

Synopsis

This paper sets out the proposed changes to the regulations for Professional, Engineering and Enterprise Doctoral Degrees which have been approved by the Manchester Doctoral College (MDC) committee.

Summary of changes

1. Admission requirements (Section B1)

Section B1:Vii Doctor of Clinical Science and Section B1:Viii Doctor of Professional Management have been added to the regulations.

Doctor of Clinical Science

- A. registration with the Health Care Professions Council (HCPC) as a clinical scientist
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 - Registration with an equivalent recognised Professional Body for Internationally qualified candidates.
- B. *normally* at least one further year in the workplace to consolidate and enhance clinical scientific skills, learning and experience (including research and education) and
- C. ability to demonstrate meeting any additional specific selection criteria required for a particular specialism at interview

Doctor of Professional Management

Applicants shall normally have:

- A. Masters (a minimum final grade equivalent to 60%; or B; or GPA of 3.0 out of 4.0);
- B. A minimum of 6 years full-time project management experience, showing significant career progression;
- C. Spoken and written English language proficiency equivalent to IELTS 7.0 or TOEFL 623 paper-based (or 106 internet-based), and;
- D. Sponsorship from senior executive level in the organisation.

2. Conditions of Admission (Section B2)

Section B2:Vii and Section B2:Viii added to the regulations.

Doctor of Clinical Science

Academic supervisor and work based field supervisor

Doctor of Professional Management

Academic supervisor(s)

3. **Study away from the University (Section 7)**

Section 7b:v added to the regulations:

Doctor of Professional Management (DProf PM or DProfREAM)

The research is carried out in situ at the student's workplace, therefore the student will spend most of their research time in their sponsor's organisation. The students will need to attend residential sessions when the modules are delivered.