



CITY UNIVERSITY
LONDON

POSTGRADUATE PROSPECTUS 2013/14

Academic excellence for business and the professions



WELCOME TO CITY UNIVERSITY LONDON

City University London has been educating for business and the professions since 1894. Our six Schools now offer over 150 taught and research degree courses. We hope that this prospectus will help you make the best possible choice for your future.

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Thank you for your interest in our University. City is a special place. With skill and dedication we have, for over a century now, used education, research and enterprise to transform the lives of our students, our community and the world.

In that time, City has become a leading international University and the only university in London to be both committed to academic excellence and focused on business and the professions.

We are proud of the quality of our education, research and enterprise and of our position among the top 5% of universities in the world (*Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2011/12*). Fifteen of our subject areas were identified as undertaking world-leading or internationally-excellent research in the last Research Assessment Exercise, we are ranked 10th in the UK for graduate-level jobs and 12th for graduate starting salaries (*The Sunday Times University Guide 2012*).

We attract over 17,000 students from more than 150 countries and academic staff from over 50 countries. 35% of our students are following either taught or research postgraduate degrees.

If you are interested in a cosmopolitan academic environment where you can expand your professional horizons while studying in the heart of one of the world's most exciting cities, please find out more at www.city.ac.uk.



Professor Paul Curran
Vice-Chancellor



WHY CHOOSE CITY UNIVERSITY LONDON?

City is different. We provide exceptional graduate employment prospects as a result of our commitment to academic excellence and our focus on business and the professions.

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Our staff and students are actively involved in pioneering research. In the Government's latest Research Assessment Exercise (RAE), our research in fifteen subject areas was rated by expert panels as amongst the best in the world.

EXCEPTIONAL EMPLOYMENT PROSPECTS

We have exceptionally good links with business and the professions. Many of our postgraduate taught courses are accredited by professional bodies. This ensures that they are relevant, up-to-date and help to enhance your employment prospects. City graduates are highly employable: in *The Sunday Times University Guide 2012*, the University was ranked 10th in the UK for graduate-level jobs and 12th for starting salaries.

You will also benefit from our extensive network of major London employers. We provide specialist careers advice and career workshops for all our students and many of our postgraduate taught courses include a compulsory or optional work placement. Once you graduate, you will have access to our global *Alumni Network*.

CENTRAL LONDON LOCATION

We are located in the heart of London, close to the capital's leading financial, legal, media and medical institutions. Both professionally and personally, you will have the opportunity to benefit from all that London has to offer.

Professionally, our students make the most of our proximity to the City of London and our close ties with major London employers such as KPMG, Allen & Overy, Goldman Sachs, the BBC, Sky and leading hospitals.

Personally, they take advantage of London's famous cultural, sporting and social opportunities. Nearby, you will find national arts venues Sadler's Wells and the Barbican. The local area offers world-class dance, music, theatre, galleries, museums and sports clubs, as well as a large selection of bars, shops and restaurants.

A TRULY INTERNATIONAL OUTLOOK

We have a highly diverse student population drawn from over 150 countries which helps to create a lively, cosmopolitan atmosphere. We have an international outlook and are committed to attracting the most talented staff and able students from around the world, irrespective of national or social backgrounds.

Many of our postgraduate students find work abroad when they leave City. We encourage you to prepare for the global employment market by providing a wide range of language lessons (including Arabic and Mandarin), by offering specialist careers advice and by giving you access to the expertise and advice of our global network of City graduates.



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A GREAT STUDENT EXPERIENCE

We seek to provide high quality equipment to support your learning experiences. For example, we have recently invested in state-of-the-art equipment for our learning spaces and have added collaborative working areas and a showcase for new technologies to the library at our Northampton Square site. Wireless internet access is available throughout the University and in the halls of residence.

The Students' Union organises a wide range of social events and sporting activities. Our award-winning Student Centre provides in-depth advice on everything from learning to health and finances, to help you make the most of your time at City.

150

City is one of the most international universities in the world with 17,000 students from over 150 countries and staff from over 50 countries.

5%

We are in the top 5% of universities in the world according to *Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2012*.

12th

We are ranked 12th for graduate starting salaries (*The Sunday Times University Guide 2012*).

1894

City has been educating for business and the professions since 1894.

1%

City's Cass Business School is one of the top two business schools in the UK, 12th in Europe and in the top 1% in the world (*Financial Times*).

100,000

More than 100,000 former students are members of the City Alumni Network. Once you graduate you'll be eligible to join them.

RESEARCH AT CITY

Academics at City are committed to producing research that is recognised throughout the world for its relevance and influence. In the latest Government Research Assessment Exercise (RAE), fifteen of our subject areas were assessed as producing world-leading or internationally-excellent research.

PROFESSOR JOHN SOLOMOS

SCHOOL OF ARTS &
SOCIAL SCIENCES

- Explores race and racism, ethnicity and nationalism in contemporary Britain and further afield
- Recent research into the political participation of ethnic minorities in London and Birmingham has shed light on the intersection of migrant and minority politics with the wider social and political environment
- As co-editor of *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, has fostered a global debate on how the sociological study of race and racism has evolved in diverse contexts around the world.

PROFESSOR VANGELIS SOUITARIS

CASS BUSINESS SCHOOL

- Examines how technology entrepreneurs emerge and how their companies grow
- Advises start-up companies that originate and are incubated within universities and in research, focuses on the factors that determine the success of academic enterprise
- Recently published research in the *Harvard Business Review* which suggests that a multitasking culture within technology start-ups correlates with better financial performance and productivity than a monochronic approach.

PROFESSOR ANDREAS FRING

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING &
MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

- As part of the mathematical physics group at City, has co-ordinated international conferences and workshops on quantum physics, quantum field theory and non-Hermitian operators
- Research into non-commutative spacetime and Hermiticity has contributed to the development of a new area of research
- Works on high-intensity laser physics, including high-order harmonic generation and atomic stabilisation.



PROFESSOR JOHN SOLOMOS



PROFESSOR VANGELIS SOUTARIS



PROFESSOR ANDREAS FRING



PROFESSOR GARY MORGAN



PROFESSOR ANDREA ZISMAN



PROFESSOR ALAN RILEY

PROFESSOR GARY MORGAN

SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

- Researches language acquisition and cognitive development in children
- An influential study of language impairment in deaf children using British Sign Language, published in the *British Journal of Developmental Psychology*, has influenced how practitioners work with signing children
- As a deputy director of the Deafness, Cognition and Language Research Centre, has explored the social cognitive development of deaf children growing up in hearing families.

PROFESSOR ANDREA ZISMAN

SCHOOL OF INFORMATICS

- Researches how service-oriented software systems can become more adaptable to changing external situations, including user demand and feedback
- Awarded a Google Research Award in 2011 to support the work of the Department of Computing in exploring how trusted software services and providers can be identified by users around the world
- Currently developing research that considers how software engineering can become more sustainable and carbon neutral.

PROFESSOR ALAN RILEY

THE CITY LAW SCHOOL

- Examines the environmental, regulatory, economic and geo-strategic implications of the extraction of shale gas in Europe, advising policymakers and framing academic and public debate
- Writes regularly for the *Wall Street Journal* on issues relating to energy and competition law in Europe and Russia
- Argues that shale gas could play a key role as the UK moves from a dependence on coal towards greater use of renewable energy sources.

To find out more about research at City, please visit www.city.ac.uk/research. If you are interested in joining City as a graduate research student, turn to page 8 to find out more about the City Graduate School.

COURSE INDEX

City's six Schools, together with its Interdisciplinary Centres and the Learning Development Centre, offer an outstanding range of postgraduate degrees and other courses. This list will help you to find out more.

SCHOOL OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES

MA Audiovisual Translation	30	MA Interactive Journalism	54	MSc Actuarial Science	81
MA Broadcast/Television Journalism	31	MA International Communications and Development	55	MSc Banking and International Finance	82
MSc Business Economics/ International Business Economics Graduate Certificate	32	MA International Journalism	56	MSc/Pg Diploma Charity Accounting and Financial Management	83
Counselling Psychology	33	MA International Politics	57	MSc/Pg Diploma Charity Marketing and Fundraising	84
DPsych Counselling Psychology	34	MA International Politics and Human Rights	58	MSc Corporate Finance	85
MA Creative Writing (Non-Fiction)	35	MA Investigative Journalism	59	MSc Energy, Trade and Finance	86
MA Creative Writing (Novels)	36	MA Legal Translation	60	MSc Finance	87
MA Creative Writing (Playwriting and Screenwriting)	37	MA Magazine Journalism	61	MSc Finance and Investment (part-time)	88
MA Criminology and Criminal Justice	38	MA Media and Communications	62	MSc Financial Mathematics	89
MA Culture, Policy and Management	39	MA Music	63	MSc/Pg Diploma/Pg Certificate	
MSc Development Economics	40	MA Newspaper Journalism	64	Grantmaking, Philanthropy and Social Investment	90
MSc Economic Evaluation in Healthcare	41	MA Organisational Behaviour	65	MSc Insurance and Risk Management	91
MSc Economic Regulation and Competition	42	MA Political Communication	66	MSc International Accounting and Finance	92
MSc Economics	43	MA Political Journalism	67	MSc Investment Management	93
MA Erasmus Mundus: Journalism, Media and Globalisation	44	Pg Certificate Principles and Practice of Translation	68	MSc Management	94
MSc Financial Economics	45	MA Publishing Studies	69	MSc Mathematical Trading and Finance	95
MA Financial Journalism	46	MSc Research Methods and Psychology	70	MSc/Pg Diploma NGO Management	96
MSc Food Policy	47	MA Science Journalism	71	MSc Quantitative Finance	97
MA Global Migration	48	MA Social Media	72	MSc Real Estate	98
MA Global Political Economy	49	MA Social Research Methods	73	MSc Real Estate Investment	99
MSc Health Economics	50	MA Sociology	74	MSc Shipping, Trade and Finance	100
DPsych Health Psychology	51	MA Translating Popular Culture	75	MSc Supply Chain, Trade and Finance	101
MSc Health Psychology/ Psychology and Health	52	MA Transnational Media and Globalisation	76	MSc/Pg Diploma Voluntary Sector Management	102
MA Human Rights	53	CASS BUSINESS SCHOOL	77	PhD	103
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SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING & MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES		Specialist Masters		THE CITY LAW SCHOOL
MSc Air Safety Management	108	MSc Clinical Optometry	134	Bar Professional Training Course
MSC Air Transport Management	109	MRes Clinical Research	135	(BPTC)
MSC Aircraft Maintenance Management	110	MSc Health Management	136	Graduate Diploma in Law (GDL)
MSC Analysis and Design of Structures for Fire, Blast and Earthquakes	111	MSc Health Policy	137	Graduate Entry LLB
MSC Automotive Engineering	112	MSc Health Services Research	138	Legal Practice Course (LPC)
MSC Civil Engineering Structures	113	MSc Human Communication	139	LLM Civil Litigation and Dispute Resolution
MSC Clinical Engineering with Healthcare Technology Management	114	MSc Joint Professional Practice (Language and Communication)	140	LLM Criminal Litigation
MSC Construction Management	115	MSc Medical Ultrasound	141	LLM EU Commercial Law
MSC Energy and Environmental Technology and Economics	116	MSc Midwifery	142	LLM International Banking Law
MSC Maritime Operations and Management	117	MSc Nursing	144	LLM International Competition Law
MSC Mechanical Engineering	118	MSc Radiography	146	LLM International Energy Litigation
MSC Power Systems and Energy Management	119			LLM Maritime Law (UK)
MSC Professional Engineering (Civil Engineering)	120			LLM Maritime Law (Greece)
MSC Project Management, Finance and Risk	121			LLM Professional Legal Practice
MSC Signals and Sensor Systems	122			LLM Professional Legal Skills
MSC Systems and Control Engineering	123			LLM Public International Law
MSC Telecommunications and Networks	124			MJur International Commercial Law
				MPhil/PhD by Research
SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES		SCHOOL OF INFORMATICS		INTERDISCIPLINARY CENTRES
Graduate Entry Conversion Courses				
Pg Diploma Nursing: Adult	128	MSc Business Systems Analysis and Design	150	MIL Information Leadership
Pg Diploma Nursing: Child	129	MSc Computer Games Technology	151	MSc/MA/MInnov Innovation, Creativity and Leadership
Pg Diploma Nursing: Mental Health	130	MSc e-Business Systems	152	MSc Transport Systems and Strategy
Pg Diploma Midwifery (78 week shortened programme)	131	MSc/MA Electronic Publishing	153	
Pg Diploma Public Health (School Nursing, Health Visiting and District Nursing)	132	MSc Health Informatics	154	
Pg Diploma Speech and Language Therapy	133	MSc Human-Centred Systems	155	
		MSc Information Management	156	
		MSc/MA Information Management in the Cultural Sector	157	
		MSc Information Science	158	
		MSc Information Security and Risk	159	
		MSc Information Systems and Technology	160	LEARNING DEVELOPMENT CENTRE
		MSc/MA Library Science	161	
		MSc Software Engineering	162	
				MA Academic Practice
				MPhil/PhD Professional Education

CITY GRADUATE SCHOOL

Enriching research, supporting success

The postgraduate research community at City is made up of around 1,000 students and that number is set almost to double over the next four years, reflecting City's commitment to excellence in research. The research student community is highly international with more than 40% of students coming to City from outside the UK and with over 65 countries represented.

The City Graduate School provides a broad range of support including education and development activities for City's doctoral students and early career researchers. It acts as a hub for researchers from across City's academic Schools to meet, share their work and engage with the University creating a vibrant and dynamic community.

Led by its Dean, Professor Ken Grattan, the City Graduate School works in close partnership with the University's academic Schools and Professional Services to support doctoral students and early career researchers in all aspects of their work. Whilst research degree programmes are coordinated by the academic Schools, the City Graduate School provides information and advice on research degree applications; funding and scholarships; research ethics; research degree policies and regulations and key contacts for research students across the University.

The Graduate School also provides training and development support for doctoral students and early career researchers. In doing so, it operates alongside several of City's Professional Services, including the Learning Development Centre, Library and Information Services, the Learning and Staff Development Unit, the Careers and Skills Development Service and the Research Office. Researcher Development Days, together with a calendar of conferences, lectures and seminars, are designed to help City's doctoral students and early career researchers develop the skills essential to their

research and their academic and professional development, while supporting them to find careers meeting their expectations.

In all its activities, from its biannual welcome events to its seminars and workshops, the City Graduate School plays a key role in facilitating professional and social contact within City's postgraduate research community.

Here are some of the activities that the Graduate School, in collaboration with key services of the University, helps to coordinate:

- Whole day events on teaching
- Tailored research skills training events on RefWorks, bibliometrics and impact factors
- Sessions on working effectively with your supervisor and preparing for your *viva voce*.

These activities all enable you to share your enthusiasm for your research with your peers across the University, obtain critical feedback on your research and network with academic staff.

VENU THILLAINATHAN PhD ENGINEERING

During his time as an Engineering PhD student at City, Venu Thillainathan's research was focused on the development and characterisation of advanced grating-based fibre optic sensors for temperature and humidity measurements for industry. Upon completing his PhD in 2008, Venu continued his career at City, working as Research Assistant within the School, before securing a position in 2009 as a development engineer in the Research and Development division of Fotech Solutions, a distributed fibre optic sensor company in the UK.

City, with its emphasis on excellence in research, its international student body and its diverse fields of academic expertise, is the place to build your career with a postgraduate research degree.

For more information about research degrees at City or to get in touch with the City Graduate School, please visit:

www.city.ac.uk/citygraduateschool



STUDENT CENTRE

If you need extra support while you are at City, for your learning, your health or your finances, our Student Centre can help.

ACADEMIC LEARNING SUPPORT SERVICE

Our Academic Learning Support Service can help with study skills including essay writing, time management, revision and examination techniques and effective learning. Appointments are normally on a one-to-one basis, although we also work with small groups, run workshops throughout the year and offer a range of online study support materials.

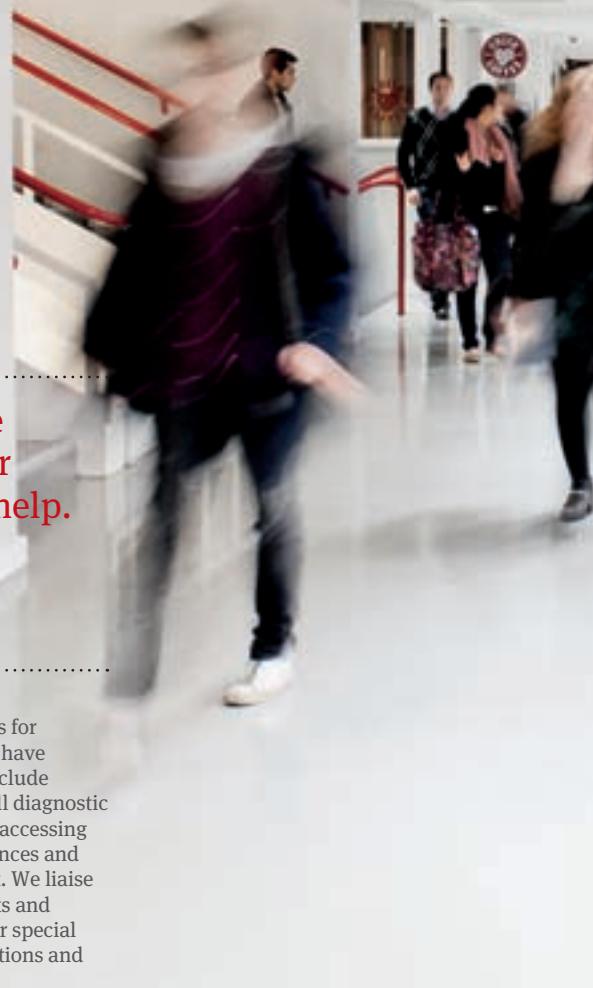
Whilst we do not offer English language tuition or a proofreading service, we do provide additional learning support if your first language is not English and you need help to improve your academic performance in, for example, academic writing or oral presentations.

DYSLEXIA SERVICE

We offer a range of services for students who have or may have dyslexia. These services include screenings, referrals for full diagnostic assessment and advice on accessing Disabled Students' Allowances and specialist learning support. We liaise with academic departments and make recommendations for special arrangements for examinations and assessments.

DISABILITY SERVICE

Through this service, we are able to offer advice and support for individuals with sensory and physical disabilities, medical conditions and mental health difficulties or those experiencing temporary disabilities. We work with academic departments and service areas to help identify necessary adjustments and ensure appropriate support is in place, for example by agreeing special examination or assessment arrangements. We also offer individual support, including mentoring and non-medical helper support and we provide advice about accessing funding, for example through Disabled Students' Allowances.





STUDENT HEALTH SERVICE

The health and wellbeing of City students is a key priority for the University and we are proud to be part of the 'Well' campaign for campus wellbeing. Our Nurse Advisor can offer advice on minor injuries and ailments, as well as contraception and information on any aspect of physical or mental health. If you have a significant medical condition, you are encouraged to make contact with the service to discuss managing your health while studying at City. The service, which is located at the Northampton Square site, also has a restroom available to you should you become unwell during the day. We encourage you to register with an NHS GP and we can help with this process.

STUDENT COUNSELLING SERVICE

Professional counsellors are available to offer counselling for personal and academic worries and concerns, either on an individual or group basis. The service works closely with other student services, academic departments and where appropriate with external organisations to provide a network of resources and psychological support. Groups and workshops (on managing examination anxiety, procrastination and stress management, for example) are run throughout the year.

OPTOMETRIC SERVICE

This offers a comprehensive service to students, staff and the public. The clinics, which are staffed by final-year undergraduates and supervised closely by qualified academic or optometric staff, are open throughout the academic year. They offer full ophthalmic care including routine eye examinations, contact lens clinics and children's clinics, complemented by a dispensing facility which offers a wide range of frames and lenses.

CHAPLAINCY

The University has links with representatives of several faiths and our chaplains are available for you to explore questions of faith, meaning and purpose, learn about major world religions, worship, have confidential conversations and take part in social events.

FINANCE SUPPORT SERVICE

If you have any financial concerns, our Senior Financial Support Advisor can provide advice and information about the funding options available to you. Advice can also be given on money management and budgeting, professional and career development loans and applications for scholarships and Access to Learning Funds.

Contact us for more information:

T: +44 (0)20 7040 7040

E: studentcentre@city.ac.uk

CAREER AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT SERVICE

The Career and Skills Development Service is here to support you from your first day at City. You will be thinking about your future employment from the moment you start your course and our Careers Consultants and academics work together to help you develop the skills and abilities you will need to stand out.



Our Employer Liaison Team works with companies from every sector, bringing them to City to meet with you and help you to identify opportunities for placements, work experience, internships and graduate roles. Our internal temping agency, Unitemps, can help you secure part time and temporary work while you study, giving you the opportunity to develop transferable skills that are in demand from employers.

The Career and Skills Development Service offers several services:

- Daily one-to-one appointments for *curriculum vitae (cv)* and application checking, career coaching and tailored mock interviews
- Access to hundreds of graduate roles, placements and internships, part-time jobs and volunteering opportunities on and off campus
- Help with registration for part-time jobs on campus through our internal temping agency Unitemps
- Introduction to a diverse range of employers on campus and at industry-specific events throughout each term

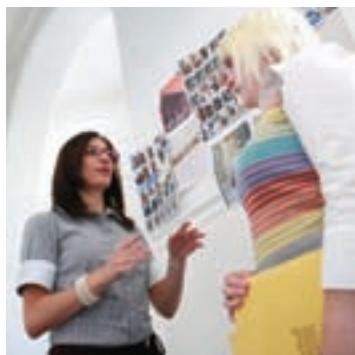
- Guidance on voluntary work in the local community through our Community Volunteering team
- Information about paid tutoring opportunities in local schools or City Summer Schools through our Student Development & Outreach team.

Whether you already know what you want to do following your postgraduate degree or you are open to new career ideas, come and visit the Career and Skills Development Service. We provide valuable advice and guidance throughout your time at City and the sooner you get to know us, the better.

Visit www.city.ac.uk/careers for more information.

LEARNING DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

The Learning Development Centre (LDC) works in partnership with staff and students across the University to enhance the educational experience for all.



Our staff have expertise in several specialist areas relating to learning, teaching and educational technology. The Centre provides a range of seminars, the MA Academic Practice and MPhil/PhD in Professional Education (see page 186 for more information on these degrees). Our staff undertake their own research and they are able to support research activity related to learning and teaching.



The Learning Development Centre supports a range of learning technologies to make sure you have the best possible learning experience:

- **Moodle**

Moodle is a web tool that gives you instant access to course materials, resources, interactive activities, assessment and communication tools from any computer at any time.

- **Personal development planning**

You can keep a record of and improve your personal development through technologies such as e-portfolios and Improving My Success.

Contact us for more information:

W: www.city.ac.uk/ldc

E: ldc@city.ac.uk

CAMPUS FACILITIES

Postgraduate students at City benefit from the full range of facilities on offer. Our IT and library services will play a key role in your studies, while the Students' Union and our clubs and societies will help you make the most of your time at the University.



IT SERVICES

Using IT effectively is an integral part of study and we aim to ensure that City's IT Services enable you to have the best possible learning experience. Once you begin your postgraduate degree at City, you will have your own IT account, so you can use any of our 1,500 PCs across the University. You will also have your own City email address, web space and backed-up file storage space.

Other IT facilities include:

- Internet access: the wireless network throughout the University provides you with free internet access when working at the main site. In addition, students in our halls of residence are provided with internet connection and access to our network services
- Drop-in IT support and advisory service: this is available to all students, and is open from 8am to 8pm, Monday to Friday, during term time
- Three 24-hour PC laboratories
- A3, A4, colour, black and white and transparency printing

- Scanning: available through the Service Centre for no fee (copyright restrictions may apply).

Audio visual facilities

We also have the following audio visual facilities available at no cost:

- Digital video cameras, microphones, tripods, data projectors, MP3 recorders and cassette tape recorders

For more information on IT and Audio Visual facilities you can contact the Response Centre:

Portal/Self-Service:
www.city.ac.uk/itservicedesk

T: +44 (0)20 7040 8181

E: it-servicedesk@city.ac.uk

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LIBRARY SERVICES

You will undoubtedly need to make use of our libraries throughout your postgraduate studies. You will find them well-stocked and easy to use.

In our libraries you can find:

- 280,000 volumes
- 25,000 journal titles available electronically on and off campus
- 1,100 study spaces, hotspots and bookable rooms
- Self-service loans and returns plus online renewal and reservations
- Computer workstations
- Photocopying and print facilities
- Access schemes to other higher education libraries.

The library team is available to assist you with any query.

OUR LIBRARIES

- **Northampton Square** This is our main library, occupying five floors. Subjects covered include business, law, health sciences, engineering, mathematical sciences, informatics, social sciences and arts.
- **Cass Business School library**
- **The City Law School library** at Gray's Inn Place and Northampton Square
- **School of Health Sciences library** at West Smithfield
- **The Library Graduate Centre** at Northampton Square is a dedicated space for postgraduate students. The area is wireless enabled and offers 70 silent study spaces including 16 fixed workstation PCs.

STUDENTS' UNION

As a student at City, you automatically become a member of the City University London Students' Union (CULSU), an independent organisation run by students for students. We strive to offer our members strong representation whilst enhancing the student experience.

The Union is governed by full and part-time elected officers, whose work is supported by several committees and groups of students. Together, they determine Union policy, run campaigns and represent you to the University on all matters that may affect you during your time at City. Make sure you speak to your School Representation Officer or Course Representative and let them know how the educational experience at City can be enhanced. Or get involved yourself: keep an eye out for elections and opportunities to represent your course at the beginning of your time at City.

For more information on our library services, please visit:
www.city.ac.uk/library.



Join a club or society

The Union has over 70 clubs and societies which cater for a broad range of interests, from photography to snowboarding. If you can't find a club or society to suit your interest, we can offer support and guidance on how to start one.

We also provide a range of structured volunteering opportunities. For example, if you are interested in journalism, video production or photography you can join the student media team which produces a regular print publication, online articles, podcasts and video reports which can be found on the Union website. If you are a postgraduate law student, you can volunteer on our advocacy project, the Union Support Service (USS).

Union Support Service (USS)

The Union Support Service is a peer-to-peer support service run by a team of trained student advisors working under a professional and experienced full-time staffing team. We can advise on academic matters for example, submitting forms detailing extenuating circumstances; accusations of academic misconduct and appeals procedures. This is a free, professional and confidential service that is completely independent from the University.

NUS EXTRA

The NUS Extra card gives you discounts and opportunities to enter competitions in high street and online stores in the UK. You can purchase the card for £11 online or by visiting the Students' Union office in Northampton Square. More information can be found on www.nus.org.uk/en/nus-extra.

For more information on our Students' Union, please visit:
www.culsu.co.uk

SPORT AT CITY

City University London sports programme offers opportunities for all levels of abilities. Whether you have represented your previous institution at the highest level or just wish to provide an escape from your studies, the Sports and Leisure team is available. City competes within British Universities and Colleges Sport (BUCS) and the London Universities Sports Leagues (LUSL). Our intra-mural programme (IntraCity) pits School against School in a 25-week training and competitive structure.

If you are interested in trying something new, our recreational sports programme provides the opportunity to try sports and leisure activities such as ice skating, rock climbing and horse riding, without making a long-term commitment. For more information, please contact sports@city.ac.uk or visit www.city.ac.uk/sport.

EATING AT THE UNIVERSITY

There are many places to eat at the University, including coffee shops, sandwich bars, the student refectory and the Students' Union social venue, Saddlers Bar, where you can choose from a wide selection of hot and cold food and speciality dishes.

Saddlers Bar is a place to meet friends, eat, chat, go online or relax between lectures. In the evening, the venue becomes a vibrant social space which hosts a range of events from televised sports to fashion shows and quizzes.

To find out more about what's on at the Students' Union, visit our website at www.city.ac.uk/studentsunion or visit our office by the University main entrance at Northampton Square.



INFORMATION FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Every year we welcome international students from more than 150 countries to study at City, creating a cosmopolitan and lively environment.

Our International Office team regularly visits many countries and has staff dedicated to supporting students from each international region.

If you would like more information on when we will be visiting your country, visit www.city.ac.uk/international.

VISA REQUIREMENTS

You are advised to prepare well in advance when applying for a UK visa, as you are responsible for obtaining any necessary visas or entry clearance into the UK.

Find information about applying for visas to study at City at www.city.ac.uk/studentvisa.

Further information about applying for visas outside the UK is available on the UK Border Agency International website at www.ukvisas.gov.uk.

Information about applying to extend your stay in the UK is available at www.city.ac.uk/extend.

SUPPORT FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

We have dedicated international advisors available to offer immigration and visa advice to all current or prospective international students.

For further information, contact the International Advice Team in the Student Centre:

T: +44(0)20 7040 8831
E: visaadvice@city.ac.uk

We have comprehensive pre-arrival information available on our website giving you guidance on everything from setting up a bank account to UK immigration regulations.

There is a special Welcome Event for international students at the beginning of term.

Our Students' Union has a range of international student societies which hold social events throughout the year.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

As City's courses are taught in English, you will need to prove competence in English to be admitted. Please see the course descriptions in this prospectus for the accepted level of English you will need to obtain to start a course.

TUITION FEES

For more information on funding your studies, please see page 24. Detailed information on fees will be available on our website early in 2013. Information about your fee status can be obtained from the Council for International Students at www.ukcisa.org.uk.





LIVING COSTS AND ACCOMMODATION

The amount you will need to live on as a student will vary but essentially you will need to budget for flights, accommodation, food, heating, travel, clothes, books and personal items. Your tuition fee does not include the cost of University accommodation. See www.city.ac.uk/accommodation and page 20 for details.

BUDGETING FOR YOUR LIFE IN LONDON

There are many ways to enjoy the city on a student budget. Sightseeing and entry to many museums are free and shops, cinemas and theatres often offer student discounts. You also benefit from a thirty per cent discount on travel within London and substantial reductions on national travel.

PART-TIME AND VACATION WORK

If you are in the UK on a student visa, you will be allowed to work part-time (up to twenty hours per week) during term time and full-time during holidays. Our Career and Skills Development Service can help you find work, but you should not assume you will be able to support yourself on part-time earnings.

