REGULATION 2  ACADEMIC BOARD

Approved by Council: 30 November 2005

2.1 As required by section 20A of the University of Divinity Act (the Act), there must be an Academic Board of the University of Divinity for the purposes of:

a) Oversight of academic programs and courses of study in the University and other academic affairs of the University;

b) Providing advice to the Council on the academic programs and courses of study in the University and other academic affairs of the University.

2.2 Academic Board may exercise the powers detailed in section 21 of the Act, and use the authority contained in section 22 to establish committees to assist it in its work. Academic Board may make determinations about matters necessary for the proper functioning of the academic activities of the University. Academic Board, as the body with oversight of academic affairs, has primary responsibility for rigorous debate and discussion about the determination of academic strategy and the formulation of academic policy at the University of Divinity. Academic Board has responsibility for:

a) Determining the overall priorities and direction of teaching and research, as informed by the vision, mission and values of the University, and the Strategic Plan approved by Council

b) Fostering and overseeing academic relations between the University and other academic bodies

c) Establishing, overseeing and reviewing policies and procedures that promote academic excellence across the University

d) Ensuring quality assurance in academic matters across the University, including compliance with statutory and legislative requirements

e) Advising the Council on applications of institutions to become Colleges of the University

f) Accrediting Colleges to offer awards of the University

g) Conducting regular reviews of the awards of the University
h) Establishing, overseeing and reviewing academic policy and procedures, including admission to candidature, approval of credits and transfers, academic records, academic grievances

i) Overseeing the approval of teaching faculty and research supervisors

j) Overseeing the approval of coursework units and research proposals

k) Overseeing the appointment of examiners and the conduct of examinations

l) Certifying to the Council that the conditions prescribed for admission to degrees of the University and the award of diplomas and certificates of the University have been fulfilled, and on that basis recommending to the Council admission to those degrees and the award of those diplomas and certificates

m) Advising the Council on fees and payments associated with tuition, and on the dispersal of research funding

n) Overseeing the award of academic scholarships and grants

o) Appointing committees, including approval of the membership and terms of reference for such committees, to fulfil these responsibilities.

2.3 The members of the Academic Board are:

a) The Chair of Academic Board, elected by Academic Board and appointed by the Council for a term of three years

b) The Vice-Chancellor

c) The Director of Learning and Teaching

d) The Director of Research

e) The Academic Dean of each of the Colleges

f) One coursework student, elected by coursework students of the University, for a term of one year

g) One research student, elected by research students of the University, for a term of one year

h) The Chair of the Library Committee of the Academic Board

i) Up to two further persons who may be appointed by the Academic Board for terms of up to three years, for the purpose of ensuring it has adequate diversity and expertise for the discharge of its responsibilities.

2.4 Academic Board must elect a Deputy Chair from among its members for a term of three years.

2.5 A register of members of Academic Board must be maintained, including a designated deputy for each member appointed under 2.3 e) who may attend and vote if the member is not able to be present.
2.6 If a vacancy occurs in the elected membership of Academic Board, the vacancy is to be filled by an election for a replacement member to serve out the remainder of the term of appointment.

2.7 Academic Board must meet no less than three times each year and, subject to any direction from the Council, determine its own Working Procedures.

2.8 The Council must notify all Colleges of the University of any amendment to this Regulation at least thirty calendar days prior to enacting any such amendment.
DETERMINATIONS MADE BY THE ACADEMIC BOARD RELATED TO REGULATION 2

Approved by Academic Board: 5 October 2012
Revised by Academic Board: 14 June 2013, 4 October 2013, 22 November 2013,
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27 May 2016, 29 July 2016, 11 November 2016,
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15 September 2017, 16 February 2018

COMMITTEES OF THE ACADEMIC BOARD

Academic Board appoints standing Committees to assist with the execution of its responsibilities. The Chair of Academic Board is not a member of the committees of Academic Board unless specified in a Committee’s membership but is entitled to attend committee meetings.

1. ACADEMIC PROMOTIONS COMMITTEE

1.1 Membership

1.1.1 The Chair of the Academic Board.

1.1.2 Two academic staff of the University, at least one of whom must be at Level E, appointed by the Academic Board for a period of up to three years. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.

