### University Calendar: 2018/19

### Academic Regulations: Faculty of Engineering and Physical Sciences

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<th>School</th>
<th>Engineering</th>
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| **Award** | Bachelor of Engineering (BEng)  
Master of Engineering (MEng)  
Certificate of Higher Education  
Diploma of Higher Education  
Ordinary Degree |
| **Programme(s)** | BSc Acoustics with Music  
BSc Healthcare Sciences (Audiology)  
BSc Hearing Science  
MSci Healthcare Sciences (Audiology)  
MSci Hearing Science  
BEng Acoustical Engineering  
BEng Acoustical Engineering with Industrial Placement Year  
MEng Acoustical Engineering  
MEng Acoustical Engineering with Industrial Placement Year  
BEng Aeronautics and Astronautics  
BEng Aeronautics and Astronautics with Industrial Placement Year  
MEng Aeronautics and Astronautics (including Aerodynamics, Airvehicle Systems Design, Computational Engineering and Design, Engineering Management, Materials and Structures, Semester Abroad, Semester in Industry, Spacecraft Engineering)  
MEng Aeronautics and Astronautics with Industrial Placement Year (including Aerodynamics, Airvehicle Systems Design, Computational Engineering and Design, Engineering Management, Materials and Structures, Semester Abroad, Semester in Industry, Spacecraft Engineering)  
BEng Civil Engineering  
BEng Civil Engineering with Industrial Placement Year  
MEng Civil Engineering  
MEng Civil Engineering with Industrial Placement Year  
MEng Civil Engineering and Architecture  
MEng Civil Engineering and Architecture with Industrial Placement Year  
MEng Civil Engineering with a Year in Industry  
MEng Civil and Environmental Engineering  
MEng Civil and Environmental Engineering with Industrial Placement Year  
BEng Mechanical Engineering  
BEng Mechanical Engineering with Industrial Placement Year  
MEng Mechanical Engineering (including Acoustical Engineering, Advanced Materials, Aerospace, Automotive, Biomedical Engineering, Computational Engineering and Design, Engineering Management, Interdisciplinary, Mechatronics, Naval Engineering, Semester Abroad, Semester in Industry, Sustainable Energy Systems)  
MEng Mechanical Engineering with Industrial Placement Year (including Acoustical Engineering, Advanced Materials, Aerospace, Automotive, Biomedical Engineering, Computational Engineering and Design, Engineering Management, Interdisciplinary, Mechatronics, Naval Engineering, Semester Abroad, Semester in Industry, Sustainable Energy Systems) |
The regulations in Section 4, General Information and Regulations, located on the University Calendar are applicable for the listed programmes.

On occasion, programmes can be exempted from one or more of the clauses in these Regulations, or one or more of the clauses can be varied.

- Exemptions are characterised by the omission of the relevant clause.
- Variations are characterised by the replacement of the clause with alternative wording.

The programmes listed have approval from the Academic Quality and Standards Committee for the exemptions and/or variations to the regulations noted below.

Additional requirements are also listed.

Exemptions
None

Variations
The clause(s) listed below describe where a variation to the General Regulations exists.

<table>
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<th>Existing University Regulation (inc. link)</th>
<th>Approved Variation</th>
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<td>2.2. <a href="http://www.calendar.soton.ac.uk/sectionIV/progressionregs">http://www.calendar.soton.ac.uk/sectionIV/progressionregs</a></td>
<td>In order to progress to the next Part of the programme, Integrated Masters (MEng/MSci) students are required to obtain an overall aggregate mark of 55% in Part II and 55% in Part III.</td>
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Additional Requirements
The clause(s) listed below are in addition to the General Academic Regulations.

BSc Healthcare Sciences (Audiology), BSc Hearing Science, MSci Healthcare Sciences (Audiology), and the MSci Hearing Science are subject to DBS requirements.

Continuation on your programme is subject to consideration of any criminal convictions. The programme is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act [1986]. All students are required to inform the Faculty of all criminal convictions both prior to and throughout their period of enrolment. All students will be subject to an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check.

Students on BEng or MEng with Industrial Placement Year may not commence their placement until successful completion of Part II, either at the first opportunity or following a referral opportunity or a repeat of Part II.

Students on BEng or MEng with Industrial Placement Year who fail the placement assessment will be referred in that assessment requiring submission of a new industrial placement assessment. Subsequent failure in the referral assessment will result in transferring to the relevant MEng
substantive programme without Industrial Placement Year and the Industrial Placement Year will not feature on the degree certificate, examination transcript or Diploma Supplement.

BSc Healthcare Sciences (Audiology), BSc Hearing Science, MSci Healthcare Sciences (Audiology), and the MSci Hearing Science: continuation on your programme is subject to specific health requirements (consistent with the provisions of the Equality Act [2010]). Students are required to inform the Faculty of any health problems, throughout

**Additional requirements relating to the Award of Qualification**
For undergraduate students undertaking a credit-bearing period of study at an institution outside the UK (including those participating in exchange programmes and independent study abroad programmes) the following conversion scale will be used:

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<th>ECTS</th>
<th>North America</th>
<th>GPA Range</th>
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<tr>
<td>A</td>
<td>A/A+=</td>
<td>3.7 – 4.0+</td>
<td>70 or over</td>
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<td>B</td>
<td>B+/A-</td>
<td>3.2 – 3.6</td>
<td>60 – 70</td>
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<tr>
<td>C</td>
<td>B-/B</td>
<td>2.5 – 3.1</td>
<td>55 – 60</td>
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<tr>
<td>D</td>
<td>C/C+</td>
<td>1.9 – 2.4</td>
<td>50 – 55</td>
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<td>E</td>
<td>D/C-</td>
<td>0.9 – 1.8</td>
<td>40 – 50</td>
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<td>FX</td>
<td>F/D-</td>
<td>0.5 – 0.8</td>
<td>25 – 40</td>
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<td>F</td>
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<td>0.0 – 0.4</td>
<td>Below 25</td>
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These regulations should be read in conjunction with the programme specification.

**Disclaimer:**
As a research-led University, we undertake a continuous review of our programmes to ensure quality enhancement and to manage our resources. As a result, these regulations may be revised during a student’s period of registration, however, any revision will be balanced against the requirement that the student should receive the educational service expected. Please read our Disclaimer to see why, when and how changes may be made to a student’s programme.