and in the absence of documentation to support exceptional circumstances, s/he will be required to present for a meeting with the Programme Chair, SALIS Teaching Convenor and/ or Module Coordinator in advance of attempting examinations/ assessments and/ or submitting coursework.

It will not be possible for any internal students to transfer to the CCS programme in Year 3 from another programme.

Year 2 students have a contribution / weight of 400, i.e. 25% of the overall Year 3 weight of 1600. [Ref.: DCU M&S V.2013.1.0, Item 7.1.1].

2. Derogations from Marks & Standards

None specified.

3. Progression

Students must successfully have completed a minimum of 60 credits in a study period in order to progress to the next study period. Under exceptional circumstances, and subject to the approval of the Progression and Award Board, students may be permitted to progress to the next year of study carrying 10 credits where the following criteria are met [Ref.: DCU M&S V.2013.1.0, Item 7.1.1]:

- 3.1. The student is required to submit details of exceptional circumstances.
- 3.2. Should constraints prevent a student's participation in the carried module, the Programme Chair may allocate an alternative module or restrict the student's choice of optional modules.
- 3.3. The student will not be permitted in any circumstances to carry more than 10 credits into the following academic year.

3.4. In line with university regulations [Ref.: DCU M&S V.2013.1.0, Item 2.2.6], a student will not be permitted to register for more than 75 credits in any one academic session / year.

4. Compensation

Compensation may apply, within the regulations specified in Marks and Standards, to all modules on the programme of study [Ref.: DCU M&S V.2013.1.0, Item 7.1.2].

5. Re-Sit Categories

Re-Sit Category 1: A re-sit is available for all components of the module.

All modules except those specified below if appropriate.

Re-Sit Category 2: No re-sit is available for 100% continuous assessment module.

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Re-Sit Category 3: No re-sit is available for the continuous assessment component.

None specified.