

**EXTERNAL EXAMINING OF UNDERGRADUATE AND POSTGRADUATE
TAUGHT DEGREE PROGRAMMES**

1. Introduction

- 1.1 This document relates to external examining of taught programmes leading to degree awards of the University.
- 1.2 External examining provides one of the principal means for the monitoring, maintenance and assurance of quality in the awards the University offers. External examining is an integral and very important part of institutional quality assurance.
- 1.3 The University requires that an External Examiner be appointed for each undergraduate and postgraduate degree programme.