ACCOMMODATION

Depending on where you live at the moment, you may need accommodation during your time at City. We have an accommodation team within the Student Centre for all prospective and registered full-time students.

We can advise you on accommodation matters and help you find suitable accommodation:

- In student halls of residence which are contracted for City University London's use through independent third-party housing providers or
- In the private sector, ranging from single rooms to shared flats.

POSTGRADUATE ACCOMMODATION

We offer some accommodation specifically for postgraduate students. This is in self-catered facilities within easy travelling distance of the main University buildings. We also have some accommodation suitable for students with mobility difficulties: let us know if you need this when you apply.

Unfortunately, we cannot offer accommodation suitable for students with partners or families. We advise students with families to arrange suitable accommodation before arriving in London with dependents.

Please note that we are unable to offer any childcare facilities.

THE COST OF UNIVERSITY ACCOMMODATION

The 2012/13 prices for postgraduate student halls of residence which are contracted for City University London's use are as follows (please note these are likely to rise for 2013/14):

Alliance House

£5,869.56 (equivalent to £143.16 per week for 41 weeks for a standard en suite room)

Willen House

£10,206.00 (equivalent to £204.12 per week for 50 weeks in a self-contained studio)

Derwent Point

£12,784.658 (equivalent to £250.68 per week for 51 weeks in a band-1 self-contained studio).

HOW TO APPLY FOR ACCOMMODATION

If you would like to apply for or find out more about halls of residence accommodation please contact our accommodation team in the Student Centre:

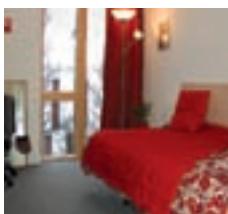
**T: +44 (0)20 7040 7040
www.city.ac.uk/accommodation**

Competition for halls of residence accommodation is strong, so it is a good idea to apply early. If you don't get a place in halls, the accommodation team can give you information about private sector accommodation.

Students with disabilities who are intending to apply for University accommodation should write directly to the accommodation team, in confidence, as soon as possible after being accepted by the University.

Some things to bear in mind about University accommodation:

- The cost of accommodation in halls includes heating, lighting and hot water
- All residences are self-catered
- All study bedrooms have internet connections: the cost of this service is included within the hall fee.



COST OF LIVING

Students' basic costs are currently around £278 a week in term time. This should be enough to cover your rent, food, heating, travel, clothes, books, sport and personal items.

You will need to budget extra for socialising: how much you spend on this is, of course, up to you.

If you are a UK student, living either in University halls or private rented accommodation, you may be eligible for limited funding from the University's Access to Learning Funds.

The cost of private sector accommodation in London varies greatly according to its location and the amenities provided. The following figures are a guide. The figures refer to 2012/13 and are likely to rise in 2013/14.

- Single room with shared bathroom and cooking facilities – £100 upwards a week
- Self-contained flat for two people – £250 upwards a week
- Single room in a hostel – £150 a week.

HERE ARE A FEW OTHER THINGS TO BEAR IN MIND:

- The cost of accommodation in the private sector may not include heating, lighting and hot water. You may need to pay extra for these
- Costs for accommodation for couples with children will normally be higher than these figures
- You will need to be prepared to pay a returnable deposit against damage. This could range from a week's to a month's rent. You will probably also need to pay a month's rent in advance
- You will normally have to sign a contract for a minimum of six months. Although you will find cheaper accommodation in areas outside Central London, any savings may be cancelled out by greater daily travelling costs
- Temporary accommodation in hotels, including breakfast but excluding other meals, is likely to cost at least £70 a day per person.

MORE INFORMATION ABOUT LIFE IN LONDON

You can find out more information on the following websites:

www.educationuk.org

British Council website to help international students interested in studying for a UK degree.

www.visitlondon.co.uk

London Tourist Board website, giving lots of useful information about London and its attractions.

www.studylondon.co.uk

Information on accommodation, living expenses, travel and cultural events in London.

www.ukcisa.org.uk

Practical guidance on work, immigration and fee issues.

You can find out more about University accommodation including contract periods and prices on our website: **www.city.ac.uk/accommodation**.

ALUMNI

By embarking on a course at City, you will be laying the foundations for a lifelong association with the University. On the day you graduate, you will automatically become a member of our global *Alumni* Network, which is made up of over 130,000 former City students.



City *alumni* live in more than 180 countries around the world and many of them, with our help, are now working as leaders in their fields. They keep in touch with each other and the University through the *Alumni* Network.

YOUR EXCLUSIVE RANGE OF FREE BENEFITS INCLUDES:

- Support from our Career and Skills Development Service for up to three years after you graduate
- Reference access to the library
- Invitations to events, which give you the opportunity to socialise, network and hear from a range of expert and often high-profile speakers
- A regularly updated *alumni* blog, bi-monthly e-bulletin and an annual magazine
- Large, active groups on all of the main social networking sites (Facebook, LinkedIn and Twitter)
- Access to over 60 international City *alumni* groups.

For more information about the *Alumni* Network visit www.city.ac.uk/alumni or call +44 (0)20 7040 5557.

HERE ARE JUST A FEW OF OUR ALUMNI:

Keith Abel (Law Diploma 1987): Co-founder of Abel and Cole, which delivers over 50,000 boxes of organic vegetables to homes every week.

Faisal Islam (Newspaper Journalism Diploma 2004): Award winning journalist and Economics Editor for Channel 4 News.

Professor Dame Wendy Hall (MSc Computer Science 1986): Widely regarded as one of the world's leading computer scientists. In 2005, she became the first female Senior Vice-President of the Royal Academy of Engineering.

Donal MacIntyre (MA Communication Policy Studies 1996): Investigative journalist, specialising in undercover operations and television exposés. Donal has won awards in the UK, France, Spain and Ireland for his work.



FUNDING YOUR STUDIES

Postgraduate study is not subsidised by the UK Government, so it is likely that you will need to pay the full cost of your studies. There is, however, limited funding for UK and international students available for specific courses and subjects.

POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

Postgraduate scholarships are course-specific and administered by individual Departments.

Please contact the relevant School for more details or visit www.city.ac.uk/scholarships.

RESEARCH STUDENTSHIPS

We offer a range of research studentships for students on full-time doctorate programmes. These include a full tuition fee waiver plus an annual bursary for living costs. The deadline for applications is usually March, so please remember to apply early.

For more information, please visit www.city.ac.uk/research/research-degrees/fees.

RESEARCH COUNCIL STUDENTSHIPS

Research Councils may be able to provide financial assistance for UK and EU postgraduate students. You will need to contact the relevant Research Council for details. We recommend you apply early. Some grants are offered through the University. Please check with your department upon being offered a place at City.

NHS-FUNDED COURSES

If you are studying Speech and Language Therapy or Nursing, then your fees should be paid by the NHS and you can apply for an NHS

Bursary. For more information, please visit www.nhsbsa.nhs.uk/students.

CHARITIES AND TRUSTS

There may be funding for postgraduate study available from charities and trusts.

The British Council has a scholarship search database that you might find useful. For more information, please visit www.educationuk.org or www.britishcouncil.org.

US LOANS

City University London participates in the William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program (Direct Loans) which can provide funding to cover the tuition fees and living expenses of students from the United States, subject to approval by the Student Centre.

For information, please visit www.city.ac.uk/study/why-study-at-city/fees-and-finance/us-loans.

DISABLED STUDENTS' ALLOWANCES (DSAS)

If you are a UK student studying a course lasting at least a year and leading to a Masters degree, Doctorate, Postgraduate Diploma or Certificate and you incur additional study-related costs as a direct result of a disability, mental health condition or specific learning difficulty, then you may be eligible to apply for Disabled Students' Allowances (DSAs).

To find out more about DSAs, please call **+44 (0) 800 731 9133** or visit www.direct.gov.uk/studentfinance, where you can download a copy of *Bridging the Gap: A Guide to the Disabled Students' Allowances (DSAs) in Higher Education*.

PROFESSIONAL CAREER DEVELOPMENT LOANS

City is registered with the Young People's Learning Agency (#3298) to provide loans for tuition fees and living costs for UK postgraduates. For more information, please visit www.direct.gov.uk/pcdl.

HARDSHIP FUND

The Access to Learning Fund and City University London Hardship Fund provide discretionary financial assistance for students experiencing unexpected financial hardship to help them remain in higher education. These funds are intended to act as a safety net for those in financial difficulty rather than a main source of income. This fund is administered by the Student Centre.

For more information, please visit www.city.ac.uk/study/whystudy-at-city/fees-and-finance.

PAYMENT OF FEES

The information in this section is given as general guidance. More specific information on paying fees for the 2013/14 academic year will be available in 2013 at www.city.ac.uk/study and as part of the enrolment process after you have received an unconditional offer of a place.

As part of the enrolment process, you will need to have either paid your fees in full or paid the first instalment of your fees and provided us with your bank or credit or debit card details. If you are fully sponsored, we will require a completed sponsorship form (SP1).

If you have a discretionary local authority award or a recognised studentship from a UK Research Council or a UK government department, we will collect fees directly from them. You must provide us with a copy of the award letter. If you are going to be sponsored by another country, company or employer, you will need to ask them either to make a payment directly to the University or to complete a sponsorship form (SP1) so we can send them an invoice for your fees.

INSTALMENT SCHEME

If you are paying all or part of your fees yourself or a private individual is paying them on your behalf, you will be considered to be a self-financing student. In this case, we offer an instalment scheme, which allows you to pay your annual fees in two equal instalments: the first on enrolment and the second at the end of the third completed month after enrolment.

This scheme is open to all students except those on courses with modular fees. For more information, please visit <https://epay.city.ac.uk>.

METHODS OF PAYMENT

We accept payment by sterling cheque, credit or debit card, bank transfer or direct debit. Card payments can be made online at <https://epay.city.ac.uk> or over the telephone on +44 (0)20 7040 6040.

REFUNDS

If you decide not to go on with your course, it is essential that you notify your School Office immediately, as you may be charged a proportion of the tuition fee depending on your last date of attendance. For postgraduate students, the tuition fee charged will be calculated as follows:

- Only the deposit will be retained if a student withdraws on or before 31st October
- 50% if a student withdraws between 1st November and 31st January
- 100% of the annual fee will be charged if a student withdraws on or after 1st February.

The above dates apply to students who follow the standard academic year (beginning their courses in the autumn). Where courses start at different times of the year:

- Only the deposit will be retained if you withdraw within a month of registration
- 50% from one month following registration date for the following three-month period
- 100% of the annual fee will be charged from the date of payment of the second instalment.

For advice on payment of tuition fees, please contact:

Accounts Receivable
Finance Office
City University London
Northampton Square
London EC1V 0HB
E: g.s.wray@city.ac.uk

APPLICATION AND REGISTRATION

Our staff will consider your qualifications, background and experience when reviewing your application.

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

Applicants for all postgraduate degrees should normally hold a university honours degree or equivalent qualification in an appropriate subject. If you don't hold an honours degree or equivalent but you have suitable experience and/or professional qualifications, you may still be accepted for a Masters Degree or Postgraduate Diploma at the discretion of the relevant department.

In addition we recognise several pre-Masters programmes, in particular those provided by Kaplan International College London and INTO City.

For the specific requirements of your preferred course, please see the individual course pages.

APPLICATIONS AND CLOSING DATES

- You can apply for most taught courses online at www.city.ac.uk/study. Alternatively you can download the form when it is available, fill it in and submit it to the appropriate department
- Before registration, you will need to submit original certificates or certified copies of your relevant degrees and other qualifications
- The closing date for applications is determined by each department and may be as early as February for a course starting in September
- It is advisable to apply as early as possible, as competition for places on many courses is extremely strong and they may be fully subscribed well before the closing date.

REGISTRATION

Once you have had your place confirmed, you will be required to register formally at the start of your course. We will send you details about this well in advance.

ENROLMENT

Enrolment at the University usually takes place between August and September for courses beginning in September or October. The University charges tuition fees for its courses. These vary depending on the course, whether you are studying full or part-time and whether you are a UK/EU or an international student. The fees are normally payable at the beginning of the year, although there is an instalment scheme available (please see page 25).

It is advisable to apply as early as possible, as competition for places on many courses is extremely strong.



SCHOOL OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES

With a world-class reputation and an expanding influence on thinking and practice in the professions, the School of Arts & Social Sciences provides a dynamic and academically rigorous environment for postgraduate study. Our School focuses on a range of disciplines including journalism, sociology, music, economics, cultural and creative enterprise, psychology and politics. Our students benefit from our extensive list of industry-based guest speakers and visiting professors, our *alumni* network, and City's central London location.

93%

Percentage of 2010/11
School of Arts
graduates who were in
employment or further
study six months after
graduation

85%

Percentage of 2010/11
School of Social
Sciences graduates who
were in employment or
further study six months
after graduation.

1,250

Number of
postgraduate students
studying in the School
of Arts & Social
Sciences (June 2012)

126

Number of full-time
equivalent academic
staff in the School of Arts
& Social Sciences

Our strengths lie in the quality of our academic staff; our excellent location and facilities; our links to various key organisations within the City of London; the quality and professional relevance of the courses we offer and finally the highly influential research we undertake. We continually review and improve the courses we offer, updating them where necessary to ensure that we meet the needs of both our graduating students and their potential employers. Our academic staff are highly regarded in their chosen areas and lead research in several highly relevant fields, ensuring that students receive the most expert and up-to-date teaching. Graduate employment rates are consistently high across the School. The School has developed a strong culture of working with commercial and not-for-profit organisations who wish to benefit from our expertise.

RESEARCH AT THE SCHOOL OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES

The School of Arts & Social Sciences encompasses a wide range of research, internationally and collaboratively, over the disciplines.

Since 2008, academics in Social Sciences have been awarded £6.1 million of new research funding on top of existing grants from research councils, the EU and charities, while the School also advises the UK Government, the European Union and international organisations on national and international matters.

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FIND OUT MORE

WEB:
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MSc: arts-social-sciences@city.ac.uk

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+44 (0)20 7040 3720

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School of Arts & Social Sciences
College Building
City University London
Northampton Square
London
EC1V 0HB

AUDIOVISUAL TRANSLATION

MA

This comprehensive course is designed to provide you with the necessary knowledge and skills to work as a translator in the film and television industry, in subtitling, dubbing, audio description and other related areas. It has been developed in consultation with the audiovisual translation industry and reflects its current needs.

The course is suitable for:

- Language graduates, translation studies graduates and translators
- Graduates of linguistics, creative writing, literature, journalism, film, theatre studies and other degrees within the creative industries who have excellent writing skills and foreign language competence.

A variety of language combinations is offered: English with Arabic, Czech, French, German, Greek, Italian, Polish, Portuguese, Russian and Spanish.

COURSE CONTENT

This unique course offers you the opportunity to specialise as a translation expert in the audiovisual translation industry. This industry-oriented course offers:

- A theoretical framework with practical audiovisual translation in the different stages of the film and TV production and distribution processes
- A wide range of language combinations
- Experienced academic staff, many of whom work in London-based subtitling companies.

Modules include:

- Audio description for film and TV
- Audiovisual translation project management
- Industry context and processes
- Interlingual subtitling (foreign language subtitling)
- Principles and practice of audiovisual translation
- Principles and techniques of subtitling
- Screenwriting for translators (optional)
- Theory and practice of translating audio guides for art galleries and museums (optional)
- Translation for dubbing and voice-over.

You will have flexible access to industry-standard software to complete practical assignments and will be required to write a 10,000 word dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should normally have an upper second class honours degree or international equivalent in a relevant subject and be able to demonstrate linguistic competence at a level equivalent to either a first degree or minimum IELTS 7.0 (all components) in your foreign language.

You may be asked to take a written entrance examination and/or bring sample translations to interview.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



FIND OUT MORE

E: translation@city.ac.uk
T: +44 (0)20 7040 8266

BROADCAST JOURNALISM / TELEVISION JOURNALISM MA

City University London has been training aspiring broadcast journalists since 1982 and the MAs in Broadcast and Television Journalism are two of the UK's leading courses in this field. Graduates include the BBC's Sophie Raworth and Gillian Joseph of *Sky News*.

These two MA courses prepare you for a first job in radio or television journalism. Both are accredited by the Broadcast Journalism Training Council (BJTC). As a Broadcast Journalism student you will learn through lectures, workshops and broadcast simulation and as a Television Journalism student, you will cover television only, from news to documentaries.

You will benefit from the state-of-the-art facilities at City, including a purpose-built digital television studio, two digital editing suites, four radio studios and two broadcast newsrooms.

COURSE CONTENT

Broadcast Journalism offers practical education in radio and television. Newswriting, television and radio journalism are taught through lectures, workshops and broadcast simulation. Broadcast Journalism students can undertake two work placements. The work placement in radio during the winter vacation (December to January) is compulsory.

Television Journalism covers news, documentaries and lifestyle TV journalism. Television Journalism students will have a placement in the television industry every Wednesday in term time.

Modules include:

- Editorial production for TV and radio
- Entrepreneurial journalism
- Journalism practice
- Journalism and society 1
- Journalism and society 2
- Media law
- Online journalism
- Public administration
- Research for TV current affairs programmes (Television Journalism only)
- Television studio programme-making
- TV and radio technique (Broadcast Journalism only)
- Final project.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years (evenings)



FIND OUT MORE

E: journalism@city.ac.uk

T: +44 (0)20 7040 8221

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have a second class honours degree in any subject. Consideration will also be given to mature applicants with substantial work experience in radio and/or television journalism.

Students whose first language is not English are advised to apply for the International Journalism MA, which is designed specifically for students from outside the UK. Please see page 56 for further details.

BUSINESS ECONOMICS/ INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS ECONOMICS

MSc

The globalisation of the world economy and increasing competition among businesses has created a need for highly-skilled economists able to work in complex business environments. The standard tools of economic analysis are no longer sufficient for corporate executives, for whom applied strategic business and financial techniques are becoming essential.

The MSc in Business Economics / International Business Economics is designed to build upon the knowledge and skills you will have acquired at undergraduate level and apply them to real-world economic and business problems.

There are excellent employment prospects for such economists in economic and management consultancy, multinationals, government agencies and in business and finance, especially in the City of London.

COURSE CONTENT

You will have the opportunity to extend your previous education by focusing on business and economic policy issues. There is a high demand for economics postgraduates who, by developing specialised skills on this course, have the ability to apply economic analysis and quantitative skills to business and economic policy issues.

Students take four core modules and can choose to take either quantitative methods or econometrics in the first term and three elective modules in the second.

Modules include:

- Business economics
- Either quantitative methods or econometrics
- Financial markets
- Research methods training
- Dissertation.

You will be required to complete an economics research project on an appropriate subject.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have an upper second class honours degree in economics or in a subject in which there has been a significant economics component. Alternatively if you have a degree with an economics component supplemented by relevant work experience we will consider your application.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



FIND OUT MORE

E: socscipg@city.ac.uk

T: +44 (0)20 7040 0157

COUNSELLING PSYCHOLOGY

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

The Graduate Certificate in Counselling Psychology is a one year part-time course that provides an excellent foundation for further advanced study in counselling psychology. It gives you the opportunity to learn about the interpersonal and therapeutic skills which are the foundation of the counselling process and also provides a range of theoretical frameworks, linking psychological theory and counselling technique and acting as a template for model-based counselling practice.

It is designed for:

- Graduates who have little or no professional experience but wish to extend their knowledge of counselling psychology skills and theory prior to undertaking more advanced training
- Healthcare professionals, teachers, social workers and managers
- Others who wish to enhance their interpersonal and counselling skills and apply them within their professional practice.

COURSE CONTENT

The Graduate Certificate is not a professional training programme and is not intended to train you to be an independent counselling practitioner. It is, however, an excellent foundation if you want to extend your knowledge and experience of counselling psychology prior to undertaking more advanced professional training in counselling psychology or a related discipline.

You will undertake four taught modules which explore the relationship between counselling and psychology. Experiential learning and skills practice are central to this course. These modules are undertaken one day per week over the autumn and spring terms. The summer term is used for personal development and project work.

Modules include:

- Counselling across the lifespan
- Counselling skills
- Personal and professional development
- Theoretical models in counselling psychology
- Understanding mental health
- Project.



DURATION OF COURSE

Part-time: one year



FIND OUT MORE

E: socscipg@city.ac.uk

T: +44 (0)20 7040 4564

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You are usually required to have an undergraduate degree for entry onto this course. Relevant experience or a recognised professional qualification is an asset, but not a necessity.

For applicants whose first language is not English, you will need to provide evidence of having either English Language GCSE grade C, or:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test).

PROFESSIONAL DOCTORATE IN COUNSELLING PSYCHOLOGY

DPsych

The Professional Doctorate in Counselling Psychology is a professional programme, approved by the Health Professions Council (HPC) and accredited by the British Psychological Society (BPS).

We aim to equip you with rigorous practical and theoretical principles, as well as sound ethical, professional and research skills, to enable you to become an effective and competent Practitioner Psychologist with the HPC and Chartered Counselling Psychologist with the BPS. This professional and academic course enables you to work in a broad range of settings including the NHS, forensic settings, third sector (voluntary), industry, government and private practice, as well as academic and research settings.

COURSE CONTENT

Counselling Psychology at City has a long-established tradition and was one of the first courses to be accredited by the BPS in 1995. We have retained our accreditation since then, constantly keeping pace with developments both nationally and internationally and maintaining our reputation for innovation and excellence. At our last re-accreditation, we were proud to be commended on our personal tutor system and level of student satisfaction.

You will learn to work with a wide range of complex presenting issues; with individual adults and children; couples; families; groups and organisations; short and long term; in single and multi professional contexts and through transferring psychological skills to others in multidisciplinary teams.

The Professional Doctorate in Counselling Psychology is structured as follows:

- Year one MSc in Counselling Psychology
- Year two DPsych in Counselling Psychology
- Year three DPsych in Counselling Psychology continued.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You are required to have an upper second class honours degree, as well as Graduate Basis for Chartered Membership (GBC). Evidence of participation in counselling-skills training, the capacity to undertake research to doctoral level and at least one year's experience with face-to-face counselling work are required.

For applicants whose first language is not English, you will need to provide evidence of having either English Language GCSE grade C or above, or:

IELTS: 7.5 overall (with a minimum of 7.0 in each sub-test).



DURATION OF COURSE

MSc Full-time: one year

MSc and DPsych Full-time: three years



FIND OUT MORE

E: socscipg@city.ac.uk

T: +44 (0)20 7040 4564

CREATIVE WRITING (NON-FICTION)

MA

This new course is the first of its kind in the UK and it exploits the flourishing narrative non-fiction publishing market. Run mainly in the evening, it appeals to journalists, academics, subject experts, those wanting to write a memoir or family history and others exploring this form of literary journalism.

The course encourages you to be ambitious and imaginative. The unifying factor for all writers accepted onto the course will be their intention to deliver information through a narrative structure.

You will graduate having completed a full-length non-fiction book, rather than a dissertation or other academic piece of work. Our students benefit from a close proximity to London's authors, publishers and agents, research libraries, archives and major media organisations.

COURSE CONTENT

The course focuses on writing and research skills including identifying a subject, using archives, exploring genres and structuring material. You will also learn how to prepare a manuscript for publishers and agents. It offers a taught component, one-to-one-tutoring, workshops and opportunities to hear guest speakers. The course advisors, comprising leading figures from the non-fiction world, provide you with expert advice and direct exposure to the publishing industry.

The course ethos is excellence and diversity, with domestic and international students of different ages, experiences and backgrounds and a definition of narrative non-fiction that includes biography, travel, history, life writing, true crime, sports and other forms of sustained and structured non-fiction storytelling.

The MA Creative Writing is led by award-winning writer and broadcaster Julie Wheelwright, an expert in the field of creative non-fiction.

Modules include:

- Experiments in writing
- Literary criticism
- Own book
- The publishing industry.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: two years (evenings)



FIND OUT MORE

E: cw-non-fiction@city.ac.uk

T: +44 (0)20 7040 3400

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will normally have an honours degree in any subject or the overseas equivalent. You will need to submit 5,000 words of non-fiction and may need to attend an interview as part of the application process (overseas applicants may be interviewed by telephone).

For applicants whose first language is not English, the following qualification is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above (with 7.0 in the writing component).

CREATIVE WRITING (NOVELS)

MA

This course is designed to provide a supportive, thought-provoking and challenging environment for novelists to develop their skills, experiment with approaches to writing, reflect on their own work and that of other writers, learn about the industry and most importantly, complete a polished novel ready to send to publishers and agents. At the core of the course is the experience of established writers and it is designed for writers with some experience who would now like to complete a novel.

The MA in Creative Writing (Novels) allows you to focus on one of two areas: Literary Novels and Crime Thriller Novels. It encourages you to be ambitious and imaginative in your writing.

COURSE CONTENT

This course focuses either on the Literary Novel or the Crime Thriller Novel (students must choose at the outset which they will focus on). Within the field of Literary, there are many possible styles, approaches and forms; within Crime, everything from the police procedural to the combat thriller and from the psychological to the cyber thriller, will be addressed. All tutors are published novelists and are currently working on their own novels.

Our ethos is excellence and diversity, with an emphasis on recruiting students of different ages and from a wide range of backgrounds. This approach to the MA starts with workshops and seminars and then leads to the completion of a full-length literary or crime thriller novel.

Modules include:

- Complete novel
- Experiments in style
- Fundamentals of fiction
- Reading as a writer
- Storytelling.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will usually have an honours degree in any subject. Successful completion of a certificate course in creative writing or relevant experience is equally acceptable. The prime criteria are proven writing ability and a commitment to devoting two years to completing a novel.

You will need to submit 5,000 words and may need to attend an interview as part of the application process (overseas applicants may be interviewed by telephone).

For applicants whose first language is not English, the following qualification is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above (with 7.0 in the writing component).



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: two years



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CREATIVE WRITING (PLAYWRITING AND SCREENWRITING) MA

Creatively stimulating, challenging and above all practical, this innovative two-year course provides a supportive and thought-provoking environment for playwrights and screenwriters to explore their ideas, develop their craft and finish a full-length work to a high standard.

City's central London location places us right in the heart of one of the world's most vibrant cities, just minutes away from some of its most exciting theatres. Sadler's Wells theatre, renowned for bringing the best international and UK dance to London audiences, is just around the corner from our Northampton Square campus.

The Creative Writing (Playwriting and Screenwriting) MA is accredited by Skillset, the Creative Industries' Sector Skills.

COURSE CONTENT

In the first year, you will participate in twice-weekly workshops led by practising screenwriters and playwrights. These are designed to extend your understanding of specific forms and your awareness of creative possibilities.

In the second year, you will develop a full-length play, screenplay or pilot for an original television series. In addition, you will participate in workshops led by practising screenwriters and playwrights and have the opportunity to work with actors and to experience a professional script development process.

Our visiting lecturers also have extensive experience developing plays and screenplays in the drama industries and there is a showcase of work at the end of the course to which industry professionals are invited.

Modules include:

- Dramatic writing
- Own play or screenplay
- The production business
- Writing workshop.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will usually have an honours degree in any subject. The prime criteria are proven ability and commitment to completing a play or screenplay.

You will be required to submit a portfolio of your writing and to attend or (if overseas) to participate by telephone in an interview.

For applicants whose first language is not English, the following qualification is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above (with 7.0 in the writing component).



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: two years (evenings)



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CRIMINOLOGY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

MA

Criminology is an intellectually dynamic discipline relevant to policy formation. Understanding crime causation and crime control in the 21st century requires academics and professionals able to think creatively and work across traditional disciplinary boundaries and subject areas.

The innovative, interdisciplinary MA in Criminology and Criminal Justice enables you to develop advanced skills in criminological analysis and research the issues that are re-defining the study of criminal behaviour and crime control. This MA emphasises the importance of locating key developments in criminological thinking and crime control within an interdisciplinary and global context. We have a specific interest in utilising theories and methodology that enable us to research order, safety, risk and conflict in global cities such as London.

COURSE CONTENT

Criminology at City is defined by its empirical, policy-relevant and comparative orientation. Taught by experts, it prepares you for careers in the public, private and voluntary sectors. You will become actively involved in the work of the Criminology and Criminal Justice Research Group and allied research centres within the University. The inclusive course ethos encourages staff-student interaction and facilitates your training in the production of innovative theoretical knowledge and applied criminological research.

Modules are structured around a diverse range of issues and debates, including criminal behaviour, victimology, penology, policing and surveillance, crime prevention, crime, media and popular culture, civil liberties and human rights and cutting-edge research and policy formulation skills.

Modules include:

- Approaches to social research
- Contemporary criminology
- Criminal justice: policy and practice
- Crime news
- Penology
- Victimology
- Dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

We welcome applications from enthusiastic graduates with a second class honours degree or overseas equivalent qualification, in a discipline appropriate to the study of criminology and criminal justice. We also consider applications from candidates with other relevant qualifications and professional work experience.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years



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CULTURE, POLICY AND MANAGEMENT

MA

The MA in Culture, Policy and Management is for individuals who are keen to make a difference to the arts, heritage and creative industries by developing the appropriate skills and knowledge to inform policy and practice.

The MA has been developed in close consultation with key cultural institutions and professionals to shape a curriculum that is informed by research and responds to the demands of the sector. It allows you to negotiate a course of study to support your specific career aspirations.

Our tutors include academics and eminent professional associates who have many years of experience in the sector: together they give participants access to the latest ideas and developments and provide links with the sector.

COURSE CONTENT

This MA allows you to follow a course of study to support your specific career aspirations.

You can focus on your area of interest in your coursework and research, such as visual arts, performance arts, film, heritage, or any other area of the cultural or creative industries.

The course is characterised by the integration of both theoretical and practical elements. You will study two core modules and choose from a rich variety of elective modules. One of the electives provides experiential learning and offers the opportunity to do a placement in a creative/cultural institution. The dissertation allows you to carry out a small scale research project.

The curriculum is supported by an advisory group that includes senior figures from Arts Council England, the Barbican, the Independent Theatre Council, the Museums Association, Shakespeare's Globe and the Victoria and Albert Museum.

Modules include:

- Culture, policy and management (core)
- Research methods and practices for culture, policy and management (core)
- Audiences and marketing
- Cultural policy
- Culture and regeneration
- Digital cultures
- Managing organisations
- Placement.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will normally have a second class honours degree in any subject or the overseas equivalent and have an understanding of your country's cultural policy and some relevant experience.