1.1.3 Three academics external to the University, each of whom must be at least at Level D, and with no less than one at Level E, appointed by the Academic Board for a period of up to three years. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.

1.1.4 The Chancellor, Deputy Chancellor and Vice-Chancellor are not members of the Academic Promotions Committee and are ineligible for appointment to it.

1.2 Chair

The Chair of the Academic Board is the Chair of the Academic Promotions Committee. In the absence of the Chair, the Committee must elect a Chair for that meeting from amongst the members present.

1.3 Meetings

1.3.1 The Committee must meet not less than twice each year, and may determine its own working procedures, subject to any direction from the Academic Board and any requirement of the Academic Staff Policy.

1.3.2 A quorum is four persons including two of the members appointed under section 1.1.3.

1.3.3 A member of the Committee must declare any actual or perceived conflict of interest to the Committee. A member appointed under section 1.1.1 or 1.1.2 must not participate in the assessment of applications from academic staff of his or her College.

1.3.4 The Committee reports:

a) to the Vice-Chancellor on the outcome of its assessment of each application; and
b) to the Academic Board on the assessment process and any observations or recommendations for improvement, ensuring that confidentiality is observed in relation to individual applications.

### 1.4 Terms of Reference

The Academic Promotions Committee ensures that applications for classification and promotion to Levels C, D and E are assessed equitably and objectively against the requirements of the Academic Staff Policy. The Committee has responsibility for the following matters in relation to academic staff classification and promotion:

a) Assessing applications from academic staff of the University for classification at and promotion to Levels C, D and E in accordance with the Academic Staff Policy.

b) Making recommendations on classifications at and promotions to Levels C and D to the Vice-Chancellor.

c) Making recommendations on classifications at and promotions to Level E through the Vice-Chancellor to Council.

d) Providing feedback through the Vice-Chancellor to individual applicants, and through the Academic Board to the Colleges, on how future applications could be improved.

e) Advising the Academic Board and the Council on improvements to the Academic Staff Policy in relation to the classification and promotion of academic staff.

### 2. ACADEMIC QUALITY AND STANDARDS COMMITTEE

#### 2.1 Membership

2.1.1 The Director of Quality and Standards.

2.1.2 The Director of Learning and Teaching.

2.1.3 Three members external to the University appointed by Academic Board for a period of up to three years. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.

2.1.4 Up to three members appointed by the Chair of Academic Board for a period of up to three years, at least one of whom is a member of Academic Board not employed in the Office of the Vice-Chancellor, having regard to gender balance and expertise of the membership. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.

#### 2.2 Chair and Deputy Chair

Academic Board must appoint a Chair of the Committee for a period of up to three years. A person so appointed will be eligible for re-appointment. Academic Board must appoint a Deputy Chair on the recommendation of the Committee for a period of up to three years. A person so appointed will be eligible for re-appointment.

#### 2.3 Meetings

The Committee must meet no less than three times each year and, subject to any direction from Academic Board, determine its own Working Procedures. The Committee
will report to Academic Board after each meeting. A quorum is four persons including two persons external to the University.

### 2.4 Terms of Reference

The Academic Quality and Standards Committee is responsible for advising Academic Board on academic standards and quality assurance in coursework and research awards across the University. The Committee has responsibility for the following matters in relation to academic quality and standards, under the oversight of Academic Board:

a) Development of policy and procedure in relation to academic quality assurance processes of the University and its Colleges for approval by Academic Board

b) Review of reports of academic audits of current Colleges and academic audits of prospective Colleges

c) Preparation for external academic audits or reviews of the University

d) Benchmarking academic performance against other institutions

e) Systematic review of student survey data and making recommendations to Academic Board or its committees to address issues raised

f) Monitoring risks to the academic integrity and academic standards of the University, especially in relation to the Higher Education Standards Framework, and developing strategies to address them

g) Ensuring all awards offered by the University unambiguously reflect the field of study in which the University has self-accrediting authority as defined in the National Register of Higher Education Providers and in the *University of Divinity Act*, and that the content and focus of each award is consistent with its title

h) Ensuring all awards offered by the University are compliant with the *Australian Qualifications Framework* including the admission criteria, outcomes, volume of learning, and articulation and nesting arrangements.

