THE AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

Programs and Awards Statute 2006

GRADUATE COURSEWORK AWARDS RULES 2006

The Council of the Australian National University makes these Rules under section 8 of the *Programs and Awards Statute 2006*.

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PART 1: PRELIMINARY

1.1   Name of Rules

1.1(1) These Rules are the Graduate Coursework Awards Rules 2006.

1.2   Commencement

1.2(1) These Rules commence on the day after they are registered.

WHAT THESE RULES DO

These Rules are intended to set up the platform upon which all of the University's graduate coursework programs are based.

In these Rules you will find generally applicable information about pursuing a graduate coursework program at the University.

Some parts of these Rules refer only to specific programs. The Rules indicate when this is so.

Other details about specific graduate coursework programs may be found in Orders and in administrative directions and information available from the ANU College concerned.

1.3   Application

1.3(1) These Rules apply in relation to all graduate coursework programs commenced or continued on or after the commencement of these Rules.

1.4   Interpretation

1.4(1) In these Rules, unless the contrary intention appears:

academic program means an academic program of study or research, or both, undertaken to qualify for a graduate award;

approved form means a form approved by the Registrar;

award means a professional doctorate, Master degree, Graduate Diploma or Graduate Certificate mentioned in the Schedule (and **graduate award** has a corresponding meaning);

course means a subject of scholarly study taught:

> (a)   in a connected series of classes or demonstrations; or
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> (b)   by means of practical work, including the production by candidates of essays or theses or case studies or the attendance and participation by candidates in seminars or workshops;

Course Authority means a person appointed under subrule 1.7(2) by the ANU College Dean or the appropriate Delegated Authority;

Delegated Authority, for an academic program for a student, means a person appointed by an ANU College Dean under subrule 1.7(1) for the purpose;

Handbook means the Australian National University Graduate Handbook published under rule 6 of the Graduate Handbook Rules;

non-award program means a program of study that does not lead to an award;

Order, for an award, means an Order referred to in rule 5.3;

program leave of absence means leave of absence granted under rule 2.19;

status means recognition of a course or other relevant graduate work undertaken at the University or at a similar institution towards a student's academic program, and includes advanced standing and recognition of prior learning;

student means a person admitted to undertake all or part of a program;

thesis means original written work that:

    (a) incorporates an account of research done during an academic program and its result; and

    (b) if the research is on more than one topic, demonstrates the relation between the topics; and

    (c) is required to be provided by a student for the academic program;

except written work comprising answers to a written examination or tasks required to be performed for the assessment of performance in coursework;

written work, for a thesis, includes video recordings, film or other works of visual or sonic arts submitted by a student for examination.

1.4(2) Notwithstanding anything else in these Rules, if the Deputy Vice-Chancellor arranges for a dual or joint program to be offered in conjunction with another tertiary education institution, the legislation of the University, including these Rules and the Orders, applies to a student undertaking the program who is located at the University together with any additional requirements set out in the arrangement with the other institution.

1.5   Awards that may be conferred

1.5(1) An award mentioned in the Schedule may be conferred.

1.6   Orders

1.6(1) For these Rules:

    (a) the appropriate ANU College Dean may make Orders about courses; and

    (b) the Deputy Vice-Chancellor, with the advice of the appropriate ANU College Dean, may make Orders about requirements for completion of programs.

1.6(2) The Orders must be published in the Handbook and may set out, for each course an ANU College offers:

    (a) the course's name; and

    (b) the course's identifying code; and

    (c) the course's unit value; and

    (d) the prerequisites and co-requisites (if any) for taking the course; and

    (e) if there are any other courses with which the course is regarded as incompatible the names of those courses; and

    (f) the methods of assessment for the course; and

    (g) any other conditions to which taking the course is subject.

1.7 Appointments

1.7(1) An ANU College Dean may appoint a member of the staff of the ANU College to be a Delegated Authority for the purposes of these Rules.

1.7(2) An ANU College Dean or the appropriate Delegated Authority may appoint a member of the staff of the ANU College to be a Course Authority for the purposes of these Rules.

PART 2: GENERAL

2.1 Application

2.1(1) This Part applies to academic programs for graduate coursework awards and to students pursuing those programs.

Division 2.1: Admission

2.2 Admission to academic program

2.2(1) A person wishing to pursue an academic program must apply in an approved form to the Registrar to be admitted as a student and must give the Registrar any other information required by the Registrar.

2.2(2) The minimum requirement for admission to an academic program leading to a professional doctorate by coursework or coursework and research is:

 (a) a degree of bachelor with first class honours or upper second class honours of an Australian university; or

 (b) such other qualification (being a qualification that is equivalent or superior to such a degree) as the Delegated Authority determines.

2.2(3) The minimum requirement for admission to an academic program leading to the award of a degree of Master by coursework or coursework and research or a Graduate Diploma or Graduate Certificate is:

 (a) a degree of bachelor of an Australian university, or of another tertiary education institution approved by the Delegated Authority for the purposes of this Division, being a degree of a kind that is an adequate qualification for the admission of the person as a student; or

 (b) such other qualification, practical experience or combination of qualifications and practical experience as the Delegated Authority determines**.**

2.3 Limit on number of places

2.3(1) The appropriate ANU College Dean may decide how many places are available in any enrolment period for new students for an academic program.

