



AWARD OF ALTERNATIVE QUALIFICATION PROCEDURES

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which the student was enrolled, may be

Principles guiding the award of alternative qualifications are found in the section on Qualification Articulation Pathways in the Massey University Qualification Framework.

Definitions:

Alternative qualification: A qualification that may be awarded to a student, provided that admission and regulatory criteria are met, although the student has not been formally enrolled in the qualification that is awarded.

Alternative specialisation: A specialisation within a qualification that may be awarded to a student, provided that admission and regulatory criteria are met, although the student has not been formally enrolled in the specialisation that is awarded.

Conferral: The award of a qualification to a student.

Enrolled qualification: The qualification(s) in which the student has been formally enrolled during their study at Massey University.

Exit qualification: The use of a qualification, which is generally of a lesser credit value or at a lower level on the NZQF, as an award where a student is unable to, or who may choose not to, meet the completion requirements for the qualification in which they are, or have been, formally enrolled.

Graduation: The process by which a qualification is conferred on a student.



Process for Application for the Award of an Alternative Qualification:

The process for the award of an alternative qualification can be initiated in one of two ways:

Either (a) The s(v)4()ways:

