

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Programme Regulations 2021-2022

Programme Title: MA in International Relations

Programme Code MIR

Offered on a full-time or part-time basis Part-time

Note: *Programme Regulations should be read in conjunction with Marks and Standards which can be found at <https://www.dcu.ie/ovpaa/Policies-and-Regulations.shtml>*

1. Programme Specific Rules and Requirements

1.1 *Optional Modules*

Students must register for no less than 10 ECTS credits and no more than 20 ECTS credits of optional modules in any academic session.

2. Derogations from Marks and Standards

Marks and Standards apply.

3. Progression

3.1 *Progression*

To progress to Year 2 of the programme, students must pass all core modules.

3.2 *Exit Awards*

Upon completion of 30 credits students may exit with a Graduate Certificate in International Relations.

Upon completion of 60 credits students may exit with a Graduate Diploma in International Relations.

Where a student requests to exit a programme with a lesser award the following precision rules apply. Core modules, must be included in the calculation of the precision mark. When a student has completed more ECTS credits than needed for the award, any remaining credits required for the calculation of the precision mark will be selected from the remaining modules taken, using the best marks obtained. All marks used in the calculation of the precision mark will be the marks obtained at first attempt.

4. Compensation

Marks and Standards apply.

5. Resit Categories

The resit categories of modules on this programme and an explanation of those categories can be found at:

https://www101.dcu.ie/registry/module_contents.php?function=4&programme=MIR&yr=22