NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SINGAPORE

REGULATION 7

DEGREE AND DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

Admission

1. A candidate may be admitted to a programme of study leading to the award of a degree, diploma or certificate only if he satisfies the conditions and criteria specified by the relevant Faculty or Academic Unit, as approved by the Senate.

2. Notwithstanding paragraph 1, the University may, in its absolute discretion, withdraw an offer of admission made to a candidate, or expel a candidate who has accepted an offer of admission from the University but has yet to register to study at the University, where the candidate has:

   (a) at any time, been convicted of an offence in a court of law; or

   (b) in the opinion of the University, made a false statement or has withheld material information in connection with his application.

Assessment and Examination

3. Student performance in undergraduate, graduate coursework degree, graduate diploma, artist diploma, and certificate programmes may be assessed through a combination of examinations and continuous assessment. All assessment shall be governed by the Boards of Examiners appointed by the Senate.

4. Student performance in graduate research degree programmes may be assessed through a combination of examinations, continuous assessment, a written thesis, and an oral examination on their thesis and related subject matter.

5. A student may continue in a degree, diploma or certificate programme only if he satisfies the requirements specified by the relevant Faculty or Academic Unit, as approved by the Senate.

6. A student may be barred from enrolling for modules, be barred from an examination, have his grade for a module withheld or have his candidature suspended or terminated if:

   (a) he has failed to satisfy specific requirements (including administrative requirements) of the relevant Faculty or Academic Unit for admission to the examination or completion of the module;

   (b) he is in debt to the University (other than through an explicit loan made by the University); or

   (c) he is so sanctioned arising from disciplinary proceedings as prescribed by established Statutes, Regulations, policies and procedures.
7. A student who has not been admitted to an examination or whose grade for a module has been withheld pursuant to paragraph 6 above shall be deemed to have failed the examination or module.

8. The Senate may, in its absolute discretion, withhold the result of a student in the whole or any part of an examination or module pending the outcome of disciplinary proceedings as prescribed by established Regulations, policies and procedures.

9. The degrees of Doctor of Laws, Doctor of Letters, and Doctor of Science may be conferred on an honorary basis in accordance with established Regulations, policies and procedures.

Award of Degree or Diploma

10. The University may confer any of the following degrees:

   Doctor of Clinical Psychology
   Doctor of Dental Surgery
   Doctor of Engineering
   Doctor of Laws
   Doctor of Letters
   Doctor of Medicine
   Doctor of Pharmacy
   Doctor of Philosophy
   Doctor of Science
   Doctor of Surgery
   Juris Doctor
   Professional Degree
   Master in International Affairs
   Master in Public Administration
   Master in Public Administration and Management
   Master in Public Governance
   Master in Public Management
   Master in Public Policy
   Master in Systems Engineering and Management
   Master of Architecture
   Master of Arts
   Master of Building Science
   Master of Business Administration
   Master of Clinical Embryology
   Master of Clinical Investigation
   Master of Comparative Law
   Master of Computing
   Master of Dental Surgery
   Master of Economics
   Master of Engineering
   Master of Landscape Architecture
   Master of Laws
   Master of Medicine
   Master of Music
   Master of Nursing
   Master of Pharmacy
   Master of Philosophy
   Master of Psychology
   Master of Public Health
11. In conferring the above degrees, the University may indicate in all official documents the specific disciplines or specialisations undertaken or marks of distinction conferred, and the abbreviated name of the degree.

12. The University may grant graduate diplomas and artist diplomas, and in awarding such diplomas, the University may indicate in all official documents the specific disciplines or specialisations undertaken, and the abbreviated name of the graduate diploma or artist diploma.

13. Concurrent degrees, double degrees, joint degrees and joint diplomas shall be approved by a resolution of the Senate and may be conferred by the University on any person who has completed all of the requirements for the degree, degrees or diploma.

14. Unless specifically authorised, the work submitted by a candidate to fulfill the requirements of a degree or diploma must not have been used to fulfill the requirements of another degree or diploma at the University or elsewhere.

15. A candidate may be awarded a degree or diploma only if:

(a) he has successfully completed all the requirements (including administrative requirements) for that degree or diploma; and

(b) he is not in debt to the University (other than through an explicit loan made by the University).

Award of Certificate

16. A candidate may be awarded a graduate certificate or specialist certificate by a Faculty or Academic Unit only if:
(a) he has successfully completed all the requirements (including administrative requirements) for that certificate; and

(b) he is not in debt to the University (other than through an explicit loan made by the University).

Discretion of Senate

17. The Senate may, in its absolute discretion, waive any of the requirements in paragraph 15 and paragraph 16 above.

18. If the requirements in paragraph 15 or paragraph 16 above are satisfied and a candidate has not been deprived of any degree, diploma, certificate or academic award pursuant to sanctions arising from disciplinary proceedings as prescribed by established Statutes, Regulations, policies and procedures, no person shall be deprived of any degree, diploma, certificate or academic award except for good cause and on a resolution of the Senate.