

FACULTY OF SCIENCE AND HEALTH

Programme Regulations 2016-2017

Programme Title BSc in Actuarial Mathematics

Programme Code ACM

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

<u>Note</u>: Programme Regulations should be read in conjunction with Marks and Standards which can be found at <u>http://www.dcu.ie/registry/examinations/index.shtml</u>

1. Programme Specific Rules and Requirements

1.1 Calculation for the Award Classification

For students completing the programme in 2016/17 only the 4th year precision mark is to be included in the award classification calculation.

For students completing the programme in 2017/18 and after, the calculation of the final year award classification includes contributions from previous years' results as follows:

Year/Subject contribution	Contribution to the award classification
Year 2	25%
Year 3	15%
Year 4	60%

2. Derogations from Marks and Standards

Marks and Standards apply.

3. Progression

3.1 Credits for progression

Students must have successfully completed a minimum of 60 credits in a study period in order to progress to the next study period.

Students must successfully complete a minimum of 65 credits in Year 4 to be awarded the BSc in Actuarial Mathematics.

MS306 is an optional non-contributory module, which it is not necessary to pass in order to progress to the next year in this programme. No re-sit opportunity is offered.

3.2 Carrying of modules

Students will not be permitted to 'carry' modules under any circumstances.

4. Compensation

Compensation may apply, within the regulations specified in Marks and Standards, to all modules except the following:

Module Code	Module Title
EF113	Introduction to Microeconomics
EF114	Introduction to Macroeconomics
MS117	Probability 1
MS255	Statistics 1
AC316	Accounting 1
MS258	Statistics II
EF316	Accounting 2
MS308	Stochastic Modelling
MS318	Financial Mathematics
MS332	Actuarial Modelling
MS427	Financial Economics I
MS449	Risk Theory
MS428	Financial Economics II
MS447	Time Series (Intermediate)
MS448	Life Contingencies

5. Resit Categories

The resits offered for the August examinations diet vary depending on the module to be re-taken. The following is an explanation of the resit categories.

Resit category 1: A resit is available for all components of the module.

Resit category 2: No resit is available where the module is 100% assessed by Continuous Assessment.

Resit category 3: No resit is available for the continuous assessment component and the examination must be re-taken.