### 3. ACADEMIC RESOURCES COMMITTEE

#### 3.1 Membership

3.1.1 The Director of Learning and Teaching.

3.1.2 Three members of academic or administrative staff of the University appointed for a period of up to three years by the Academic Board. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.

3.1.3 Up to three persons with expertise in educational information technology, appointed for a period of up to three years by the Chair of the Academic Board. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.

#### 3.2 Chair

Academic Board must appoint a person to be Chair of the Committee taking into account any recommendation of the Committee for a period of up to three years. A person so appointed is eligible for re-appointment. Academic Board must appoint a
3.3 Meetings

3.3.1 The Committee must meet no less than three times each year and, subject to any direction from the Academic Board, may determine its own working procedures. The Committee reports to the Academic Board after each meeting.

3.4 Terms of Reference

The Academic Resources Committee ensures that the University develops and delivers high-quality academic resources to support the delivery of learning, teaching, and research. The Committee has responsibility under the oversight of the Academic Board for the following matters:

a) Management and development of the University’s learning management system.

b) Management and development of the University’s research repository.

c) Development and integration of key information technology resources, including the student unit evaluation and curriculum management systems.

d) Development and coordination of academic skills services across the University.

e) Provision of training for staff and students in the effective use of academic resources.

f) Consideration of proposals from Colleges, staff, and students in relation to future development of or support for academic resources.

g) Advising the Academic Board on strategic priorities for academic resources.

h) Advising the Chief Financial Officer on priorities and needs for the University’s budget and business plan in relation to academic resources.

4. LEARNING AND TEACHING COMMITTEE

4.1 Membership

4.1.1 The Director of Learning and Teaching.

4.1.2 The Director of Academic Services.

4.1.3 The Coursework Coordinator of each College teaching for one or more coursework awards, or nominee.

4.1.4 Up to three members appointed by the Chair of Academic Board for a period of up to three years, having regard to gender balance and disciplinary expertise of the membership. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.

4.2 Chair and Deputy Chair

Academic Board must appoint a person to be Chair of the Committee taking into account any recommendation of the Committee for a period of up to three years. A person so appointed will be eligible for re-appointment. Academic Board must appoint a
Deputy Chair on the recommendation of the Committee for a period of up to three years. A person so appointed will be eligible for re-appointment.

4.3 **Meetings**

The Committee must meet no less than three times each year and, subject to any direction from Academic Board, determine its own Working Procedures. The Committee will report to Academic Board after each meeting.

4.4 **Terms of Reference**

The Learning and Teaching Committee is responsible for advising Academic Board on strategies, initiatives and innovation that promote the learning and teaching activities of the University, and that foster learning and teaching of the highest quality, through the following activities:

a) Monitoring the coursework awards of the University

b) Development of academic policy and procedure for approval by Academic Board, and implementation of policy and procedure

c) Admission to candidature, and approval of credits and transfers

d) Approval of teaching faculty

e) Approval of coursework units

f) Monitoring student progress, including attrition and completion rates

g) Appointment of examiners and oversight of the conduct of examinations

h) Certifying to Academic Board that the conditions prescribed for admission to coursework degrees of the University and the award of diplomas and certificates of the University have been fulfilled

i) Assisting Academic Board to prepare advice for the Council on fees and payments associated with tuition

j) Promoting pedagogical development of teaching faculty across the University and recognising achievement

5. **LIBRARY COMMITTEE**

5.1 **Membership**

5.1.1 One person with relevant expertise nominated to the Chair of the Academic Board by each affiliated library listed on a Collegiate Agreement. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.

5.1.2 One student and one academic staff member of the University appointed by the Chair of Academic Board for a period of up to three years. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.
5.1.3 Up to three members appointed by the Chair of Academic Board for a period of up to three years, having regard to gender balance and expertise of the membership. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.

5.1.4 The Committee may at its discretion invite other persons to attend all or part of a meeting or meetings of the Committee. Such persons are not members of the Committee and may not vote on matters put before the Committee.

5.2 **Chair and Deputy Chair**

Academic Board must appoint a person to be Chair of the Committee taking into account any recommendation of the Committee for a period of up to three years. A person so appointed will be eligible for re-appointment. Academic Board must appoint a Deputy Chair on the recommendation of the Committee for a period of up to three years. A person so appointed will be eligible for re-appointment.

