

Grace 4 of 24 July 2019 (governance of postgraduate and graduate student matters): Notice of amendment

2 August 2019

The Vice-Chancellor gives notice that he has received proposals for the amendment of Grace 4 of 24 July 2019 (*Reporter*, 6557, 2018–19, p. 863), signed by 44 members of the Regent House as noted in the Annex below.

The Grace at present reads as follows:

That the recommendations in paragraph 13 of the Joint Report of the Council and the General Board, dated 17 June and 5 June 2019, on the governance of matters for postgraduate and graduate students (*Reporter*, 6553, 2018–19, p. 726), as amended by the Council's Notice dated 22 July 2019 (*Reporter*, 6557, 2018–19, p. 841) be approved.

The amendments proposed are as follows:

The undersigned members of the Regent House request the following amendments to Grace 4 of 24 July 2019:

- (1) In Recommendations III and IV of the Report, that the text 'with effect from 1 October 2019' be replaced by 'with effect from 1 October 2020'.

This amendment has the effect of delaying the dissolution of the Board of Graduate Studies and the transfer of its duties to the new Postgraduate Committee by one year, until Michaelmas 2020.

- (2) In the proposed changes to Ordinances in Annex C, that the words 'graduate student', 'graduate registered student' or 'matriculated graduate registered student' be inserted in place of 'postgraduate student', 'postgraduate registered student' or 'matriculated postgraduate registered student', as appropriate, including the setting aside of the changes proposed in paragraphs 13, 21 and 36.

This amendment will mean Statutes and Ordinances remain consistent with established usage in Cambridge and amongst our main competitors for research student recruitment, and remove the need for extensive rewrites of Departmental and College literature and websites.

The Council will consider the proposed amendments at its meeting on 24 September 2019.

Annex

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