

**Minimum and Maximum Periods of Registration for Students  
Admitted with Accredited Prior Learning (APL)**

Regulation 3.36 sets out the standard minimum and maximum periods of registration for all awards and refers users to this appendix for further information with regard to students admitted with APL.

| <b>Awards</b>  | <b>Admitted with<br/>(credits)</b> | <b>To study<br/>(credits)</b> | <b>Minimum<br/>Period</b> | <b>Maximum<br/>Period</b> |
|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Honours Degree   | 240                                | 120                           | 1 year                    | 3 years                   |
|  | 180-225                            | 135-180                       | 1½ years                  | 4½ years                  |
|  | 120-165                            | 195-240                       | 2 years                   | 6 years                   |
|  | 60-105                             | 255-300                       | 2½ years                  | 7½ years                  |
|  | 15-45                              | 305-345                       | 3 years                   | 9 years                   |
| Ordinary Degree  | 180-195                            | 105-120                       | 1 year                    | 3 years                   |
|  | 120-165                            | 135-180                       | 1½ years                  | 4½ years                  |
|  | 60-105                             | 195-240                       | 2 years                   | 6 years                   |
|  | 15-45                              | 255-285                       | 2½ years                  | 7½ years                  |
| Foundation Degree / Dip HE /<br>HND  | 120-150                            | 90-120                        | 1 year                    | 3 years                   |
|  | 60-105                             | 135-180                       | 1½ years                  | 4½ years                  |
|  | 15-45                              | 195-225                       | 2 years                   | 6 years                   |
| Acc Cert / Cert HE / Cert Ed /<br>HNC / Univ Dip / PGCE (Level<br>6) / PG Dip / Grad Dip | 60-75                              | 45-60                         | ½ year                    | 2 years                   |
|  | 15-45                              | 75-105                        | 1 year                    | 3 years                   |
| Univ Cert  | 45-60                              | 45-60                         | ½ year                    | 2 years                   |
|  | 15-30                              | 75-90                         | 1 year                    | 3 years                   |
| Grad Cert  | 15-45                              | 30-60                         | ½ year                    | 2 years                   |
| PG Cert / PGCE (Level 7)   | 15-30                              | 30-45                         | ½ year                    | 2 years                   |
| Masters (second cycle)   | 120                                | 60                            | ½ year                    | 2 years                   |
|  | 60-105                             | 75-120                        | 1 year                    | 3 years                   |
|  | 15-45                              | 135-165                       | 1 year                    | 4½ years                  |
| Masters (first and integrated)   | 300-315                            | 165-180                       | 1½ years                  | 4½ years                  |
|  | 240-285                            | 195-240                       | 2 years                   | 6 years                   |
|  | 180-225                            | 255-300                       | 2½ years                  | 7½ years                  |
|  | 120-165                            | 315-360                       | 3 years                   | 9 years                   |
|  | 60-105                             | 375-420                       | 3½ years                  | 10½ years                 |
|  | 15-45                              | 435-465                       | 4 years                   | 12 years                  |

## Appendix 2

Please note that these periods apply to all students, irrespective of the mode of study (ie: there is no differential between full-time and part-time students) and include any periods of intermission and additional time required as a result of mitigating circumstances