2.4 Admission by Delegated Authority

2.4(1) A Delegated Authority may admit a person to an academic program, or to part of an academic program, under this Division if the person satisfies the minimum requirement for the admission.

2.4(2) The Delegated Authority may:

(a)   admit as a full-time student for an academic program or as a part-time student for the program a person who does not satisfy the prescribed minimum requirement for admission to that program, and may impose such conditions on the person's admission as the Delegated Authority thinks fit;

(b)   admit as a full-time or part-time student for an academic program a person who was, immediately before applying for admission, pursuing another graduate or undergraduate award program in the University or in another tertiary education institution and who intends to continue pursuing that other program, and may impose such conditions on the person's admission as the Delegated Authority thinks fit.

[NOTE: if a student is admitted to an academic program under paragraph 2.4(2)(b), he or she may be granted status under Division 2.2 for work performed before that admission for another academic program referred to in that paragraph.]

2.5   Admission: conditions

2.5(1) In appropriate circumstances, the Delegated Authority may require a student to have relevant professional experience or admit a person to candidature conditionally.

2.5(2) A person must not, at any time after admission, begin to pursue another award program in the University or in another tertiary education institution without the written permission of the Delegated Authority.

2.5(3) A person who indicates in an application for admission that the person does not intend to continue pursuing another award program in the University or in another tertiary education institution must not, at any time after admission, continue to pursue that other award program without the written permission of the Delegated Authority.

2.5(4) Unless the Deputy Vice-Chancellor otherwise determines, an applicant for admission to an academic program must satisfy any English language requirements determined by the Deputy Vice-Chancellor for the program.

2.6   What courses may be taken?

2.6(1) The courses for the award must be chosen from:
(a)   courses offered by the ANU College concerned; and
(b)   courses approved by the appropriate ANU College Dean that are offered by other ANU Colleges or elsewhere in the University.

2.6(2) The courses offered by an ANU College are the courses set out in the Orders for the College and have the unit values set out in those Orders.

2.6(3) A Delegated Authority may determine:
(a)   courses for which a student may not receive status if taken with other courses; and
(b)   a maximum number of courses for which a student may receive status in any year; and
(c)   a maximum number of units for which a student may receive status for taking specified courses; and
(d)   subject to any other relevant Orders, any other condition to which the taking of a particular course is subject.

[NOTE: The Orders generally mention courses that are incompatible with, or that may not be taken concurrently with, or after completion of, other courses and prerequisites and co-requisites to the taking of particular courses.]

2.6(4) A student must obtain the approval of the Delegated Authority for the content of the student's academic program and for any change to that content.

Division 2.2: Status

2.7 Status

2.7(1) The ANU College Dean may determine the limits within which status for relevant work performed at the University or elsewhere may be granted in relation to a particular award or course.

2.7(2) Within those limits, the Delegated Authority may determine, in relation to a particular student, conditions on which status may be granted to the student.

2.7(3) Status for an academic program may be granted for not more than half of the program's requirements or, if the course is relevant to the academic program concerned and is undertaken at the University, with the approval of the Delegated Authority, for more than half of the program's requirements.

2.7(4) Subject to subrules 2.7(1), 2.7(2) and 2.7(3), if a student has, within 7 years before admission to candidature, performed relevant postgraduate work, whether at the University or at another tertiary education institution approved by the Delegated Authority, the Delegated Authority may grant the student status for that work towards a student's academic program to which this subrule applies.

2.7(5) However, if:

    (a) a student for the degree of Master of Clinical Psychology has, before admission to the academic program, undertaken supervised clinical experience in a public clinical service; and

    (b) the standard of the experience is equivalent to the standard of experience that would be gained by undertaking a fieldwork placement course as part of the academic program for the degree;

the Delegated Authority may grant the student status for the first-mentioned experience towards the academic program.

2.7(6) Also, if a student has, within 7 years before being admitted to candidature to an academic program for a degree of Master (other than by research), or a Graduate Diploma or Graduate Certificate, performed relevant advanced undergraduate work, whether at the University or at another tertiary education institution, the Delegated Authority may grant the student status for that work towards the academic program for not greater than one quarter of the program's requirements.

Division 2.3: Transfer between academic programs

2.8 Transfer: general

2.8(1) A student seeking to transfer between academic programs must apply in writing to the Delegated Authority to do so.

2.8(2) The Delegated Authority may permit an applicant under subrule 2.8(1) to transfer between academic programs.

2.9 Transfer: from professional doctorate to degree of Master etc

2.9(1) A student for a professional doctorate (other than by research) may request transfer to an academic program for the relevant degree of Master, or other award, by coursework or coursework and research with status for all work completed if the Delegated Authority has not determined that the student has failed the professional doctorate program.

2.10 Transfer: from degree of Master by coursework to professional doctorate

2.10(1) The Delegated Authority may admit as a student for a professional doctorate (other than by research) a person who, immediately before that admission, was a student for a degree of Master by coursework or coursework and research.

