

This Regulation is made pursuant to Statute 5.4 – *Academic Dress*.

1. Members of the University shall wear academic dress:
  - (a) when attending any public occasion or ceremony of the University convened for academic purposes;
  - (b) such other appropriate occasion; and/or
  - (c) as determined by the Council.
2. The academic dress of members of the University shall be as follows:
  - (a) **The Chancellor**
    - a gown of navy blue pure wool cloth in the traditional Chancellor style with a square flap collar trimmed with gold bullion braid 5 cms wide on the fronts, around the collar and around the bottom hem and with gold bullion braid 4 cms wide on the back vent; the sleeves trimmed with four gold ornaments 18 cms long and gold bullion braid 4cms wide around the bottom hem;
    - the arm-slits trimmed with gold bullion braid; and
    - a navy blue Tudor bonnet lined with gold satin, edged on the brim with gold Russia braid and trimmed with a gold metallic cord and two gold metallic tassels;
  - (b) **The Deputy Chancellors**
    - a gown of navy blue pure wool cloth similar in style to that of the Chancellor but with one gold ornament 18 cms long at the sleeve head; and
    - a navy blue Tudor bonnet identical to that of the Chancellor;
  - (c) **Alfred Deakin Professors**
    - the Alfred Deakin Professor stole worn over the gown and academic habit representative of their own highest award;
  - ~~(e)(d)~~ All other officers and academic staff, being a graduate of the University or of another university, shall be entitled to wear the gown and academic habit representative of their own highest award.
3. For graduands of the University the dress shall be as follows:
  - (a) **Higher Doctorate**
    - a gown of deep red light weight woollen cloth similar in style to the Chancellor's gown but with gold silk front facings finishing at the front yoke line, the sleeves similar to those of doctorate gowns in the University of Cambridge being fully lined with gold silk and turned back at the front seam;
    - a hood of deep red stuff of the size and shape of the hood worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Oxford lined with silk of the colour gold shading; and
    - a round deep red bonnet with a gold silk tassel;
  - (b) **Degree of Doctor of Philosophy**

- a gown of navy blue lightweight woollen cloth similar in style to the Chancellor's gown but with red silk front facings finishing at the front yoke line, the sleeves similar to those of doctorate gowns in the University of Cambridge being fully lined with red silk and turned back at the front seam;
- a hood of navy blue stuff of the size and shape of the hood worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Oxford lined with red silk; and
- a round navy blue bonnet with a red silk tassel;

(c) **Doctoral Degree by Coursework**

- a gown of navy blue lightweight woollen cloth similar in style to the Chancellor's gown but with red silk front facings finishing at the front yoke line, the sleeves similar to those of doctorate gowns in the University of Cambridge being fully lined with red silk and turned back at the front seam;
- with a hood of navy blue stuff, similar to the hood worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Cambridge lined with silk of the relevant award colour and trimmed with white binding on the inside of the cowl; and
- a round navy blue bonnet with a red silk tassel;

(d) **Degree of Master by Research**

- a navy blue gown similar in style to the gown worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Oxford with a hood of navy blue stuff, similar to the hood worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Cambridge lined with silk of the relevant award colour and trimmed with white binding and a white pipe on the inside of the cowl; and
- a navy blue trencher trimmed with white binding and a white tassel;

(e) **Degree of Master by Coursework**

- a navy blue gown similar in style to the gown worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Oxford with a hood of navy blue stuff, similar to the hood worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Cambridge lined with silk of the relevant award colour and trimmed with white binding on the inside of the cowl; and
- a navy blue trencher trimmed with white binding and a white tassel;

(f) **Degree of Master by Coursework with Honours**

- a navy blue gown similar in style to the gown worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Oxford with a hood of navy blue stuff, similar to the hood worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Cambridge lined with silk of the relevant award colour and trimmed with two white pipes on the inside and outside of the cowl; and
- a navy blue trencher trimmed with navy binding and a navy tassel;

(g) **Bachelor Degree with Honours**

- a navy blue gown similar in style to the gown worn by a Bachelor of Arts in the University of Oxford, with a hood of navy blue stuff of the size and shape of the hood worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Oxford, lined with silk of the relevant award colour with two white pipes on the inside and outside of the cowl; and
- a navy blue trencher with a navy blue tassel;

(h) **Bachelor Degree**

- a navy blue gown similar to the gown worn by a Bachelor of Arts in the University of Oxford, with a hood of navy blue stuff of the size and shape of the hood worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Oxford, lined with silk of the relevant award colour; and
- a navy blue trencher with a navy blue tassel;

(i) **Associate Degree**

- a navy blue gown similar to the gown worn by the Bachelor of Arts in the University of Oxford, with a hood of navy blue stuff of the size and shape of the hood worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Oxford, lined with silk of the relevant award colour;

(j) **Graduate Diploma**

- a navy blue gown similar to the gown worn by a Bachelor of Arts in the University of Oxford, with a hood of navy blue stuff of the size and shape of the hood worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Oxford, lined with silk of the relevant award colour and piped with white on the inside and outside of the cowl; and
- a navy blue trencher with a navy blue tassel;

(k) **Graduate Certificate**

- a navy blue gown similar to the gown worn by a Bachelor of Arts in the University of Oxford, with a hood of navy blue stuff of the size and shape of the hood worn by a Master of Arts in the University of Oxford, lined with silk of the relevant award colour and piped with the relevant award colour on the inside and outside of the cowl; and
- a navy blue trencher with a navy blue tassel;

(l) **Diploma, Advanced Diploma or University Certificate**

- a navy blue gown similar in style to the gown worn by a Bachelor of Arts in the University of Oxford, with a silk stole of the relevant award colour; and

(m) **Koorie Graduands**

- a silk stole in the colours of the Koorie flag may be worn under the hood or stole of the relevant award.

4. The University shall allocate academic colours in accordance with the relevant policies and procedures.

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