

2015 STATUTES AND RULES KEY CHANGES

STATUTES	KEY CHANGES
STUDENT CONDUCT STATUTE 2015 (Replaced Student Conduct Statute 1992)	 Definition of assessment clarified Appointment of a Student Conduct Officer
LIQUOR STATUTE 2015 (Replaced Liquor Statute 2011)	 Insertion of Explanatory Memorandum setting out relationship between Liquor Act and UC's ability to regulate sale and purchase of alcohol on campus Transfer of key functions to Rules Removal or provisions which allow possession and supply of liquor to persons under 18
PARKING AND TRAFFIC STATUTE 2015 (Replaced Traffic Statute 1995)	Updated to include current ACT Road Transport legislation requirements and campus parking arrangements
OBLIGATIONS STATUTE 2015 (Replaced Obligations Statute 1995)	 Provides a delegation power for the Vice-Chancellor Allows for appointment of an Obligations Officer Provision for the creation of rules to which the operative provisions have been transferred
ACADEMIC PROGRESS STATUTE 2015 (Replaced Academic Progress Statute 1995)	Definition and operation of academic probation clarified

RULES	KEY CHANGES
ELECTION OF STUDENT MEMBERS OF ACADEMIC BOARD RULES 2015 (Replaced Election of Student Members of Academic Board Rules 2012)	 Students who are not eligible to be a candidate or maintain tenure as a member of the Board are students who are subject to: a finding of serious misconduct a period of suspension exclusion a guardianship order a current mental health treatment order
	Updated definition of enrolment
	Updated election and voting processes
	Provision to allow electronic ballot papers
ELECTION OF ACADEMIC STAFF MEMBERS OF ACADEMIC BOARD RULES 2015 (Replaced Election of Academic Staff	 Staff who are not eligible to be a candidate or maintain tenure as a member of the Board are staff who are subject to: a guardianship order a current mental health treatment order
Members of Academic Board Rules 2012)	Updated election and voting processes
	Provision to allow electronic ballot papers
ELECTION OF STUDENT MEMBERS OF COUNCIL RULES 2015 (Replaced Election of Student Members of Council Rules 2012)	 Students who are not eligible to be a candidate or maintain tenure as a member of Council are students who are subject to: a finding of serious misconduct a period of suspension exclusion a guardianship order a current mental health treatment order
	Insertion of a specific definition of active enrolment.
	Updated election and voting processes
	Provision to allow electronic ballot papers
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STUDENT CONDUCT RULES 2015 (Replaced Student Conduct Rules 2012)	Updated definitions e.g. serious misconduct
	Updated provisions on procedural fairness
	Updated grounds for appeal
	Restrictions placed on the number of appeals allowed
	Excluded students no longer have the right to appeal directly to Council
	The Vice-President Operations has the ability to immediately exclude or suspend a student in emergency situations
	A hearing of the Committee is no longer required where an obvious error has occurred at Summary Inquiry and this can be corrected on the papers alone where in favour of a student
LIQUOR (GENERAL) RULES 2015 (Replaced Liquor (General) Rules 2012)	Elimination of Liquor Permits for faculty/staff events
	Introduction of a Special Function Permit where supply and/or sale of alcohol takes place at large events
	Large events and special functions where liquor is sold or supplied must be catered by a licensed caterer or permit holder under the <i>Liquor Act 2010</i> (ACT) (Note: The Union meets these criteria.)
	Removal of provisions allowing UC to issue liquor permits to private outlets
	Requirement that all sales of liquor must be through permit or license holders under the <i>Liquor</i> <i>Act 2010</i> (ACT)
	Only Council can approve the issue of a liquor permit
LIQUOR (UCU) RULES 2015	Includes a map of Union Premises
(Replaced Liquor (UCU) Rules 2012)	Retains but limits the <i>Liquor Act 2010</i> (ACT) exemptions to accommodate the campus commercial operations of the Union
PARKING AND TRAFFIC RULES 2015	Includes a campus map identifying campus parking
(New Rules)	
OBLIGATIONS RULES 2015 (New Rules)	Provides for administrative functions to be performed by the Obligations Officer and Vice-President Operations rather than the Vice-Chancellor