

User Guide

Update Structured Progression Outcome

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Background

Faculty Office will run Structured Progression (SP) process for all programmes. which are on either a Progression and Awards Board (PAB) committee or a provisional (PRV) committee. For any grade amendments, first run all relevant Amendment Scripts and then rerun Structured Progression to update GPA and Outcome.

Care is required when running SP Process to specify the correct Student level and Term, as running SP process for a student on more than one level or term across committees is not recommended and cannot easily be deleted.

When Structured Progression produces an incorrect outcome or GPA/Precision, you are required to troubleshoot using Compliance, to verify all areas of Curriculum, registration and grading are in order. Once an issue is identified in underlying structure of data, you will need to fix the issue using the appropriate University Process such as grade amendment, Curriculum update etc.

There are known scenarios where, due to inconsistent module weighting across the area, or progression derogation, it will be necessary to run offline manual calculate and input the correct GPA/Precision.

There are also known scenarios where the Progression Outcome produced will need to be updated from a temporary code. In other cases, an unknown amendment may prove necessary as a result of Review or other process.

The following guide details amendments to Progression Outcome and lists the expected circumstances for doing so. Outside of the circumstances described herein, you should not amend Experience Outcomes for either Annual or Award Outcome.

It is not possible to update GPA/Precision, on Experience - any remaining inaccuracies in GPA/Precision should be communicated to PAB via the Broadsheet.

Comments box in Experience is not to be used to convey any information to other Staff members.

Note: attempted credits are synonymous with registered/graded. Earned credits are the credits associated with a pass level module outcome.

Structured Progression Outcomes

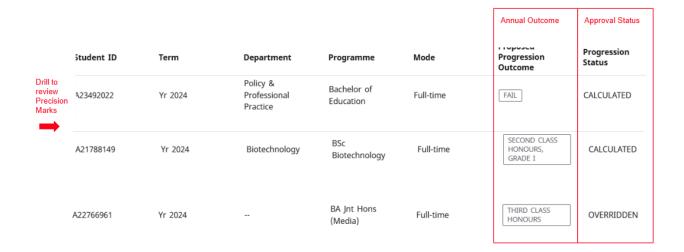
- Banner needs to assign an annual Outcome to all students;
 - who are registered on a programme which will go to PAB for review and approval
 - who are on a programme stage where they will require progression to register to the next stage
- Structured Progression process generates outcomes as follows;
 - Annual Stage: a Compliance Request is run for each Student as part of the Structured Progression job process. Similar to min credits for progression, this validates the courses taken which will be included in calculation
 - Calculates the Stage Average (GPA/Precision Mark)
 - Determines the Progression Outcome (annual result/classification) based on the Student's actual data compared with the matching Progression Rule requirements in SHASPAR
 - AWARD Stage: determines the Overall Average and Award
 Classification if the student has met all requirements for the Study Path
 - When a committee or student is run through SHPPGAW Structured Progression process, an outcome is generated
 - The configuration behind each outcome in the Rule calculates and assigns the outcome for each Student
 - Subsets of all available outcomes are used for each Programme Rule
 - The outcome determines whether an enrolment shell is created for next
 Term, by mapping to (either the same or next) attributes: Stage and Student
 Type
 - Progression Outcomes are written to intermediate tables and the data is displayed via the Experience Assigned Committees card
 - Data writes to Academic History only when approved by PAB

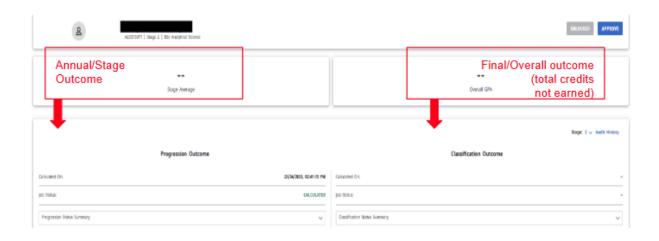
Outcome list and usage

Outcome	Banner Outcome Description	Purpose and usage			
DF	Deferred	Any deferred module present will assign this Outcome. This Student will not be assessed against any outcomes farther down the list, the process will move on to next Student			
H1	First Class Honours				
21	Second Class Honours, Grade I	 No deferred credits are present Compensation is validated where applicable Credits earned meet programme requirements GPA meets the classification band 			
22	Second Class Honours, Grade II				
H3	Third Class Honours				
PH	Pass with Honours	Where Pass with Hons required, eg. where all modules in the year are P/F			
CN	Continue Programme	Auto assigned outcome for flexible programmes which stay on one Banner stage but span multiple Academic Years. Assigned when total credits have not yet been earned			
PR	Progress	Student moving Stage without a Classification being assigned such as Year 1 of Part Time			
CF	Results Confirmed	Applied on non award programmes which need outcome for PAB			
PW	Programme Complete	Used for part time programmes in Award stage when credits have been met			
F	Fail	Stage or Award requirements not met			
VP	Verify Modules Passed	Specific programme allowing a range of credits, when validation is needed that Student has earned all required credits - to be tested			
CK	Check Outcome	A catch-all bucket to highlight Students who did not meet earlier configured requirements in the hierarchy - investigate and resolve to the correct outcome above			

View Outcome on Experience

- On opening Experience for the committee a student is linked to, drill into the individual student row
- Annual Outcome is listed under Stage Average on the left hand side
- Award Outcome is listed under Overall GPA on the right hand side

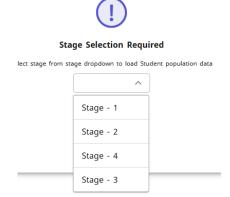




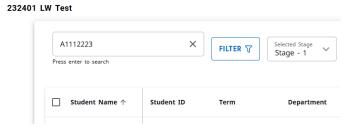
 Both Outcomes and GPA/precision marks are also reported by the Broadsheet

Update Progression Outcome

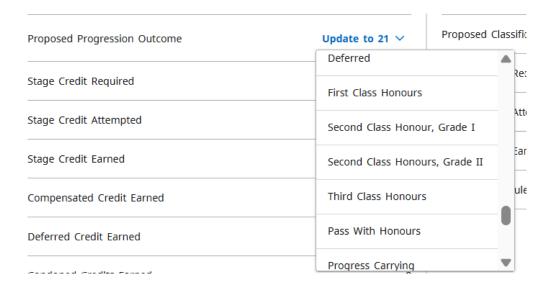
- The <u>Scenarios listed</u> below in this document, may need to have Outcome updated and it is acceptable to do so
- Incorrect Outcomes not in these scenarios, should only be amended when all attempts to generate the correct outcome via Structured Progression have been exhausted and Registry have approved the update to be made directly in Experience
- Open the relevant committee in Experience
- Select relevant stage for the student needing amendment this needs to be a stage for which Structured Progression was run for this student



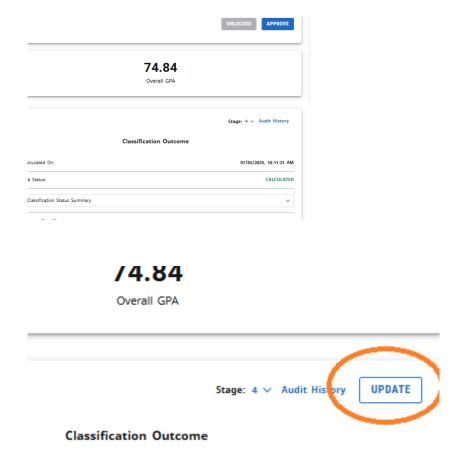
Enter ID in search field and press enter



- Student detail from the Structured Progression run will display for the stage
- If updating Annual or Stage outcome, click on Proposed Progression Outcome on the Annual Stage left hand side of Experience page
- If updating final or Award stage outcome, click on Overall Classification
 Outcome on the right hand side of the page
- Click on the Proposed Progression Outcome or Proposed Classification row
- Select the correct outcome from the dropdown



 Once you have selected a different outcome, an **UPDATE** button will appear in the Audit History section which usually does not have any UPDATE button showing



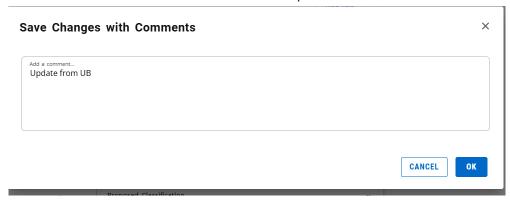
• Click the **UPDATE** button



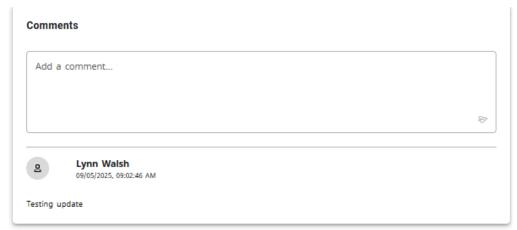
Click **OK** to update the record



- A comment will be required now, briefly logging the reason for the update
- Enter a brief comment reason for Outcome update

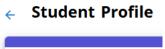


- Click **OK** to save the amendment
- A message that Student Record has updated successfully will appear briefly and comment will show in the comment section



• Click the **back arrow** now to the **Student list** - note it may take a few seconds to reload the list of students during which time a temporary "No Student Assigned message" will display

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 On the Student List you can see Progression Status changed from CALCULATED to OVERRIDDEN, indicating that Outcome has been amended and a comment is in place

Student ID	Term	Department	Programme	Mode	Proposed Progression Outcome	Progression Status
A23409656	Yr 2024	Law & Government	BCL (Law & Society)	Full-time	SECOND CLASS HONOURS, GRADE I	OVERRIDDEN

It is not possible to update GPA/Precision Mark in Experience

- The Comment Box in Experience does not feed any other process and is not a suitable repository for data so it is not suitable to use as part of the Structured Progression process
- Any remaining updates to GPA/Precision Mark which are not fixable, should be communicated to PAB via Broadsheet

Scenarios requiring update after Structured Progression runs

- Listed below are some updates requiring manual intervention specific to certain codes and programmes
- Important to ensure Structured Progression IS NOT run again on the same student after some updates in case it will reinstate the amended value

Update PH Progression Outcome for programmes which require to handle both codes H1-H3 and PH for Yr Abroad

- A number of students who take Y3 abroad, do not have any numeric modules to calculate a GPA but Banner doesn't discern a null GPA from 0. So update is required for those students with null GPA.
- Example programmes; CASE/COMBUS/COMSCI/DS/EC
- Action: Update H3 to PH for those Y3 Abroad students identified locally, in future they will be identifiable in Banner with the Y3 abroad registration
- Carry out the update on Annual Outcome on Experience per the instruction above.

Update U1-U3 Progression Outcome to Annual Progression Outcome

- Programme stage needs to cater for a range of credits, eg., student can register for 60 or 65 credits and the differential 5 credits are not a requirement to progress. SHASPAR can't repeat each H1-H3 outcome for 2 different credit values.
- Example programmes; AF, BPDT/BPM/BPY
- U1-U3 will be assigned in accordance with GPA/precision, to students who
 registered for 65 credits and who earned all 65. UF will be assigned to those who
 registered for 65 but earned less.
- Action: for students given U1, UA, UB, U3, UF codes
 - Verify the credits earned and determine the correct outcome
 - Update U1-U3 to honours codes for those who earned 65cr
 - Update UF to F for those who did not earn the required credits for the stage

1	DF	DEFERRED
2	U1	UPDATE TO H1
3	UA	UPDATE TO 21
4	UB	UPDATE TO 22
5	U3	UPDATE TO H3
6	H1	FIRST CLASS HONOURS
7	21	SECOND CLASS HONOURS, GRADE I
8	22	SECOND CLASS HONOURS, GRADE II
9	H3	THIRD CLASS HONOURS
10	UF	UPDATE TO FAIL

Update PW Programme Complete Annual Progression Outcome to Honours Code

- Students can continue on flexible programmes on one Banner stage but multiple academic years, so they need to be rolled to a new Term to allow enrolment on new modules.
- The outcome has to be generic on a continuing basis because students could earn a range of credits on a range of durations.
- This means that at Award stage we're still on Stage 1 therefore we can't differentiate merit outcomes we can only recognise total credits achieved.
- .Example programmes; BATRS/BASM/EMLDAI/LLM CRS/CRSPT/PCRS/CISE/DISE/GDGCO GCSL multi-stage P/T Masters, GDIPL9 degrees
- PW Programme Complete will be assigned as Annual Outcome in final stage when total credits achieved.
- **Action: for outcome PW,** update to an honours progression outcome as appropriate based on credits earned and GPA.
 - Verify the credits earned and determine Award Outcome
 - Update Experience to the Honours Code H1-H3

Update VA Award Outcome to Honours Code

- Complex weighting on modules or other regulation derogation impacting calculate, will result in incorrect Award Outcome.
- Example programmes; MCM, IS, IT, BAPY, BASM, BATRS
- VA Verify Prec. Mark and Class. will be assigned at Award Level when total credits achieved.
- Action: for Award Outcome VA, update to an honours progression outcome as appropriate based on credits earned and GPA.
 - Verify the credits earned and determine Award Outcome
 - Update Experience to the Honours Code H1-H3