2.11 Transfer: from degree of Master etc to Graduate Diploma or Certificate

2.11(1) The Delegated Authority may, subject to such requirements and on such terms and conditions as the Delegated Authority determines, admit as a student for a Graduate Diploma or Certificate a person who wishes to transfer candidature from an academic program for a degree of Master or another graduate degree or diploma offered by the University.

Division 2.4: Supervision

2.12 Supervisors: appointment

2.12(1) For a student for a professional doctorate by coursework, a degree of Master by coursework, a Graduate Diploma or a Graduate Certificate, the Delegated Authority must, before the commencement of the program, appoint one or more supervisors for the student for that program.

2.12(2) The Delegated Authority may appoint a member of staff of the University to be the coordinator or director for a program.

2.12(3) The coordinator or director of an academic program is to be the supervisor of all students in that program.

2.12(4) For a student for a degree of Master by coursework and research, the Delegated Authority must appoint one or more additional supervisors for the student for the research component of the program on or before the date on which the research component of the student's program begins.

2.12(5) If a sole supervisor is, or is to be, absent from the University or is unable to perform the duties of a supervisor, for more than 4 consecutive weeks, the Delegated Authority must appoint a person to act as the supervisor for the period of the absence.

2.12(6) If the supervisor of an academic program is, or is about to be, absent from the University for more than 4 consecutive weeks, the Delegated Authority must appoint an acting coordinator or director for that program for the period of the absence.

2.13 Supervisors and supervision

2.13(1) At least 1 supervisor for a student must be a member of the academic staff of the University employed by the University full-time, or part-time on at least a 50% basis.

2.13(2) Also, a person holding full or adjunct academic status, an Emeritus Professor or Emeritus Fellow of the University, or a person with recognised honorary academic status within the University, may, with the approval of the Delegated Authority, be appointed as a supervisor.

2.13(3) Subject to the direction of the Delegated Authority, a supervisor or a coordinator must supervise the student's academic program and the student's observance of these Rules and enable the student to obtain advice on any matter relevant to the program.

Division 2.5: Other Provisions applying to awards

2.14 Duration of standard program

2.14(1) An academic program may be pursued full-time or part-time.

2.14(2) The duration of an academic program is as set out in these Rules and in the Orders.

2.15 Program requirements for coursework-based award

2.15(1) To finish the academic program for an award requiring coursework or coursework and research, a student must:

(a) pass courses mentioned in subrule 2.15(2) the total value of which (together with the value of any research component) is set out in the Orders in relation to the award; and

(b) complete the other requirements for the award set out in these Rules and the Orders; and

(c) comply with any condition imposed by the Delegated Authority on the person's admission to candidature.

2.15(2) The courses, sequences of courses or combinations of courses that may be included in a program for an award referred to in subrule 2.15(1) are the courses, sequences or combinations of courses approved by the ANU College Dean and set out in the Orders and published in the Handbook.

2.15(3) The Delegated Authority may, in special circumstances, approve a program or variation of a program that does not comply with subrule 2.15(2).

2.15(4) Not more than one quarter of the courses required for an academic program leading to a degree of Master, or a Graduate Diploma or Graduate Certificate, may be undergraduate courses.

2.16 Application of Academic Progress Rules

2.16(1) The Academic Progress Rules apply in relation to each graduate coursework program.

2.17 Attendance at the University

2.17(1) An academic program must be pursued at the University or at another place approved by the Delegated Authority.

2.17(2) The ANU College Dean may make Orders setting out the maximum period or the number or value of courses for which a particular academic program may be pursued outside the University.

2.17(3) However, approval is not to be given for the completion of courses outside the University unless the Delegated Authority is satisfied that:

      (a) the courses are substantially comparable in quality with equivalent courses offered by the University for the academic program; or

      (b) the institution concerned has satisfactory facilities for the purposes of the completion of the courses;

as the case requires.

2.18 Language of instruction

2.18(1) An academic program is to be conducted in the English language unless the ANU College Dean determines otherwise.

2.19 Program leave of absence

2.19(1) The Delegated Authority may grant a student program leave of absence from the student's academic program for a graduate award for such period as the Delegated Authority thinks fit.

2.19(2) However, no period of program leave of absence may be less than 1 week for a full-time student or 2 weeks for a part-time student.

PART 3: PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Division 3.1: Professional doctorates other than research degrees

3.1   Application of Division

3.1(1) This Division applies to academic programs, and to students pursuing those programs, leading to a professional doctorate other than a research degree.

3.2   Academic program content

3.2(1) An academic program of study to which this Division relates consists of work including coursework, research or clinical or professional practice.

3.2(2) If an academic program of study to which this Division relates is to contain a research thesis component, the research thesis component is to relate to a topic or topics approved by the Delegated Authority.

3.2(3) However, if more than one topic is permitted under subrule 3.2(2), the topics must have a reasonable relationship with each other.

3.2(4) The minimum standard of coursework that must be attained before a student is granted the award or before the student's thesis is examined is to be determined by the Deputy Vice-Chancellor and set out in the Orders.

3.2(5) Each determination must be made available to relevant students and must contain a description of the academic program requirements.

