EXPLANATORY NOTES

This transcript is a record of learning and achievement on all modules successfully completed by the student named overleaf, plus any credit awarded for prior learning.

Eligibility for an award is determined by the requisite accumulation of credits as follows:

Award	University of Northampton credits	European Credits (ECTS)
Master's Degree	180 credits at level 7	90 credits at level 7
Postgraduate Diploma	120 credits at level 7	60 credits at level 7
Postgraduate Certificate	60 credits at level 7	30 credits at level 7

In order to be eligible for a named award a student must have completed a programme as specified in the appropriate Award Map.

Students may enter a programme of study on the basis of accreditation of prior learning giving exemption from up to two-thirds of the programme.

GRADES

A successfully completed module is graded C- or above.

TEACHING INSTITUTION

All modules are delivered by the University of Northampton unless an alternative institution is indicated on the Transcript of Studies

CLASSIFICATION

Only Master's degrees and Postgraduate Diplomas are classified.

The class awarded will be derived from the grades (the higher of the mean and the median) for the principal module (dissertation or equivalent module) and the highest grades from the remaining modules making 160 credits in total. A Distinction will be awarded when a student has achieved a grade of at least A-across modules amounting to 160 credits, including the dissertation. A Merit will be awarded when a student has achieved a mean grade of at least B- across modules amounting to 160 credits, and is not eligible for a Master's Degree with Distinction.

ECTS

Two University credits are equivalent to one European Credit in the European Credit Transfer System.

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