5.3 **Meetings**

The Committee must meet no less than three times each year and, subject to any direction from Academic Board, determine its own Working Procedures. The Committee will report to Academic Board after each meeting.

5.4 **Terms of Reference**

The Library Committee is responsible for advising Academic Board on the acquisition, maintenance, and development of library resources that support the learning, teaching and research activities of the University, through the following activities:

a) Coordination of development of library collections across the University and its associated libraries, with attention to research and coursework, print and digital collections

b) Developing and monitoring library resources including physical spaces, library catalogues and search tools across the University and its associated libraries

c) Advising Academic Board on budget requirements to support library resources of an appropriate quality

d) Coordination of training and development opportunities in library resources for staff and students of the University

e) Ensuring appropriate professional development and liaison opportunities are available for librarians associated with the University.

6. **RESEARCH COMMITTEE**

6.1 **Membership**

6.1.1 The Director of Research.

6.1.2 A research active member of academic staff appointed by each College that is accredited to deliver one or more of the University’s higher degrees by research, for a period of up to three years. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.
6.1.3 Up to three persons who are research active appointed by the Chair of Academic Board for a period of up to three years, having regard to gender balance and disciplinary expertise of the membership. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.

6.1.4 At least three members of the Committee must hold academic appointments at Level D (Associate Professor) or Level E (Professor).

6.2 Chair and Deputy Chair

Academic Board must appoint a person to be Chair of the Committee taking into account any recommendation of the Committee for a period of up to three years. A person so appointed will be eligible for re-appointment. Academic Board must appoint a Deputy Chair on the recommendation of the Committee for a period of up to three years. A person so appointed will be eligible for re-appointment.

6.3 Meetings

The Committee must meet no less than three times each year and, subject to any direction from Academic Board, determine its own Working Procedures. The Committee will report to Academic Board after each meeting.

6.4 Terms of Reference

The Research Committee is responsible for advising Academic Board on research strategies, initiatives and innovation that promote the research and research training interests of the University, and that foster the conduct of research and research training of the highest quality, through the following activities:

a) Monitoring the University’s higher degrees by research

b) Implementation of the Research Goal of the University’s Strategic Plan

c) Development of academic policy and procedure for approval by Academic Board, and implementation of policy and procedure

d) Admission to candidature, and approving credits and transfers

e) Approval, training and development of supervisors

f) Monitoring student progress, including attrition and completion rates

g) Appointment of examiners and oversight of the conduct of examinations

h) Assisting Academic Board to prepare advice for the Council on the dispersal of research funding

i) Awarding Research Stipend Scholarships and Research Fee Scholarships in accordance with the Research Scholarships Policy

j) Identifying strategic opportunities for research partnerships including through external grant applications

k) Certifying to Academic Board that the University is compliant with the Australian Code for the Responsible Conduct of Research.
7. STUDENT SERVICES COMMITTEE

7.1 Membership

7.1.1 The Director of Academic Services.

7.1.2 The Registrar of each College.

7.1.3 Two students of the University appointed by the Chair of Academic Board for a period of one year. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.

7.1.4 Up to three members appointed by the Chair of Academic Board for a period of up to three years, having regard to gender balance and expertise of the membership. Persons so appointed are eligible for reappointment.

7.2 Chair and Deputy Chair

Academic Board must appoint a person to be Chair of the Committee taking into account any recommendation of the Committee for a period of up to three years. A person so appointed will be eligible for re-appointment. Academic Board must appoint a Deputy Chair on the recommendation of the Committee for a period of up to three years. A person so appointed will be eligible for re-appointment.

7.3 Meetings

The Committee must meet no less than three times each year and, subject to any direction from Academic Board, determine its own Working Procedures. The Committee will report to Academic Board after each meeting.