3.2(6) Completion of an academic program for a professional doctorate requires at least 96 units and, unless otherwise approved by the Deputy Vice-Chancellor, not greater than 192 units.

3.2(7) To complete the requirements of the academic program satisfactorily, a student must pass the coursework, the research (thesis) component, and any clinical or professional practice that is required, at the standard indicated in the relevant determination.

3.2(8) In computing periods of time for completing units under this rule, periods of program leave of absence do not extend the time available.

3.3   Time limits

3.3(1) The maximum duration of a 192 unit program for a professional doctorate other than by research is 9 years.

Division 3.2: Degrees of Master by Coursework

3.4   Application of Division

3.4(1) This Division applies to academic programs leading to a degree of Master by coursework set out in the Schedule and which require a student to complete the program either by coursework (to which subrule 3.5(2) applies) or a combination of coursework and research (to which subrule 3.5(3) applies).

3.5   Academic programs

3.5(1) In this Division, a reference to a ***coursework program*** is a reference to an academic program consisting largely or entirely of coursework, and a reference to a ***coursework and research program*** is a reference to an academic program involving less than two-thirds research.

3.5(2) A coursework program can be:
  (a)   a degree with an ungraded exit standard of *Satisfactory*; or
  (b)   a degree with a graded exit standard of *Distinction, Merit*, or *Award.*

3.5(3) A coursework and research program can be:
  (a)   a degree with an ungraded exit standard of *Satisfactory*; or
  (b)   a degree with a graded exit standard of *First Class Honours, Second Class Honours, Division A, Second Class Honours, Division B*, or *Third Class Honours.*

3.5(4) A failure in a coursework program is to be graded *Fail.*

3.5(5) The ANU College Dean must identify each academic program to which this Division applies as falling under paragraph 3.5(2)(a) or (b) or 3.5(3)(a) or (b).

3.6   Academic program content

3.6(1) An academic program is to consist of coursework or a combination of coursework and research, being research into a topic determined by the Delegated Authority.

[NOTE: see rule 2.15 for general program requirements for coursework-based awards.]

3.6(2) However, if more than one research topic is permitted, the topics are to have a reasonable relationship with each other.

3.6(3) An academic program of the kind defined in subrule 3.5(3) must contain a research component of at least one quarter of the total requirements for the degree.

3.6(4) An academic program must contain a coursework component greater than one third of the total requirements for the degree.

3.6(5) Completion of an academic program for a degree of Master requires:

      (a)   at least 48 units and not greater than 96 units; or

      (b)   if a different unit value is mentioned in the Orders for the award, that value.

3.7　Time limits

3.7(1) The maximum duration of a program leading to a degree of Master is:

      (a)   for a 48 unit program, 5 years; and

      (b)   for a 60 to 72 unit program, 6 years; and

      (c)   for a 96 (or more) unit program, 7 years.

3.7(2) In computing periods of time for completing units under this rule, periods of program leave of absence do not extend the time available.

Division 3.3: Graduate Diplomas

3.8　Application of Division

3.8(1) This Division applies to academic programs for Graduate Diplomas mentioned in the Schedule.

3.9　Academic program content

3.9(1) An academic program for a Graduate Diploma consists of such work as is set out in the Orders.

[NOTE: *See* rule 2.15 for general program requirements for coursework-based awards.]

3.9(2) Completion of an academic program leading to a Graduate Diploma requires at least 36 units and not more than 48 units.

3.10　Classification of performance of student

3.10(1) A student who has complied with these Rules and the Orders, and who has reached a standard satisfactory to the Delegated Authority in the courses of the student's program and any other work that he or she is required to perform, may be granted a Graduate Diploma at the level determined by the Delegated Authority.

3.10(2) A Graduate Diploma must be classified *Awarded the Diploma with Distinction,* or *Awarded the Diploma with Merit* or *Awarded the Diploma*.

3.10(3) A failure in a Graduate Diploma program is to be graded as *Fail*.

3.10(4) A Graduate Diploma may only be awarded with Distinction if the student has achieved a standard equivalent to First Class Honours

3.10(5) A Graduate Diploma may only be awarded with Merit if the student has achieved a standard equivalent to Second Class Honours, Division A.

3.11 Time limits

3.11(1) The maximum duration of a program for a Graduate Diploma is 5 years.

3.11(2) In computing periods of time for completing units under this rule, periods of program leave of absence do not extend the time available.

Division 3.4: Graduate Certificates

3.12 Application of Division

3.12(1) This Division applies to academic programs for Graduate Certificates mentioned in the Schedule.

3.13 Academic program content

3.13(1) An academic program for a Graduate Certificate consists of such work as is set out in the Orders.

[NOTE: See rule 2.15 for general program requirements for coursework-based awards.]

3.13(2) Completion of an academic program leading to a Graduate Certificate requires at least 24 units.

3.14 Classification of student's performance

3.14(1) A student who has complied with these Rules and the Orders, and who has reached a standard satisfactory to the Delegated Authority in the courses of the student's program and any other work that he or she is required to perform, may be granted a Graduate Certificate.

3.14(2) A Graduate Certificate must be awarded as an ungraded *Pass*.

