

**SEN13D021**

**Title:** *Addition to Academic Dress Regulations*  
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### **Issue**

Update of Academic Dress Regulations to reflect the Master of Surgery Award

### **Recommendation**

To endorse a change to the Academic Dress Regulations to reflect the addition of the Master of Surgery. The change was approved for recommendation to Senate by the Honorary Degrees and Appointments Committee at its meeting on 25 February 2014.

### **Resource Implications**

No Implications, all academic dress is supplied by Ede & Ravenscroft, official gown suppliers to UEA

### **Risk Implications**

No Risk Implications

### **Equality and Diversity**

No impact

### **Timing of decisions**

Formal approval required by Congregation in summer 2014

### **Further Information**

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Calendar link: [https://intranet.uea.ac.uk/calendar/section3/regs\(gen\)/official-and-academic-dress-regulations](https://intranet.uea.ac.uk/calendar/section3/regs(gen)/official-and-academic-dress-regulations)

## **Background**

The introduction of a Master of Surgery will require a new hood for 2013/4. The colour for which will be the same as for the Bachelor of Surgery; light grey.

### Current Calendar Text

#### **12 Master of Arts, Master of Science, Master of Education, Master of Laws, Master of Business Administration, Master of Music, Master of Research, Master of Clinical Education**

The academic dress of a graduate of the University being a Master of Arts, a Master of Science a Master of Education, a Master of Laws, a Master of Music, a Master of Research, Master of Clinical Education or a Maseshall be:

- (1) a gown of blue cloth with boot-style sleeves.
- (2) a hood of blue grosgrain lined in folds on the outside:
  - (a) in the case of Master of Arts with coral.
  - (b) in the case of Master of Science, with spectrum green.
  - (c) in the case of Master of Education, with blue (the colour Blue BCC 195 as defined in the second edition of the Dictionary of Colour Standards).
  - (d) in the case of Master of Laws and of Master of Business Administration, with magenta.
  - (e) in the case of Master of Music, with Beaton pink
  - (f) in the case of Master of Research, with maroon
  - (g) in the case of Master of Clinical Education – with Belfast purple
- (3) a black mortar-board with tassel.

### Proposed Calendar Text

#### **12 Master of Arts, Master of Science, Master of Education, Master of Laws, Master of Business Administration, Master of Music, Master of Research, Master of Clinical Education & Master of Surgery**

The academic dress of a graduate of the University being a Master of Arts, a Master of Science a Master of Education, a Master of Laws, a Master of Music, a Master of Research, Master of Clinical Education or a Master of Surgery shall be:

- (1) a gown of blue cloth with boot-style sleeves.
- (2) a hood of blue grosgrain lined in folds on the outside:
  - (a) in the case of Master of Arts with coral.
  - (b) in the case of Master of Science, with spectrum green.
  - (c) in the case of Master of Education, with blue (the colour Blue BCC 195 as defined in the second edition of the Dictionary of Colour Standards).

- (d) in the case of Master of Laws and of Master of Business Administration, with magenta.
  - (e) in the case of Master of Music, with Beaton pink
  - (f) in the case of Master of Research, with maroon
  - (g) in the case of Master of Clinical Education, with Belfast purple
  - (h) in the case of Master of Surgery, with light grey
- (3) a black mortar-board with tassel.