Update VPx Award Outcome to Honours Code

 This is a suggested Preponderance outcome- Faculty Office should check that Preponderance applies and if so, update the outcome to the correct Award outcome - see <u>full details</u>

Specific to FHSS:

ALTS Programme - Input SHANCRS Non-course Requirement

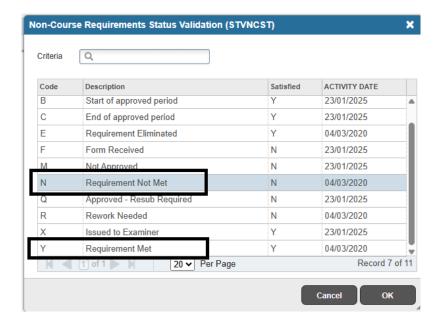
- Programme requires to select students to exit with award from those to proceed to ALTSIN/YA
- Those exiting with ALTS will be graded Y in SHANCRS
- Open SHANCRS Academic Non Course
- Enter the first Student ID and click Go



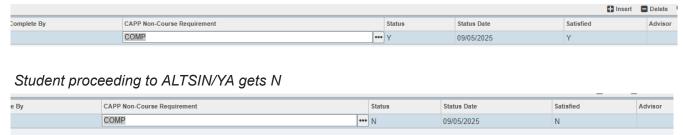
Click into the row titled ACADEMIC NON-COURSES



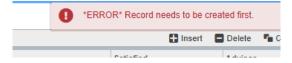
- Leave blank: Paper, Committee, Event, Level and Complete by
- Tab over to the field CAPP Non-Course Requirement and input COMP
- Tab onto Status and input Y for those students who will exit with ALTS award, or N for those students who are eligible to proceed to ALTSIN/ALTSYA
- As this is a requirement on ALTS, only those who receive Y, will trigger award level on ALTS programme



Student not proceeding to ALTSIN/YA gets Y



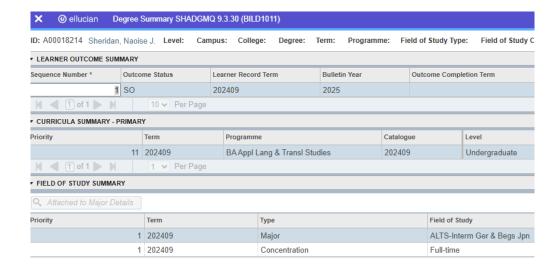
- Status Date should auto populate with the live date and Satisfied will update in line with the Status entered
- Click SAVE you will get the following error if not saved



- It's very important now to link the above input row with the programme the student is on
- So navigate down to the next pane on same page: DEGREES APPLIED and click the 3 dots beside the Number field



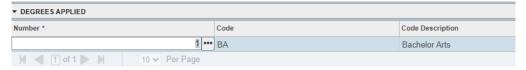
Select ALTS programme BA Appl Lang & Transl Studies



Click SELECT on the bottom right to go back to SHANCRS



- Sequence Number will have populated
- Tab to the next field Code and Banner will auto populate the selected Degree Code for ALTS



- Click SAVE
- That completes the grading



- Move to the next student by clicking **start ove**r
- Enter the next Student ID and repeat above series of steps until all students are 'graded'
- Review the associated committee for ALTS on Experience to verify that only those students selected for ALTS award have received Award outcomes i.e. overall classification

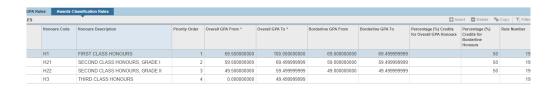
Preponderance

Annual Preponderance

• Annual preponderance is not delivered

Award Preponderance - without Previous Element Contribution (PEC)

- For non PEC programmes, award stage preponderance is out of box capability:
- It's configured as borderline credits applied to 50% of stage credits



Award Preponderance - with Previous Element Contribution (PEC)

- Award preponderance for PEC programmes, if configured in the same way, would grant preponderance against all credits in the PEC umbrella, instead of the final stage credits
- So for PEC programmes, we are using an outcome of VP1 to VP3 to identify any students given proposed preponderance at award stage
- This allows identification and control of proposed preponderance for the purposes of governance and reporting
- Action: For any student assigned a VP outcome, review the student's results to verify that preponderance applies for the final stage, before upgrading to the proposed honours outcome H1-H3.

