Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) regarding the Second Semester of 2019-2020

Following the University’s decision of continuing online teaching and learning until the end of the semester and subsequent assessment arrangement. Here below some FAQs for your perusal:

Q1. Will there be exams for the second semester of 2019-2020?

A1. All in-hall exams will be moved online. While official exam period for all undergraduate students is 18 May – 6 June 2020, the Faculty will arrange exams of all law core courses and PCLL prerequisites within May 2020 (i.e. depending on the course(s) enrolled, students may finish their exams by May 2020).

Q2. How students will be graded?

A2. Regarding law courses (one-semester or full-year ones), undergraduate, exchange, Juris Doctor (JD) and Taught Postgraduate (LLM) students will be graded according to their course options (to be indicated by 20 April 2020):

(i) “Letter Grading” as usual; OR

(ii) “Pass/Fail”, meaning result of the course (by online assessment) is shown as Pass/Fail in transcript and not contributing to the cGPA; OR

(iii) “Late Drop”, that is to drop the course and no record will be shown in the enrolment record nor transcript.

Q3. When the official exam results for the second semester will be released?

A3. Official exam results of LLB/JD/LLM students will be announced on 3 July 2020.

Q4. How Postgraduate Certificate in Laws (PCLL) students will be affected?

A4. Like other programmes, teaching of PCLL courses are moved online. We expect students can complete their PCLL as scheduled in the academic calendar, subject to their exam results, which will be announced on 30 June 2020.

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