7.4 Terms of Reference

The Student Services Committee is responsible for coordinating and monitoring support services to all students of the University, both coursework and research, domestic and international. It has responsibility for the following matters under the oversight of Academic Board:

a) Coordination and development of student support services across the University

b) Ensuring the University is aware of and meets its specific obligations to students on international visas, including ESOS compliance

c) Provision of support for students with a disability

d) Ensuring orientation events are available to all new students

e) Monitoring and improving admission and re-enrolment procedures across the University

f) Secure, accurate and timely notification of results to students

g) Coordination and improvement of the University’s websites and published materials as they relate to student services, including access to accurate information about courses and units
h) Development and implementation of non-academic grievance processes that relate to students


j) Provision of training and development opportunities for administrative and academic staff involved in student support and skills services.
ACADEMIC GOVERNANCE

In accordance with Regulation 2.1.2, Academic Board determines the definitions of divinity, Fields, Disciplines, and units of the University, and determines general provisions for credit including recognition of other tertiary institutions.

8. DEFINITION OF DIVINITY

8.1 Divinity is centred on “the formal study of religion, religious practices, and religious beliefs” (Merriam Webster Dictionary). It engages with all worldviews and spiritualities, including those which are not explicitly religious.

8.2 As well as theorising, divinity analyses and interprets objects of inquiry including texts, historical sources, and social, cultural and anthropological developments. In order to employ rigorous expertise in this, divinity draws on and is informed by other methods and sciences. In all of these engagements, divinity respects the proper coherence of these methods and sciences, and also uses them in a critical fashion.

8.3 Divinity informs the practice of ministry. Disciplines associated with divinity include “anthropology; archaeology; area studies; classics; cultural studies; economics; education; ethics; gender studies or women’s studies; health studies; history; language(s); law; literature; media studies; natural sciences; philosophy; political science; psychology; sociology; social policy and social work; visual and performing arts” (Subject Benchmark Statement for Theology and Religious Studies, UK Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education, 2007).

9. FIELDS AND DISCIPLINES

9.1 There are four Fields: Humanities, Biblical Studies, Christian Thought and History, and Theology: Mission and Ministry.

9.2 Disciplines in Humanities are:

- History
- Biblical Languages
- Languages Ancient and Modern
- Philosophy
- Religious Studies

9.3 Disciplines in Biblical Studies are:

- Biblical Studies
- New Testament
- Old Testament

9.4 Disciplines in Christian Thought and History are:

- Church History
- Systematic Theology

9.5 Disciplines in Theology: Mission and Ministry are:

- Canon Law
10. **EXAMINERS**

10.1 The Academic Board has oversight of the appointment of examiners at the University. In approving policies governing the appointments of examiners for courses or individual units of study, the Academic Board must ensure consistent examination procedures and standards are applied across the University.

10.2 The Academic Board must appoint a Chair of Examiners for a period of up to three years. The Chair of Examiners is the Chair of Examiners as defined in the Regulations and Determinations governing higher degrees by research and undertakes other duties as defined by the Academic Board to ensure that academic standards are consistently applied with the highest integrity in all examination processes at the University.

10.3 The Academic Board may appoint one or more Deputy Chairs of Examiners for a period of up to three years. A Deputy Chair of Examiners may be appointed by the Chair of Examiners or the Chair of the Academic Board to be the Acting Chair of Examiners where the Chair of Examiners is unable to act due to absence or a conflict of interest. A Deputy Chair of Examiners undertakes other duties as defined by the Academic Board to ensure that academic standards are consistently applied with the highest integrity in all examination processes at the University.

10.4 The Chair of Examiners must submit an annual report to the Academic Board on the conduct of examinations at the University.

11. **CREDIT**

11.1 A student or applicant for admission to a course of study may apply to the Academic Board for credit for study.

11.2 Credit may only be granted for study:

a) undertaken at the University of Divinity or in an institution recognised by Academic Board; and

b) completed no more than ten years before the year in which application for credit is made; and

c) assessed as equivalent to units at the University of Divinity.
11.3 Credit may only be granted up to a maximum specified in the Regulation or Determinations governing an award provided that the total credit granted is no more than:

a) two-thirds of the total requirements of an undergraduate course; or

b) one-half of the total requirements of a postgraduate course.

11.4 Where credit is granted towards a course of study the requirements of that course may be reduced accordingly.

12. RECOGNISED INSTITUTIONS

12.1 The University of Divinity recognises study undertaken at a higher education provider which is:

a) an Australian University; or

b) included on the National Register of Higher Education Providers; or

c) an institution which at the time the study was undertaken was a member of the Australian and New Zealand Association of Theological Schools.

