Notes and FAQs on June 2020 Results for Students of Education Programmes

1. I am a student who failed a Semester 1 module(s)

- Any student who failed, or did not attempt, a Semester 1 module(s) must now
 attempt the repeat assessment. This will not be an exam. It will be a repeat
 alternative assessment set by your lecturer.
- You must register with Exams in the normal way and pay the repeat fee.
- Full details of the assessment task and deadlines will be communicated to you by your lecturer or through the Programme Co-Ordinator, by the end of June.

2. I am a student who sought and was granted an Assessment Deferral in Semester 2

- You now need to plan to complete the deferred assessments for the relevant module.
- By the end of June, your Lecturer will communicate details of what you need to do, including submission deadlines.
- Please note that assessments differ depending on the module. In some cases such as final year Specialist Topic Projects assessment deferrals are simply a matter of meeting a new deadline for submission. In other cases the deferral involves new instructions on what you need to do. Your Lecturer will clarify which of these applies.

3. I am a student who sought and was granted a Module Deferral in Semester 2

- A module deferral, in the normal operation of the college, results in the student returning the following academic year to repeat the module.
- In such circumstances you will be allowed to carry any fully completed CA work.
- If you have sought and was granted a Module Deferral but you really only needed an Assessment Deferral then please advise the Programme Co-Ordinator so you can complete the process to have your status changed (and 2 above will apply)

4. I have failed a module in Semester 2 only

- You now need to re-attempt the assessment in line with the deadlines and instructions set for the repeat assessments.
- Re-assessment may be for the complete module (if your overall module mark is less than 40 in the first attempt) or for a failed component of the module (if your overall module mark is over 40 but you have less than 40 in a component).
- You will be provided with the re-assessment instructions by your Lecturer before the end of June.
- As Semester 2 comes under our special COVID 19 policy, there is no academic penalty for the re-assessment (i.e. there will be no cap on the marks you get for the re-assessment).

5. I am a student who failed a module in semester 1 and semester 2

• Where a student failed a module in both semester 1 and semester 2 they will be required to attempt the repeat alternative assessments attaching to each module however they will have to pay the repeat fee for the semester 1 module only.

6. I feel I have been detrimentally impacted by the Covid-19 restrictions in Semester 2.

- Where a student feels they have been detrimentally impacted by the Covid-19 restrictions, they may re-attempt the terminal assessments as a first sitting.
- As this will be deemed a first sitting, the marks obtained for the previous attempt will be set aside.
- The re-attempted assessment mark therefore will used as the default mark for the purposes of calculation of classification.
- In the unlikely circumstance where a student re-attempts the terminal assessment and achieves a lower mark than the first attempt, they may apply for an exam review with supporting evidence from their first submission.

Important Points to Note

- Please continue to monitor your NCI email as further instructions may come from your Lecturer or Programme Co-Ordinator
- Consult the Student Portal for details of student supports and other services.