ENTRY REQUIREMENTS FOR COURSES OF THE UNIVERSITY

IN exercise of the powers conferred by Part IV of the Constitution of Universiti Tunku Abdul Rahman, the President, on the advice of the Senate, makes the following Regulation :-

1. **Short Title & Commencement**

This Regulation may be cited as the **Entry Requirement for Courses of the University** Regulation and shall come into force as from the date of incorporation of the University.

2. **General Requirements for Entry into Foundation Programmes**

A candidate having fulfilled the minimum entry requirements stipulated hereinbelow shall be eligible for consideration for entry into the Foundation Programmes :-

(a) For the programme of Foundation in Science, the following are the minimum entry requirements :-

- Pass SPM with 5 credits which must include Mathematics and two Science subjects; OR
- Pass STPM with 1 principal pass and SPM/O-Level with 3 credits (with credit or principal pass in Mathematics and one Science subject); OR
- Pass A-Levels and SPM/O-Level with 3 credits (with credit or principal pass in Mathematics and one Science subject); OR
- Pass South Australian Matriculation (SAM) with Grade C in 2 subjects and SPM/O-Level with 3 credits (with credit or Grade C in Mathematics and one Science subject); OR
- Pass Canadian Pre-University (CPU) with an average of 60% in 2 subjects and SPM/ O-Level with 3 credits (with credit in Mathematics and one Science subject); OR
- Unified Examination Certificate (UCE) with an average of Grade B in 3 subjects which must include Mathematics and one Science subject; OR
- O-Level with credit in 5 subjects which must include Mathematics and two Science subjects; OR
- Other equivalent qualification approved by the Senate.

(b) For the programme of Foundation in Arts, the following are the minimum entry requirements :-
3. General Requirements for Entry into Bachelor’s Degree Programmes

Subject to such additional qualifications required for each individual degree programme offered by the University, a candidate having fulfilled the minimum entry requirements stipulated hereinbelow shall be eligible for consideration for entry into the Bachelor’s Degree Programmes:

- Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (STPM) with minimum 2 principal passes; OR
- Unified Examination Certificate (UEC) with an average of Grade B in 6 of the relevant subjects; OR
- A-Levels with minimum 2 passes in the relevant subjects; OR
- South Australian Matriculation (SAM) with a Tertiary Entrance Rank of 70 and Grade B in 2 of the relevant subjects; OR
- Canadian Pre-University (CPU) with an average of 70% in 2 of the relevant subjects; OR
- Other equivalent qualification approved by the Senate.

4. English Language Requirements

As the English language is the medium of instruction and examination at the University, most programmes would normally require a credit/relevant score in English Language in one of the following examinations:

- SPM/ SPMV English Language
- International English Language Testing System (IELTS)
- Test of English as Foreign Language (TOEFL)
- English 1119 / O-Level
5. **Other Equivalent Qualification**

In addition to and without derogation of any of the foregoing provisions, the Senate shall have the discretion to consider and accept that other qualifications as being equivalent to those stipulated hereinabove for purposes of ascertaining whether or not minimum entry requirements are met.

6. **Credit Transfer**

1. Transfer of credits is allowed for any academic awards from other educational institutions to the programmes offered by the University. The decision of the Senate as to whether or not to allow an application for credit transfer shall be final.

2. All applications for credit transfer must be made together with the application for admission and other supporting documents which include certified copies of the official transcripts, course structure, syllabi, samples of past examination papers and all relevant information and materials related to the previous studies must also be enclosed with the application.

3. The Senate shall establish such guidelines and criteria which the Senate shall deem fit and proper for the evaluation and assessment of credit transfer eligibility.

7. **Manner discretion to be exercised**

The powers granted to the Senate by this Regulation shall be exercised based upon the merits of each individual case.

8. **Other Entry Requirements**

The University may impose any one or more of the following as additional entry requirements for admission:

(a) where deemed appropriate, a candidate will be required to sit for such additional examinations/tests for the University’s evaluation purposes;

(b) where entry is offered by the University, a candidate shall be required to show proof of satisfactory health condition; and
(c) a candidate shall fulfill such other terms and conditions which the University may from time to time impose.