For applicants whose first language is not English, the following qualification is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above (with 7.0 in the writing component and 6.5 in the other sub-categories).

DEVELOPMENT ECONOMICS

MSc

This new MSc in Development Economics is designed to give you an understanding of key issues in economic development and provide you with rigorous economic theory and statistical tools to be able to analyse policies and assess their impact on economic and human development.

You will be taught by faculty from City's Economics Department, all of whom are research active. The course is led by Dr Alice Mesnard, a senior economist at the Institute for Fiscal Studies for six years before joining City. Dr Mesnard is supported by academic staff with expertise in both theoretical and applied development economics.

Our students benefit from City's London location and our proximity to the centres of decision-making in development economics.

COURSE CONTENT

The aim of this course is to develop your critical and analytical abilities in economics, with particular reference to development. By the time you graduate, you should be able to:

- Demonstrate that modern economic theory is relevant to development economics
- Interpret current research critically and evaluate its relevance to development practice and policy analysis
- Understand the enduring determinants of poverty
- Analyse the issues of fertility, education, health, work, migration and microfinance and their contributions to economic development

- Develop microeconomic models to explain how people make such decisions and how policy is likely to affect their choices
- Assess policies designed to help the poor by taking into account how people react to policy interventions and assess statistically the success of such policies
- Undertake empirical investigations in development economics, using appropriate quantitative methods.

Modules include:

- Development economics
- Econometrics
- Macroeconomics
- Microeconomics
- The economics of microfinance.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have an upper second class honours degree in Economics or in a quantitative discipline with either some economics component or supplemented by economics-related work experience.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following are also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years



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ECONOMIC EVALUATION IN HEALTHCARE

MSc

Economic issues in healthcare are universally-recognised as critically important. The growth of both the public and private healthcare sectors in recent years means that there is a large and growing demand for health economics expertise. Analysing and understanding resource issues is increasingly necessary for health professionals, whether clinical, in health services management or in industries related to healthcare.

In keeping with the University's aims to provide high quality, professionally-relevant education, the course offers education in the conceptual bases for economic evaluation and in advanced quantitative methods relevant to healthcare decision-making, at a level appropriate for both economists and non-economists.

COURSE CONTENT

The MSc in Economic Evaluation in Healthcare is designed to meet the increased demand for quantitative and analytical skills in the process of decision-making in the healthcare sector. The course prepares you for career opportunities in areas such as policy and analysis for industry, professional associations and governmental bodies; the economic evaluation of products in the pharmaceutical industry; and as an academic.

Modules include:

- Economics of healthcare
- Economic evaluation in healthcare
- Advanced economic evaluation in healthcare
- Economic evaluation workshops
- Epidemiology
- Welfare economics
- Quantitative methods
- Dissertation.

We liaise with firms to help you obtain internships during the term(s) when you will write your dissertation.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have an honours degree in social sciences, medicine or science. We also welcome applications from those with degrees in any discipline supplemented by relevant work experience and from those with suitable professional backgrounds.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following are also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.

ECONOMIC REGULATION AND COMPETITION

MSc

The MSc in Economic Regulation and Competition provides specialised postgraduate training in the concepts and skills involved in competition policy and the regulatory process. The MSc provides an in-depth understanding of the legal and quantitative aspects of regulation and competition and is relevant for practitioners from all sectors including telecommunications, energy, water, rail, aviation, health and broadcasting.

The course is available full-time and part-time and takes place in the evenings, making it ideal if you want to work while you study. Current and past students have come from many different countries and a broad range of institutional bodies.

COURSE CONTENT

Competition and market regulation now requires a high level of specialised expertise, beyond the knowledge provided in a general economics degree or acquired via ‘learning by doing’. The MSc in Economic Regulation and Competition is designed to provide specialised education in the concepts and skills involved in competition policy and the regulatory process. This programme is one of the first degrees in this area in the world and has been running successfully for over 14 years. The programme is staffed by a unique combination of academics and practitioners with on-the-ground experience.

Modules include:

- Applied competition policy
- Competition law
- Economics of competition
- Economics of regulation
- Quantitative techniques for competition and regulation
- Seminars in areas including sectoral competition and regulation: energy, telecommunications, finance and health
- Dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The main entry route to this degree is an upper second class honours degree in any discipline supplemented by relevant work experience. The majority of our students already have professional experience before starting.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years



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ECONOMICS

MSc

The MSc in Economics at City is designed for students wanting to follow a pure Economics Masters degree, rather than a specialised course. You can choose modules from fields including health economics; financial economics; economic regulation and competition; and development economics as you build your own 'tailor-made' degree. The course also serves as a stepping stone to an Economics PhD.

You will learn with a research-active team of academic staff, with many staff appearing at conferences or writing articles in their areas of expertise. Course director Professor Neelam Jain has researched and educated at North American universities including the University of Minnesota, Northern Illinois University and the University of Virginia.

COURSE CONTENT

This course is designed to be flexible in the range of methods used and in your third term we organise experts from outside City to present current research on both methodological and applied topics.

You will be assessed through a combination of assigned coursework, one final examination and a dissertation.

Modules include:

- Econometrics
- Game theory
- Macroeconomics
- Microeconomics.

Our students benefit from City's London location and our proximity to and connections with the City of London. We are minutes away from the Square Mile (London's world-famous financial district) and the headquarters of financial and professional institutions.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have an upper second class honours degree in Economics or in a quantitative discipline with some economics component or supplemented by economics-related work experience.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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ERASMUS MUNDUS: JOURNALISM, MEDIA AND GLOBALISATION

MA

The Erasmus Mundus MA in Journalism, Media and Globalisation explores the practice and performance of journalism and the media in the context of a new environment brought about by globalisation, modernisation, commercialisation and professional developments. It is a unique two year Masters course and part of the prestigious Erasmus Mundus programme.

Students benefit from favourable tuition fees in comparison with other MA courses and the opportunity to learn from leading journalists and academics from two of Europe's top institutions in journalism and media education.

You will study with a diverse group of fellow students from around the world. In the last three years, students have come from the USA, Brazil, Thailand, China, Malaysia, Norway, Kyrgyzstan, Peru, Canada, Cambodia, Ukraine, Italy, Mexico, Czech Republic, Malta, India, Germany and Azerbaijan.

COURSE CONTENT

The Erasmus Mundus MA in Journalism, Media and Globalisation brings together five leading European institutions in journalism and media education, combining the best academic research and education from the participating universities.

A broad range of national and international guest lecturers from media and research institutions features. The first year is spent in Denmark, the second at City University London or at the University of Swansea (Wales), Hamburg University (Germany) or University of Amsterdam (Netherlands).

Modules include:

- Danish School of Journalism/ Aarhus University
 - Analytical journalism
 - Globalisation: reporting global change
 - Globalisation and the transformation of the state
 - Globalisation, culture and the roles of the media
 - Researching journalism
 - Social science methods for journalists.

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- Global political economy
- The world of business journalism
- The world of financial journalism
- Final project.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The course admits highly-qualified students from a wide range of countries. Applicants will normally require a UK degree or international equivalent and the equivalent of at least three months' journalism work experience (including student journalism).

For applicants whose first language is not English, the following qualification is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above in all categories.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: two years



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FINANCIAL ECONOMICS

MSc

In a steadily globalising world, the demand for specialists in finance and economics continues to grow. This demand exists across many institutions, ranging from policy-making authorities such as central banks and international organisations to commercial banks and brokerages.

The course is designed to meet increasing demand for specialists in finance and economics by combining solid education in economic theory with practical exposure to the field of finance through a variety of specialised options. The course is especially distinctive in the three-way link it establishes between economic theory, quantitative finance and financial regulation.

This course has been designed following extensive consultation with *alumni* currently employed in a variety of finance sector occupations.

COURSE CONTENT

The range of electives you can study and the coverage of topics within each of the core areas reflect the relationship between economic theory, quantitative finance and financial regulation. Both the course design and its delivery draw upon the department's expertise in the areas of economic theory, econometrics, financial theory, financial mathematics, corporate finance and regulatory economics.

One of the most exciting aspects of the course is the unique opportunity to combine exposure to regulatory and policy aspects of finance with a thorough training in theory and quantitative methods. The MSc also provides a solid academic foundation if you wish to pursue doctoral research in financial economics and guidance is readily available if you are considering further study.

Modules include:

- Economics of financial markets
- Financial derivatives
- Financial econometrics
- Microeconomics
- Dissertation.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have an 'A' level (or equivalent) in mathematics and an upper second class honours degree in economics with econometrics at the advanced undergraduate level; or in a mathematical subject with either economics to a first-year undergraduate level; or relevant professional experience in an economic policy or financial sector job.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.

FINANCIAL JOURNALISM

MA

The MA in Financial Journalism is designed to produce the next generation of outstanding financial journalists who will excel at covering the current crisis and have the ability to spot the next one.

The course benefits from close collaboration with the *Financial Times*, the BBC and other media organisations. It is led by an outstanding faculty, all of whom have years of practical experience as financial journalists, working for such organisations as the BBC, Reuters and Sky News. You will also benefit from close proximity to the City of London, one of the world's leading financial centres, with guest lecturers drawn from the world of banking and major media organisations.

This course is provided in collaboration with Cass Business School.

COURSE CONTENT

The MA Financial Journalism aims to develop the practical skills and knowledge needed to work in a full multimedia environment, as well as the analytic understanding of the key concepts and issues in financial journalism. By the end of the course, you will have had extensive education in the best professional practice of reporting business and financial news.

You will have developed professional skills such as interviewing, researching and writing news stories and features and will understand how to obtain and use key economic and financial data, using state-of-the art Bloomberg and Reuters terminals. You will have a firm grounding in key concepts in finance and economics and the ability to understand and manipulate financial data and analyse critically the context and assumptions within statements by key policy makers.

Modules include:

- Corporate reporting
- Editorial production (TV, radio, print)
- Global investment
- Journalism practice (financial)
- Key issues in financial journalism
- The City and financial institutions.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have a second class honours degree in any subject. You must demonstrate a commitment to journalism and show an understanding of economics/business through relevant work experience or study. Consideration will also be given to mature applicants with substantial experience in journalism and/or finance.

For applicants whose first language is not English, the following qualification is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above (with 7.0 in the writing component).



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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FOOD POLICY

MSc

The MSc Food Policy will give you a strong and critical grasp of both the theoretical and empirical aspects of food policy. You will gain an in-depth knowledge and understanding of the breadth of food policy in the UK within a European and international context.

The course is the first of its kind anywhere in the world. Its reputation extends beyond academia to international bodies, including European Union institutions and agencies and the UK Government and its departments. We also work closely with non-departmental bodies, regional agencies, local governments and a wide variety of NGOs.

The course will prepare you for a range of policy and management roles in varying food-policy related sectors. Our existing students have come from backgrounds such as environmental health, local and central government, NGOs, trading standards, food manufacturing, retail and catering and health and social care, both in the UK and internationally.

COURSE CONTENT

The course is flexible to accommodate your work commitments: you can study on a full-time, part-time or distance learning basis.

The course consists of four modules and a dissertation with a research methods component. The dissertation provides the opportunity for a detailed examination of a research question of relevance to food policy.

Modules include:

For MSc Food Policy all students must take four core modules:

- Food and public policy
- Food, culture and society
- Food, public health and the environment
- The political economy of food.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years (distance learning)



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have a second class honours degree or equivalent and a background or interest in a food-related area of employment or study.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL (internet based): 107.

GLOBAL MIGRATION

MA

Global migration is a key contemporary social phenomenon. City's MA in Global Migration takes an interdisciplinary approach drawing on sociology, law, politics, international relations, social policy, economics and anthropology.

We will introduce you to the local, national and regional impact of migration across the world.

The course is structured around the different stages of migration. It explores the causes and impact of migration, the journeys undertaken, reception in transit and receiving countries and national and global migration policies and regimes. It also examines the theories of migration and the rationale underlining different migrant categories.

COURSE CONTENT

This course is particularly relevant to those with personal experience of migration as well as those who have or would like a career in statutory, non-governmental or community-based organisations that work with migrants.

The Department of Sociology has a strong focus on issues linked to race and ethnicity, global migration, refugee studies and human rights. These areas of specialism provide a focus for the work of the Centre on Race, Ethnicity and Migration (CREM).

You will complete six taught modules: three compulsory core modules and three elective options. You will also take part in a dissertation workshop and produce a dissertation.

Modules include:

- Approaches to social research
- Forced migration
- Global migration
- Dissertation.

This course provides you with information and contacts for relevant internship opportunities.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will usually need to have a second class honours degree in a social-sciences related subject, but we also welcome applications from those with substantial experience in human rights organisations, NGOs, social services, journalism and other related sectors.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years



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GLOBAL POLITICAL ECONOMY

MA

City's new MA in Global Political Economy provides a contemporary take on the analysis of global economic relations, the workings of the global financial system, state strategies and processes of regulation. You will develop an in-depth understanding of how the economic system works and address critical issues in international development and policy-making.

You take two core modules (global political economy and global governance) plus optional modules in global finance, development, policymaking and diplomacy, migration, civil society and international institutions.

You will benefit from City's central London location and our academic expertise in global political economy, global finance, global governance and development.

COURSE CONTENT

The MA in Global Political Economy provides you with analytical skills and conceptual knowledge of key debates around the role of states, societies, financial markets and international organisations in shaping globalisation in the 21st century.

The course focuses on contemporary issues and processes in global political economy in the context of the broader changes associated with 'globalisation', change, transformation and global governance. You will consider the conceptual and policy debates around issues such as:

- Economic and financial crises
- Development and inequality
- Disease and security
- Migration and cultural identity
- Poverty
- Regionalisation and globalisation.

Modules include:

- Global political economy
- Governing global politics
- Research workshop
- Dissertation.

This is a specialised degree enabling graduates who are often non-economists to engage competently and confidently with economic and financial developments and pursue professional careers in the public and the private sectors.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have an upper second class honours degree or international equivalent in Social Sciences, Humanities, Law, Business Studies and other disciplines. Relevant work and voluntary experience will be considered. No formal education in economics is required.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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HEALTH ECONOMICS

MSc

The demand for specialists in health economics continues to increase as demand for more advanced and expensive healthcare puts pressure on policy decision-makers and healthcare industry managers.

The MSc in Health Economics is designed to meet this demand by introducing you to the way in which microeconomic principles and concepts can be applied to the analysis of decisions by consumers, firms and governments regarding health and healthcare. It aims to give an understanding of the economic context within which economic evaluation takes place, familiarise you with key economic issues confronting health systems and provide tools and methods to analyse the economic causes and implications of healthcare matters.

COURSE CONTENT

This course is aimed at students who have an economics background as econometrics and microeconomics modules are both core parts of the course. You will be required to complete an economics research project on an appropriate subject. Elective module choices are subject to availability and timetabling constraints.

Modules include:

- Econometrics
- Economic evaluation in healthcare
- Advanced economic evaluation in healthcare
- Economics of healthcare
- Microeconomics
- Dissertation.

We liaise with firms to help you obtain internships during the term(s) you will write your final dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have an upper second class honours degree in economics or a relevant discipline complemented with economics or in any discipline supplemented by relevant work experience. If you don't have a degree, you may still be considered if you have appropriate professional qualifications or experience.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years



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PROFESSIONAL DOCTORATE IN HEALTH PSYCHOLOGY

DPsych

City University London's Professional Doctorate in Health Psychology is the stage two component of a health psychology programme to be completed by aspiring health psychologists with the view of pursuing a career in health psychology, offering services to the public. It provides the student with all of the competencies of the health psychologist and the development of individual skills and experience.

The aim of the course is for students to be able to practise competently and confidently in health psychology and produce an original pieces of research that contributes to the knowledge of applied health psychology. It is accredited by the British Psychological Society (BPS).

COURSE CONTENT

The doctorate in health psychology programme is approved by the Health Professions Council (HPC) and accredited by the British Psychological Society (BPS).

Students can apply to become registered psychologists or health psychologists under the HPC following completion of all practise and research components and once they have passed their *viva voce* examinations within a minimum of two years (full-time students; four years pro-rate for part-time students). This will be examined by internal and external examiners approved by the Board of Studies. The portfolio of competence must include:

- A supervision log
- A supplementary report summarising the practice and supervision log (3,000 words)
- A research thesis (30,000 words) and publishable paper(s) (10,000 words)
- A systematic review (6,000 words)
- Four case studies (approximately 3,000 words each) with relevant appendices.

The candidate has to have been the primary participant in the case studies. Emphasis is placed on the skills and knowledge required to be a scientist-practitioner. Video, audio or other evidence of examples of practice are required as part of the appendices to the case studies.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have an upper second class honours degree, a MSc in Health Psychology, Graduate Basis for Chartered Membership (GBC) and one year's professional experience in research or a health psychology-related area.

For applicants whose first language is not English, the following is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above in all categories.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: two years

Part-time: four years



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HEALTH PSYCHOLOGY/ PSYCHOLOGY AND HEALTH **MSc**

City's MSc in Health Psychology/Psychology and Health aims to give you a thorough understanding of health psychology theory and research and to develop relevant academic and communication skills. It will also enable you to develop an awareness of professional and contextual issues relevant to the practice of health psychology. Health psychology is devoted to furthering understanding of the scientific relationships between the social and psychological dimensions of health and illness.

These include:

- Environmental factors
- Psychosocial and sociocultural factors that may contribute to disease or its prevention
- Behavioural methods used in the diagnosis, treatment or rehabilitation of individuals living with physical disorders
- Techniques that could reduce disease risk by modifying health beliefs, attitudes or behaviours including decisions about using professional services.

COURSE CONTENT

The MSc in Health Psychology aims to enable you to develop an awareness of professional and contextual issues relevant to the practice of health psychology. It is accredited by the British Psychological Society (BPS). For this course you should normally have the BPS Graduate Basis for Chartered Membership (GBC).

The MSc in Psychology and Health was established in 1999 for applicants who do not have Graduate Basis for Chartered Membership (GBC) but who have an interest in psychological issues related to health.

Modules include:

- Behavioural medicine
- Communication in a healthcare context
- Health promotion
- Health psychology research project
- Invited speakers course
- Lifespan, gender and culture
- Professional and contextual issues in health psychology
- Research design and statistics 2
- Theoretical foundations of health psychology.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

MSc Health Psychology candidates are normally required to have an upper second class honours degree or its equivalent and the Graduate Basis for Chartered Membership (GBC) with the British Psychological Society (BPS). MSc Psychology and Health candidates are required to have a second class degree in psychology or a relevant subject.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above in all categories
TOEFL (internet based): 120.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year
 Part-time: two years



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HUMAN RIGHTS

MA

Human rights issues have become an important part of political debate, within countries and globally. City's MA in Human Rights builds on the academic expertise of the Department of Sociology, offering advanced interdisciplinary study for those who wish to understand human rights in a rapidly-changing global context.

The last decade has seen a large increase in the demand for human rights expertise as the UN, nation states, regional political actors, non-governmental organisations and multi-national corporations have increased their sensitivity to and interest in human rights. London is a key centre for human rights activity (Amnesty International's office is less than half a mile away) and is therefore an ideal place to pursue specialist study in human rights and related fields.

COURSE CONTENT

This course gives you the theoretical knowledge, practical research skills and substantive expertise necessary to be an effective human rights policy maker; researcher with government departments and inter-governmental organisations; and advocate and evaluator working for a range of specialist NGOs and allied groups. The course also provides you with information and contacts for relevant internship opportunities.

The core modules ensure that you have a comprehensive and rigorous education in human rights perspectives and human rights research methods. You will undertake six modules, combining three core modules with a further three elective modules. You will also be required to complete a dissertation on a topic of your choice.

Modules include:

- Approaches to social research
- Human rights and social theory
- Human wrongs
- Dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will usually need to have a second class honours degree in a social sciences related subject, but we also welcome applications from those with substantial experience in human rights organisations, NGOs, social services, journalism or related sectors.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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INTERACTIVE JOURNALISM

MA

The MA in Interactive Journalism prepares you to work in the rapidly-changing environment of online journalism, with a focus on two key areas: data journalism and community management. You will develop these online specialisations alongside essential journalistic skills of writing, reporting, newsgathering, interviewing and features-writing: core elements of City's renowned Journalism MA course.

Multimedia work is geared to online publication. Journalism is changing to engage people more as active participants and less as passive consumers. This course will prepare you for roles that reflect this change and content management to a more participatory, interactive approach.

More and more Journalism *alumni* from City are moving into these areas, including data, social media and community roles at *The Guardian*, www.ft.com, the BBC, and www.telegraph.co.uk.

COURSE CONTENT

The Data Journalism module is led by Paul Bradshaw, a pioneer in this field (who also leads the Online Journalism module) and James Ball, a data journalist at *The Guardian*, with Simon Rogers, data editor at *The Guardian*. The modules offered involve expert input from leading practitioners at news organisations such as the *Daily Telegraph*, Reuters, the BBC, *The Guardian*, BreakingNews and Reed Business Information.

Work placements are an integral part of the Interactive Journalism course, giving you the chance to put your learning into practice, develop your expertise further and widen your contacts and experience in the industry. You will undertake at least two placements.

Modules include:

- Data journalism
- Entrepreneurial journalism
- Journalism practice
- Journalism and society
- Media law
- Online communities and content management
- Online journalism
- Public administration.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have a good honours degree in any subject. Consideration will be given to mature applicants who can demonstrate substantial work experience.

A high level of numeracy and familiarity with computers and software is expected, along with English at native-speaker level.

For applicants whose first language is not English, the following qualification is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above (with 7.0 in the writing component).



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: ten months



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INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS AND DEVELOPMENT MA

Communication is integral to development programmes. At a time when ideas about freedom of expression, democracy, human rights and access to natural and material resources guide development projects across the world, questions on the role of media and communications for social change becomes ever more pertinent.

The MA in International Communications and Development provides an interdisciplinary framework to understand and assess critically the role of communications for and in development projects. Development is taken as a contested concept that translates into courses for advocating democratic forms of participation, policy initiatives and training activities in media and communications sectors in different geographical regions.

COURSE CONTENT

The course focuses on the relationship between communication, development and democracy.

Through the range of options available you will also gain a general knowledge of:

- Communications policy and trans-national media systems
- Media and communication studies within the context of globalisation
- Media audiences
- Media representation
- Political communication
- The work of international organisations and nongovernmental organisations in development communication.

The course will appeal to students with a general interest in communication studies and cross-disciplinary interests in development studies, sociology and politics. You will undertake six modules, combining three core modules with a further three elective modules. You will also be required to complete a dissertation based on a topic of your own choice.

Modules include:

- Approaches to social research
- Communication, culture and development
- Democratisation, information and communication
- Dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will usually need to have a good honours degree in a social sciences-related subject, but we also welcome applications from those with substantial experience in human rights organisations, NGOs, social services, journalism/media, information and communication services or other related sectors.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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INTERNATIONAL JOURNALISM

MA

The MA in International Journalism is a practical course in which you will develop skills in print, radio, TV and online journalism. You will leave the MA with insight into international news and with a more profound understanding of other cultures. The course is designed for students who do not live in the UK and it will enable you to embark on a career in international journalism or return to a career with enhanced knowledge and skills.

This course has excellent employment rates and students benefit from City's location. In the heart of London's media district you will have unrivalled access to industry internships and contacts. The course follows an international news agenda and students from all over the world share their journalistic and cultural experiences.

COURSE CONTENT

This course has been running since 1982 and has well over 1,000 *alumni* working in journalism all over the globe. Typically, graduates go on to work for international news agencies, broadcasters and newspapers including the BBC, CNN, Bloomberg and Agence France-Presse.

All students take a course in print, radio, television and online journalism before specialising in either print and online journalism; radio and online journalism or television and online journalism.

Towards the end of the first term, we discuss and advise you on which specialist pathway would be best for your future career. All students complete an internship, either in the UK or overseas.

Modules include:

- Advanced journalism practice
- International news
- Journalism and society
- Journalism practice 1 (multi-platform)
- Journalism practice 2 (print and online, radio and online or television and online)
- Online journalism
- Specialised journalism.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The International Journalism MA is intended primarily for applicants from outside the UK.

You must have a degree equivalent to an upper second class UK honours degree or a minimum of seven years' work experience in journalism. You must demonstrate commitment to journalism through relevant work experience.

For applicants whose first language is not English, the following qualification is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above (with 7.0 in the writing component).



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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INTERNATIONAL POLITICS

MA

At the heart of contemporary international politics are new challenges to enduring problems. Increasing concerns such as poverty, terrorism, conflict, human rights, economic development, health and the global environment make the study of international politics a unique and exciting challenge.

City's MA in International Politics provides students with an opportunity to examine and evaluate critically issues of the contemporary world. It focuses on the study of global policymaking using theoretical and practical approaches, with core and elective modules covering the subjects including: development and inequality, security, foreign policy, diplomacy, religion, the environment; economic and financial crises; migration and cultural identity; and regionalisation. These modules allow students to analyse a range of actors involved in global policymaking, from governments to international institutions, civil society, social movements and private actors.

This course will be relevant for those studying/working in the fields of politics, journalism, international organisations, NGOs, human rights, international finance and government.

COURSE CONTENT

You will learn through a mixture of lectures, seminars, discussion, student presentations and practical workshops. Learning is supported by a personal tutorial and supervision system and a general lecture series with outside speakers (both professional and academic). You will complete six taught modules, comprising a mixture of compulsory core and elective options. You will also take part in a dissertation workshop and produce your dissertation over the summer period.

Modules include:

- Governing global politics
- International financial institutions
- International politics research workshop
- Strategy, diplomacy and decision-making
- Theories of international politics
- Understanding security in the 21st century
- US foreign policy
- Dissertation.

Graduates of this course will be well-placed to pursue careers in a wide range of professions including teaching, the civil service, media communications, journalism, international organisations, NGOs, international finance and the private sector.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have an upper second class honours degree or international equivalent in politics, the social sciences, law, business studies or humanities. However, we will also consider applications from students with a degree in any other subject where applicants have gained significant professional experience in a related field of employment or research.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100

INTERNATIONAL POLITICS AND HUMAN RIGHTS

MA

City's MA in International Politics and Human Rights provides you with a broad analysis of contemporary international politics and the impact of human rights on the international stage.

By developing a coherent and balanced mixture of theoretical approaches with a study of cases and global issues, the course enables you to view world events from an informative and knowledgeable position.

You will be required to specialise in political and legal approaches to human rights with a focus on the multi-dimensional aspects of modern practices of global governance. This MA provides you with an understanding of human rights issues at the global level, key issues in international politics and the impact of human rights on political actors.

COURSE CONTENT

This course, along with other human rights courses at City, has expanded rapidly, recruiting a diverse range of students from all corners of the world. Given the location and the interests of staff in the diverse dimensions of globalisation, the course is particularly appropriate for those who are interested in debates about the relationships between civil and political rights and economic, social and cultural rights.

This course offers you a stronger understanding of human rights issues at the global level, rather than the country level. You will undertake six modules, combining three core modules with a further three elective modules. You will also be required to complete a dissertation based on a topic of your choice.

This course provides you with information and contacts for relevant internship opportunities.

Modules include:

- Approaches to social research
- Global politics of human rights
- International human rights law
- Dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The normal requirement is a second class honours degree in a social-sciences related discipline but other relevant subjects or relevant work experience may also be acceptable.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years



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INTERNATIONAL PUBLISHING STUDIES

MA

The MA in International Publishing Studies is an exciting extension to our Publishing Masters and caters for experienced international industry practitioners. Your knowledge and business skills will be enhanced through expert teaching and industry projects and you will be challenged to respond creatively to current global publishing trends, including the impact of digitisation.

Core modules will be shared with MA Publishing Studies students, with additional modules to analyse industry conditions in different international publishing sectors and markets. You will work directly with industry project sponsors and be offered a range of site visits.

City University London is a leading global provider of professional education and research in publishing studies, producing both award-winning dissertations and consistent impact on students' careers.

COURSE CONTENT

This course covers all types of publishing, from trade and specialist publications to novels and non-fiction, providing a thorough grounding in the drivers of commercial success for both print and digital products.

The MA in International Publishing Studies offers additional modules and projects to examine both global publishing and the specific conditions in individual sectors and markets. Students are also encouraged to gain informal placement experience throughout the year. You can extend your business skills in the international publishing case studies module by developing the key commercial skill of analysing businesses in detail in order to write business case studies, focusing on a company of your choice or in partnership with an industry sponsor.

Modules include:

- Digitisation and publishing
- International publishing case studies
- Marketing in publishing
- Project acquisition and list management
- Publishing as a business
- Publishing culture and process
- Publishing law
- Sales in publishing
- Dissertation.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should normally have an upper second class honours degree or international equivalent and be able to demonstrate evidence of research into current industry conditions or of a commitment to a career in publishing.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following are also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 100.

INVESTIGATIVE JOURNALISM

MA

City's pioneering MA in Investigative Journalism provides you with the essential skills for a first job in print or broadcast journalism, together with innovative and in-depth research and investigation techniques. You will learn advanced research skills, including computer-assisted reporting, the effective use of public records and databases, the Freedom of Information Act and analysing data to find stories.

The course provides case studies of high-profile investigations and helps you develop the skills to investigate issues of public concern; miscarriages of justice; and companies, organisations and individuals within an ethical framework. It also offers you the opportunity to complete an investigation suitable for publication or broadcast. Students and graduates of this course have worked as interns at the Bureau of Investigative Journalism, based at City University London.

COURSE CONTENT

Topics range from business and financial journalism and investigations into individuals, organisations and corporations to miscarriages of justice. You will also learn the basic essential skills required by the media industry such as producing news and feature material, interviewing, production, law, structure of government and ethics.

This course is provided by leading investigative journalists, including David Leigh, Investigations Editor of *The Guardian*; Gavin MacFadyen, Director of the prestigious *Centre for Investigative Journalism*; Heather Brooke, Freedom of Information expert and honorary visiting fellow at City; Rosie Waterhouse, formerly of the *The Sunday Times* Insight team, *The Independent* and *BBC Newsnight* and Melanie McFadyean, City lecturer and freelance journalist.

Modules include:

- Editorial production
- Investigative reporting 1
- Investigative reporting 2
- Journalism practice
- Journalism and society 1
- Media law
- Online journalism
- Public administration
- Final project.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have an upper second class honours degree in any subject. Consideration will also be given to mature applicants with substantial work experience in journalism. All applicants must be able to demonstrate commitment to journalism through relevant work experience.

