

Recognition of Prior Learning and Credit Transfer Statement



SCHOOL NAME: Geography, Politics and Sociology

PROGRAMME NAME:

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| 4062 | MA Local and Regional Development (Research) (Suspended 2022/23) |
| 4025 | MA Human Geography Research |
| 4026 | MA Politics (Research) |
| 4029 | European Union Studies |
| 4030 | International Studies |
| 4031 | MA International Political Economy |
| 4086 | MA International Politics (Globalisation, Poverty and Development) |
| 4087 | MA International Politics (Global Justice and Ethics) |
| 4088 | MA International Politics (Critical Geopolitics) |
| 4109 | MA World Politics and Popular Culture |
| 4027 | MA Sociology & Social Research |
| 4105, 3423 | MA Sociology |
| 4867 | MRes Environmental Geoscience |
| 4141, 3458 | Regional Development and Spatial Planning (Suspended 2023/24) |

RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING (RPL) AND CREDIT TRANSFER

Academic Year 2023/24 and 2024/25

SCOPE OF APPLICATIONS

The above programmes accept applications for:

- a) Credit transfer
- b) Recognition of prior certificated learning
- c) Recognition of prior experiential learning

RPL and credit transfer is available for all modules to a maximum of 40 credits.

Normally only learning within the last 5 years can be taken into account.

WHO TO APPROACH

The contact person in the first instance is the Programme secretary and can be contacted by emailing gps.pgtsupport@newcastle.ac.uk

What evidence will be required:

For a) and b) above – transcript showing level, credits and marks plus copies of syllabuses

For (c) - dates and details of relevant experience with evidence (e.g. employer statement) and an explanation as to how the learning outcomes of the modules for which the applicant seeks RPL have been met.

WHAT ADVICE AND INFORMATION WILL BE GIVEN

Each applicant for RPL or credit transfer will be issued with the relevant module outline forms specifying learning outcomes and given an RPL/credit transfer application form.

Advice will be available from the programme secretary by emailing gps.pgtsupport@newcastle.ac.uk

HOW RPL/CREDIT TRANSFER DECISIONS ARE MADE

Applications should be submitted via E-MAIL and will be considered by the DPD.
Applicants should hear the results of their application within 20 working days.