3.14(3) A failure in a Graduate Certificate program is to be graded as *Fail*.

3.15 Time limits

3.15(1) The maximum duration of a program for a Graduate Certificate is 3 years.

3.15(2) In computing periods of time for completing units under this rule, periods of program leave of absence do not extend the time available.

Division 3.5: Combined programs

3.16 Combined programs

3.16(1) With the permission of the prescribed authorities concerned, a student may undertake the programs for 2 awards as a combined program.

3.16(2) The University offers the combined programs mentioned in Part 5 of the Schedule.

3.17 Combined program: requirements

3.17(1) The requirements for a combined program are as set out in the Orders.

3.17(2) Rules and Orders that apply to a component program of a combined program apply, except where they are inconsistent with Orders made under this rule, to that component of the combined program.

PART 4: EXAMINATIONS

4.1 Application of Part

4.1(1) This Part applies to the examination of students for graduate coursework awards.

4.2 How may a student be assessed?

4.2(1) A student undertaking a program must submit to examinations or assessment in the courses of the program as required by the Delegated Authority concerned.

4.2(2) A student may only be admitted to examination or given other assessment in any of the courses of a program if he or she has attended the classes, and carried out work in the courses of the program, to the satisfaction of the Course Authority concerned.

4.2(3) However, a student must not be refused an examination or other assessment by reason only of the fact that the student failed to attend a class or carry out work if the student was not given reasonable notice that he or she was required to attend the class or carry out the work.

4.2(4) Coursework is to be examined in accordance with the Examinations Rules.

4.2(5) Examinations are to be written and conducted in the English language unless the Deputy Vice-Chancellor, acting on the recommendation of the Delegated Authority, determines otherwise.

4.3 Methods of examination: theses

4.3(1) If an academic program requires the submission of a thesis in addition to other coursework components, the thesis is to be examined in accordance with this Part.

4.3(2) Theses are to be written and conducted in the English language, unless the Deputy Vice-Chancellor, on the recommendation of the Delegated Authority, otherwise determines.

4.3(3) Subject to these Rules, the ANU College Dean may determine the requirements of an examination of a thesis.

4.4 Methods of examination: clinical or professional practice, etc.

4.4(1) However, for a program of study requiring clinical or professional practice, examination of the clinical or professional practice component of the program may be by written or oral examination following the completion of the component, or by assessment reports on an internship or other form of professional practice.

4.4(2) A reference in this rule to a ***written examination*** includes a reference:

  (a) to the examination of a student by reports by the student's supervisors about the student's performance during:

   (i) internships; or

   (ii) other form of professional practice; and

  (b) in relation to an academic program offered by the School of Art, the School of Music or the Centre for New Media Arts in the ANU College of Arts and Social Sciences, to the examination of:

   (i) an exhibition; or

   (ii) a performance; or

   (iii) a folio of original works.

4.5 Theses

4.5(1) If a student is required to submit a thesis, the student must submit a thesis in a form approved by the Delegated Authority in accordance with the Orders.

4.6 Examination of theses

4.6(1) A thesis must incorporate an account of research done during the program and its result and, if the research is on more than 1 topic, must demonstrate the relationship between the topics.

4.6(2) A thesis based upon research conducted jointly with another person must clearly indicate the nature and extent of the student's contribution to the research.

4.6(3) A student must clearly mark in the thesis, material which has been previously submitted by the student for the purpose of obtaining a degree of any university or other tertiary education institution.

4.6(4) A thesis must not be accepted for examination unless, in the opinion of the Delegated Authority, it consists preponderantly of material not previously so submitted.

4.6(5) A thesis that has been published may be submitted in published form, subject to the approval of the Delegated Authority.

4.7 Examiners of thesis

4.7(1) The Delegated Authority may appoint examiners for a thesis.

4.7(2) Marking or moderation is to involve one person who may be chosen from within the University, or from outside the University, but who is not associated with the program.

4.8 Decision about results

4.8(1) A student who has complied with the Orders and these Rules and who has reached a standard satisfactory to the Delegated Authority in the courses of the student's program and in

the research thesis (if the student is required to submit a thesis), may be granted the award at the level determined by the Delegated Authority.

4.8(2) If a student who is required to submit a research thesis fails the examination, the Delegated Authority may require the student to be re-examined by resubmission of the thesis.

4.8(3) If a student who is required to submit a research thesis fails the examination and any subsequent resubmission and re-examination of the thesis, the student is to be graded *Fail* for the program.

[NOTE: Rule 17 of the Discipline Rules provides for withholding of awards where obligations to the University have not been met.]

4.8(4) If a student is graded *Fail* for a program, the Delegated Authority must notify the student in writing of the decision, and must include in the notice:

(a) a statement to the effect that, subject to these Rules, the student is entitled to appeal against the decision; and

(b) a statement setting out the procedure for lodging an appeal.

4.8(5) The validity of a decision made under subrule 4.8(4) is not affected by a failure to include in a notice, statements in accordance with paragraph 4.8(4)(a) or 4.8(4)(b).

4.9 Student's right of appeal

4.9(1) The hearing and determination of an appeal against a decision to fail a student for a program is to be conducted in accordance with the Academic Progress Rules.

PART 5: MISCELLANEOUS

5.1 Non-award studies

5.1(1) The Delegated Authority may admit to a non-award program a student not proceeding to an award.

5.1(2) A student admitted to a non-award program must pursue an academic program under the direction of the Delegated Authority approving the admission for such period and under such conditions as the Delegated Authority determines.

5.2 Adjustment of time limits

5.2(1) If these Rules fix, or authorise the fixing of, time limits for anything required to be done, the ANU College Dean may from time to time extend or abridge the time limits in any case if it is just and reasonable to do so, and may do so retrospectively.

5.3 Orders and administrative requirements

5.3(1) The Deputy Vice-Chancellor may make Orders (other than Orders referred to in rule 1.6), not inconsistent with these Rules, setting out procedures to be followed in applying for admission for particular programs, for transferring between programs and otherwise for giving effect to these Rules.

5.3(2) The ANU College Dean or a Delegated Authority may publish information about administrative matters to assist in giving effect to these Rules.

5.3(3) If an Order is an Order to which rule 9 of the Handbook applies, the Order must be published in the Graduate Handbook before it takes effect.

5.3(4) If an Order is an Order to which rule 9 of the Graduate Handbook Rules does not apply, the Order does not come into operation until after it is registered under the *Legislative Instruments Act 2003*.

5.4   Transitional

5.4(1) The ANU College Dean must permit the continued application of all or any part of the repealed Graduate Awards Rules (No. 2) 2006 to an academic program for a student if that student:

    (a)   has completed work towards that program; and

    (b)   not to do so might disadvantage that student.

5.5   Application of amending rules

5.5(1) If an amendment is made to these Rules and that amendment affects an academic program to which these Rules relate, then, unless the contrary intention appears, the amendment does not apply to a student who, before the making of the amendment, has completed any work towards an academic program unless:

    (a)   the student elects that the amendment apply to the student and submits to the ANU College Dean proposed alterations to the student's academic program and the ANU College Dean approves those alterations; or

    (b)   the ANU College Dean otherwise determines.

5.5(2) To avoid doubt, the Academic Progress Rules apply in relation to a course or program to which these Rules apply and, in particular, rules 18 and 19 of the Academic Progress Rules take precedence over rule 5.4 and this rule.

5.6   Savings

5.6(1) The Graduate Awards Rules (No. 2) 2006 as amended and in force immediately before the commencement of these Rules continue to apply in relation to any decision taken, or proceeding commenced and not concluded, under those Rules before the commencement of these Rules.

5.7   Repeal

5.7(1) The Graduate Awards Rules (No. 2) 2006, as amended and in force immediately before the commencement of these Rules, are repealed.

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SCHEDULE OF GRADUATE COURSEWORK AWARDS OFFERED BY THE UNIVERSITY

Rule 1.5

PART 1 — PROFESSIONAL DOCTORATES

Doctor of Diplomatic Studies (DDipIS)
Doctor of Psychology (Clinical) (DPsych(Clinical))

PART 2 — DEGREES OF MASTER

Executive Master of Public Administration (ExecMPA)
Master of Accounting (MAcc)
Master of Actuarial Statistics (MActStat)
Master of Actuarial Studies (MActSt)
Master of Anthropology (MAnth)
Master of Applied Anthropology and Participatory Development (MAAPD)
Master of Applied Economics (MAppEc)
Master of Applied Epidemiology (MAppEpid)
Master of Applied Linguistics (MAppLing)
Master of Applied Statistics (MAppStats)
Master of Arts (MA)
Master of Arts (Asian Studies) (MA(Asian Studies))
Master of Arts (International Relations) (MA(IR))
Master of Arts (New Media Arts and Technology) (MA(NewMediaArts&Tech))
Master of Arts (Strategic Studies) (MA(SS))
Master of Arts (Visual Arts) (MAVisualArts)
Master of Asia-Pacific Studies (MAPS)
Master of Asian Studies (MAS)
Master of Biotechnology (MBiotech)
Master of Business (MBus)
Master of Business Administration (MBA)
Master of Business Information Systems (MBIS)
Master of Clinical Psychology (MClinPsych)
Master of Commerce (MComm)
Master of Commercial Law (MCommLaw)
Master of Computing (MComp)
Master of Computing (Software Engineering) (MComp(SEng))
Master of Contemporary Science (MContempSci)
Master of Design Arts (MDesA)
Master of Development Administration (MDevAdmin)
Master of Economic Policy (MEcPol)
Master of Economics (MEc)
Master of Economics of Development (MEcDev)
Master of Engineering (ME)
Master of Environmental Law (MEnvLaw)
Master of Environmental Law, Management and Business (MEnvLawManBus)
Master of Environmental Management and Development (MEnvMan&Dev)
Master of Environmental and Resource Economics (MEnvResEc)
Master of Environmental Science (MEnvSc)
Master of Finance (MFin)
Master of Financial Management (MFinMgt)
Master of Forestry (MFor)
Master of Geographical Sciences (MGeogSci)
Master of Government and Commercial Law (MGovComLaw)
Master of Higher Education (MHE)
Master of Information and Communication Technology (MICT)
Master of Information Systems Studies (MInfSysStud)
Master of Information Technology (eScience) (MInfTech(eSci))
Master of Information Technology Studies (MITS)
Master of Infrastructure Management (MInfrMan)
Master of Intellectual Property Law (MIPLaw)
Master of International Affairs (MIA)
Master of International and Development Economics (MIntDevEc)
Master of International Law (MIntLaw)
Master of International Management (MIntMgt)