For applicants whose first language is not English, the following qualification is required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above (with 7.0 in the writing component).



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: ten months



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LEGAL TRANSLATION

MA

The MA in Legal Translation is the only postgraduate course in the UK focusing exclusively on legal translation and providing integrated teaching on law and translation. It provides an overview of the legal systems of England and Wales as well as those of the country of the students' other language.

The course is offered in the following language combinations: English into one of French, German, Italian, Spanish, Polish or Russian; and one of French, German, Italian or Spanish into English.

The course is suitable for:

- Graduates in modern languages, translation or law
- Lawyers or legal secretaries with competence in a second language
- Linguists interested in training as a legal translator
- Practising translators wishing to specialise in legal translation.

COURSE CONTENT

This course enables you to gain insights into legal translation at a postgraduate level which will assist you in a career as a legal translator. By linking the theoretical framework of legal translation with the practical aspects of the discipline, it encourages you to discuss translation difficulties and pitfalls, reflect on your own translation practice and provide the critical, analytical and research skills necessary for success in the translation industry.

The course combines intensive face-to-face teaching with distance learning. The curriculum was developed in consultation with the legal translation industry and is tailored to its needs.

Modules include:

- Company and commercial law: key principles and translation
- EU: legal principles and translation
- Financial legal translation
- Principles and practice of legal translation
- Terminology and translation of contracts
- Terminology and translation of property documents
- The translation professional
- Translation for litigation
- Dissertation.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should normally have an upper second class honours degree in a relevant subject and be able to demonstrate competence at a level equivalent to either a first degree or IELTS 7.0 in a language other than your mother tongue.

You may be asked to do a short translation test sent to you electronically, or to bring sample translations to interview.

MAGAZINE JOURNALISM

MA

The MA in Magazine Journalism has an exceptional reputation and is one of the leading magazine journalism courses in the UK. Graduates are found in every part of the industry – from consumer glossies and national newspapers to specialist and business-to-business publications. They work as editors, reporters, feature writers, reviewers and production staff. The MA has an outstanding employment record and is highly regarded by industry professionals who actively seek out its graduates. It is accredited by the Periodicals Training Council.

This course prepares you for anything you might encounter – whether it's writing a feature for a glossy men's magazine, researching and crafting a story for an online business-to-business publication or reviewing a play for a national newspaper.

COURSE CONTENT

This course gives you a thorough grounding in print and multimedia journalism. You will develop professional skills in reporting, interviewing, research, feature writing and production (print and online). You will produce print and online magazines and benefit from the experience of leading magazine and specialist journalists and around 30 visiting editors, commissioning editors and editorial directors from the UK's leading publishing houses.

Graduates from the course have won the Periodicals Training Council 'Most Promising Student of the Year' in 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011. Graduates from the last two years now work on a wide range of consumer magazines (*Marie Claire, FHM, Stylist*) B2B magazines (*Pulse, Architects Journal*) and national newspapers (*Daily Mail, Daily Telegraph, The Sunday Times, The Observer, The Sun*).

Modules include:

- Editorial production
- Entrepreneurial journalism
- Journalism and society 1
- Journalism and society 2
- Journalism practice
- Media law
- Online journalism
- Public administration
- Specialisms
- The magazine business
- Final project.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have an upper second class honours degree in any subject. Consideration will be given to mature applicants who can demonstrate substantial work experience. You should also have a minimum of four weeks' work experience in magazines or newspapers.

The MA in Magazine Journalism focuses primarily on journalism in the UK. Applicants from outside the UK are encouraged to apply for the MA in International Journalism. See page 56 for more information.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: ten months



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MEDIA AND COMMUNICATIONS

MA

City's MA in Media and Communications offers a contemporary overview of the field of media and communications studies. Provided by leading specialists in these fields it provides you with an advanced grounding in the social and political context of communications sociology, methodological approaches to researching the field and advanced discussion of current media and communications debates.

This course will appeal to you if you wish to achieve a broad study of media and communications, either as a preparation for a research degree, entry into employment in the wide realms of media and communications or as a means of furthering your understanding if you are already working in that field.

COURSE CONTENT

The MA in Media and Communications course covers the most significant recent developments in media and communications and will enable you to specialise in particular areas of interest, develop your critical skills and advance your knowledge.

You will learn the ways in which media and communications work, skills in critical social understanding and techniques of social enquiry and communication through varied learning methods. The Department of Sociology at City is particularly strong in the range and density of options it can offer students taking this course.

The course is well-suited to individuals who wish to extend, deepen, update and sharpen their knowledge and understand current developments in media and communications and to undertake an extended piece of original research.

Modules include:

- Approaches to social research
- Issues in media and communication research
- Media and communication theories
- Dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will usually need to have a second class honours degree in a social sciences-related subject, but we also welcome applications from those with substantial experience in the media, information services or the communication sectors.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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MUSIC

MA

The MA in Music pathways give you the chance to engage with a wide range of musical repertoires including Western art and popular music, world music, contemporary music and electronic music. The course aims to help you understand and evaluate the traditions and trajectories of music studies as a discipline and appreciate how our perceptions and values are shaped by a wide range of contextual, historical and aesthetic influences.

Alumni from the MA in Music have gone on to teach, compose and perform music in a wide variety of settings. They are also employed in music publishing, broadcasting, music management, arts administration, music retailing and further musical study at MPhil or PhD level.

COURSE CONTENT

You have a choice of one of four pathways:

Music MA

Allows you to focus on a substantial piece of written research in an area of individual interest. This pathway gives you exceptional training in research skills and introduces you to the latest critical thinking in music studies and musicology.

Ethnomusicology MA

Introduces you to new ways of thinking about music in its cultural contexts, focusing on urban ethnomusicology. You will learn fundamental ethnographic research skills while engaging with different representations of musical knowledge through ethnographic film, sound recordings and musical performance.

Composing for Moving Images MA

Develops your ability to compose notated and/or digital music in relation to moving images, employing a wide range of technical procedures relevant to contemporary composition. You will have the chance to work with performers and collaborators in creating music.

Performance MA

Develops your abilities as a performer, informed by an understanding of style, genre, context and interpretation, as well as historical and theoretical issues relevant to your specialised repertoire. You will receive conservatoire level tuition from the Guildhall School of Music and Drama.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

We prefer you to have an undergraduate degree in music. However, if you have an advanced level in performance or composition you may also be considered for the Performance MA or Composing for Moving Images MA pathways. We accept qualifications other than music degrees for entry onto the Ethnomusicology MA pathway.

For applicants whose first language is not English, the following qualification is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years



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NEWSPAPER JOURNALISM

MA

City's MA in Newspaper Journalism prepares you for a first job in newspaper journalism. The course has an exceptional reputation and an outstanding graduate employment record. The degree has been helping aspiring journalists into employment since 1982.

Students benefit from a central London location, unrivalled industry contacts and a thorough grounding in the best practices of professional journalism. The course combines practical skills training in reporting, interviewing, writing, editing, research and newspaper production (in print and online) with a concern for professional standards and critical and ethical reflection.

The Department includes former Managing Editor of *The Times* Professor George Brock; Professor David Leigh of *The Guardian*; ITN's chief lawyer John Battle; and award-winning Freedom of Information expert Heather Brooke.

COURSE CONTENT

The course offers you a thorough grounding in the best practices of professional journalism. It delivers knowledge and skills and nurtures a concern for the highest journalistic standards.

Recent graduates have gone on to work on national newspapers (*Daily Mail*, *The Times*, *The Sun*, *The Sunday Times*); regional press (*London Evening Standard*); newspapers overseas (*Daily Star* [Beirut], *China Daily* [Beijing]); news agencies (*Bloomberg*, *Dow Jones*); and magazines (*New Statesman*, *Prospect*). An increasing number of graduates are working in online roles, either as their main focus or alongside print journalism.

Modules include:

- Editorial production for newspapers
- Entrepreneurial journalism
- Journalism and society 1
- Journalism and society 2
- Journalism practice
- Media law
- Online journalism
- Public administration
- Specialisms
- Final project.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: ten months



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Candidates should have a second class honours degree in any appropriate subject but consideration will be given to mature entrants who can demonstrate substantial relevant working experience.

Students whose first language is not English are advised to apply for the International Journalism MA, which is designed specifically for students from outside the UK. See page 56 for more information.

ORGANISATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY/ ORGANISATIONAL BEHAVIOUR

MSc

City's MSc in Organisational Psychology/Organisational Behaviour aims to provide you with knowledge and understanding of the core areas of organisational and occupational psychology. You will have opportunities to develop a range of essential organisational consulting skills, such as negotiating access into organisations, facilitating employee focus groups, and providing effective feedback.

Organisational Psychology seeks to increase our understanding of human behaviour within the workplace. The discipline incorporates several topic areas including:

- Appraisal
- Employee relations
- Employee well-being
- Human-computer interaction and work design
- Organisational development and change
- Recruitment and selection
- Training and coaching.

COURSE CONTENT

Organisational psychology examines how people function in work environments. These MSc courses aim to give you a unique combination of theoretical and practical skills and techniques. Both courses provide professional education in organisational or occupational psychology and equip you with a sound understanding of theory and research across the sub-disciplines of organisational psychology.

The courses also introduce you to the range of practical skills and procedures required of practising occupational psychologists. We attempt to bridge the gap between theory and practice by covering both and showing how each is important to the success of the other.

Modules include:

- Appraisal and employee relations
- Careers, coaching and researching organisations
- Design of work and work environments
- Individual and organisational development and change
- Professional skills
- Research design and statistics
- Selection and assessment
- Workplace well-being
- Dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Candidates are normally required to have an upper second class honours degree or its equivalent. For the MSc Organisational Psychology, Graduate Basis for Chartered Membership (GBC), with the British Psychological Society (BPS) is needed while the MSc Organisational Behaviour normally requires work experience in a psychological or HR setting).

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above in all categories
TOEFL (internet based): 120.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years (evenings)



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POLITICAL COMMUNICATION

MA

As the shape of politics and communication have changed significantly in recent times, approaches to education and research in political communication have widened. Political party membership and election turnouts are steadily declining while interest group membership and issue-based campaigning are on the increase. Professional marketing, advertising and public relations approaches, developed in the corporate sector, have become central to the political process.

City's MA in Political Communication, which analyses forms of political communication from government and political party communication to the activities and communications of corporations, social movements and interest groups, will appeal to anyone with an academic, personal or professional interest in media and communications or politics.

COURSE CONTENT

Traditionally, research and education in political communication have concentrated exclusively on institutional politics.

This course covers several aspects of political communications, including:

- Government and political party communication and media relations
- Political marketing
- Public opinion and election campaigning
- Global institutions and international politics and communications
- The activities and communications of corporations, social movements and interest groups
- The production, regulation and consumption of mass and alternative media
- Different forms of promotional and political culture
- Social and political theory
- Communication issues surrounding human rights, race, citizenship and democratisation.

The course will appeal to anyone with an academic, personal or professional interest in media and communications or politics. It will suit those wanting to do further postgraduate research; policy-makers and communicators employed in government, political institutions and campaigning groups and journalists and others employed in the media and cultural industries and institutions.

Modules include:

- Approaches to social research
- Political communication: applications
- Political communications: theories
- Dissertation.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will usually need to have a good honours degree in a social sciences-related subject, but we also welcome applications from those with substantial experience in human rights organisations, NGOs, social services, journalism/media/communications, information services or other related sectors.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.

POLITICAL JOURNALISM

MA

City's MA in Political Journalism is aimed at those working or interested in beginning their careers in political journalism for the mainstream media and new media (including blogs and other social media outlets). It is also relevant for work in NGOs, campaigning organisations, political parties, public affairs consultancies, local and national government and public relations consultancies.

This innovative course has been developed in consultation with leading figures from the world of politics and the media and provides a mix of practical modules covering print, online, TV and radio; and contextual study relating to politics, the media and how the two interact. Guest lectures by political journalists, politicians and others form an important part of the course.

COURSE CONTENT

The MA in Political Journalism is the only MA Journalism course at City provided in the evenings, which enables you to start or continue working in a related field. The course provides a practical grounding in the broad issues of politics and political communications and in the techniques of journalism, political writing and reporting.

It offers a unique combination of practice and reflection. You will be involved in the day-to-day of reporting politics and you will study the major debates surrounding political journalism and communications. It is led by experienced political journalists and welcomes top-level guest speakers from the worlds of journalism and politics. City's location in the heart of London gives you access to the capital's key political institutions.

Modules include:

- Political broadcasting (TV and radio)
- Political campaigning
- Political decision-making
- Politics and communications
- Political reporting (over two terms)
- Dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Entry requirements include an honours degree in any related subject and evidence of a commitment to political journalism and/or communication in its broadest sense or a minimum of five years' experience of relevant professional activity.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: ten months (evenings)



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PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE OF TRANSLATION PG CERTIFICATE

This course provides you with a theoretical framework for translation, which will inform your translation practice. You will be working with a wide range of generalist and semi-specialist source texts from different domains.

You will learn to identify and develop skills involved in the process of translating; develop research and documentation strategies; develop awareness of professional standards, norms and translational ethics in the industry and develop your professional identity. The course will also prepare you for the Chartered Institute of Linguists' Diploma in Translation examination.

COURSE CONTENT

The course covers theoretical approaches to translation in terms of their relevance to translation practice, and develops your practical translation skills. Theoretical concepts increasingly inform translation practice as the course progresses. You will gain the theoretical tools, strategies and procedures needed to make translation decisions in a systematic way. The translation practice modules focus on students' practical skills and on developing them to professional standard, while the practice modules cover generalist and semi-specialist domains in line with the Chartered Institute of Linguists' professional examination.

The following combinations are offered:
English into: Arabic, Czech, Dutch, French, German, Italian, Polish, Portuguese, Russian, Slovak, Spanish and Turkish.

From the following languages into
English: Dutch, French, German, Italian, Portuguese, Russian and Spanish.

Modules include:

- Principles and practice of translation theory
- Translation practice 1: generalist texts
- Translation practice 2: semi-specialist domains A (technology, business, literature)
- Translation practice 3: semi-specialist domains B (science, social science, law).

Our experienced staff offer a course both for working translators with no formal qualification and for those who wish to embark on a career in the translation industry.

Students who have completed the PG Certificate can progress to the MA Translating Popular Culture. They will need to gain 60 taught credits from specified modules and 60 credits from the dissertation.



DURATION OF COURSE

Part-time: one year (distance learning)



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should normally have an upper second class honours degree or international equivalent in a relevant subject.

For applicants whose first language is not English, you will need to demonstrate linguistic competence (in your foreign language) at a level equivalent to either a first degree in your foreign language or:

IELTS: 7.0 or above in the reading, writing and listening categories.

PUBLISHING STUDIES

MA

As a City University London publishing student, you will benefit from our location on the doorstep of the world capital of publishing, giving you unrivalled access to the industry both during and after the course. City's MA in Publishing Studies is the course to choose if you wish to enhance your career prospects in the highly-competitive world of publishing while gaining a top-quality MA in the heart of London.

The MA in Publishing Studies provides the highest standards of professional education: this is reflected in the prizes that it has won, the industry placements our students secure and the participation of industry in projects and dissertations.

COURSE CONTENT

This course covers all types of publishing, from trade and specialist publications to novels and non-fiction. It provides a thorough grounding in the drivers of commercial success for print media, with a focus on the implications of digital content and e-delivery. It is led by publishing practitioners, who bring with them specialist expertise and up-to-date industry knowledge.

Work placements are an integral part of the course, providing you with experience and contacts as well as enhanced publishing skills. The assessed MA placement, which all students complete, takes place in the middle of the second ten-week term. Through the placement experience, you are encouraged to develop a dissertation project that will further your career goals.

Modules include:

- Digitisation and publishing
- Marketing in publishing
- Project acquisition and list management
- Publishing as a business
- Publishing culture and process
- Publishing law
- Sales in publishing
- Dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should normally have an upper second class honours degree or international equivalent and be able to demonstrate evidence of research into current industry conditions or a commitment to a career in publishing.

For applicants whose first language is not English, the following qualification is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above in all categories. (unfortunately we do not accept the TOEFL test).



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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RESEARCH METHODS AND PSYCHOLOGY

MSc

City's MSc in Research Methods and Psychology is designed to provide training in research methods, whether in preparation for MPhil/PhD studies in psychology, for academic research work, or for applications in allied professions such as education, health, or research in or for organisations.

The course gives you an understanding and appreciation of both qualitative and quantitative research methods within psychology and across a range of disciplines. It conforms with the Economic and Social Research Council's model of a fully-rounded course for research, distinguishing core learning from specialised learning appropriate to particular disciplines.

You will become proficient in using cutting-edge technology and develop an understanding of the methodology underlying empirical work in the behavioural and social sciences.

COURSE CONTENT

This MSc will enhance your capacity to carry out and evaluate social research. Previous external examiners have described our course delivery as 'setting the gold standard for research methods education'.

You complete core modules in research design, statistics, methods of data collection and data analysis with SPSS for Windows and the philosophical foundations of social research. You choose three elective modules from a comprehensive range of disciplines and advanced methodologies, before producing your MSc dissertation.

A substantial part of the course is devoted to providing practical, 'hands-on' experience of the methodologies and techniques covered.

The course provides in-depth training in the conduct of research from inception to completion. All aspects of project design, implementation and management are covered.

Modules include:

- Preliminary research proposal
- Rationale and philosophical foundations of social research
- Research design and statistics
- Research design, methods and methodology
- Dissertation.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have or expect to gain an upper second class honours degree in a social science discipline. We will also consider equivalent professional qualifications and occupational experience.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.

SCIENCE JOURNALISM

MA

The MA in Science Journalism at City University London gives you a thorough grounding in the best practices in health, science and environmental journalism, while educating you to be a critical consumer of scientific information.

This course has been designed in consultation with the world's leading science journalists and scientists and aims to improve science journalism by educating you to be critical consumers of scientific information, while ensuring you receive excellent multiplatform professional education. It takes full advantage of its central London location by drawing on the rich heritage of the capital's scientific and medical institutions, helping you to forge links, build contact networks and enjoy unrivalled access to leading experts. It offers a range of opportunities to report on science, health, environment, technology and food.

COURSE CONTENT

The course offers you a thorough grounding in the best practices in professional science, environmental and health journalism. It develops skills in science reporting, interviewing, science writing, research and broadcast, online and print production. As well as enabling critical reflection on legal, ethical and societal responsibilities, the course provides a foundation for putting those skills and that knowledge into practice.

Modules include:

- Editorial production
- Journalism practice
- Journalism and society
- Media law
- Online journalism
- Public administration
- Science reporting
- Science and society
- Final project.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have an upper second class honours degree in any subject. Considerations will also be given to mature applicants with substantial work experience in science, technology, the environment or medicine.

For applicants whose first language is not English, the following qualification is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above (with 7.0 in the writing component).



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: ten months



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SOCIAL MEDIA

MSc

City's MSc in Social Media (previously known as Information, Communication and Society) aims to address the concerns of those with an active interest in leading edges of the development of Social Media, equipping students with technological understanding and social awareness. There is a pressing need for graduates with an understanding of technical issues as well as the social dimensions of informational issues.

The MSc in Social Media is a joint degree of the Schools of Arts & Social Sciences and Informatics, bringing together long-established and internationally-acclaimed expertise at City in Information Science and the Sociology of Communications. The two departments have been leading centres in their respective fields for decades and together they offer an impressive range of expertise in the informational area.

COURSE CONTENT

The MSc in Social Media aims to provide a combination of technical and social competencies and skills central to working in today's information society. The course is designed to prepare you to create, access and manage digital information in your field of expertise and interest so that you can employ technology to address social and political aspects of information, communication and society today. It allows maximum flexibility and opportunities for customising your programme, while ensuring that each student develops knowledge and skills in the foundational elements of technology, management and social and political analysis.

Led by experts in their fields, the course will provide you with established methodological approaches with which to address the social connotations of the wealth and ubiquity of information.

Modules include:

- Approaches to social research
- Information and knowledge management
- Information architecture
- The information society
- Dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will usually need to have a good honours degree in a social sciences-related subject, but we also welcome applications from those with substantial experience in the media, information services or communication sectors.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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SOCIAL RESEARCH METHODS

MSc

City's MSc in Social Research Methods course offers practical education in social research methods and analysis. We aim to equip you with an understanding and appreciation of both qualitative and quantitative research methods across a range of disciplines and competence in the use of leading edge technology.

The core and optional modules give you advanced knowledge of social research methods and an insight into how research methodologies are applied to the analysis of both theoretical and policy issues. Our course delivery has been described by previous external examiners as 'setting the gold standard for research methods education'.

There is a high demand for Social Research Methods graduates and you will have excellent employment opportunities to work as social researchers in a variety of sectors.

COURSE CONTENT

Academic staff on the course cover a wide variety of substantive interests including social research methodologies, social theory, human rights, the study of the life course, youth, early old age, sexual behaviour, social attitudes, criminology, race and ethnicity, migration, media and communication, refugee studies, governance and globalisation.

There are excellent employment opportunities for graduates of this course in academic research, central and local government agencies, public health, the voluntary sector, market and media research and management consultancy.

The course also offers the ideal foundation if you want to pursue doctoral research in the social sciences.

Modules include:

- Data analysis using SPSS
- Qualitative research methods
- Rationale and philosophical foundations of social research
- Research design, methods and methodology
- Survey research methods
- Dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have or expect to gain an upper second class honours degree in social science, health, media studies or a related discipline. We also welcome applications from those with equivalent professional qualifications and occupational experience.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 (overall with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-set)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years



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SOCIOLOGY

MA

City's MA in Sociology offers a contemporary overview of sociology, led by leading specialists in their field. Our internationally-renowned staff cover a wide range of research areas and scholarly interests including globalisation, migration, gender relations, communication, race, culture, identity, human rights and criminology.

The course is well-suited to individuals who wish to extend, deepen, update and sharpen their knowledge and understand current developments in sociology and to undertake an extended piece of original research. You will cover significant recent developments in sociology, enabling you to specialise in particular areas of interest, develop your critical skills and advance your knowledge of modern sociology. You will analyse the ways in which societies work and develop skills in critical social understanding and techniques of social enquiry and communication.

COURSE CONTENT

Our internationally-renowned academic staff cover a wide range of research areas and scholarly interests including globalisation, migration, race, culture and human rights. You will gain knowledge of ways in which societies work, skills in critical social understanding and techniques of social enquiry and communication through varied methods.

The Department of Sociology is particularly strong in the range and density of options it can offer students. This course offers both an advanced grounding and a contemporary overview of current sociology and is led by leading specialists in their field. The research techniques you develop will enable you to assemble, interpret and use a wide range of social data.

Modules include:

- Approaches to social research
- Contemporary issues in social theory
- Current issues in sociology
- Dissertation.

Former students have gone on to secure prestigious and highly competitive posts in the public sector, social policy research think tanks and international organisations.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will usually need to have a second class honours degree in a social sciences-related subject, but we also welcome applications from those with substantial experience in human rights organisations, NGOs, social services, journalism and other related sectors.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.

TRANSLATING POPULAR CULTURE MA

This unique course is the only degree in the UK and Europe which offers students the opportunity to specialise as a translation expert in an area of translation and publishing which has seen unprecedented expansion.

The course aims to give you a theoretical framework for the practical application of translation, working with a wide range of source texts from different popular genres and media. It will develop your awareness of professional standards, norms and translational ethics as well as your professional identity in relation to the role of translation in the publishing process.

This MA is offered in a wide range of languages.

COURSE CONTENT

This MA gives you an understanding of the different conventions and styles associated with popular culture in its varied forms and genres, how they are shaped historically and culturally and the impact this has on translation strategies.

You will study five taught core modules which combine theory with translation practice and prepare a 15,000-word dissertation which can be a discussion on an aspect of popular culture in translation or an extended translation with reflective commentary.

The learning modules offer relevant knowledge about the market and the industry and develop professional, soft and transferable skills and experience. You study in a variety of formats, from lectures to seminar sessions.

Modules include:

- Principles and practice of translation theory
- Translating children's fiction
- Translating crime fiction
- Translating multimodal texts (comics and manga)
- Translating science fiction
- Dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should normally have an upper second class honours degree or international equivalent in a relevant subject and be able to demonstrate linguistic competence in your foreign language at a level equivalent to either a first degree, or IELTS 7.0 (in the reading, writing and listening components).

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following are also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above in the reading, writing and listening categories

TOEFL (internet based): 100.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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TRANSNATIONAL MEDIA AND GLOBALISATION

MA

City's MA in Transnational Media and Globalisation analyses the global remapping of media spaces and addresses key issues related to transnational media and cultures.

Media are increasingly transnational in character, adjusting and influencing cross-border movements of ideas, goods, capital and people. The emerging transnational media order challenges boundaries, questions the principle of territoriality and opens from within the national media. New media practices and flows are shaping media spaces with a built-in transnational connectivity, creating contemporary cultures overflowing with new meanings and experiences.

The course takes full advantage of its location in London, Europe's media hub and we regularly invite speakers from the industry.

COURSE CONTENT

The dynamics of globalisation and digitisation are shaping a new media order. National boundaries no longer contain cultural flows and nation states struggle to maintain control over international communications.

This course analyses the global remapping of media spaces and addresses key issues related to transnational media and cultures. City is located in London, Europe's media hub. Home to many international media players, it is a vibrant cosmopolitan city and the ideal place for transcultural studies. This MA course takes full advantage of its location and regularly invites speakers from the industry. Past lecturers include representatives from BBC World, CNBC Europe, CNN International and Fashion TV.

Modules include:

- Approaches to social research
- Democratisation, information and communication
- Transnational media and communication
- Dissertation.

Graduates may go on to positions in advertising, marketing, international broadcasting research (academic and commercial), media management and regulatory agencies.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will usually need to have a second class honours degree in a social sciences-related subject, but we also welcome applications from those with substantial experience in human rights organisations, NGOs, social services, journalism or media, information services, the communications sector or other related sectors.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in each sub-test)

TOEFL (internet based): 100-105.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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CASS BUSINESS SCHOOL

Located in the heart of one of the world's leading financial centres, Cass is the business school for the City of London, part of an elite group to have achieved triple accreditation by The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB); the Association of MBAs (AMBA); and the European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS). Our undergraduate, specialist Masters, MBA, Executive Education and research programmes have a reputation for excellence and attract students from around the world.

90%

Percentage of Cass research in the latest Research Assessment Exercise declared to be of international significance

78%

Percentage of 2010/11 Cass graduates in employment three months after graduation

1,800

Number of postgraduate students studying in Cass Business School (June 2012)

130

Number of full-time equivalent academic staff in Cass Business School

RESEARCH AT CASS

Cass Business School's faculty comprises over 100 research-active experts and has an outstanding reputation for research. The latest UK Research Assessment Exercise (RAE) ranked Cass as one of the top ten Business Schools in the UK for Business and Management research. In 2010, a study published by the *Financial Management Journal* ranked Cass Finance research third in Europe.

Crucially, Cass research is relevant to the needs of business leaders, government, professionals and the media. The latest RAE declared 90 per cent of Cass research submitted to be of international significance.

For information on undertaking a research degree at Cass, please see page 103.

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Each year, the School makes funds available for scholarships to outstanding students: for more information, please see our website.

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ACTUARIAL MANAGEMENT

MSc

This course is aimed at those who wish to study material relevant to subsequent actuarial examinations. You will emerge as a highly-valued professional equipped with the latest technical tools and industry knowledge. The course enables you to gain exemptions from Actuarial Risk Management (Subject CA1), Communications (Subject CA3) and the Specialist Technical (ST) subjects of the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries.

The flexible course structure also allows you to gain exemptions from outstanding Core Technical Subjects CT2, 4, 5, 6 and 8. The part-time option is ideal if you are an actuarial trainee, allowing you to attend lectures and benefit from a dedicated and virtual learning environment.

The UK Actuarial Profession accredits this course. Graduates of the MSc work for a variety of employers, including insurance companies, investment and retail banks and actuarial consultancies. They advise clients on decisions carrying long-term financial risk, such as pension plans, government and nongovernment organisations.

COURSE CONTENT

Divided into three parts, the course is spread over six terms for part-time and three terms for full-time students, commencing in the autumn.

Modules include:

- Actuarial risk management (parts I & II)
- Contingencies
- Finance and financial reporting
- Finance and investment
- Financial economics
- General insurance reserving and capital modelling
- Health insurance
- Modelling
- Life insurance
- Pensions and other benefits
- Statistical methods.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Normally an upper second class honours degree or overseas equivalent in actuarial science or a degree in a subject that covers all or most of the CT Subjects of the Institute of Actuaries' examinations (or the equivalent from other actuarial professional bodies) is required.

Applicants who have another degree and who have passed all or most of CT subjects of the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries' examinations may also be accepted.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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ACTUARIAL SCIENCE

MSc

This course has been designed in response to the changing skills expected from actuaries. It is aimed at highly numerate individuals who wish to pursue actuarial careers in insurance, finance, consultancy and related areas. This fast-track study route allows you to gain professional qualifications before embarking upon your career, but is also aimed at actuarial trainees and associates.

The course is accredited by the Actuarial Profession (the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries in the UK). You can gain up to eight exemptions from the current examination system of the Institute of Actuaries, which is just over half of the examinations required for Fellowship, thereby saving several years of study.

Our graduates work for a variety of employers, including insurance companies, investment and retail banks and actuarial consultancies.

COURSE CONTENT

The course consists of tuition spread over three terms, commencing in the autumn.

Modules include:

- Contingencies
- Financial economics
- Finance and financial reporting
- Financial mathematics
- Modelling
- Probability and mathematical statistics
- Statistical methods.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must hold an upper second class honours degree from a leading UK university or overseas equivalent in a subject with an adequate mathematical content, such as mathematics, statistics, economics or physics.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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BANKING AND INTERNATIONAL FINANCE

MSc

This course reflects the wide and sophisticated range of activities within banking, a sector which has experienced dramatic development and change.

You will acquire a key skill set and real-world knowledge vital to achieving success in your chosen career and will graduate with a comprehensive understanding of the principles and applications of essential business areas including fixed income, foreign exchange, derivatives, asset management, mergers and acquisitions and hedge funds.

The CFA, the global association of investment professionals, recognises the rigour and the relevance of the MSc in Banking and International Finance and has awarded this degree partner status.

Our graduates work in a wide range of careers in banks, investment banks, financial conglomerates, hedge funds and multinational financial institutions.

