

ATTACHMENT 5

GRADING AN HONOURS THESIS WITH MORE THAN TWO EXAMINERS

Example 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First examiner 80% • Second examiner 60% • Third examiner 76% <p>In this case the two closed marks are averaged i.e. the first and third examiners, as the Second Examiner is considered to be the outlier. $(80+76)/2 = 78\%$ for the</p>
Example 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First examiner 60% • Second examiner 80% • Third examiner 60% <p>In this case the two closest marks are averaged i.e. the first and third examiners, as the Second Examiner is considered to be the outlier. $(60+60)/2 = 60\%$ for the thesis component.</p>
Example 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First examiner 80% • Second examiner 60% • Third examiner 70% <p>In this case where the Third Examiner's result is equidistant between the First and Second Examiners' scores, all three examiners marks are averaged as it is not possible to exclude an obvious outlier.</p> <p>$(80+60+70)/3 = 70\%$ for the thesis component.</p>