Master of International Trade and Economic Relations (MITER)
Master of Laws (LLM)
Master of Laws (Legal Practice) (LLMLegPrac)
Master of Laws (Public Law) (LLM(PublicLaw))
Master of Legal Studies (MLegStudies)
Master of Linguistics (MLing)
Master of Management (MMgt)
Master of Management (Health Services Administration) (MMgt(HealthServicesAdmin))
Master of Management (Technology) (MMgtTechnology)
Master of Marketing (MMktg)
Master of Mathematical Sciences (MMathS)
Master of Middle Eastern and Central Asian Studies (MMECAS)
Master of Military Law (MMilLaw)
Master of Music (MMus)
Master of New Media Arts (MNMA)
Master of Nuclear Science (MNucSci)
Master of Philosophy (MPhil)
Master of Photonics (MPhotonics)
Master of Population Studies (MPS)
Master of Professional Accounting (MProfAcc)
Master of Public Administration (MPA)
Master of Public Health (MPH)
Master of Public Law (MPubLaw)
Master of Public Policy (MPubPol)
Master of Public Policy (Executive) (MPubPol(Ex))
Master of Regolith Geoscience (MRegGeosci)
Master of Regulatory Economics (MRegEc)
Master of Resources, Environment and Society (MRES)
Master of Science (MSc)
Master of Science Communication (MScComm)
Master of Software Engineering (MSE)
Master of Sport and Exercise Medicine (MSEM)
Master of Statistics (MStats)
Master of Strategic Affairs (MSA)
Master of Sustainable Heritage Development (MSHD)
Master of Sustainable Heritage Development and Management (MSHDM)
Master of Translation Studies (MTransStudies)
Master of Visual Arts (MVA)
Master of Visual Culture Research (MVCR)

PART 3 — GRADUATE DIPLOMAS

Graduate Diploma in Accounting (GradDipActng)
Graduate Diploma in Advanced Military Law (GradDipAdvMilLaw)
Graduate Diploma in Applied Economics (GradDipAppEc)
Graduate Diploma in Applied Linguistics (GradDipAppLing)
Graduate Diploma in Arts (GradDipArts)
Graduate Diploma of Art (Visual) (GradDipArt(Visual))
Graduate Diploma in Asian Studies (GradDipAsianStudies)
Graduate Diploma in Australian Studies (GradDipAustStudies)
Graduate Diploma in Commercial Law (GradDipCommLaw)
Graduate Diploma in Demography (GradDipDemog)
Graduate Diploma in Development Administration (GradDipDevAdmin)
Graduate Diploma in Digital Media and the Web (GradDipDigMedia&Web)
Graduate Diploma in Dispute Management (GradDipDisMan)
Graduate Diploma in Econometrics (GradDipEcmetrics)
Graduate Diploma in Economic History (GradDipEcHist)

Graduate Diploma in Economic Policy (GradDipEcPol)
Graduate Diploma in Economics (GradDipEc)
Graduate Diploma in Economics of Development (GradDipEcDev)
Graduate Diploma in Environmental Law (GradDipEnvLaw)
Graduate Diploma in Environmental Management and Development (GradDipEnvMan&Dev)
Graduate Diploma in Environmental and Resource Economics (GradDipEnvResEc)
Graduate Diploma in Environmental Science (GradDipEnvSc)
Graduate Diploma in Finance (GradDipFinance)
Graduate Diploma in Foreign Affairs and Trade (GradDipForAff&Tde)
Graduate Diploma in Forestry (GradDipFor)
Graduate Diploma in Geographical Science (GradDipGeogSc)
Graduate Diploma in Government and Commercial Law (GradDipGovComLaw)
Graduate Diploma in Information Technology (eScience) (GradDipIT(eSci))
Graduate Diploma in Infrastructure Management (GradDipInfrMan)
Graduate Diploma in Intellectual Property Law (GradDipIPLaw)
Graduate Diploma in International Affairs (GradDipIA)
Graduate Diploma in International and Development Economics (GradDipIntDevEc)
Graduate Diploma in International Law (GradDipIntLaw)
Graduate Diploma in International Relations (GradDipIntRel)
Graduate Diploma in International Trade and Economic Relations (GradDipITER)
Graduate Diploma in Law (GradDipLaw)
Graduate Diploma in Legal Practice (GradDipLegPrac)
Graduate Diploma in Legal Studies (GradDipLegStudies)
Graduate Diploma in Management (GradDipMgt)
Graduate Diploma in Middle Eastern and Central Asian Studies (GradDipMidEast&CAsianStudies)
Graduate Diploma in Military Law (GradDipMilLaw)
Graduate Diploma in Music (GradDipMus)
Graduate Diploma in Population Health (GradDipPoplnHlth)
Graduate Diploma in Psychology (GradDipPsych)
Graduate Diploma in Psychological Studies (GradDipPsychStudies)
Graduate Diploma in Public Administration (GradDipPubAdmin)
Graduate Diploma in Public Economic Policy (GradDipPubEcPol)
Graduate Diploma in Public Law (GradDipPubLaw)
Graduate Diploma in Public Policy (GradDipPubPol)
Graduate Diploma in Regulatory Economics (GradDipRegEc)
Graduate Diploma in Resources, Environment and Society (GradDipRES)
Graduate Diploma in Science (GradDipSc)
Graduate Diploma in Scientific Communication (GradDipScComm)
Graduate Diploma in Strategic Affairs (GradDipSA)
Graduate Diploma in Sustainable Heritage Development (GradDipSHD)
Graduate Diploma in Theory and Practice of Science Centres (GradDipSciCen)
Graduate Diploma in Translation Studies (GradDipTransStud)

