



School Response to the Programme Validation Report

Panel Visit: 9th June 2016

Named Award:	Certificate
Programme Title	Employment Law
Award Type:	Special Purpose Award
Award Class:	Certificate
NFQ Level:	7
First Intake:	Sept 2016

Panel Members

Mr Richard Gallery	Chair – Registrar, Blanchardstown Institute of Technology
Dr Christine Horn	External Academic – Lecturer, Dept of Entrepreneurship, IADT
Dr Brendan Galbraith	External Academic – Senior Lecturer, Dept of Mgt & Leadership, University of Ulster
Mr Thomas McEvoy	Practitioner/Industry Representative – Head of Enterprise, Louth County Council
Dr Breda Brennan	Secretary to the Panel – Assistant Registrar, Dundalk Institute of Technology

Programme Development Team

Prof. Colette Henry	Head of School of Business & Humanities
Mr Frankie Watters	Senior Lecturer – School of Business & Humanities
Mr Anton Barrett	Head of Life Long Learning

Introduction

The report contains a response from the Department of Business Studies in the School of Business & Humanities to the programme validation panel report for the proposed programme: *Certificate in Employment Law*.

Condition

4.4 Entry Requirements: Modify entry requirements to reflect DkIT entry requirements for a level 7 programme

RESPONSE

The entry criteria on page 7 of the core programme (word) document have been amended to align with DkIT's standard entry criteria for level 7 programmes; they now read as follows:

*A minimum of six passes in the Leaving Certificate including English (or Irish) and Mathematics **AND EITHER** one Grade C3 in a Higher Level paper **OR** an overall points total of 200.*

An amended programme (word) document is appended.

On behalf of the Programme Team, the School of Business & Humanities would like to thank the Panel Members for their valuable and constructive feedback. We look forward to offering this new programme.

I confirm that all changes (where appropriate) have been made in the programme management system (Akari Document). [No changes to Akari required; change made to core programme (word) document – appended].

School Response Report Approved By:

Signed:



Prof. Colette Henry – Head of School of Business & Humanities

Date: 21st June 2016

I confirm that the conditions and/or recommendations contained in the validation panel report have now been met and recommend this programme to the Academic Council at Dundalk Institute of Technology for ratification.

Signed:



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Mr Richard Gallery - Chair, Programme Validation Panel

Date: