



ACCE

Summary of meeting of 21 April 2023

The online Academic Council Committee on Examinations (ACCE) meeting was conducted in person and via the communications platform, Zoom. ACCE members were advised that the proceedings of the ACCE, including the online ACCE meetings, remain subject to the ACCE Standing Orders.

The meeting agenda and papers were available to each member of the ACCE one week in advance of the meeting.

The meeting is triaged to evaluate or identify, prioritize, and assign matters for discussion and decision at the main meeting. Specifically, Academic members of ACCE were issued with a Google form to complete with queries, questions, and points in relation to papers for the meeting. Three electronic responses were received.

Number of Attendees for Meeting One: 13

Number of Attendees for Meeting Two: 11

1. ACCE approved the Minutes and Summary Notes of the meeting of 24 March 2023.
2. ACCE were updated on the revised Summer Trimester Report.
3. ACCE discussed the availability of Joint Degree Reports to students.
4. ACCE agreed to put forth ACCE Meeting dates for the coming Academic Year at the next meeting.
5. ACCE discussed the review of The Extenuating Circumstances Policy should happen.
6. ACCE noted the Declarations of Potential Conflicts of Interest.
7. ACCE noted the award of a research degree in the College of Engineering and Architecture.
8. ACCE noted the award of a research degree in the College of Social Sciences and Law.
9. ACCE noted the Change of term for a Subject Extern Examiner in the College of Engineering and Architecture.
10. ACCE approved the award of a research degree in the College of Engineering and Architecture..
11. ACCE approved the award of a research degree in the College of Social Sciences and Law.
12. ACCE noted Exceptional Changes of Grades
13. ACCE reviewed eThesis Doctoral and level 10 reports and approved awards of research degrees in the College of Business (*no. of candidates approved: 2*); College of Engineering and Architecture (*no. of*

candidates approved: 2); College of Health and Agricultural Sciences (*no. of candidates approved: 3*), College of Science (*no. of candidates approved: 4*); College of Social Sciences and Law (*no. of candidates approved:4*).

14. ACCE reviewed and placed on hold the award of 3 research degrees in the College of Health and Agricultural Sciences
15. ACCE reviewed and placed on hold the award of a research degree in the College of Science.
16. ACCE reviewed and placed on hold the award of 2 research degrees in the College of Social Sciences and Law.
17. ACCE reviewed eThesis Masters and level 9 reports and approved the award of research degrees in; College of Engineering and Architecture (*no. of candidates approved: 1*); College of Health and Agricultural Sciences (*no. of candidates approved: 4*); and the College of Science(*no. of candidates approved: 2*).
18. ACCE reviewed and placed on hold the award of 4 research degrees in the College of Health and Agricultural Science.
19. ACCE reviewed and placed on hold the award of a research degree in the College of Science.
20. ACCE approved the appointment of Intern Examiners, Taught Modules (*no. of Intern Examiners approved: 83*)
21. ACCE approved the appointment of Research Degree Examination Committees (*no. of Research Degree Examination Committees approved: 41*).
22. ACCE reviewed and placed on hold the appointment of a Research Degree Examination Committee in the College of Social Sciences and Law.
23. ACCE noted the recommendations for Change of Research Degree Examination Chair (2).
24. ACCE approved the appointment of Subject Extern Examiners (*no. of Subject Extern Examiners approved: 9*).
25. ACCE declined the appointment of a Subject Extern Examiner in the College of Health and Agricultural Sciences.
26. ACCE approved the appointment of NCAD Subject Extern Examiners (*no. of Subject Extern Examiners approved: 11*).

NOTE: This is an informal summary of an ACCE meeting. It does not in any way prejudice the official minutes of the meeting, which will be presented to the next ordinary meeting of the ACCE and which are the sole authoritative record of ACCE business.