PART 4 — GRADUATE CERTIFICATES

Graduate Certificate in Accounting (GradCertAcc)
Graduate Certificate in Actuarial Studies (GradCertActS)
Graduate Certificate in Actuarial Techniques (GradCertActTech)
Graduate Certificate in Applied Japanese Linguistics (GradCertAppJapLing)
Graduate Certificate in Applied Statistics (GradCertAppStats)
Graduate Certificate in Australian Migration Law and Practice (GradCertMigLaw)
Graduate Certificate in Biotechnology (GradCertBiotech)
Graduate Certificate in Business Statistics (GradCertBusStats)
Graduate Certificate in Contemporary Science (GradCertContempSci)
Graduate Certificate in Demography (GradCertDemog)
Graduate Certificate in Development Administration (GradCertDevAdmin)

Graduate Certificate in Digital Media and the Web (GradCertDigMedia&Web)
Graduate Certificate in Dispute Management (GradCertDisMan)
Graduate Certificate in Economics of Development (GradCertEcDev)
Graduate Certificate in Environmental Law (GradCertEnvLaw)
Graduate Certificate in Environmental Management and Development (GradCertEnvMan&Dev)
Graduate Certificate in Environmental Science (GradCertEnvSci)
Graduate Certificate in Financial Management (GradCertFinMgt)
Graduate Certificate in Foreign Affairs and Trade (GradCertForAff&Tde)
Graduate Certificate in Forestry (GradCertFor)
Graduate Certificate in Geographical Sciences (GradCertGeogSci)
Graduate Certificate in Higher Education (GradCertHE)
Graduate Certificate in Infrastructure Management (GradCertInfrMan)
Graduate Certificate in International and Development Economics (GradCertIntDevEc)
Graduate Certificate in Management (GradCertMgt)
Graduate Certificate in Marketing (GradCertMktg)
Graduate Certificate in Music Education (Instrumental Pedagogy) (GradCertMusEd(IP))
Graduate Certificate in Music Performance (GradCertMusPerf)
Graduate Certificate in Organisational Coaching (GradCertOrgCoach)
Graduate Certificate in Public Administration (GradCertPubAdmin)
Graduate Certificate in Public Policy (GradCertPubPol)
Graduate Certificate in Regulatory Economics (GradCertRegEc)
Graduate Certificate in Resources, Environment and Society (GradCertRES)
Graduate Certificate in Science Communication (GradCertSciComm)
Graduate Certificate in Sustainable Heritage Development (GradCertSHD)
Graduate Certificate in Teaching English as a Second Language (GradCertTESOL)
Graduate Certificate in Theory and Practice of Science Centres (GradCertSciCen).

PART 5 — COMBINED PROGRAMS

Master of Diplomacy/Master of Arts (International Relations) (MDipl/MA(IR))
Master of Diplomacy/Master of Arts (specialising in Middle Eastern and Central Asian Studies) (MDipl/MA)
Master of Diplomacy/Master of Arts (Strategic Studies) (MDipl/MA(SS))
Master of Diplomacy/Master of Asia-Pacific Studies (MDipl/MAPS)
Master of Diplomacy/Master of Development Administration (MDipl/MDevAdmin)
Master of Diplomacy/Master of Economics of Development (MDipl/MEcDev)
Master of Diplomacy/Master of Environmental Management and Development (MDipl/MEnvMan&Dev)
Master of Diplomacy/Master of International Affairs (MDipl/MIA)
Master of Diplomacy/Master of International and Development Economics (MDipl/MIntDevEc)
Master of Diplomacy/Master of International Law (MDipl/MIntLaw)
Master of Diplomacy/Master of Laws (MDipl/LLM)
Master of Diplomacy/Master of Middle Eastern and Central Asian Studies (MDipl/MMECAS)
Master of Diplomacy/Master of Public Administration (MDipl/MPA)
Master of Diplomacy/Master of Public Policy (specialising in Development Administration or International Policy) (MDipl/MPubPol)
Master of Diplomacy/Master of Strategic Affairs (MDipl/MSA)

PART 6 — JOINT PROGRAMS

Master of Arts (South East Asian Studies) (MA (SEAsianStud))*

   (*offered jointly with the National University of Singapore)

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