COURSE CONTENT

This course comprises induction, core units and either a Business Research Project plus one elective or five electives.

Modules include:

- Commercial and investment banking
- Corporate finance
- Finance and investments
- Financial statement analysis
- Fixed income and currency derivatives
- International finance
- Quantitative methods for finance
- Research project management skills
- Risk management.

There is also a wide range of elective modules. A Business Research Project provides you with an opportunity to specialise in a contemporary finance topic related to your future career.

The course is delivered through interactive lectures and seminars and a proportion of the assessed work is based on team assignments.

Workshop sessions and City practitioner contributions focus on key applications of knowledge in the professional environment and further increase the intensity and practical relevance of the course.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have an upper second class honours degree, preferably in business studies, economics, accounting or an appropriate science.

Applicants to the MSc Banking and International Finance are strongly encouraged to take the GMAT test. A good GMAT score will considerably strengthen your application.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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CHARITY ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

MSc/PG DIPLOMA

This is one of five postgraduate courses offered in the Charities Masters Programme. The Programme covers a unique breadth of specialist areas primarily for those working within the sector. The two year part-time structure allows students the flexibility of choosing the level of qualification and whether they want to cover one subject in depth (Dissertation) or a second subject area (Taught Option) when completing the Masters.

This is an advanced course aimed at experienced finance managers working in an organisation's finance department or financial advisors to charities and not-for-profit organisations.

It aims to equip students with knowledge of:

- Specialist charity taxation and unique tax privileges
- The distinctive financial accounting practice.

The course is accredited by AACBS and EQUIS. On successful completion of the Postgraduate Diploma, students are eligible for the ICAEW Diploma in Charity Accounting (DChA).

COURSE CONTENT

The Postgraduate Diploma is offered on a part-time basis and is taught over a period of one year. This requires attendance on a Friday and a Saturday one weekend per month and additional time for action learning and examinations.

The Diploma consists of five core modules, common to all Centre for Charity Effectiveness postgraduate courses, which provide the essential underpinning of management skills, plus three specialist modules.

Modules include:

- Learning
- Marketing and fundraising
- Resource management
- Strategy, diversity and governance
- Voluntary sector policy.

Students also follow three specialist modules:

- Advanced charity accounting, audit and taxation
- Voluntary sector financial management
- Fieldwork exercise.

We also run a Postgraduate Diploma (exemption route) for ICAEW members with an ACA qualification which starts in April.

Upon successful completion of the Diploma, you will have the option to continue to complete the MSc through a dissertation or taught option.



DURATION OF COURSE

Pg Diploma (exemption route)

Part-time: nine months

Pg Diploma Part-time: one year

MSc conversion Part-time: six to eight months



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The course is aimed at people who have typically been in a relevant post for at least three years. You will normally have a degree or equivalent professional qualification.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English, will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL (internet based): 107.

CHARITY MARKETING AND FUNDRAISING

MSc/PG DIPLOMA

This is one of five postgraduate courses offered in the Charities Masters Programme. The Programme covers a unique breadth of specialist areas primarily for those working within the sector. The two year part-time structure allows students the flexibility of choosing the level of qualification, and whether they want to cover one subject in depth (Dissertation) or a second subject (Taught Option) when completing the Masters.

Marketing and fundraising within charitable and not-for-profit organisations are particularly complex and there is an increasing demand for more resources.

The course aims to develop a broad, informed and critical understanding of the complex issues surrounding fundraising, the use of marketing as a strategic tool and its importance to an organisation's long-term planning and sustainable future.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The course is aimed at people who have typically been in a relevant post for at least three years. They will normally have a degree or equivalent professional qualification.

Students who have previously studied a degree taught in a language other than English, will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL (internet based): 107.

COURSE CONTENT

The Postgraduate Diploma is offered on a part-time basis and is taught over a period of one year. This requires attendance on a Friday and a Saturday one weekend per month and additional time for action learning and examinations.

The Diploma consists of five core modules, common to all Centre for Charity Effectiveness postgraduate courses, which provide the essential underpinning of management skills plus three specialist modules.

Modules include:

- Learning
- Marketing and fundraising
- Resource management
- Strategy, diversity and governance
- Voluntary sector policy.

Students also follow three specialist modules:

- Fundraising
- Strategic charity making
- Fieldwork exercise.

Upon successful completion of the Diploma, you will be given the option to continue to the MSc through dissertation or taught option.

PROFESSIONAL ACCREDITATION

The course is accredited by AACBS and EQUIS. On successful completion of the Postgraduate Diploma, students are eligible for the Institute of Fundraising (IOF) Certificate in Fundraising Management.



DURATION OF COURSE

PG Diploma Part-time, one year

MSc conversion Part-time, six to eight months.



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CORPORATE FINANCE

MSc

The MSc in Corporate Finance launched in September 2012. It is based on our highly ranked MSc in Finance and will give students the opportunity to specialise in corporate finance, one of the most popular sectors of financial services. The MSc in Corporate Finance will give students the knowledge to navigate successfully the rapidly changing global landscape of corporate finance.

This exciting new MSc degree programme will develop your financial expertise to a high level.

Our international body of graduates has moved into a range of roles such as financial analysis, risk managers and consultancy, within areas such as corporate finance, fund management and banking.

COURSE CONTENT

This course comprises induction, core units and either a Business Research Project plus one elective or five electives.

Modules include:

- Corporate finance and valuation
- Financial reporting
- Statistics in finance
- Theory of finance
- M&A / private equity
- Advanced corporate finance
- Corporate risk management
- Financial statement analysis.

There is also a wide range of elective modules. A Business Research Project provides you with an opportunity to specialise in a contemporary finance topic related to your future career.

The course is delivered through interactive lectures and seminars and a proportion of the assessed work is based on team assignments.

Workshop sessions and City practitioner contributions focus on key applications of knowledge in the professional environment and further increase the intensity and practical relevance of the course.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have an upper second class honours degree, preferably in business studies, economics, accounting or an appropriate science.

Applicants to the MSc Corporate Finance are strongly encouraged to take the GMAT test. A good GMAT score will considerably strengthen your application.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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ENERGY, TRADE AND FINANCE

MSc

This course offers a unique approach to global business. You will be equipped with key skills in the areas of commodity finance, logistics and supply chain management.

The aim of this course is to enable you to operate at the highest levels of international business. Lectures and seminars are given by highly qualified practitioners from the business and finance communities.

The MSc in Energy, Trade & Finance is accredited by the Energy Institute.

Former graduates hold key positions and have eminent careers worldwide in fields such as commercial banking, commodity trading, import and export, government and investment banking.

COURSE CONTENT

This course comprises induction, core modules and either a Business Research Project plus one elective or five electives.

Modules include:

- Advanced quantitative methods
- Corporate finance
- Energy economics
- Financial markets
- Managerial accounting
- Oil and energy trading and economics
- Oil and energy transportation and logistics
- Power markets
- Principles of finance
- Quantitative methods
- Research project management skills.

There is also a wide range of elective modules.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have an upper second class honours degree or equivalent professional qualification.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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FINANCE

MSc

The world of finance is an attractive choice for many top-calibre graduates. The MSc in Finance addresses a wide range of financial issues including portfolio management, asset allocation, mergers and acquisitions and much more. In addition, you will acquire in-depth knowledge of statistics, accounting and financial reporting.

The CFA, the global association of investment professionals, recognises the rigour and the relevance of the MSc in Finance and has awarded this degree partner status.

Cass Business School is a Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment (CISI) Centre of Excellence. This designation means that Cass MSc in Finance graduates will also be eligible for the award of the CISI Diploma without having to take any of the CISI examinations.

Our international body of graduates has moved into a range of roles such as financial analysis, risk managers and consultancy, within areas such as corporate finance, fund management and banking.

COURSE CONTENT

This course comprises induction, core units and either a Business Research Project plus one elective or five electives.

Modules include:

- Corporate finance and valuation
- Financial reporting
- Statistics in finance
- Theory of finance
- Asset management
- Derivatives and risk management.

Students are given flexibility in term two to choose two out of four modules covering M&A and Private Equity, Corporate Finance and Restructuring, International Finance and Fixed Income.

There is also a wide range of elective modules. A Business Research Project provides you with an opportunity to specialise in a contemporary finance topic related to your future career.

The course is delivered through interactive lectures and seminars and a proportion of the assessed work is based on team assignments.

Workshop sessions and City practitioner contributions focus on key applications of knowledge in the professional environment and further increase the intensity and practical relevance of the course.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have an upper second class honours degree, preferably in business studies, economics, accounting or an appropriate science.

We look for a balanced GMAT score in the range of 600-800.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.

FINANCE AND INVESTMENT (PART-TIME)

MSc

This course is designed specifically for professionals working within the financial services sector.

An innovative curriculum allows you to choose from several elective modules, ensuring that the course is tailored to your career aspirations and equips you with the tools required for success.

The CFA, the global association of investment professionals, recognises the rigour and the relevance of the MSc in Finance and Investment and has awarded this degree partner status.

Cass Business School is a Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment (CISI) Centre of Excellence. This designation means that graduates of the MSc in Finance and Investment will also be eligible for the award of the CISI Diploma without having to take any of the CISI examinations.

This course will be attractive if you are looking to extend the scope of your current responsibilities or to make a career change into an area such as portfolio management, security analysis, risk management, mergers and acquisitions or financial consultancy.

COURSE CONTENT

The course comprises core modules and either a Business Research Project plus two electives or five electives.

Modules include:

- Alternative investments
- Financial risk management
- Financial statement analysis
- Foreign exchange
- Portfolio management
- Quantitative methods of finance
- Securities
- Theory of finance
- Behavioural finance
- Derivative applications.

There is also a wide range of elective modules. A Business Research Project provides you with an opportunity to specialise in a contemporary finance topic related to your current career.

The course is delivered through interactive lectures and seminars and a proportion of the assessed work is based on team assignments.

Workshop sessions and City practitioner contributions focus on key applications of knowledge in the professional environment and further increase the intensity and practical relevance of the course.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have one year of work experience and an upper second class honours degree, preferably in business studies, economics, accounting or an appropriate science.

Applicants to the MSc in Finance & Investment are strongly encouraged to take the GMAT test. A good GMAT score will considerably strengthen your application.

The programme is designed for working professionals and students are expected to be in full-time employment during the course of the programme. A minimum of 2 years of work experience is necessary in order to contribute fully to discussions in the classroom. Candidates with less than 2 years should speak directly with an admissions officer before applying.

Most students on the course work in a financial role or for a financial services company. While this is not a requirement, a basic understanding of financial services is required. All candidates are required to attend an interview as part of the admissions process.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

Part-time: two years



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FINANCIAL MATHEMATICS

MSc

This course concentrates on the mathematical theory required to develop new products, hedging and risk management. It is mainly intended to provide the tools required to undertake high-quality research in both financial and academic institutions.

You will acquire an in-depth knowledge and understanding of financial mathematics. This will include financial theory and mathematical modelling, along with probability theory and programming. These are then applied for asset pricing, interest rates modelling and risk management. The course shares several core modules with the MSc in Quantitative Finance.

Graduates will be suited for jobs in investment houses involved in derivatives valuation and portfolio management, research departments within banks and consultancy firms. They will also be equipped for careers involving the development of pricing and risk management models and their testing or as risk analysts or quantitative analysts.

COURSE CONTENT

This course comprises induction, core modules and either a Business Research Project plus one elective or five electives.

Modules include:

- Advanced stochastic modelling methods in finance
- Asset pricing
- Fixed income securities
- Mathematical models for financial derivatives
- Numerical methods 1 and 2
- Research project management skills
- Risk analysis
- Stochastic calculus.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants are required to hold an upper second class honours degree in mathematics, statistics, physics, actuarial science or engineering (the latter two only if the degree has sufficient mathematics content).

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in writing

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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GRANTMAKING, PHILANTHROPY AND SOCIAL INVESTMENT

MSc/PG DIPLOMA/ PG CERTIFICATE

This is one of five postgraduate courses offered in the Charities Masters Programme. The Programme covers a unique breadth of specialist areas primarily for those working within the sector. The course structure allows students the flexibility of choosing the focus and level of qualification.

This course is designed for those with established careers in grantmaking and other forms of social funding, as well as students looking to formalise and develop their knowledge and skills in this area.

It focuses on all types of 'giving and funding' where the objective is social benefit rather than financial return. It covers not only grants but also other forms of investment such as loans, endowments, contracts and service level agreements.

COURSE CONTENT

The course runs on a Friday and Saturday one weekend each month and additional time for action learning and examinations.

The Postgraduate Certificate starts in April and combines two core and three specialist modules. Upon successful completion you can opt to complete the remaining core modules for the Diploma.

The Postgraduate Diploma consists of five core modules, common to all Centre for Charity Effectiveness postgraduate courses. These cover the essential skills that underpin grantmaking and other types of social funding, plus three specialist modules.

Modules include:

- Learning
- Marketing and fundraising
- Resource management
- Strategy, diversity and governance
- Voluntary sector policy.

Students also follow three specialist modules:

- Management of grantmaking
- Principles and practices of grantmaking
- Fieldwork exercise.

Upon successful completion of the Diploma, you will be given the option to continue to the MSc through dissertation or taught option.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The Certificate is aimed at individuals with some experience of social funding. The Diploma is for people with at least three years' experience in the area. They will normally have a degree or equivalent professional qualification.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

PG Certificate Part-time: six months

PG Diploma Part-time: one year

MSc conversion: Part-time: six to eight months



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INSURANCE AND RISK MANAGEMENT

MSc

This course explores the world of risk and the growing relationship between insurance, risk management and financial services.

The strong practical orientation of the course is enhanced by contributions from leading practitioners within London's financial district. You will emerge with a rounded skill base, solidly positioned to build a successful career in an exciting and complex business world. For applicants with a Chartered Insurance Institute (CII) Advanced Diploma, there is a fast-track January start.

Students have the opportunity to earn substantial exemptions from professional examinations in the field of insurance and risk management, including 205 credits towards the 290 required for the Chartered Insurance Institute (CII) Advanced Diploma. Exemptions are also given from some examinations of the Institute of Risk Management (IRM).

The course equips students with the skills necessary to succeed as risk managers, financial advisers, consultants, underwriters, financial analysts and insurance analysts.

COURSE CONTENT

This course comprises induction, core modules, a Business Research Project and three electives.

Modules include::

- Accounting and financial management in insurance
- Business organisation and corporate strategy in insurance and financial services
- General insurance
- Insurance law and regulation
- Principles of finance and financial analysis
- Research project management skills
- Risk analysis and modelling
- Risk management
- Theory of risk and insurance markets.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have an upper second class honours degree or an equivalent professional qualification such as FCII, ACII, ACCA or FICS. Candidates with significant and relevant work experience in insurance or risk management may also be considered on their merits. GMAT may also be required in some cases.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.

INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

MSc

This course, which meets the international accounting standards, prepares you for leading roles in the global investment community and within commercial entities. It provides you with combined expertise in accounting and corporate finance.

Starting with basic principles of accounting and finance, you will learn how to assess performance and conduct valuation of firms using complex financial accounting information. In addition, the course provides insights into company strategies and how to manage cost systems. You will also acquire the research skills necessary to undertake valuation.

The CFA, the global association of investment professionals, recognises the rigour and the relevance of the MSc in International Accounting and Finance and has awarded this degree partner status.

Graduates from the course move into a range of careers in the financial sector, including roles in accounting firms, corporate finance, auditing, regulatory bodies and consultancy.

COURSE CONTENT

This course comprises induction, core modules and either a Business Research Project plus one elective or five electives.

Modules include:

- Accounting information and capital markets
- Applied empirical accounting
- Finance 1: corporate finance and valuation
- Finance 2: advanced corporate finance
- Financial reporting
- Financial statement analysis
- International financial management
- Research project management skills
- Strategic cost management.

There is also a wide range of elective modules, including the option of studying for a Certificate in International Financial Reporting Standards issued by the ICAEW. A Business Research Project offers you an opportunity to specialise in a contemporary finance topic related to your future career.

The course is delivered through interactive lectures and seminars and a proportion of the assessed work is based on team assignments.

Workshop sessions and City practitioner contributions focus on key applications of knowledge in the professional environment and further increase the intensity and practical relevance of the course.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have an upper second class honours degree, preferably in business studies, economics, accounting or an appropriate science.

Applicants to the MSc in International Accounting & Finance are strongly encouraged to take the GMAT test. A good GMAT score will considerably strengthen your application.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:
Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT

MSc

This course covers the traditional syllabus of a general Masters degree in finance and encompasses the key fundamentals of investment management including risk management, equity and fixed-income analysis and alternative investments.

As well as acquiring theoretical principles, you will get hands-on experience through case study work and the use of our Bloomberg and Thomson Reuters dealing rooms.

The CFA, the global association of investment professionals, recognises the rigour and the relevance of the MSc in Investment Management and has awarded this degree partner status.

Cass Business School is a Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment (CISI) Centre of Excellence. This designation means that Cass MSc in Investment Management graduates will also be eligible for the award of the CISI Diploma without having to take any of the CISI examinations.

Graduates of this course work as traders, brokers, security analysts, fund managers and corporate treasurers.

COURSE CONTENT

This course comprises induction, core modules and either a Business Research Project plus one elective or five electives.

Modules include:

- Alternative investments
- Derivative applications
- Equity analysis
- Fixed income analysis
- Advanced financial statement analysis
- Portfolio management
- Portfolio theory
- Quantitative methods for investment management
- Research project management skills.

There is also a wide range of elective modules. A Business Research Project provides you with an opportunity to specialise in a contemporary finance topic related to your future career.

The course is delivered through interactive lectures and seminars and a proportion of the assessed work is based on team assignments.

Workshop sessions and City practitioner contributions focus on key applications of knowledge in the professional environment and further increase the intensity and practical relevance of the course.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have an upper second class honours degree, preferably in business studies, economics, accounting or an appropriate science.

Applicants to the MSc in Investment Management are strongly encouraged to take the GMAT test. A good GMAT score will considerably strengthen your application.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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MANAGEMENT

MSc

This course is academically rigorous and practical, giving graduates from a variety of backgrounds the opportunity to develop knowledge and skills in key areas of modern management.

You will be given the opportunity to tailor studies to suit your particular interests and ambitions. This includes working on 'soft skills', such as working with others, leadership, decision making, communication, managing conflict and job interview techniques.

The course is accredited by the Association of MBAs (AMBA) and is also consistently highly-placed in *The Financial Times* Masters in Management rankings.

Companies who have recruited graduates from the course for positions in the UK and around the globe include Bloomberg, Samsung UBS, Morgan Stanley, Ernst & Young, Fujitsu, Allianz Cornhill, PwC, Ofcom and MTV among many others.

COURSE CONTENT

This course comprises nine core modules, a specialised stream in term two and a Business Research Project and three electives in term three.

The first term focuses on all the key areas of business education including:

- Accounting
- Principles of marketing
- Organisational behaviour
- Strategic analysis
- Quantitative methods for business
- Business economics
- Finance.

The second and third terms allow you to specialise in any of the following streams:

- Entrepreneurship
- Strategic management
- Marketing.

The third term consists of three core modules, including the Consulting Project, two electives, the Business Research Project and the optional International Field Trip and Business Plan Competition.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The course seeks to recruit well-qualified (upper second class honours degree or equivalent) students who wish to prepare for a career in management.

We look for a GMAT score in the range of 600-800.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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MATHEMATICAL TRADING AND FINANCE

MSc

This course offers students who already have excellent mathematical skills a solid foundation in financial mathematical theory and practice.

The programme combines academic rigour with strong practical application. This enables you to participate fully in the ever-changing derivatives markets, where financial innovation and globalisation have created new investment opportunities, risks and instruments.

You will acquire a sound knowledge of mathematical finance, stochastic calculus, derivatives valuation, financial engineering, quantitative risk modelling, numerical methods and econometric techniques.

Leading practitioners from quantitative and trading departments of financial institutions deliver the course, complementing theory with current market practice. Our unique Bloomberg and Thomson Reuters dealing rooms provide the best possible facilities for hands-on learning.

Students go on to pursue a wide range of careers in derivatives trading and risk management, with many of the world's leading financial institutions.

COURSE CONTENT

This course comprises induction, core modules and a Business Research Project plus one elective or five electives.

Core Modules:

- Advanced financial econometrics
- Derivatives 1 and 2
- Mathematical finance and stochastic calculus
- Numerical methods
- Quantitative asset pricing
- Research project management skills
- Risk analysis and modelling
- Structured equity and energy derivatives.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Candidates should have an upper second class honours degree in a quantitative subject from a UK university or an equivalent qualification from an overseas university. Part-time students will normally have some work experience.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:
Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.

NGO MANAGEMENT

MSc/PG DIPLOMA

This is one of five postgraduate courses offered in the Charities Masters Programme. The Programme covers a unique breadth of specialist areas for those working within the sector. The two year part-time structure allows students the flexibility of choosing the focus and level of qualification.

This course will help develop the key competencies and capabilities needed by those in management and leadership positions in international NGOs. It places emphasis upon the understanding of people, strategies and leadership.

You will learn to recognise the strategic challenges and dilemmas facing NGO managers, identify appropriate strategies in order to address them and gain an appreciation of the issues in managing change in NGOs.

The course is accredited by AACBS and EQUIS and was developed in conjunction with Bond, the UK membership body for non-governmental organisations working in international development.

COURSE CONTENT

The course commences in October and runs on a Friday and a Saturday one weekend each month. It is ideal for people from across the country with busy schedules. You should also be prepared to commit additional time for action learning and examinations.

The Postgraduate Diploma is taught over a period of one year. It consists of five core modules, common to all Centre for Charity Effectiveness postgraduate courses which cover essential skills that also underpin NGO management.

Modules include:

- Learning
- Marketing and fundraising
- Resource management
- Strategy, diversity and governance
- Voluntary sector policy.

Students also follow three specialist modules:

- NGO management: the strategic issues
- Managing NGOs: people and practice
- Shadowing.

Upon successful completion of the Diploma, you will be given the option to continue to the MSc through dissertation or taught option (the three specialist modules of one of the other courses within the Charities Masters Programme).

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The course is aimed at people who have typically been in a management post for at least three years. They will normally have a degree or equivalent professional qualification.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:
Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

PG Diploma Part-time: one year

MSc conversion Part-time: six to eight months.



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QUANTITATIVE FINANCE

MSc

This course focuses on the implementation and testing of financial models. It is designed to give students a sound understanding of the quantitative aspects of finance, used both by practitioners and academics. It focuses on topics such as econometrics, forecasting and risk modelling and covers financial instruments and financial theory from a mathematical and practical point of view. The course also provides you with knowledge of various computer software and programming languages such as Matlab.

Graduates of this course are prepared for career paths in financial institutions which require advanced technical skills in quantitative analysis, financial research, quantitative asset management, derivatives structuring, financial programming, quantitative strategies implementation and risk management.

COURSE CONTENT

This course comprises: induction, core modules and either a Business Research Project plus one elective or five electives.

Core modules cover:

- Asset pricing
- Derivatives
- Econometrics of financial markets
- Fixed income securities
- Foundations of econometrics
- Numerical methods 1: foundations
- Numerical methods 2: applications to finance
- Research project management skills
- Risk analysis.

There is also a range of elective modules, including C++, Visual Basic, exotic options, weather and energy derivatives, trading and hedging in the FOREX market and advanced financial engineering and credit.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants are required to hold an upper second class honours degree in mathematics, statistics, physics, actuarial science, computer science, engineering or economics (the latter two only if the degree has sufficient applied mathematics content).

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:
Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.

REAL ESTATE

MSc

This course is aimed at students who are looking to develop a career in the real estate industry but may be unsure of the direction they wish to take. It applies the utmost rigour in the analysis of real estate and allows entry into a variety of career paths.

The course is designed to provide a broad background in real estate investment, appraisal and development. The core modules provide coverage of a wide variety of areas in real estate including real estate finance, valuation, development, market analysis and economics.

The course is accredited by the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS) and will enable graduates to begin the Assessment of Professional Competence (APC) qualification in that profession.

Alumni of the course have gone on to roles in a range of property management and consultancy businesses.

COURSE CONTENT

This course has a three-term structure. The first two terms contain the compulsory core modules, while the third term contains three electives and a Business Research Project. The course starts with an induction programme to bring you up to speed with the knowledge requirements.

Modules include:

- International real estate markets
- Landlord and tenant law
- Property valuation
- Quantitative techniques in investment
- Real estate asset management
- Real estate development and planning
- Real estate economics
- Real estate finance
- Real estate investment and market analysis.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The normal requirement is an upper second class honours degree in a property-related subject or an equivalent professional qualification.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

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IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT

MSc

This course is aimed at those wishing to enter or advance their careers in the fields of real estate investment management, real estate finance and the securitised real estate markets. It combines the rigour of a mainstream finance course with financial theory and techniques in a real estate context.

The course is designed for those with relevant undergraduate degrees or work experience and strong quantitative skills. It provides an ideal foundation for those wishing to study for the Investment Management Certificate or the Chartered Financial Analyst examinations. It also offers a route of entry to the UK Investment Property Forum.

The course is accredited by the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS) and will enable you to begin the Assessment of Professional Competence (APC) qualification in that profession.

Alumni of the course have gone on to roles in a range of property management and consultancy businesses.

COURSE CONTENT

This course has a three-term structure. The first two terms contain the compulsory core modules, while the third term contains three electives and a Business Research Project. It starts with an induction programme to bring you up to speed with the knowledge requirements for the course.

Modules include:

- Investment markets
- Portfolio risk management
- Quantitative methods
- Real estate capital markets
- Real estate debt markets
- Real estate economics
- Real estate investment and financial analysis
- Real estate modelling and market dynamics.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The normal requirement is an upper second class honours degree or an equivalent professional qualification.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.

SHIPPING, TRADE AND FINANCE

MSc

This course offers a unique approach to global business. Students are equipped with key skills in the areas of shipping finance, commodity finance, logistics and supply chain management, commodity trade, financial and commodity risk modelling and management. Lectures and seminars are given by qualified practitioners from the business and finance communities.

The course is validated by the Institute of Chartered Shipbrokers. Consequently, students successful in the courses of international commodity trade; shipping economics and policies; shipping law; and marine insurance will be granted exemption from the following examinations of the Institute: Economics of Sea Transport and International Trade; Introduction to Shipping; Law of Carriage of Goods by Sea and Marine Insurance.

Former students hold key positions and have eminent careers world wide in fields such as commercial banking, commodity trading, import and export, government and investment banking.

COURSE CONTENT

This course comprises induction, core modules and either a Business Research Project plus one elective or five electives.

Modules include:

- International economics
- Managerial accounting
- Principles of finance
- Quantitative methods
- Shipping economics*
- Advanced quantitative methods
- Corporate finance
- Financial markets
- International commodity trade
- Shipping investment and finance.**



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year (from mid-September to the end of July)



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have an upper second class honours degree or equivalent professional qualification.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:

Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.

Relevant work experience will be considered an advantage.

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SUPPLY CHAIN, TRADE AND FINANCE

MSc

This course produces international business executives with the knowledge and skills to excel in commercial activities varying from trade, transport and logistics to banking and finance.

As well as learning about these growing sectors, our graduates become future decision-makers with access to an extensive network of *alumni* in the industry.

The MSc in Supply Chain, Trade and Finance is validated by the Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport, with full exemption from the educational requirement for Chartered Membership. It is also accredited by the Chartered Institute of Purchasing & Supply.

Previous graduates hold key positions and have eminent careers worldwide in fields such as commercial banking, commodity trading, import and export, investment banking, e-commerce, logistics, manufacturing, shipping operations, stock broking and transport finance.

COURSE CONTENT

This course comprises induction, core modules and either a Business Research Project plus one elective or five electives.

There is also a wide range of elective modules. The project provides you with an opportunity to specialise in a contemporary accounting or finance topic related to your future career.

Modules include:

- Corporate finance
- Financial markets
- Global supply chain management
- International commodity trade
- International economics
- Managerial accounting
- Principles of finance
- Quantitative methods
- Research project management skills
- Supply chain economics.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have an upper second class honours degree or equivalent professional qualification.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:
Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0 overall with a minimum of 6.5 in the writing component

TOEFL (internet based): 107.

Relevant work experience will be considered an advantage.

VOLUNTARY SECTOR MANAGEMENT

MSc/PG DIPLOMA

This is one of five postgraduate courses offered in the Charities Masters Programme. The Programme covers a unique breadth of specialist areas for those working within the sector. The two year part-time structure allows students the flexibility of choosing the focus and level of qualification.

This well-established course was originally developed in partnership with nine leading charities and is based on research into voluntary and community sector managers' needs.

This course has been designed as a complete development course for managers who want to gain a sound understanding of the management of people and finances in the sector. Theory and practice are interwoven around subjects such as strategy, marketing, fundraising, diversity, finance and leadership.

The course is accredited by AACBS and EQUIS.

COURSE CONTENT

The Postgraduate Diploma is offered on a part-time basis and is offered over a period of one year. This requires attendance on a Friday and Saturday one weekend per month and additional time for action learning and examinations. The Diploma consists of five core modules, common to all Centre for Charity Effectiveness postgraduate courses, which provide the essential underpinning of management skills, plus three specialist modules.

Modules include:

- Learning
- Marketing and fundraising
- Resource management
- Strategy, diversity and governance
- Voluntary sector policy.

Students also follow three specialist modules:

- Organisations, leadership and change
- Managing people and quality
- Shadowing.

Upon successful completion of the Diploma, you will be given the option to continue to the MSc through dissertation or taught option (the three specialist modules of one of the other courses within the Charities Masters Programme).

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Those undertaking the course will normally be managers with three or more years of management experience, working in a voluntary and community sector organisation. It is particularly useful to general managers in small to medium-size organisations and middle or senior managers in large organisations. Applicants will normally have a degree or equivalent professional qualification.

Students who have previously studied a degree in a language other than English, will be required to have one of the following qualifications:

The Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English:
Minimum grade C

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL (internet based): 107.



DURATION OF COURSE

PG Diploma Part-time: one year

MSc conversion Part-time: six to eight months.



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PhD

For those with the intellectual capacity, dedication and ambition to become an acknowledged expert in their chosen area of study, the letters PhD after your name mark you out as a research heavyweight within your field.

We welcome people who aim to build a successful academic career in business schools. Top-tier business school professors enjoy recognition, the freedom to explore ideas, international careers and competitive remuneration.

