

## Programme Regulations: 2025/26

### Postgraduate Certificate in Clinical Echocardiography 3183P

#### Notes

- (i) *These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's Taught Programme Regulations.*
- (ii) *A core module for learning outcomes is a module which a student must pass.*
- (iii) *A core module for PSRB accreditation is a module a student is required to obtain accreditation.*
- (iv) *A compulsory module is a module which a student is required to study.*
- (v) *All modules are delivered in Linear mode unless stated otherwise as Block, eLearning or distance learning.*
- (vi) *The University has an overriding duty of care to ensure that all students graduating from the programmes not only meet the academic requirements but are also physically and mentally fit to practise and are of good character. The case of any student whose fitness for professional practice is a matter for concern shall be considered under the University's Fitness to Practise Procedure.*

#### 1. Programme structure

- (a) The programmes are available for study in part-time mode only and delivered by blended learning.
- (b) The period of study for part-time mode shall normally be 9 months starting in November.
- (c) The programme comprises modules to a credit value of 60.
- (d) All candidates shall take the following compulsory modules:

Code	Descriptive title	Total Credits	Duration of Teaching	Level	Core for PSRB Accreditation	Core for learning outcomes	Mode
TTE8000	Introduction to Clinical Echocardiography	30	2 week block, starting November	7	✓	✓	Block
TTE8001	Ultrasound Imaging for Echocardiography Practitioners	30	2 week block, starting February	7	✓	✓	Block

#### 2. Assessment Methods

Details of the assessment pattern for each module are explained in the respective module outline.

#### 3. Other

- a) In order to pass the module, candidates must achieve a mark of 50 or above for the examination element of the assessment and achieve an overall mark of 50 or above for the module.
- b) The Postgraduate Certificate uses the following criteria to award classifications:
  - Pass: 50 – 59
  - Pass with Merit: 60 – 69
  - Pass with Distinction: 70 or above

#### **4. Exemptions to the University's Taught Programme Regulations**

This programme has an exemption from the University's Taught Programme Regulations in relation to modular start and end dates, approved by the Faculty Education Committee.