

## POSTGRADUATE REGULATIONS 2017-18

The College is committed to continually improve the experience for its students. It must also ensure that it complies with legislation and external guidelines. It is necessary to make changes to the College's General Regulations to meet these commitments.

This document set out the differences between the Postgraduate Regulations 2017-18 and the Postgraduate Regulations 2016-17 as well as the reasons for changes having been made.

The College intends that no changes to the General Regulations should be detrimental to any student.

REGULATION	CHANGE	IMPACT	RESULT
8.1.4	The classification of Master's Degrees will be based on an overall average weighted mark (based on credit value) only: Pass – 50%; Merit – 60-69%; Distinction – at least 70%.	Students are no longer required to achieve at least 60% for the Dissertation/Project to be awarded in Merit or Distinction.	Brings College in line with sector norm and adheres to advice of External Examiners.