Cass has a truly international perspective and an environment created specifically for business learning. It is a powerhouse of ideas and research where students, academics, industry experts, business leaders and policymakers can share and enrich each other's thinking.

COURSE CONTENT

Year one:

Students attend a PhD-level training programme assessed by coursework, examinations and a thesis. The thesis contains a review of the topic and formulates research questions and hypotheses to be pursued. Completion is marked by an award of MRes degree.

Year two: Progression to MPhil status

On completion of the MRes you are admitted to MPhil status. Year two is devoted to fleshing out details of the research outlined in your MRes thesis. At the end of year two you submit a Transfer Report summarising your research results and providing a detailed plan of future research.

Years three and four: Progression to PhD status

During years three and four you deepen your research, finish research articles and present them at workshops and conferences. Studies conclude with submission of your PhD thesis and attendance at a *viva voce* examination.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You must hold an upper second class honours degree in a subject related to your proposed research topic. You must have an English proficiency grade if English is not your first language; IELTS score of 7.0 or equivalent in all four areas.

The following qualifications are highly desirable and enhance your likelihood of being accepted:

- A Masters degree from a leading university with a top grade.
- A top GMAT score.

You are encouraged to apply as early as possible in the academic year before you wish to gain admission. The deadline for application is normally the end of May. Please refer to the website for the exact deadline.

Applications should be submitted online via
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MBA PROGRAMME

The Cass MBA is more than a world-ranked general management programme; it is a journey that will fundamentally alter the way you approach business, your career and your life.

The Cass MBA is offered in the following four formats:

- Full-time MBA
- Evening Executive MBA (evenings and occasional weekends)
- Weekend Executive MBA (one block weekend a month)
- Executive MBA Dubai (based in Dubai, one block weekend a month).

The exhilarating combination of intensive learning, practical application and personal development will sharpen your skills, boost your performance and give you the clarity to plot the next, decisive phase of your career. This is your opportunity to join a diverse community of equally enthusiastic and focused professionals, educated by an international faculty in the heart of one of the most vibrant and well-connected business cities in the world.

You will experience working in Europe and have the chance to gain first-hand exposure to challenging new business environments such as China, Dubai and South Africa. There is no better preparation for the demands of management in a shrinking world.

The Cass MBA programmes will immerse you in real-world business issues from day one, while allowing you to tailor your MBA through a choice of electives and development programmes.

Your MBA equips you to manage your career development and progression not merely in the short term, but throughout your career.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time MBA: one year starting in September

Evening Executive MBA: two years. Study is predominantly evening-based (two a week) with occasional weekends starting in September

Weekend Executive MBA: two-year programme, delivered over one block weekend once a month in London. There is one intake per year in March

Executive MBA Dubai: two-year programme, delivered over one block weekend once a month in Dubai. There are two intakes per year, one in September and one in March.



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COURSE CONTENT

You'll start with an orientation programme, which includes the leadership and team-building weekend workshop, introduces some basic concepts and techniques, and gives you a chance to get to know your tutors and fellow students.

The core business syllabus

This is devoted to covering technical knowledge in areas such as strategy, organisational behaviour, finance and quantitative methods.

We deliver the core modules as integrated learning blocks. This approach ensures that connections between all the key disciplines are reinforced and applied practically.

You'll learn through a mix of expert tuition and hands-on exercises. Assessment is based on group project work and presentations, individual course work and integrated examinations (core modules only). Throughout the programme there will be opportunities to work on company and sector-specific assignments.

Specialist paths: electives

In your third block, you will take between six and ten elective modules. Each MBA is different and your electives will be unique to your learning goals. For example, you might choose to develop a specialist path in areas relating to consultancy, finance or marketing. Or you may choose a range of electives from these disciplines to complement and strengthen your existing skill set.

The Business Research Project

In your final term you will draw on many of the elements of the course in a major piece of self-managed business consultancy. The output from this project will count substantially towards your final degree.

SCHOLARSHIPS

There are several scholarships available for the Cass MBA programmes. While we don't have a typical student, we do have individual screening where we see if you are a good fit for this most competitive of programmes.

For more information, please see our website. www.cass.city.ac.uk/mba

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

An upper second class honours degree appropriate professional qualification or at least six years' relevant business experience if you don't have a degree.

You will require a minimum of three years' full-time professional experience, gained after graduation.

We also ask for a well-balanced score in the Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT). You should aim for a minimum score of 600 (the average score is 640) but we consider all applications on an individual basis. You can apply before you take GMAT if you provide your confirmed test date on your application form.

You will be required to submit a personal statement telling us why you wish to pursue an MBA at Cass Business School (approx. 1000 words).

If English is not your first language you will require a minimum, well-balanced **IELTS** score of 7.0 or **TOEFL** (internet based) 100. This may be waived if you have worked or studied in an English-speaking country for at least a year.

Two supporting references from suitable sources will be required. They can be from your employer and university tutor or from your current and previous employer.

As a part of the application process you will be required to complete a careers questionnaire. We will send you the link once we have received your application and you have passed our initial assessment.

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING & MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

For more than a hundred years the School of Engineering & Mathematical Sciences has been distinctive in its commitment to academic excellence focused on engineering and the professions.

90%

Percentage of general engineering and applied mathematics research in the latest Research Assessment Exercise declared to be of international significance.

520

Number of postgraduate students studying in the School of Engineering & Mathematical Sciences (June 2012)

77

Number of full-time equivalent academic staff in the School of Engineering & Mathematical Sciences

Our School offers a comprehensive range of courses informed by research and reflecting the changing needs of industry. The portfolio of postgraduate courses covers advanced and specialised areas of engineering and areas where the focus is directed towards the learning of the management competencies required in technology-based professions.

We pride ourselves on our extensive laboratory facilities which enable students to put theory into practice. We have strong links with industry which allow students to develop contacts and be involved in internship projects before they complete their studies.

Students successfully completing eight taught modules and the project dissertation will be awarded a Master of Science (MSc) degree. All modules in our courses are supported by the University's online learning environment.

The majority of our courses are accredited by a relevant professional body. These include:

- The Energy Institute
- Institute of Civil Engineers
- Institute of Engineering and Technology
- Institute of Measurement and Control
- Institute of Mechanical Engineers
- Institute of Structural Engineers
- Joint Board of Moderators
- Royal Aeronautical Society.

RESEARCH AT THE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING & MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

The structure of the School is based on Research Centres, which encourages development of interdisciplinary activities which build on major activities of strength. The focus is on selected fields, including energy and the environment; instrumentation; construction processes; applied mathematics; systems and control; and biomedical engineering. We strongly encourage interdisciplinary activities in collaboration with other Schools in areas such as Transport, Cyber and Security Sciences.

Each year the School welcomes postgraduate research students who play a key role in research and education. To find out more about undertaking a research degree at the School of Engineering and Mathematical Sciences please visit: www.city.ac.uk/engineering-maths/research.



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AIR SAFETY MANAGEMENT

MSc

This course is for professionals working in the manufacturing, operating, maintenance, support and regulatory sectors of the aviation industry, both civilian and military.

The objective of safety management is to achieve and maintain optimum levels of safety within the context of increasing air traffic, more competition and a constant focus on cost. Successful safety management involves staff at all levels in aircraft operations, airports, air traffic control, ground handling, maintenance and private flying. Risk management is a major challenge, with deeper regulatory requirements in response to air safety trends and the need to cope safely with future growth. There is also a need for businesses to understand the financial implications of improving (or not improving) their safety performance.

Our graduates have taken up roles such as safety manager, training captain, quality manager, flight safety officer, safety inspector, safety consultant and accident investigator in civil aviation authorities, airlines and with other aircraft operators and defence forces worldwide.

COURSE CONTENT

The course is based on completing eight modules over one to five years, which are taught over three day periods and held regularly throughout the year. Students are also required to undertake a six-month project in an air safety-related subject, which is usually aircraft design and manufacture.

Students who choose not to do the project will receive a Postgraduate Certificate on successful completion of five modules or Postgraduate Diploma on successful completion of nine modules.

Core modules include:

- Active safety management
- Crisis management
- Risk management

There are several electives to choose from including:

- Accident and incident investigation
- Air transport economics
- Airline business
- Airline maintenance.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The course is aimed at professionals in the manufacturing, operating maintenance support and regulatory sectors of the aviation industry, both civilian and military.

A typical student will have an Air Transport Pilot's Licence, a Category B or C Aircraft Maintenance Licence or a relevant lower second class honours degree and at least two years experience of professional responsibility. In addition, they will recognise the need for safety improvements and have the motivation and personal skills required to implement safety management systems across departmental boundaries.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: only under exceptional circumstances.
 Part-time: students can take the modules in any sequence over, typically, about two years, with the project taking approximately six months during or after this period.



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AIR TRANSPORT MANAGEMENT

MSc

This course is for people working in the air transport industry who aim to move into positions of responsibility and management. It provides an academic framework for the experience of air transport professionals, enabling them to move productively and effectively onto the first steps of commercial or safety management. It was initiated by the Guild of Air Pilots and Air Navigators (GAPAN) to increase the career opportunities of aircrew and others and to ensure that the air transport industry has a reservoir of experienced talent from which to draw future managers.

Our graduates have demonstrated career progression, either within their existing organisations or by moving to new opportunities. Examples include chief pilot, cabin services manager, managing director of business aircraft broker and senior air traffic controller.

COURSE CONTENT

Students complete eight modules over one to five years. Taught over three-day periods, these are held frequently throughout the year. Students are also required to undertake a project, usually completed within six months, in an air transport-related subject.

Students who choose not to do the project will receive a Postgraduate Certificate on successful completion of five modules or a Postgraduate Diploma on successful completion of nine modules.

Core modules include:

- Airline business
- Airline operations
- Air transport economics.

There are several elective modules to choose from, including:

- Aviation psychology
- Crisis management
- Sustainable Aviation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The normal requirements are Air Transport Pilot's Licence, Aircraft Licence Engineer, Air Traffic Controller Licence or a relevant lower second class honours degree.

Students must have at least two years' professional responsibility prior to application and be employed in the air transport industry while taking the course.



DURATION OF COURSE

Part-time: students can take the modules in any sequence. Typically the taught component takes about two years, with the project taking approximately six months.



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AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE MANAGEMENT

MSc

The MSc in Aircraft Maintenance Management is for aircraft maintenance professionals and is supported by A J Walter Aviation.

This course will help experienced aviation industry personnel to improve their knowledge of the complex disciplines required to enable full understanding of the technical, operational and financial pressures impacting aircraft maintenance and its management.

Graduates will be prepared for positions of responsibility within airlines, aviation authorities and defence forces. Destinations of our graduates have included chief engineer, head of safety and senior investigator.

COURSE CONTENT

The course is based on completing eight modules that can be taken over one to three years. These are provided over three-day periods and held regularly throughout the year. Students are also required to undertake a project, usually completed within six months, in a maintenance related subject. Students who choose not to do the project will receive a Postgraduate Certificate on successful completion of four modules or a Postgraduate Diploma on successful completion of eight modules.

Core modules include:

- Airline maintenance
- Airworthiness and maintenance management
- Quality management in airline operations.

There are also several electives to choose from including:

- Active safety management
- Air transport economics
- Airline business
- Airline operations.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The normal requirement is a relevant lower second class honours degree, a higher diploma, a Category B or C Aircraft Maintenance Engineers Licence or military equivalent.

It is a requirement that students have at least two years' professional responsibility in aircraft maintenance prior to application and be employed in the air transport industry while taking the course.



DURATION OF COURSE

Part-time: students can take the modules in any sequence over, typically, about two years, with the project taking approximately six months during or after this period.



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ANALYSIS AND DESIGN OF STRUCTURES FOR FIRE, BLAST AND EARTHQUAKES

MSc

This technical Masters course covers advanced topics of structural engineering and places particular emphasis on the special requirements necessary for the analysis and design of structures to withstand hazardous loading caused by earthquake, blast, impact or fire.

This course is designed for engineering graduates who wish to gain specialist knowledge in the behaviour of structures when subjected to such loading. Applicants working in the civil engineering industry may attend individual modules as short courses on a day-release basis.

This degree is accredited as meeting the requirements for Further Learning for a Chartered Engineer (CEng) for candidates who have already acquired an Accredited CEng (Partial), BEng (Hons) or an Accredited IEng (Full) BEng/BSc (Hons) undergraduate first degree.

Our graduates have been very successful in securing employment with leading civil engineering practices, research institutes and government agencies and in pursuing doctoral studies, both in the UK and internationally.

COURSE CONTENT

The core modules of the course cover theoretical aspects of advanced structural engineering. The electives aim primarily to develop design skills. The course offers a blend of theory and practice, designed to enhance the career prospects of both recent graduates and mid-career structural engineers.

Core modules include:

- Advanced analysis and stability of structures
- Design of concrete and steel structures exposed to fire
- Finite element methods, shock and earthquake analysis
- Structural dynamics
- Structural reliability and risk.

Students interested in this course may also be interested in the Civil Engineering Structures course (see page 113) or the Professional Engineering (Civil Engineering) course (see page 120).



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: one full day a week over a period of three years or up to two full days a week over a period of two years.

The exact study plan is agreed for each part-time student, following consultation with the Course Director at the time of enrolment.



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The standard entry requirement is an lower second class honours degree in civil engineering or another appropriate subject, plus evidence of good academic performance in relevant subjects (equivalent to lower second class or higher).

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90

AUTOMOTIVE ENGINEERING

MSc

This course provides specialised knowledge of the latest technological developments in automotive engineering, including internal combustion engines and their performance, aerodynamics, powertrain, industry-standard CAD tools, renewable energy and alternative fuels, finite element and experimental techniques.

The core research activities of our internationally-recognised Research Centre for Energy and Transport are in automotive engineering and the Centre provides excellent computational and experimental facilities, including several modern optical IC engines and advanced diagnostic optical instruments.

Specialisations include computer-aided design, vehicle design, vehicle dynamics control, engine performance and hybrid powertrains.

COURSE CONTENT

This course, which blends theory and practice, is designed to develop skills and knowledge for automotive engineers. Covering topics from improving performance to reducing emissions, it will enhance the career prospects of graduates in car manufacturing and related industries.

Core modules include:

- Advanced mechatronics
- Computer-aided design with Catia
- Internal combustion engines and powertrain
- Performance of internal combustion engines
- Research skills
- Vehicle technology.

There are also several elective modules to choose from, including:

- Computational fluid dynamics
- Dynamics of structures
- Combustion fundamentals.

Students may also be interested in the Mechanical Engineering course (see page 118).

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The normal requirement is an upper second class honours degree in mechanical or automotive engineering or equivalent in an acceptable scientific or engineering discipline. Consideration will also be given to candidates who can demonstrate, by work experience in an appropriate field, the ability to undertake the course.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: one or two days a week over a period of two years.



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CIVIL ENGINEERING STRUCTURES

MSc

This technical Masters course includes the advanced study of modern structural engineering subjects and provides an up-to-date combination of design and analytical topics and of theory and professional practice.

The course is designed for engineering graduates who wish to gain specialist knowledge in this area.

This degree is accredited as meeting the requirements for Further Learning for a Chartered Engineer (CEng) for candidates who have already acquired an Accredited CEng (Partial) BEng (Hons) or an Accredited IEng (Full) BEng/BSc (Hons) undergraduate first degree.

Graduates have been successful in securing employment with leading civil engineering consultants, research institutes and government agencies.

COURSE CONTENT

Course modules concentrate on theoretical aspects of advanced structural engineering and on developing appropriate design skills. The course offers a blend of theory and practice at postgraduate level to enhance the career prospects of both recent graduates and mid-career structural engineers.

Applicants working in the civil engineering industry may attend individual modules as short courses on a day-release basis.

Core modules include:

- Advanced analysis and stability of structures
- Design of concrete structures
- Design of steel and composite structures
- Finite element methods
- Structural dynamics
- Structural reliability and risk.

There are also elective modules to select from:

- Bridge engineering
- Design of concrete and steel structures exposed to fire
- Shock and earthquake analysis.

Completion of modules and examinations will lead to the award of a Postgraduate Diploma. Completion of the modules and a research dissertation will lead to the award of the Masters degree. The dissertations are based on advanced topics of structural engineering which involve original analytical or experimental work.

Students interested in this course may also be interested in the Analysis and Design of Structures for Fire, Blast and Earthquakes course (see page 111) or the Professional Engineering (Civil Engineering) course (see page 120).



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: one full day a week over a period of three years or up to two full days a week over a period of two years.

The exact study plan is agreed for each part-time student, following consultation with the Course Director at the time of enrolment.



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The standard entry requirement is a lower second class honours degree in civil engineering or another appropriate subject, plus evidence of good academic performance in relevant subjects (equivalent to lower second class or higher).

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90

CLINICAL ENGINEERING WITH HEALTHCARE TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT

MSc

This course has been developed for science and engineering graduates who wish to work in an area of Clinical or Biomedical Engineering in the NHS, international healthcare organisations or in the medical devices industry. The course also welcomes those who work in hospitals or industry wish to gain academic training to further their careers.

The course focuses on developing up-to-date biomedical technology management skills and an innovative approach to research and design in biomedical engineering. It is suitable for recent graduates as well as clinical engineers working in healthcare wishing to advance to management positions. As healthcare becomes increasingly dependent on advanced technology, this course meets the growing international need for Clinical Engineers with good technical and management skills.

It offers a well-rounded background and specialised knowledge for those seeking a professional career as a clinical engineer in the NHS and in international healthcare organisations where expertise is required in engineering applied to medicine. It prepares graduates who plan to work in biomedical engineering research. The course is also intended to form part of the formal training for clinical engineers and provide opportunities for professionals currently working in engineering in the NHS.

COURSE CONTENT

The syllabus has been designed in consultation with colleagues from the NHS and the healthcare industry and recognises the demand for Clinical Engineering graduates in the healthcare sector. The course provides specialised knowledge and invaluable skills in information technology, life sciences, mathematical methods, technology management, physical science and biomedical engineering. The most innovative areas of biomedical and clinical engineering are covered and the course content draws from our research expertise in biomedical sensors, bio-optics, medical imaging, signal processing and modelling. Modules

are led by academic staff and Clinical Scientists drawn from our collaborating institutions and departments.

Modules include:

- Anatomy and physiology
- Medical electronics
- Cardiovascular diagnostics and therapy
- Clinical engineering practice
- Clinical instrumentation
- Healthcare technology management
- Medical imaging
- Physiological measurement
- Research skills.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have a lower second class honours degree from a UK university or an equivalent qualification from a recognised overseas institution, in a physical science. However, we will also consider other qualifications with relevant experience in a field related to biomedical engineering and medical imaging as well as proficiency in mathematics.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years, with the project taking approximately six months during or after this period.



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CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT

MSc

This course provides graduates and professionals with an engineering background from the built environment, including civil engineers, architects and quantity surveyors from contractors, consultants and client organisations, with the knowledge and skills needed for a rewarding management career in the infrastructure and construction industries.

The course includes management modules delivered by academics affiliated with Cass Business School, complemented by modules delivered by senior professional engineers heavily involved in addressing the practical aspects of planning, financing and delivering large-scale civil engineering projects in industry.

Graduates have a variety of employment opportunities as project managers in construction and engineering consultancy firms and as managers and leaders of construction business units, both public and private, in the UK and overseas.

COURSE CONTENT

Students complete five modules which provide a broad foundation in various aspects of the theory and practice in the general field of management. These modules are delivered by academics affiliated to Cass Business School and are part of the MSc Management run by Cass. The remaining five construction-oriented modules are delivered by senior professional engineers with wide experience in the construction industry. These modules focus on the development of practical management skills within the construction context.

The culmination of the course is the project: a major individual research exercise on a topic within the broad area of construction management conducted under the direction of a supervisor and culminating in a dissertation.

Completion of modules and examinations will lead to the Postgraduate Diploma. The completion of modules, examinations and a dissertation will lead to the MSc qualification.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year with the project taking approximately six months during this period.
Part-time: two years with the project taking approximately six months during the second year.



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ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGY AND ECONOMICS

MSc

This course has been designed to develop skills in the cost-effective management of energy resources and in managing commercial and industrial development within challenging environmental constraints. This course provides economic and market-based skills relevant to carbon trading and technical and engineering skills relevant to energy generation and management.

It addresses the implementation of energy management systems and technologies including renewables. Issues involved in the energy supply side are covered as well as environmental aspects arising from the use of fuels for industrial and transport purposes.

You will develop economic and market-based skills relevant to carbon trading and technical and engineering skills related to energy generation and management.

COURSE CONTENT

This course is organised into modules which are provided over a three-day period, one module a month.

Core modules include:

- Corporate energy management
- Energy policies and economic dimension
- Introduction to energy and environmental issues
- The energy market from the purchaser's perspective.

There are also several elective modules to choose from including:

- Emissions trading
- Energy conversion technology
- Energy in industry and the built environment
- Renewable energy and sustainability.

Completion of eight modules and examinations will lead to a Postgraduate Diploma. The completion of modules, examinations and a dissertation will lead to a Masters degree.

Students interested in sustainability issues have the option of taking up to two modules from the MSc in Environmental Strategy offered by the University of Surrey.

Students interested in this course may also be interested in the Power Systems and Energy Management course (see page 119).

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have financial, management or technological backgrounds. They must also be able to show potential to reach a senior position in the energy industry.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: 15 months

Part-time: normally within three years

Part-time students can start any time between October and May.



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MARITIME OPERATIONS AND MANAGEMENT

MSc

This course is designed for professionals from sectors and occupations within the maritime and sea transport industries, serving both at sea and onshore in the UK or internationally. Students join us from a wide range of undergraduate courses in related or more general disciplines or from employment with responsible sea-going or middle-management positions.

Core academic content helps reinforce your skills and experience in order to secure a senior position in related sectors of the maritime industries.

Typical students are of graduate or equivalent calibre and applications from mature students with industry experience are encouraged.

This course makes use of prestigious visiting speakers and takes advantage of the importance of London as an international maritime hub.

Employment opportunities within this area are considerable. Within shipping opportunities include ship managers and brokers, within industry associations and regulators there are roles within classifications, societies and government. In intermediate services areas include insurers, banking and technology.

COURSE CONTENT

You will gain a good understanding of maritime operations, management, law and technology and the related business environment in which you will work. Knowledge will also be acquired in the fields of port, security and risk management, marine environmental and offshore studies, marketing and selected aspects of ship design. You will develop skills suitable for taking leadership and management responsibility in a wide range of maritime activities.

This course is delivered either on a full-time or a flexible, modular basis comprising intensive periods of attendance supported by work-based and distance learning.

Core modules include:

- Maritime economics and finance
- Maritime law
- Maritime management
- Maritime operations
- Maritime technology.

There are several elective modules to choose from including:

- Environment issues
- Marketing of marine services
- Port management
- Offshore risk management.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year, with the project taking approximately three months during this period.
 Part-time: one to three years, with the project taking approximately six months during or after this period. This route should ideally include employer participation.



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have one of the following:

- A lower second class honours degree in an appropriate discipline
- A Certificate of Competence as Master or Chief Engineer, Class 1 Master Mariner or Class 1 Engineer and time served in one of these roles
- A Higher National Diploma in an appropriate discipline plus relevant professional qualifications and experience.

The selection process may include an interview.

The course is supported by the Honourable Company of Master Mariners and recognised by the Institute of Marine Engineering, Science and Technology as satisfying the academic requirements to become a Chartered Marine Technologist (C.Mar.Tech).

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

MSc

This course provides broad-based knowledge of the latest technological developments in mechanical engineering including internal combustion engines; advanced energy systems and renewable energy; advanced mechatronics; computational fluid dynamics; vehicle engineering and design and industry-standard CAD tools.

Our internationally-recognised Research Centre for Energy and Transport has excellent computational and experimental facilities. These cover all topics and include several modern test facilities for experimental work including advanced optical diagnostics.

Specialisations include computational fluid mechanics, finite element analysis, low carbon energy technology, screw and turbo compressors and expanders, advanced experimental techniques, fuels and combustion, mechatronics and vehicle dynamic control.

This course develops the broad skills and knowledge base required by mechanical engineers and provides a platform for career development.

COURSE CONTENT

There are several core modules:

- Advanced energy systems
- Heat and mass transfer
- Advanced mechatronics
- Combustion fundamentals and applications
- Computational fluid dynamics
- Computer-aided design
- Research skills.

Students will also select four elective modules from:

- Control and measurement
- Dynamics of structures
- Energy utilisation and management
- Internal combustion engines and powertrain
- Mathematical modelling in CAD
- Renewable energy
- Vehicle technology.

Completion of modules and examinations will lead to a Postgraduate Diploma. The completion of modules, examinations and a dissertation will lead to a Masters degree.

Students interested in this course may also be interested in the Automotive Engineering course (see page 112).

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The normal requirement is a lower second class honours degree in mechanical or automotive engineering or equivalent in an acceptable scientific or engineering discipline. Consideration will also be given to candidates who can demonstrate work experience in an appropriate field.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: one or two days a week over a period of two years.



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POWER SYSTEMS AND ENERGY MANAGEMENT

MSc

This course has been designed to meet the industrial demand for the education of both existing and future engineers in the advanced concepts of sustainable electrical power and energy generation. It provides skills for the operation, control, design, regulation and management of power systems and networks of the future.

Students will develop the ability to evaluate critically methodologies, analytical procedures and research methods in power systems engineering. Practical skills are gained through the use of state-of-the-art computational tools, the design of sustainable electrical power systems and networks and regulatory frameworks, field trips and practical demonstrations.

COURSE CONTENT

This course is organised into eight modules provided on a weekly basis.

The core modules of the course are:

- Introduction to power systems
- Energy utilisation and management
- Systems modelling
- Renewable energy: engineering principles of solar, wind and biomass energy supplies
- Transmission and distribution
- Industrial control
- Power electronics
- Economics of the power industry.

Completion of modules and examinations will lead to a Diploma. The completion of modules, examinations and a dissertation will lead to the Masters degree.

Students interested in this course may also be interested in the Energy and Environmental Technology and Economics course (see page 116).

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have either an upper second class honours degree in electrical engineering, physics or an engineering-related subject or relevant career achievement in a power or energy-related or environmental field.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: 12 months

Part-time: normally within three years

Part-time studies can commence any time during the year.



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PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING (CIVIL ENGINEERING)

MSc

This is a part-time course which responds to the needs of accredited BEng degree holders to receive further education through an MSc course to satisfy the educational requirements for registration as a chartered engineer.

This course is aimed at engineering graduates working in the UK construction industry. Many of the modules are delivered in a form suitable for study in the workplace.

COURSE CONTENT

Students are required to take engineering management, either as a taught module or a project-based module. The remaining modules are selected from the list below.

Civil engineering modules available under the engineering and science deepening category include:

- Advanced analysis and stability of structures
- Finite element methods
- Shock and earthquake analysis
- Structural dynamics
- Structural reliability and risk.

Technical broadening modules, which can be studied in the workplace, include:

- Bridge engineering
- Design of concrete and steel structures exposed to fire
- Design of concrete structures
- Design of steel and composite structures.

Modules taken from other disciplines across the School should satisfy non-technical broadening requirements.

The dissertation is on an advanced topic that involves original analytical or experimental work. This may be carried out in the workplace, under the joint supervision of an academic and industrial supervisor.

Students interested in this course may also be interested in the Civil Engineering Structures course (see page 113) and the Analysis and Design of Structures for Fire, Blast and Earthquakes course (see page 111).

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The standard entry requirement is a lower second class honours degree in civil engineering or another appropriate subject, plus evidence of good (equivalent to lower second class or higher) academic performance in relevant subjects. Students undertaking this course must, at the time of application, be employed in the UK construction industry.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories
TOEFL (internet based): 90



DURATION OF COURSE

Part-time: one full day a week over a period of three years or up to two full days a week over a period of two years.

The exact study plan is agreed with each student individually, following consultation with the Course Director.



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PROJECT MANAGEMENT, FINANCE AND RISK

MSc

This course offers training in modern techniques for managing the engineering uncertainties and risks inherent in projects and designing appropriate financial instruments and tools to optimise the performance throughout the life cycle.

Capital goods manufacturers are changing into service providers, selling the function of the capital item rather than the item itself. This change demands new approaches (based on financial engineering and risk analysis) to price, manage and service the resulting contracts. Capital projects are also evaluated on the basis of life-cycle cost and revenue streams in an uncertain environment.

This course will prepare students for a wide range of careers involving project management and financial planning. It is particularly suited to those planning to work in infrastructure management and development.

COURSE CONTENT

This course provides a basis in risk management and decision-making under uncertainty, classical engineering economics and financial engineering for those pursuing a career or planning a career in capital goods or project management. In addition it offers practical skills in software and communications tools. The course is modular with each module lasting four days and is designed for both full and part-time students.

Modules covered include:

- Communication and presentation
- Financial engineering and project planning
- Lifecycle engineering
- Managing risk and uncertainty
- Optimisation and decision-making
- Programming and software packages.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year, with the project taking approximately six months during or after this period.

Part-time: two years, with the project taking approximately six months during or after this period.



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should normally hold a lower second class honours degree in a subject with suitable mathematical content, such as engineering or physics. However, we will consider applicants with other qualifications.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90

SIGNALS AND SENSOR SYSTEMS

MSc

The design of sensor systems and the processing and interpretation of associated signals and measurements are key requirements for both R&D and product development across a wide range of applications, including industrial, manufacturing, biomedical, security and telecommunications engineering.

The course aims to develop professionals by bringing together the unique blend of expertise in the areas of signals, imaging and instrumentation at City. Students will develop a core understanding of the sensor systems and generic signal processing requirements, supported by a choice of more specialist modules relating to specific application areas and industries.

Signal Processing and Sensor Systems are fundamental disciplines in all advanced technology areas including manufacturing, aerospace and transport, telecommunications, security, energy, biomedical and environmental engineering. There are many career opportunities for graduates in these areas. In addition, there are opportunities for further study by research, leading to the award of the degree of PhD following successful completion of the MSc programme.

COURSE CONTENT

The course draws on the knowledge and experience of leading experts and active researchers of the Sensors and Instrumentation and the Systems and Control Research Centres of City University London. The course is supported by research in signal and image processing, sensor systems, computer vision and intelligent systems, tomography, optoelectronic systems and control theory and design. This research provides topics for the MSc dissertations and opportunities for further research leading to PhD.

