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They are the rules which apply to your studies as a student at the University of Leicester.

Why should I know the Senate Regulations?
Senate Regulations are part of the “Formal Contract” between you and the University.

· They outline your role and responsibilities as a student

· They outline the role and responsibilities of the University

· They contain the formal procedures and regulations which include most University processes such as

1. Academic Appeals

2. Academic Misconduct and Complaints

3. Progressions and Awards etc

· By completing registration, you are agreeing to follow and abide by the Senate Regulations and will be held responsible for breaking any rules

Summary of Senate Regulations

SR1- Minimum entry requirements and Language requirements for Taught programme

SR2- Taught programme admission and Registration

SR3- Your Fees

SR4- Attendance and Non-Engagement

SR5- Undergraduate (UG) progression and award

SR6- Postgraduate Taught (PGT) progression and award

SR7- Taught programme marking guidance

SR8- Examinations rules

SR9- Research degree programmes

SR10- Academic appeals

SR11- Student conduct and discipline including academic (plagiarism) and non-academic

SR12- Student complaints

SR13- The measures the University can take when its academic activities suffer significant disruption due to serious and unexpected events outside of its control.

Glossary

Taught programmes- Includes all UG, PG programmes where all learning is mostly delivered by academic staff

Appeals- Allows you to ask for a review of a decision made by the University in relation to your studies

Academic Appeals- Allows you to ask, in certain circumstances, for a review of a decision relating to your academic progress or award.

Progression decision- This is a decision made by the University about whether you can proceed to the next stage of your course, e.g. the next year or the dissertation/project.

Award decision- This is a decision made by the University about either your final degree classification or whether you have passed enough credits to graduate with the degree level you originally registered for.

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