

Appendix 10: Exemptions from provisions of the NFAAR-PGT

List of areas with exemptions

1. Exemptions proposed by the following areas have been granted:
 - a. Faculty of Science
 - Department of Computer Science (see Computer Science, Department of, below)
 - Department of Life Sciences (see Life Sciences, Department of, below)

Brief descriptions of exemptions granted

Computer Science, Department of

2. Departmental documentation will contain fuller details, but in summary the Designated Essential Unit, 'End Point Assessment' will be assessed separately from and in addition to the requirements of the NFAAR-PGT on the Degree Apprenticeship variant of the MSc Computer Science. (Exemption granted on behalf of the University Learning, Teaching & Quality Committee by chair's action on 11 October 2018.)

Life Sciences, Department of

3. Departmental documentation will contain fuller details, but in summary, the MSc Molecular Biosciences (Medical Biosciences; Microbiology; and Bioinformatics) will permit a maximum retrieval of failure of no more than 20 ECTS in the taught stage. (Exemption granted by University Learning, Teaching & Quality Committee, 19 March 2019.)
4. Departmental documentation will contain fuller details, but in summary, the MSc Biotechnology (Healthcare Technologies; and Sustainable Biotechnologies) will permit a maximum retrieval of failure of no more than 20 ECTS in the taught stage. (Exemption granted by Education, Quality and Standards Committee, 22 September 2023.)