Core modules covered on the course include:

- Digital image processing
- Digital signal processing
- Introduction to control
- Metrology and applications
- Pattern recognition
- Research skills and techniques
- Sensor systems.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The normal requirement is a lower second class honours degree or equivalent in an acceptable scientific or engineering discipline or relevant industrial experience.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years*

*The duration of a part-time programme may be extended to three years in order to cater for individual circumstances.



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SYSTEMS AND CONTROL ENGINEERING

MSc

This exciting course focuses on topical areas in systems and control. The syllabus covers the fundamentals of systems, modelling, control theory, optimisation and control systems design as well as recent major technological developments in industrial control and the emerging areas of complex systems.

Systems and Control Engineering are fundamental disciplines in all advanced technology areas including processes engineering, manufacturing, aerospace and transport, energy, biomedical, embedded systems and environmental engineering as well as in fields such as national utilities, finance, management and the emerging fields of complex systems.

COURSE CONTENT

The course draws on the knowledge and experience of leading experts and active researchers of the Systems and Technology and Control Research Centre of City University London. It is supported by research in control theory and design, complex systems, machine vision and information engineering, networks, risk, reliability and systems assurance and mathematical systems theory and computations. This research provides topics for the MSc dissertations and opportunities for further research leading to PhD.

Core modules include:

- Control systems design
- Industrial control
- Introduction to control
- Linear and non-linear systems
- Mathematical techniques for systems and control
- Optimisation and optimal control
- Research skills and techniques
- Signals and information technology
- Systems modelling
- Research skills techniques.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year.

Part-time: one full day a week, over two years.



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The normal requirement is a lower second class honours degree or equivalent in an acceptable scientific or engineering discipline or engineering discipline degree and relevant industrial experience.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90

TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND NETWORKS

MSc

Students on this course will cover major technological developments in telecommunications, technology, protocols, security and networks. This includes digital mobile and wireless communications, photonics and optical communications, internet and web service security and coding.

The course provides the skills and knowledge for a professional career as a design and development engineer in the mobile, wireless, internet, optical and telecommunications sectors or a degree.

Students interested in this course may also be interested in the Signals and Sensor Systems course and the Systems and Control Course.

COURSE CONTENT

Modules include:

Core modules:

- Cryptography and coding
- Signals and information theory
- Digital signal processing
- Digital communications
- Wireless communications
- Multi-service communication networks
- Lasers and optoelectronics
- Optical communications
- Research skills and techniques.

You will also undertake an individual dissertation. This project provides an opportunity for you to produce a substantial piece of work, developed either in close collaboration with research groups within the School or as part of an industrial placement. Completion of modules and examinations will lead to a Diploma. The completion of modules, examinations and a dissertation will lead to a Masters degree.

Students interested in this course may also be interested in the Signals and Sensor Systems course (page 122) and the Systems and Control Engineering course (page 123).

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The minimum requirement is a lower second class honours degree or equivalent in an acceptable scientific or engineering discipline.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: equivalent to two full days a week over a period of two years.



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SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

Offering an impressive range of academic and professional courses, City University London's School of Health Sciences aims to develop the future practice, policy and research leaders for the healthcare sector. With world-class academics and experienced practitioners leading our courses, students graduate highly skilled in clinical and professional competencies, research and policy, healthcare management techniques and in the application of evidence-based care.

1st

Ranking for Nursing in London (*The Guardian Good University Guide 2011*).

820

Number of postgraduate students studying in the School of Health Sciences

170

Number of full-time equivalent academic staff in the School of Health Sciences

RESEARCH AT THE SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

We are committed to engaging in internationally-recognised research that has a direct impact on healthcare policy, services and practice. This commitment is demonstrated by our outstanding results in the 2008 Research Assessment Exercise.

Academic expertise in the School spans a broad range of healthcare disciplines and professional areas, creating an environment where academics and students from diverse backgrounds learn and work together.

Research staff at the School engage in wide-ranging projects and collaborative research with service users, NHS Trusts, government bodies and NGOs. This activity is organised into research communities, each aiming to produce work of national and international excellence in a specific area.

Research degrees at the School are available via structured MPhil/PhD; MPhil/PhD by prior publication and MPhil/PhD by prospective publication. We currently support over 100 PhD students from the UK and overseas.

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NURSING: ADULT

PG DIPLOMA

The course prepares you for a fulfilling and rewarding career at the forefront of modern healthcare. Adult nursing allows you to make a real difference to people's lives, caring for adults of all ages who may have injuries, suffered accidents, acquired disease or have a range of healthcare needs.

Students are given the opportunity to combine theoretical study with clinical experience. You will be part of a 'community of practice' where you can work in some of London's leading hospitals and community settings. This will provide you with a unique opportunity to provide culturally-sensitive care within a diverse world city. You will spend around 50 per cent of your time on clinical placements. This takes place in settings such as acute care, GP surgeries, nursing homes, private hospitals, patients' homes and in the community.

Successful graduates will be registered by the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) which provides an internationally recognised qualification. You will have the option to upgrade your Postgraduate Diploma to an MSc during the final year.

COURSE CONTENT

In your first year your study will include clinical and communication skills and ethics. Throughout the course you will develop knowledge in the principles and application of biology, physiology and pathology and will study modules directly related to the specialist area of nursing you have chosen. There is also shared learning between the three fields.

You will learn via lectures, workshops, small group activities and discussions and whole class discussion.

Assessments are varied to meet the practice and academic challenges of the Postgraduate Diploma. The practice element is assessed by the development of a portfolio of practice and Objective Structured Clinical Examinations. Modules are also assessed through essays or seminars.

The course is a route through the standard three year BSc Nursing programme.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applications are welcomed from graduates in a wide range of disciplines with a lower second class honours degree: applicants must show an awareness of health or health-related care issues.

Applicants must demonstrate competency in spoken and written English and numeracy through a minimum of Grade C or equivalent in GCSE Mathematics and English. We also take into account previous work experience.

You will be required to have occupational health and enhanced Criminal Records Bureau clearance. Academic and character references are also required.

Applicants must satisfy both the immigration status and residence requirements under Department of Health regulations in order to be accepted onto an NHS funded course.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 7.0 overall with at least 7.0 in the listening, reading, writing and speaking sections

TOEFL (internet based): 110 total

GCSE: English Language grade C

Tuition fees are paid by the NHS. You may be entitled to a means-tested bursary from the NHS. For more information, visit www.nhsbsa.nhs.uk



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: two years or two years and up to 21 additional weeks depending upon previous clinical experience.



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NURSING: CHILD PG DIPLOMA

The course prepares you for a fulfilling and rewarding career in caring for children and young people, and supporting families through their child's illness. It allows you to make a real difference to the lives of children, young people and their families.

At City you have the opportunity to gain an exceptional range of experience. Placements include the newly-refurbished Barts and The London Children's Hospital as well as community health practices in the diverse neighbourhoods of East London. Most placements are within our 'community of practice', a partnership of healthcare providers within the North East London area. You will spend around 50% of your time on clinical placements which take place in settings such as acute care, nurseries, schools, special schools, patients' homes and in the community.

Successful graduates will be registered by the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) which provides a widely-recognised qualification. You will have the option to upgrade your Postgraduate Diploma to an MSc during the final year.

COURSE CONTENT

In your first year your study will include clinical and communication skills and ethics. Throughout the course you will develop knowledge in the principles and application of biology, physiology and pathology and will study modules directly related to the specialist area of nursing you have chosen. There is also shared learning between the three fields.

You will learn via lectures, workshops, small group activities and discussions and whole class discussion.

Assessments are varied to meet the practice and academic challenges of the Postgraduate Diploma. The practice element is assessed by the development of a portfolio of practice and Objective Structured Clinical Examinations. Modules are also assessed through essays or seminars.

The course is a route through the standard three year BSc Nursing programme.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applications are welcomed from graduates in a wide range of disciplines with a lower second class honours degree: applicants must show an awareness of health or health-related care issues.

Applicants must demonstrate competency in spoken and written English and numeracy through a minimum of Grade C or equivalent in GCSE Mathematics and English. We also take into account previous work experience.

You will be required to have occupational health and enhanced Criminal Records Bureau clearance. Academic and character references are also required.

Applicants must satisfy both the immigration status and residence requirements under Department of Health regulations in order to be accepted onto an NHS funded course.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 7.0 overall with at least 7.0 in the listening, reading, writing and speaking sections

TOEFL (internet based): 110 total

GCSE: English Language grade C

Tuition fees are paid by the NHS. You may be entitled to a means-tested bursary from the NHS. For more information, visit www.nhsbsa.nhs.uk



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: two years or two years and up to 21 additional weeks depending upon previous clinical experience.



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NURSING: MENTAL HEALTH PG DIPLOMA

The course prepares you for a rewarding career in mental health nursing, focusing on the provision of holistic care that enables people with mental health problems to be physically safe and emotionally secure.

During the course you will combine theoretical study with clinical experience. At City you will gain experience of care delivery across a range of settings and environments in East London. You will have a unique opportunity to learn how to provide culturally-sensitive care within a diverse world city. You will spend around 50% of your time on clinical placements which mainly take place within the East London NHS Foundation Trust covering the diverse communities of Newham, Tower Hamlets and Hackney.

Successful graduates will have an internationally-recognised qualification and will be registered by the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC). You will have the option to upgrade your Postgraduate Diploma to an MSc during the final year.

COURSE CONTENT

Your learning will draw on areas including nursing, psychology, sociology and biology as you to develop your communication and evidence-based clinical skills.

Our curriculum focuses on relationship-centred care and will support you to develop effective working relationships with patients, other service users, families and professional colleagues.

You will learn via lectures, workshops, small group activities and discussions and whole class discussion.

We are also using an innovative method of group work to support students and help them to develop the ability to understand and manage the emotional impact of working in mental health.

Assessments are varied to meet the practice and academic challenges of the Postgraduate Diploma, while recognising the need for motivating, realistic and relevant activity. The practice element is assessed by the development of a portfolio of practice and Objective Structured Clinical Examinations. Modules are also assessed through essays or seminars.

The course is a route through the standard three year BSc Nursing programme.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applications are welcomed from a wide range of disciplines with a lower second class honours degree; applicants must show an awareness of health or health-related care issues.

Applicants must demonstrate competency in spoken and written English and numeracy through a minimum of Grade C or equivalent in GCSE Mathematics and English. We take into account previous work experience.

You will be required to have occupational health and enhanced Criminal Records Bureau clearance. Academic and character references are required.

Applicants must satisfy both the immigration status and residence requirements under Department of Health regulations in order to be accepted onto an NHS funded course.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 7.0 overall with at least 7.0 in the listening, reading, writing and speaking sections

TOEFL (internet based): 110 total

GCSE: English Language grade C

Tuition fees are paid by the NHS. You may be entitled to a means-tested bursary from the NHS. For more information, visit www.nhsbsa.nhs.uk



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: two years or two years and up to 21 additional weeks depending upon previous clinical experience.



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MIDWIFERY (78 WEEK SHORTENED COURSE)

PG DIPLOMA

This course is for registered adult nurses who have been practising for at least six months and who wish to convert to a midwifery career. As a midwife you will be working with families and parents at one of the most important times of their lives. You will be caring for and supporting women and their partners during pregnancy, childbirth and the postnatal period.

The course is delivered through a mixture of clinical practice and academic study. You will experience a wealth of opportunities for learning with midwives, women and their families within the hospital and community settings. Students will be allocated to a community of practice for their clinical learning experiences. City University London currently has four communities of practice in Newham; City and Hackney; Camden and Islington; and Tower Hamlets.

Graduates will be registered by the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC), opening paths to career opportunities both within the NHS and private organisations in the UK and overseas. You will have the option to upgrade your Postgraduate Diploma to an MSc during the final year.

COURSE CONTENT

The programme will enable you to develop your skills, your professional knowledge and your understanding of the midwife's role to understand childbirth and the current issues in midwifery practice. It will provide knowledge and skills on the promotion of health and well-being of childbearing women and their families.

Experience will be gained in all areas of maternity services including community clinics, birthing centres, the antenatal clinic, delivery suite, antenatal/postnatal wards and women's homes.

The programme will support you to incorporate the following NMC (2008) skills cluster set into your practice: Excellence in midwifery practice, Dynamic leadership, Improving of public health, Working with others and Partnership with women.

The course commences with an orientation module followed by modules on:

- applied biological sciences
- fundamental aspects of care
- professional midwifery knowledge
- psychosocial sciences and public health

Students will be able to combine theoretical study and develop clinical skills within our excellent clinical simulation facilities. The course has a theory/practice split of 40%/60%.

Modules are assessed through a combination of group work, written coursework and written and clinical examination. All assessments are focused on issues in midwifery practice and essays.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: two years



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should be registered with the Nursing and Midwifery Council as an adult nurse and have at least six months clinical experience as an adult nurse. Applicants should be graduates with a lower second class honours degree or above.

All applicants will be subject to Criminal Records Bureau and Occupational Health clearance.

For students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 7.0 overall with at least 7.0 in the listening, reading, writing and speaking sections

TOEFL (internet based): 100

GCSE: English Language grade C

PUBLIC HEALTH (SCHOOL NURSING, HEALTH VISITING AND DISTRICT NURSING)

PG DIPLOMA

This course offers qualified, NMC-registered nurses and midwives an opportunity to enhance their knowledge and broaden their skills. City offers three specialist community practitioner routes within the Postgraduate Diploma course: School Nursing, Health Visiting or District Nursing. These routes lead to an academic and professional award.

The programme is approved by the NMC. It is aligned to NMC standards of proficiency for specialist community public health nurses (School Nursing and Health Visiting routes). It is also aligned to V100 standards (community prescribing) and specialist professional qualification standards for District Nursing.

Previous graduates have taken up posts as school nurses, health visitors and district nurses in local Trusts. Students who have successfully completed a Postgraduate Diploma may opt to undertake a dissertation module to complete the MSc in Public Health.

COURSE CONTENT

The course consists of seven core modules and one optional module (specific to School Nursing, Health Visiting or District Nursing routes). Students learn together, providing a unique opportunity for shared learning between School Nursing, Health Visiting and District Nursing students.

Core Modules:

- Philosophy and politics of primary healthcare
- Innovations in healthcare: leadership and management perspectives
- Public health and society
- Research methods 1
- Practice-based module, including nurse prescriber course V100
- Clinical assessment in primary care
- Evidence-based interventions for practice.

Learning methods include lecture sessions, workshops, small group activities and discussions. On practice placements student learning is supported through portfolio development and guided reflection.

The course comprises 50 per cent theory and 50 per cent practice. During placements students work alongside a named practice teacher within their sponsoring NHS Trust.

Formative assessment strategies will include seminar presentations and feedback on the development of practice-based portfolios.

Summative assessment focuses on the evaluation and application of theory and practice through essays, examinations, poster presentations, research proposals and the development of a practice portfolio.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants are normally required to have an upper second class honours degree and current registration on part one (Nursing) or part two (Midwifery) of the NMC register. For the District Nurse route you will need to be a registered adult nurse.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 7.5

TOEFL (internet based): 107 total



DURATION OF COURSE

Postgraduate Diploma:
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years



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SPEECH AND LANGUAGE THERAPY PG DIPLOMA

This course leads to work in the challenging and varied field of speech and language therapy. The course has an excellent reputation and is based within the largest teaching, research and clinical division in the UK for language and communication science.

At City we have close links with speech and language therapy services throughout London, with many practitioners from these services acting as clinical tutors on our courses. The course provides many opportunities for clinical practice, including attendance at health centres, schools, departmental clinics, special educational settings and hospitals throughout the London area.

On successfully completing the course you can register with the Health Professions Council, and practise as a speech and language therapist in the NHS and other settings.

COURSE CONTENT

You will learn about the foundations of speech and language, about how children learn to talk and about disorders that affect communication. You will also develop research skills and the ability to apply evidence-based practice. You will undertake weekly and block clinical placements in both years of the course.

The modules of study are:

- Speech and language sciences
- Bio-medical sciences
- Developmental psychology
- Speech, communication and swallowing disabilities
- Research and evidence-based practice
- Hearing and speech sciences
- Language sciences
- Language, cognition and communication disabilities
- Professional studies.

When you have successfully completed ten modules you will qualify for a Postgraduate Diploma. On completion of the Postgraduate Diploma you can choose to undertake an MSc by designing and completing a research project (please note that this will normally take a minimum of six months and involves an extra fee).

A typical week consists of three days at City, one day in clinic and one day of private study. Academic subjects are learnt through lectures supported by video presentations, small-group problem-solving sessions, practical classes and tutorials. You will also have access to the most up-to-date equipment in the Speech Acoustics Laboratory and innovative online learning materials. On clinical placements you will benefit from the supervision of a qualified therapist.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time; two years. An additional six months to one year is required to convert the Postgraduate Diploma to an MSc.



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants will normally need a first or upper second class honours degree or international equivalent.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 7.5

TOEFL (internet based): 110 total

Tuition fees are paid by the NHS. You may be entitled to a means-tested bursary from the NHS. For more information, visit www.nhsbsa.nhs.uk

CLINICAL OPTOMETRY

MSc

The MSc in Clinical Optometry prepares students to provide enhanced clinical care to patients. The emphasis is on the co-management of patients and the expansion of the optometrist's role in ocular therapeutics. The course has an international reputation for quality and is at the forefront of continuing education in clinical optometry.

The course is designed to be flexible, allowing optometrists to build a portfolio of training where they can accumulate module credits to meet their needs. All modules are accredited for CET points. Students can choose to take stand-alone modules to improve skills in specific areas, or work towards a Postgraduate Certificate, Postgraduate Diploma or undertake a project or dissertation to qualify with an MSc.

City has a thriving research community undertaking a range of pioneering research in the vision sciences and well-established links with local centres of excellence such Moorfields Eye Hospital and the Institute of Ophthalmology.

COURSE CONTENT

This is a flexible, modular course developed to meet the needs of busy practising clinicians. The taught component of most modules takes place over two days during the week. The first day of most modules will be delivered by distance learning to reduce the time away from your practice and to provide a blended learning experience.

- Anterior segment eye disease
- Binocular vision
- Contact lens practice
- Diabetic eye disease
- Glaucoma
- Paediatric optometry
- Posterior segment eye disease
- Refractive surgery co-management
- Vision in the aged
- Visual impairment.

Additional supply and independent prescribing modules:

- Principles of therapeutics (module 1)
- Principles of prescribing (module 2)
- Independent prescribing (module 3).

Each module is a stand-alone certificated course. You can build towards formal qualifications at your own pace:

- Four modules for a Postgraduate Certificate Clinical Optometry within three years of registration
- Eight modules for a Postgraduate Diploma Clinical Optometry within six years of registration

An MSc is awarded upon successful completion of the research and statistics module and a project/dissertation within seven years of registration.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should be a UK registered optometrist satisfying all legal requirements to be eligible to practise in the UK and you should also be registered with the General Optical Council.

Overseas optometrists will be accepted on an *ad hoc* basis providing your undergraduate syllabus and clinical responsibilities are similar to those of a UK optometrist.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL (internet based): 100 total



DURATION OF COURSE

Part-time: MSc up to seven years

Postgraduate Diploma up to six years

Postgraduate Certificate up to three years



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CLINICAL RESEARCH

MRes

The MRes in Clinical Research will give you a critical understanding of clinical research methods. You will learn from staff who are expert in research methodologies and the health professions. It will enable you to:

- Design, develop and conduct research relevant to clinical practice
- Critically appraise current research in the field
- Apply research findings to improve the delivery of health services in clinical practice
- Develop a collaborative, inter-disciplinary and ethical approach
- Recognise the applicability and limits of research models and methods
- Increase your confidence in applied data analysis methods
- Undertake and publish high quality research via a dissertation.

It is for healthcare professionals who want a career in clinical research in medical and allied health professions, health management and administration, public health, welfare and local government, national NGOs, international agencies, research institutions and consultancies, pharmaceutical and healthcare industries and health insurance.

Students gain the research and academic training to become clinical academic researchers gaining the skills to influence and lead health service related delivery, policy and innovation. It may also form the first year of a rigorous PhD programme.

COURSE CONTENT

Postgraduate students are expected to allocate an average of 150 hours of taught and self-directed learning per 15 credit module.

Modules include:

- Introduction to research methods and applied data analysis
- Advanced research methods
- Advanced research methods for applied data analysis
- Work-based clinical project
- The application of research in clinical settings
- Clinical research dissertation.

Learning is via a mixture of lectures, class discussions and seminars, student presentations, poster presentations, analysis of case studies, worked examples, interactive computer-based exercises, an online VLE and self-directed reading.

Formal assessments will be conducted via essays, a systematic review, a research proposal, critical reviews, written examinations and a research project on an approved topic. In addition, there are short practical assignments throughout the course during sessions.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have an upper second class honours degree or international equivalent and an upper second class or higher mark in undergraduate or postgraduate dissertation. Applicants should also be registered with a relevant UK professional body, have at least one year's experience of working as a clinician in the health sector and be currently employed by the NHS or other healthcare organisation commissioned to provide services to the NHS.

We also consider applications from capable individuals who may not have prior experience of working within the health sector but have clear plans for a future career in clinical academic research.

For students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 6.5

TOEFL (internet based): 100 total

HEALTH MANAGEMENT

STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT AND LEADERSHIP

MSc

The MSc in Health Management provides the strategic management and leadership skills for careers at the highest levels of management in healthcare, organisations in the healthcare sector and associated industries. Its emphasis on leadership, strategic thinking and applied analysis of management issues provides a foundation for a career in senior management.

The course is for those requiring business skills in health management. This includes the medical professions, nursing and allied health professionals, service and general managers, clinical directors, commissioners, managers in the pharmaceutical industries and medical supplies, health insurance and social enterprises. Learning alongside others with different management and professional backgrounds adds a breadth and depth to your learning and development.

Our graduates work in the UK and worldwide in management careers or as clinicians and allied health professionals with dual clinical and management responsibilities.

COURSE CONTENT

Students undertake four core modules and a dissertation.

Core modules:

- Strategic management and planning
- Leadership in health management
- Leading and managing change
- Introduction to research methods and applied data analysis
- Dissertation.

In addition, students choose three optional modules from the strategic management and planning and health policy options.

Optional modules: Strategic Management

- Quality management and action evaluation of health programmes
- Healthcare systems thinking
- Effective commissioning
- Marketing in healthcare
- Elective placement.

Optional modules:

Planning and Health Policy

- Economics of healthcare
- Economic evaluation of healthcare
- Advanced economic evaluation of healthcare
- Politics, power and the health policy process
- Health systems organisation, financing and performance
- Health policy in Britain.

Learning is in blocks of attendance in the autumn and spring terms. To complete a module, students normally attend one day per week for four weeks. For part-time study, students complete two modules per term and for full-time study, four modules per term.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Entry requirements depend on the career stage of the applicant. The *cvs* of experienced managers will be taken into consideration. Recent graduates should have a relevant degree and indicate an aptitude for this area of management. All applicants should have a lower second class honours degree or masters degree in a relevant area including business, management, economics and health-related subjects. Clinical qualifications and membership of allied health professions are also considered.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 6.5

TOEFL (internet based): 100 total



DURATION OF COURSE

Full time: one year
Part time: two years



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HEALTH POLICY

MSc

The MSc in Health Policy combines academic study with the development of practical health policy analysis and related skills which can be applied within the real world of health policy, planning and management.

The broad field of health policy covers issues such as cost containment, the social determinants of health, health inequalities, how health systems should be organised and financed and their performance measured.

The course is suitable for professionals from a wide range of backgrounds, including medical; nursing and allied health professions; health management and administration; public health; national and local government; national NGOs; international agencies; research institutions and consultancies; pharmaceutical and healthcare industries; and health insurance. It will help you develop a range of key transferable health policy skills, enabling you to work in health-related organisations within local and central government, NGOs, and the private and third sectors.

COURSE CONTENT

You will undertake seven or eight taught modules, including four core modules, plus a dissertation. A wide range of optional modules gives you the choice of pursuing different interests such as health management, health economics or policy research.

Core modules:

- Politics, power and the health policy process
- Health systems organisation, financing and performance
- Health and society
- Foundations in research methods and data analysis
- Dissertation

Optional modules:

You will choose at least two modules from:

- Health policy in Britain
- Economics of health care

You will also choose three or four from a range of modules covering health policy, health management and leadership and health economics.

Learning is undertaken via a mix of lectures, class discussions and seminars, student presentations, case study analyses, interactive computer-based exercises, a virtual learning environment and self-directed reading.

Modules are assessed through a combination of written coursework, group work and examination.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have a lower second class honours degree or equivalent. Experience of working in the health sector may be considered as equivalent to a good honours degree for suitable applicants. In addition we consider applications from capable individuals who may not have prior experience of working within the health sector but have clear plans for a future career in health policy.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 6.5

TOEFL (internet based): 100 total



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years



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HEALTH SERVICES RESEARCH

MSc

Health Services Research is an interdisciplinary field of scientific inquiry that examines how people obtain access to health care, how much care costs and what happens to patients as a result of this care. Your aim as a health services researcher will be to undertake research and make recommendations on the most effective ways to organise, manage, commission and deliver high quality care, reduce medical errors and improve patient safety.

Our aim is to provide you with a challenging, stimulating and free-thinking environment, which will nurture your aspirations, talent and career prospects.

The MSc in Health Services Research offers exemplary training in quantitative and qualitative research methods and applied data analysis to enable you to achieve these goals. You will gain the knowledge and confidence to design and conduct primary and secondary research independently in your place of work, including the public or private sectors such as health and social care, international agencies, national NGOs, pharmaceutical companies, research institutions and consultancies. As a result of the practical research training that our students receive, some develop their own ideas for research and pursue subsequent doctoral studies.

COURSE CONTENT

During the course of your studies at City you will be part of an active academic research community with a wide range of interests. You will be encouraged to attend discussion groups and lectures, which will guide you to gain a wealth of knowledge in the area of health services research. Learning is undertaken via a mix of lectures, class discussions, seminars, student presentations, poster presentations, case study analyses, interactive computer-based exercises, a virtual learning environment, guided independent learning and individual supervision. You will undertake seven taught modules, including three core modules, plus a dissertation.

Core modules:

- Introduction to research methods and applied data analysis

- Advanced research methods
- Advanced data analysis
- Dissertation

Optional modules:

- Health systems organisation, financing and performance
- Understanding the health policy process: concepts and tools
- Health and society
- Health policy in Britain
- Health economics evaluation

Modules are assessed through a combination of methods including a research proposal, mini laboratory examination, systematic review, poster presentation, data analysis workbook, practical examination and associated laboratory report and formative online quiz.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

An upper second class honours degree in a medical/health or social sciences discipline is required. Applicants with equivalent qualifications or substantial experience in health services will also be considered on an individual basis.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 6.5

TOEFL (internet based): 100 total



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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HUMAN COMMUNICATION

MSc

The MSc in Human Communication provides a flexible programme of study in the areas of speech and language therapy, language and communication and deafness.

The course offers learning in the latest theoretical and clinical developments relating to speech and language therapy. It also develops your research skills and critical thinking and provides the opportunity to conduct a research project under expert supervision, laying the foundations for independent research in the future.

This course is suitable for speech and language therapists, school teachers and those with an interest in speech, language and communication. We welcome applicants from the UK and overseas. Successful completion of the MSc fulfils the requirements for higher-grade senior speech and language therapy posts and qualifies you to apply for research posts and to conduct independent research.

COURSE CONTENT

Core module:

- Introduction to research methods and data analysis

Optional modules:

- Acquired language impairment
- Case-based clinical management
- Clinical management
- Cognitive communication impairments
- Developmental language impairment
- Dysphagia and disorders of eating and drinking
- Habilitative audiology
- Identity, inclusion and living with disability
- Language learning and development
- Speech acoustics and speech perception.

You may also choose other Masters-level modules offered at the School of Health Sciences.

When you have successfully completed seven taught modules, including the double module in research methods, plus a research dissertation, you will be awarded the Masters degree. Complete eight taught modules and you will qualify for a Postgraduate Diploma.

Modules are assessed through assignments including essays, poster presentations, case studies and data analyses.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full time: one year for taught modules, plus up to one year for dissertation.
Part time: two years for taught modules, plus up to one year for dissertation.



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will normally need a lower second class honours degree (or international equivalent) in an appropriate subject. The Licentiate Diploma of the Royal College of Speech and Language Therapists is also accepted.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 6.5

TOEFL (internet based): 100 total

JOINT PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE (LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION)

MSc

This course is offered jointly with the Institute of Education, University of London and is a flexible programme of study for speech and language therapists and teachers with an interest in children with speech, language and communication needs in the education context.

You will gain up-to-date and advanced knowledge in specific clinical areas, education and related subjects, along with high-level theoretical and research skills from both City University London and the Institute of Education.

Successful completion of the MSc fulfils the requirements for higher-grade senior speech and language therapy and teaching posts and provides opportunities for management and special education needs specialisation in education. It qualifies you to apply for research posts and to conduct independent research.

COURSE CONTENT

Core modules:

- Concepts and contexts of special and inclusive education
- Social, emotional and behavioural development in children with specific speech, language and communication difficulties
- Language learning and development
- Introduction to research methods and data analysis.

Optional modules:

- Acquired language impairment
- Case-based clinical management
- Clinical management
- Cognitive communication impairments
- Developmental language impairment
- Dysphagia and disorders of eating and drinking
- Habilitative audiology
- Identity, inclusion and living with disability
- Literacy
- Speech acoustics and speech perception.

You may also choose other Masters level modules offered at the School of Health Sciences and at the Institute of Education.

When you have successfully completed six taught modules (four core and two optional) plus your dissertation, you will qualify for the Masters degree. Completion of six taught modules will lead to a Postgraduate Diploma and completion of four taught core modules will lead to a Postgraduate Certificate.

Modules are assessed through assignments including essays, poster presentations, case studies and data analyses.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You will normally need a lower second class honours degree in an appropriate subject plus a qualification in speech and language therapy or teaching. The Licentiate Diploma of the Royal College of Speech and Language Therapists is also accepted.

You will need two years' experience in an educational setting or working with children with speech, language and communication difficulties.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL (internet based): 100 total



DURATION OF COURSE

Full time: one year for taught modules, plus up to one year for dissertation.
Part time: two years for taught modules, plus up to one year for dissertation.



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MEDICAL ULTRASOUND

MSc

This course offers flexible study options for healthcare professionals undertaking obstetrics, gynaecology and / or abdominal ultrasound training.