12.2 The University of Divinity recognises study undertaken at a higher education provider located in the United States of America or Canada which is a Member School of the Association of Theological Schools.

12.3 The University of Divinity recognises study undertaken at a higher education provider located in the United Kingdom which is accredited by the United Kingdom government as a Recognised Body.

12.4 The University of Divinity recognises study undertaken at a higher education provider established or approved directly as a Pontifical University by the Holy See of Rome.

12.5 The University of Divinity recognises study undertaken at a higher education provider located in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region which is either listed as a self-accrediting operator in the Hong Kong Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications Ordinance (Cap.592) or accredited by the Hong Kong Council for Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications.

12.6 The University of Divinity recognises study undertaken at an overseas higher education provider named below:

Adam Mickiewicz University Poznan, Poland
Africa International University, Kenya
Antonine University, Lebanon
Aquinas College of Higher Studies, Sri Lanka
Ateneo de Manila, Philippines
Bangalore University, India
Bharathidasan University, India
Catholic Institute of Philosophy and Theology, Ledalero, Indonesia
Catholic Theological Institute, Bomana, Papua New Guinea
Catholic University of Korea, South Korea
Catholic University of Leuven, Belgium
Catholic University of Lublin, Poland
Claretian Institute of Philosophy, Nigeria
Coptic Orthodox Theological and Clerical College, Egypt
De Paul Institute of Religion and Philosophy, India
Dharam Vidya Kshetram, Pontifical Athenaeum of Philosophy, Theology and Canon Law, India
Divine Word University, Madang, Papua New Guinea
Dominican Centre of Studies, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam
Don Bosco Institute, Nigeria
Driyarkara School of Philosophy, Indonesia
Federal University of Technology, Owerri
Immaculate Conception Major Seminary, Philippines
Institute of Religious Education, Dundalk, Ireland
Institute of Formation and Religious Studies, Philippines
Instituto Superioro da Filosofia e Theologia, Timor L’Este
Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz, Germany
Korea Baptist Theological University and Seminary, South Korea
Loyola School of Theology, Philippines
Mahatma Gandhi University, India
Malaysia Theological Seminary [Seminari Theoloji Malaysia], Seremban, Negeri Sembilan, Malaysia
Myanmar Institute of Theology, Myanmar
National University of Singapore, Singapore
North-West University, South Africa
Polytechnic University of the Philippines, Philippines
Regional Major Seminary Harare, Zimbabwe
Sabah Theological Seminary, Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia, Malaysia
Sacred Heart Philosophical College, India
St Alphonsus Theologate, Vietnam
St Alphonsus Theological & Mission Institute, Philippines
St Augustine’s Major Seminary Jos, Nigeria
St Francis Xavier Major Seminary, Singapore
Sanata Dharma University, Indonesia
Sekolah Tinggi Teologia (STT Abdi Sabda Medan), Indonesia
Sekolah Tinggi Teologia (HKBP Pematangsiantar), Indonesia
Senate of Serampore University, India
Thiruvalluvar University, India
Trinity Theological College, Singapore
Tula State Technical University, Russia
Universidad Nacional Tres de Febrero, Argentina
Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Portugal
Universidade de Santiago de Compostela, Spain
Universidade Federal Fluminense, Brazil
Università degli studi di Bergamo, Italy
Université de Perpignan - via Domitia, France
University of Buea, Cameroon
University of Calicut, India
University of Cape Town, South Africa
University of Fribourg, Switzerland
University of Guelph, Canada
University of Indonesia, Indonesia
University of Madras, India
University of Pune, India
University of Santo Tomas, Philippines
University of the Philippines, Philippines
13. QUALIFICATIONS EQUIVALENT TO THE VICTORIAN CERTIFICATE OF EDUCATION

13.1 The Academic Board recognises the following programs of study as equivalent to the Victorian Certificate of Education for the purpose of admission to undergraduate awards of the University of Divinity:

a) International Baccalaureate
b) Australian Capital Territory Year 12 Certificate
c) Higher School Certificate [New South Wales]
d) Northern Territory Certificate of Education
e) Queensland Certificate of Education
f) South Australian Certificate of Education
g) Tasmanian Certificate of Education
h) Western Australian Certificate of Education