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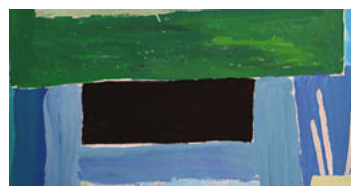
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International Human Rights



Dear learners,

Your continued enthusiasm and involvement with LouvainX's International Human Rights massive open online course is a source of great pleasure and satisfaction for our team here at the University of Louvain.

As you start making progress through the second half of the course, our staff and I have begun stock-taking and evaluating the structure and content of the first half, as well

as considering the numerous suggestions received from the community of learners.

We are therefore **glad to announce that we have increased the number of attempts you are given** for the end-of-section exams by one. This means that you will have a first 'check', and then a 'final check' to submit. In other terms, you are given a second chance to provide the correct answers to the questionnaires that close each section.

Indeed, given the great diversity of the community, and in particular your different degrees of fluency in English, as well as the numerous reports of unintended submission ("check-out") of exams, we have decided to change our policy on the exams.

After careful consideration, we are persuaded that granting a second chance on all exams from section 2 onwards will go some way towards rectifying difficulties some of you may have experienced, and ensuring that – regardless of your level of fluency in English – all learners are given a fair chance of meeting the requirements for obtaining the certificate of completion.

As you were informed in one of our previous messages, the grace period for the submission of all exercises, including exams, was extended by three weeks. The combination of these two policy changes means that you have a second chance to take the exams for Section 2 (until the **28th of March**), Section 3 (until the **4th of April**) and Section 4 (until the **11th of April**). For the current and next sections (sections 5-8) you will also have the opportunity to attempt the exam once before final submission, and you will also

have a three week grace period as well.

Best regards,

Olivier De Schutter

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