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Dear Cindy

As a Higher Education Institution, we will recognise the following qualifications as fulfilling entry requirements to a range of our higher education courses in related subject areas, either by meeting entry requirements in their own right or being accepted alongside other qualifications at the same level:

Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Certificate in Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Certificate in Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Foundation Diploma in Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Engineering

We welcome the inclusion of external assessment in these qualifications. Also, the introduction of a larger mandatory core, comprising over half of each qualification, will provide students with a solid foundation. This means that all students will study a broad and common element of content, and therefore the wide range of options offered in the larger qualifications will be helpful in allowing students to explore areas in which they may wish to specialise at degree level.

In addition, we will recognise the following more specialist engineering qualifications as fulfilling entry requirements to certain of our higher education courses in related subject areas, either by meeting entry requirements in their own right or being accepted alongside other qualifications at the same level:

Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Aeronautical Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Aeronautical Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Automotive Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Automotive Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Computer Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Computer Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Electrical and Electronic Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Electrical and Electronic Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Manufacturing Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Manufacturing Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Mechanical Engineering  
Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma in Mechanical Engineering

In the past, we have recruited students with Pearson BTEC Engineering qualifications similar to the sixteen listed above on to our degree programmes in Building Services Engineering, Civil Engineering and Electronic & Electrical Engineering.

I am happy for this letter to be made public on the Pearson websites to confirm our support for the qualifications.

Yours sincerely



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