Degree Outcomes Statement

1 Institutional degree classification profile

The University of Worcester has seen 1.7 percentage point increase in the proportion of first class Honours degrees awarded over the last 5 years, and a 2.3 percentage point decrease in the proportion of 1 and 2:1 degrees over the same period. The proportions of both increased in the 2020/21 academic year, compared with 2019/20 academic year, which may be associated with the

Looking at internal data provided for the 2021/22 academic year, overall figures are closer to the levels seen in 2019/20.

The profile for each of the 5 years can be seen in the table below. Note that 21/22 totals are provided from internal data and will be updated once HESA figures are published.

Data taken from workbooks associated with Of Spublication 2022.22

The increase in 1 and 2:1 degree classifications since 2010/11 coincides with a move on the part of

External examiner arrangements are managed according to the principles and procedures set out in the

mitigating circumstances.

Like many universities, we

We remain confident that the awards achieved by our students are appropriate and fair, largely as a result of our commitment to focus on inclusive assessment design and on standardisation, moderation and marking and fee

approaches in this regard, commenting regularly and positively on innovation in assessment, the thorough processes for moderation and the quality of feedback provided to students.

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