This course is suitable for health care professionals who have experience in radiography, nursing, midwifery or other related professions. The course enables you to achieve the academic qualifications and clinical skills needed to pursue a career in ultrasound or to develop current skills to advanced and consultant level.

The Saad Centre for Radiography Clinical Skills Education at City has a Siemens Sonoline Antares real-time ultrasound machine and a simulator, which are used for teaching and monitoring clinical progress.

Our graduates are employed as superintendent sonographers, clinical application specialists, lecturers, visiting lecturers and ultrasound course directors. Several previous students have used their qualifications to work abroad.

COURSE CONTENT

The course is flexible and is available on a part-time basis. It allows you to choose to study a combination of some or all of the following subjects:

- Obstetric ultrasound
- Gynaecology ultrasound
- Abdominal ultrasound
- Focused ultrasound.

For some programme routes all modules are compulsory, for others there is flexibility in module choice.

Modules include:

- Fundamental principles of ultrasound practice (core module)
 - Developing advanced practice (core module)
 - Gynaecology ultrasound
 - Obstetric ultrasound
 - Abdominal ultrasound
- When you have successfully completed six modules and your dissertation, you will qualify for a full Masters degree. Completion of six taught modules will lead to a Postgraduate Diploma and completion of four taught core modules will lead to a Postgraduate Certificate.

- Research methods (core for MSc)
- Dissertation (core for MSc)
- Work-based learning
- Student-negotiated module.

A wide range of teaching methods are used within the programme including key note lectures, tutorials, workshops using real ultrasound machines and a simulator, group tasks and online learning.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have a lower second class honours degree or above in radiography, nursing, midwifery or another relevant subject. Consideration will also be given if you can demonstrate, by qualifications or clinical experience, your ability to undertake the course. Prior to applying, you must arrange a placement that allows them to work an average of three days a week within an ultrasound department.

Health Professions Council (HPC), Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC), General Medical Council (GMC) registration is desirable.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL (internet based): 100 total



DURATION OF COURSE

MSc up to two and a half years

Postgraduate Diploma up to 18 months

Postgraduate Certificate up to one year



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MIDWIFERY

MSc

This course enables you to deepen your understanding of the context of childbirth and current issues in midwifery practice. There is an emphasis on exploration of theory, research, research appraisal and critical use of evidence to question and inform practice. It supports the development, evaluation and implementation of evidence-based practice and policy.

It enables and encourages critical thinking, the application of advanced skills, information and knowledge management for the promotion of health and well-being of childbearing women and their families.

The course will increase the depth and breadth of your knowledge of midwifery practice and policy and consolidate such skills as critical appraisal, strategic planning and evaluation. It will provide you with a foundation for undertaking posts that involve staff leadership, practice development and policy formulation. In addition, it sets the basis for further development at doctoral level.

COURSE CONTENT

The range of modules offers flexibility, so you can select combinations of modules on specialised areas of interest such as management or public health. You may be able to select further modules from our Continuing Professional Development portfolio.

Core modules:

- Midwifery knowledge: theory, context and practice
- Research methods
- Managing risks in midwifery.

Optional modules:

- Evidence-based practice in health and social care
- Health promotion
- Challenges in clinical leadership
- Ethics and law of genetics and health
- Qualitative research

- Research design and statistics
- Psychology at work
- Work-based learning.

When you have successfully completed the modules plus a dissertation you will qualify for the MSc in Midwifery. If you complete the modules without the dissertation you will be eligible for a Postgraduate Diploma in Midwifery.

Teaching and learning strategies includes lectures, workshops, self directed learning, small group activities, discussions and debates.

Modules are assessed through group work, written coursework and objective structured clinical examination. All assessments must be focused on issues in midwifery practice, management, research or education.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should be a qualified midwife with a minimum of one year's experience. A work placement is not required for the MSc Midwifery. If you choose clinical modules you must be registered with the NMC and be working clinically within a healthcare setting.

Applicants should have a relevant lower second class honours degree or equivalent. Applicants without a relevant first degree may be considered, but will be required to:

- Complete a research module at level three, prior to commencing Masters level study.
- Write an admission essay

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL (internet based): 107 total



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year, plus dissertation.
Part-time: up to five years dependent on the number of modules selected each term.



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NURSING

WITH NURSING (ADVANCED PRACTICE) ROUTE

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The MSc in Nursing allows you to develop your specialist skills and knowledge in adult or children's nursing. The MSc Nursing is mainly non-clinical for those wanting to develop their overall nursing practice and theory with a view to growing into leadership and management roles. The Nursing (Advanced Practice) route provides advanced clinical skills, enabling nurses to work as specialists.

You are able to adapt your MSc as your studies progress, so your studies are relevant to your career needs and personal interests. Compulsory modules are kept to a minimum, so you can choose from a wide range depending on your personal goals. Students are also able to study individual course modules on a stand-alone basis for continuing professional development. On completion of the modules students will qualify for a Postgraduate Diploma. Completion of a dissertation leads to the full Masters degree.

You do not need to have a work placement, but are expected to apply principles to practice in the assessments.

This course will help you develop your practice at an advanced level and develop your leadership, management and high level research skills to improve health care provision. The course is for experienced nurses working in senior positions or those who are preparing for nurse practitioner, care manager, nurse consultant or clinical leadership roles.

NURSING (ADVANCED PRACTICE) ROUTE

If you want to prepare for an advanced practice role in adult or children's nursing you can choose to study the Nursing (Advanced Practice) route.

You will follow a more prescribed route to ensure you meet the competencies for advanced practice but will still be able to choose some optional modules. We also offer specific modules for ophthalmic nurses. A clinical work placement with appropriate supervision for physical assessment is required.

For the Nursing (Advanced Practice) route nurses must be working in senior clinical positions. A clinical work placement with appropriate supervision for physical assessment is required.

COURSE CONTENT

The course is designed to provide you with flexible study options. There are two intakes each academic year in January and September. Students can study on a part-time or full-time basis.

The course consists of eight modules and a dissertation.

NURSING ROUTE:

Core modules:

- Advancing nursing knowledge
- Research methods.

Optional modules:

- Qualitative research
- Leadership for practice and service delivery

- Medicines management
- Psychology at work
- Evidence-based health and social care
- Clinical practice
- Biological foundations in clinical practice
- Pharmacology in clinical practice
- Chronic disease management
- Long term conditions
- Research methods 1 (introductory)
- Philosophy and politics of primary healthcare
- Practice-based module
- Clinical assessment in Primary Care
- Integrated public health
- Clinical effectiveness
- Innovations in healthcare: leadership and management perspectives.

NURSING (ADVANCED PRACTICE) ROUTE:

Core modules:

- Advancing nursing knowledge
- Advanced clinical practice
- Research methods.

Advanced nurse practitioner core modules:

- Research methods 1 (introductory)
- Philosophy and politics of primary healthcare
- Physical assessment 1
- Physical assessment 2.

Optional modules:

- Physical assessment (adult or child or ophthalmic)
- Medicines management, or
- Independent and supplementary non medical prescribing
- Clinical practice
- Biological foundations in clinical practice
- Pharmacology in clinical practice.

When you have successfully completed the taught modules plus your dissertation, you will qualify for Masters degree. Complete the taught modules and qualify for a Postgraduate Diploma.

A blended approach to learning is adopted including taught modules; e-learning and work-based learning.

Assessment includes essays; objective structured clinical examinations; practice-based assessments and seminar presentations with supporting papers.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

For the Nursing route, applicants must be registered nurses normally with two years' experience. For the Nursing (Advanced Practice) route at least five years' experience is required

You must be registered with the Nursing and Midwifery Council and working in a healthcare setting for the advanced practice route.

Applicants should have a lower second class honours degree. If you do not have a degree you will be considered, but may have to demonstrate an ability to study at degree level.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following is required:

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL: 107 internet based total

Pearson's academic score: 72.

A first degree from a UK university or an overseas institution recognised by the University as providing adequate evidence of proficiency of the English language (for example, Australia, Canada or the United States).



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: **Nursing** up to seven years (minimum two days per week University-based study)

Nursing (Advanced Practice) up to seven years (minimum one day per week clinical practice)

Part-time: **Nursing** up to seven years (one day per week University-based study)

Nursing (Advanced Practice) up to seven years (one day a week clinical practice)



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RADIOGRAPHY WITH COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY, DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING, MEDICAL MAGNETIC RESONANCE AND RADIOTHERAPY ROUTES

MSc

This course has a flexible modular approach focusing on the clinical specialities of Computed Tomography, Diagnostic Imaging, Medical Magnetic Resonance and Radiotherapy. Each route will be suitable for those working in or rotating through a speciality who want to extend their knowledge and research skills or work towards advanced practice.

The course will provide you with the skills and knowledge to apply critical appraisal to day-to-day practice and promote reflective and evidence-based practice. This course is accredited by the College of Radiographers.

You will have wider employment opportunities with possibilities for becoming a superintendent radiographer, senior manager or visiting lecturer. A number of previous students have used their qualifications and skills to work overseas.

COURSE CONTENT

The course is flexible and available on a part-time basis. Modules from the course can also be taken on a stand-alone basis for continuing professional development. Modules can then be accumulated to work towards a Postgraduate Certificate, Diploma or MSc qualification.

The work placement must be for at least three days a week (or equivalent) and continue for the duration of the course.

You can choose from a range of modules; some are compulsory for specific routes.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY

Modules include:

- Education in the workplace
- Evidence-based practice
- Student-negotiated module (1 and 2)
- Research methods
- Clinical applications of CT
- Science and instrumentation of CT
- Work-based learning in practice
- Work-based learning, expert/specialist practice
- Issues in advanced practice (1 or 2)
- Dissertation module
- Physics and instrumentation of MMR
- Clinical applications of MMR.

DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING**Modules include:**

- Education in the workplace
- Evidence-based practice
- Student-negotiated module (1 and 2)
- Research methods
- Science and instrumentation of CT
- Clinical applications of CT
- Physics and instrumentation of MMR
- Clinical applications of MMR
- Work-based learning in practice
- Work-based learning, expert/specialist practice
- Issues in advanced practice (1 or 2)
- Dissertation.

MEDICAL MAGNETIC RESONANCE**Modules include:**

- Education in the workplace
- Evidence-based practice
- Student-negotiated module (1 and 2)
- Research methods
- Physics and instrumentation of MMR
- Clinical applications of MMR
- Work-based learning in practice
- Work-based learning, expert/specialist practice
- Issues in advanced practice (1 or 2)
- Dissertation module
- Science and instrumentation of CT
- Clinical applications of CT.

RADIOTHERAPY**Modules include:**

- Education in the workplace
- Evidence-based practice
- Student-negotiated module (1 and 2)
- Research methods
- Science and instrumentation of CT
- Physics and instrumentation of MMR
- Work-based learning in practice
- Work-based learning, expert/specialist practice
- Issues in advanced practice (1 or 2)
- Dissertation.

Learning methods include lectures, tutorials, seminars, demonstrations, workshops and problem-solving sessions.

Assessment methods include examinations, essays, oral and poster presentation, case studies, e-learning tasks, clinical assessments and clinical portfolios.

Please note that the MSc in Radiography will be revalidated in January 2013 and therefore this information is subject to change.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The course is for radiographers with a minimum of one year's clinical experience in the clinical speciality in which they wish to study. You should continue to practise for the duration of your study. For the Radiotherapy route you must have a minimum of two year's clinical experience in radiotherapy.

Applicants will need to have a lower second class honours degree in radiography or another health-related subject or appropriate professional qualifications e.g., Diploma of the College of Radiographers. Appropriate international qualifications in radiography may be considered where parity with UK programmes can be shown.

If you want to undertake the optional work-based learning (expert or specialist practice) module you will be required to have the appropriate scope of practice

If you are an international applicant, you need to be able to secure a clinical placement for the duration of your intended course of study.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL (internet based): 100 total

**DURATION OF COURSE**

Part time: **MSc** minimum of three years

Postgraduate Diploma minimum of two years

Postgraduate Certificate minimum of one year.

There is a maximum registration period of five years to achieve the full qualification.

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SCHOOL OF INFORMATICS

The School of Informatics is a leading provider of research-led postgraduate education in computing, library and information sciences. In computing, our technical courses range from games technology to security, while business-focussed MScs include information management and consultancy. We are renowned for our specialist degrees in human-computer interaction design, electronic publishing, library science and health informatics. Our advanced courses address issues such as leadership, innovation and creativity.

87%

Percentage of School of Informatics graduates who were in employment or further study six months after graduation

260

Number of postgraduate students studying in the School of Informatics (June 2012)

52

Number of full-time equivalent academic staff within the School of Informatics

City University London has a reputation for combining high-quality research with solving key practical challenges in the professions. The School of Informatics has excellent work-based learning opportunities. For over 20 years our unrivalled Professional Liaison Unit has helped students secure placements with organisations from blue-chip companies to innovative start-ups. Our graduates are highly sought after by companies across London and beyond. The School specialist learning spaces and laboratories, including SAP and Human Computer Interaction laboratories, the latter established originally with the support of the Vodafone UK Foundation.

Our Computing courses are professionally accredited by the British Computer Society and offer our students a pathway to Chartered IT Professional (CITP) status.

Our Library and Information Science courses are accredited by the Chartered Institute of Library and Information Professionals (CILIP).

Students successfully completing eight taught modules will progress on to the dissertation. The full MA/MSc will be awarded on successful completion of the dissertation.

RESEARCH AT THE SCHOOL OF INFORMATICS

The School of Informatics is a recognised centre for cutting-edge research. The majority of our research was rated as world-leading or internationally-excellent in the latest Research Assessment Exercise.

Our academic research in computing, library science and human-computer interaction is respected internationally. We are a European centre of excellence for software engineering research.

The School has a thriving culture of interdisciplinary research, both internally and across the University. We play a leading role in City's Interdisciplinary Centres in Creativity in Professional Practice and Information Leadership.

Each year the School welcomes PhD students who play a key role in research and education. To find out more about undertaking a research degree at the School of Informatics please visit www.city.ac.uk/informatics/research.

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BUSINESS SYSTEMS ANALYSIS AND DESIGN

MSc

This course will equip you with specialist knowledge ranging from business systems requirements analysis and design, software systems engineering and data modelling to IT strategy, project management and business engineering with Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) solutions.

Practical work is emphasised throughout to develop understanding and skills which are strengthened by individual project development. The course has an excellent track record in producing hybrid IT/business professionals valued by employers.

This course is accredited by the British Computer Society for partial fulfilment of the academic requirement for Chartered IT Professional (CITP) status.

As part of our long-established relationship with SAP, we offer SAP Certification training. MSc students are eligible to register for the SAP TERP10 Certification course at a substantial discount.

On completion of the course you will be prepared for employment in roles including systems analyst, IT consultant and systems integrator.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The minimum entry requirement is a good second class honours degree from a UK university, a recognised equivalent from an accredited international institution or an equivalent professional qualification. Previous academic and commercial experience will be considered. Applicants should have good professional English.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories
TOEFL (internet based): 90

COURSE CONTENT

Students will learn skills in business awareness, design and consultancy to facilitate the alignment of IT systems and services to business objectives. A specialist understanding of theoretical principles in business systems analysis and design will be developed. Technical skills, through practical laboratory work, will be explored to enable you to apply your knowledge of IT and how it affects business competitiveness.

Students complete eight core taught modules, which include:

- Business engineering with ERP solutions
- Databases
- Information systems planning and strategy
- Interaction design.

You will also complete an independent research project.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months (evenings)



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COMPUTER GAMES TECHNOLOGY

MSc

This course is designed for graduates aiming to pursue a career as a programmer or technical lead in the games industry. Applicants should be graduates of a computing-related degree who want to specialise their existing undergraduate education or update their skills after time in industry (games or other roles) as a computing professional.

In particular, the project component gives you an opportunity to carry out an extended piece of work at the cutting edge of games technology under the supervision of one of our specialist academic and research staff. Internship-based projects are also available.

This course is accredited by the British Computer Society for partial fulfilment of the academic requirement for Chartered IT Professional (CITP) status.

You will be equipped with advanced knowledge and skills in a range of topics in games technology in preparation for a career in computer games development. Examples of professional roles include 3D graphics programmer, audio programmer, physics programmer and simulation and game engine programmer.

COURSE CONTENT

At the end of the course you will be equipped with advanced knowledge of and skills in a range of topics in games technology in preparation for a career in computer games development.

Students will complete eight core modules, which include:

- Computer games architecture
- Computer graphics
- Games development process
- Games physics and AI.

Students will also complete an independent research project.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year (evening and daytime)
Part-time: up to 28 months (evening)



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The minimum entry requirement is a good second class honours degree from a UK university in a numerate subject, with substantial prior computing content, a recognised equivalent from an accredited overseas institution or an equivalent professional qualification. Previous academic and commercial experience will also be considered.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90

E-BUSINESS SYSTEMS

MSc

This course is professionally focused and provides the knowledge and skills necessary for embarking on a career as a technically competent business software developer. You will develop expertise in areas such as programming, databases, design and specification and relevant business topics such as ERP and e-commerce.

In addition to its strong practical orientation, the course provides knowledge of research principles, methods and techniques necessary for undertaking research in the field of software engineering or e-commerce.

This course is accredited by the British Computer Society for partial fulfilment of the academic requirement for Chartered IT Professional (CITP) status.

As part of our long-established relationship with SAP, we offer SAP Certification training. MSc students are eligible to register for the SAP TERP10 Certification course at a substantial discount.

You will be prepared for employment as a high-quality software development professional who has the wider business knowledge necessary for e-business enabled enterprises.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The minimum entry requirement is a good second class honours degree from a UK university, a recognised equivalent from an accredited international institution or an equivalent professional qualification. Previous academic and commercial experience will also be considered. Applicants should have basic competence and familiarity with mathematics and good professional English.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90

COURSE CONTENT

The aim of this course is to allow students to develop skills across a range of computing areas including developing software using modern programming languages and methods; designing and creating e-business software systems to solve realistic problems; and evaluating and using different standards, platforms and architectures for building interoperable e-business systems.

There are eight core taught modules on the course which include:

- Business engineering with ERP solutions
- Databases
- E-commerce
- Interaction design
- Programming in Java.

You will also undertake an individual project.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months (daytime)



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ELECTRONIC PUBLISHING

MSc/MA

Delivered jointly by the Department of Information Science and the Department of Journalism, this course offers a unique combination of specialist knowledge in areas such as design, publishing, technology and content production.

We produce graduates with highly marketable skills in content creation, design, technology and business and management processes relevant to electronic publishing. You will be encouraged to collaborate with organisations involved professionally in electronic publishing as part of your coursework and final project.

This course is accredited by the British Computer Society for partial fulfilment of the academic requirement for Chartered IT Professional (CITP) status. You will also benefit from superb computing and audio-visual equipment and facilities, including dedicated PC/Mac laboratories with specialist software, broadcast quality audio and video studios, portable audio recording technology for location use and professional digital video cameras.

You will be prepared for employment in the interactive publishing industry, pursuing creative as well as managerial roles such as web editor, internet content manager, web producer, web developer and creative manager of web and emerging technologies.

COURSE CONTENT

Students on the course will complete four core modules:

- Information architecture
- Interaction design
- Research methods and professional issues
- Writing and editing for electronic media.

This will be followed by four elective modules from a selection which includes:

- Cognition and technologies
- Data visualisation
- Database
- Design and layout for electronic media
- E-commerce
- Information law and policy.

You will also be required to undertake a final project.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months (daytime)



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The minimum entry requirement is a good second class honours degree from a UK university, a recognised equivalent from an accredited international institution or an equivalent professional qualification. Work experience in some aspect of publishing or the information industry or evidence of participation in some relevant activity (e.g., student journalism, construction of web pages) will be advantageous. Previous academic and commercial experience will also be considered.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90

HEALTH INFORMATICS

MSc

Our MSc in Health Informatics is Europe's longest established postgraduate course in this field.

Typical applicants are clinical and allied health professionals who wish to enhance their careers; and computer scientists, engineers and others with relevant technical or professional qualifications who wish to move into a career involving the application of ICT in health services and associated industries.

You will be part of a multi-professional and international cohort and will benefit from a course of lectures delivered by leading experts and the University's location close to many hospitals and medical centres.

This course is accredited by the British Computer Society for partial fulfilment of the academic requirement for Chartered IT Professional (CITP) status.

You will be prepared for employment in health services (both state and private sectors) in the UK and overseas and in related healthcare industries and organisations.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The minimum entry requirement is a good second class honours degree from a UK university in a medical or numerate subject, a recognised equivalent from an accredited international institution or an equivalent professional qualification. Other degree subjects or professional qualifications can be accepted if a candidate has subsequently had relevant health service or industrial experience. Applicants should have good professional English in order to understand and produce literature of a complex technical nature.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90

COURSE CONTENT

There are eight core modules on the course:

- Clinical records
- Data analysis with healthcare applications
- Databases
- Information architecture
- Information for decisions in healthcare
- Knowledge management in healthcare
- Research methods and professional issues
- Telemedicine.

You will also undertake an independent research project.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months (daytime)



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HUMAN-CENTRED SYSTEMS

MSc

This course is delivered by City's internationally-renowned Centre for Human-Computer Interaction Design (HCID). The course will provide you with research, theories and techniques for designing and evaluating interactive systems, from web to mobile and multi-touch devices.

You will acquire leading-edge knowledge in advanced human-computer interaction design, requirements engineering, evaluating the usability of interactive systems and expertise in designing and evaluating systems for diverse user groups, including people with disabilities and the elderly.

You will benefit from being able to use the Interaction Lab, which is equipped with the latest technologies including eye-trackers, interactive tabletops and mobile testing station. It was established originally with the support of the Vodafone UK Foundation.

This course is accredited by the British Computer Society for partial fulfilment of the academic requirement for Chartered IT Professional (CITP) status.

The course has a strong record of placing graduates in roles such as user experience consultant, information architect, usability specialist and accessibility specialist in leading consultancies and blue-chip IT companies.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The minimum entry requirement is a good second class honours degree from a UK university, a recognised equivalent from an accredited international institution or an equivalent professional qualification. Previous experience with computer technologies and academic and commercial experience will also be considered. A practical background in computing technologies is desirable. It is not necessary for students to have had prior exposure to the topics of human-computer interaction or user-centred design.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90

COURSE CONTENT

You will cover seven core modules:

- Cognition and technologies
- Evaluation of interactive systems
- Inclusive design
- Information architecture
- Practices and theories of interaction design
- Requirements engineering
- Research methods and professional issues.

As part of the course you will also complete one of the following elective modules:

- Creativity in design
- Multimedia design and development
- Telemedicine
- Data visualisation.

You will also complete an independent research project.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months (mainly daytime/
some evenings)



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INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

MSc

Information systems are a key part of an organisation's IT infrastructure. IT professionals who can manage the information resources of a business and understand the technologies and systems that enable them are key to the success of modern enterprises.

This course provides a specialist focus on the management of information and utilising information systems in organisations to provide effective information services.

Your understanding of information and its role in organisations will enable you to align the enterprise and its information systems. This prepares you for a range of information (system) management roles in industry. The course is also excellent preparation for doctoral study.

The course is accredited by the Chartered Institute of Library and Information Professionals (CILIP).

As part of our long-established relationship with SAP, we offer SAP Certification training. MSc students are eligible to register for the SAP TERP10 Certification course at a substantial discount.

COURSE CONTENT

You will develop an understanding of the characteristics of information systems, their management and technology and their effective use within organisations. You will gain skills in evaluating and selecting appropriate methods and technologies for representing, managing and disseminating information. You will contribute to the management of organisational information and the development of information systems using sound principles and modern techniques. You will also develop an appreciation of the necessary legal, ethical and professional values appropriate to the provision and management of information services.

There are five core modules:

- Databases
- Information architecture
- Information and knowledge management
- Research methods and professional issues
- Requirements engineering.

In addition, you will choose three elective modules from a list that currently includes:

- Business engineering with ERP solutions
- Data visualisation
- Information law and policy
- Information retrieval
- Open source systems
- Project management.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The minimum entry requirement is a good second class honours degree from a UK university, a recognised equivalent from an accredited international institution or an equivalent professional qualification. Applicants should also have basic competence and familiarity with mathematics and good professional English.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories
TOEFL (internet based): 90



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months (daytime)



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INFORMATION MANAGEMENT IN THE CULTURAL SECTOR

MSc/MA

This course caters for those with a specific interest in information management in arts, culture and heritage organisations and is designed primarily for those with a background in the sector, who wish to formalise their expertise.

It brings together education from the Schools of Informatics and Arts and Social Sciences, gives equal weight to the two perspectives and provides a unique background for developing an understanding of this environment. You will be prepared for employment in library and information services in galleries, museums, archives and special libraries and work in a range of activities within the cultural sector.

The course is accredited by the Chartered Institute of Library and Information Professionals (CILIP).

COURSE CONTENT

You will complete three core modules from the Department of Cultural Policy and Management:

- Culture, policy and management: frames of reference
- Cultural portfolio: critical immersion and professional development
- Digital cultures.

There will also be an elective module chosen from a wide range which typically includes:

- Audiences and marketing
- Communications
- Fundraising and advocacy
- Comparative international models of cultural policy
- Education and learning in the cultural sector
- Law and cultural management
- Post-colonial agendas: the culture of politics.

You will also complete four modules from the Department of Information Science, including:

- Digital information, technologies and architecture
- Digital libraries
- Information resources and organisation
- Library information science foundation.

On successful completion of the eight modules you will progress to the dissertation.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months (daytime)



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The minimum entry requirement is a second class honours degree from a UK university, a recognised equivalent from an accredited international institution or an equivalent professional qualification. Previous relevant professional experience will also be considered.

Students should also be able to demonstrate commitment to a career in the cultural sector through previous work or volunteer positions.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90

INFORMATION SCIENCE

MSc

This course, taught at City since 1967, is especially suitable for those interested in information management within particular subject domains, such as healthcare, law and business and in the use of technology to handle information within these areas. The course focuses on information: its origins, organisation, flows and use as well as its changing nature and impact on society.

You will be prepared for employment in roles such as medical information officer, information researcher or specialist, editor, publisher, web content manager, records manager, special librarian, customer trainer and prospect researcher.

The course is accredited by the Chartered Institute of Library and Information Professionals (CILIP).

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The entry requirement is a second class honours degree from a UK university, a recognised equivalent from an accredited international institution or an equivalent professional qualification. Previous relevant professional experience will also be considered.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories, with 7.0 in writing

TOEFL (internet based): 90

COURSE CONTENT

You will complete seven core modules:

- Digital information technologies and architecture
- Information domains
- Information management and policy
- Information resources and organisation
- Information retrieval
- Library and information science foundation
- Research, evaluation and communication skills.

You will complete one elective module, chosen from a range which typically includes:

- Data visualisation
- Information law and policy
- Open source systems
- Libraries and publishing in the information society.

On successful completion of eight course modules, students progress to the dissertation.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months (daytime)



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INFORMATION SECURITY AND RISK

MSc

Concerns about cyber security and information risk have led to a growing market for technical specialists but there is also a need for more senior professionals with an awareness of both technical and business issues.

This course addresses this need by combining appropriate technical material with the necessary management and professional skills, allowing graduates to be the bridge between corporate executives and technical specialists. Such professionals would be responsible for drawing up organisational strategies for managing security and risk, identifying trade-offs between potential losses and the cost of protection and advising senior management on these issues.

Graduates will be experienced professionals in the information security or risk assessment fields, prepared for the highest level positions with titles such as Chief Security Officer, Security Architect or Chief Information Risk Manager.

COURSE CONTENT

Led by the internationally-respected Centre for Software Reliability, this course is aimed at IT professionals with around five years' experience. It covers the skills and knowledge necessary to be successful in senior roles in information security and risk.

You will complete specialised Security and Risk modules which include:

- Assurance cases
- Information security management
- IT risk and resilience
- Quantitative risk analysis.

There are also modules which provide professional skills including:

- Business risk (led by Cass Business School)
- Information leadership
- Professional development
- Socio-technical systems.

Students also take an individual project, which applies the technical contents of the course to a problem of interest.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You should have a second class honours degree (or equivalent non-UK qualification). You should also have approximately five years of relevant professional experience (absolute minimum of two years in exceptional circumstances). In some circumstances, professional experience and qualifications will be accepted in lieu of a degree.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 107



DURATION OF COURSE

Duration: 28 months

Offered as part-time only

Delivery is in block mode (each module has two instances of a Thursday evening, all day Friday and Saturday), with two modules per term.



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INFORMATION SYSTEMS AND TECHNOLOGY

MSc

Information systems are a key part of an organisation's IT infrastructure. IT professionals who can manage the information resources of a business and understand the technologies and systems that enable them are key to the success of modern enterprises.

This course prepares you for a career in information systems and the business services they provide. It takes a broad view of how organisations use information to maintain competitive advantage using expertise in computing and information management.

This course is accredited by the British Computer Society for partial fulfilment of the academic requirement for Chartered IT Professional (CITP) status.

As part of our long-established relationship with SAP, we offer SAP Certification training. MSc students are eligible to register for the SAP TERP10 Certification course at a substantial discount.

You will be prepared for employment in information systems management roles in large and small organisations including banks, consultancies, pharmaceutical and IT industries, central and local government and the education and health sectors.

COURSE CONTENT

You will develop an understanding of the characteristics of information systems, their management and technology and their effective use within organisations. You will also learn to evaluate and select appropriate methods and technologies for representing, managing and disseminating information.

Skills contributing to the management of organisational information and the development of information systems using sound principles and modern techniques will be explored. You will gain an appreciation of the necessary legal, ethical and professional values appropriate to the provision and management of information services.

There are five core modules to complete:

- Databases
- Information architecture
- Information and knowledge management
- Research methods and professional issues
- Systems specification.

In addition you will choose three elective modules from a list which typically includes:

- Business engineering with ERP solutions
- Data visualisation
- Information law and policy
- Multimedia design and development
- Software systems design.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The minimum entry requirement is a good second class honours degree from a UK university, a recognised equivalent from an accredited international institution or an equivalent professional qualification.

Applicants should have basic competence and familiarity with mathematics and good professional English.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months (daytime)



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LIBRARY SCIENCE

MSc/MA

Library and Information Science is concerned with all aspects of information communication from author to user, including publication and dissemination; management and policy; knowledge organisation; indexing and retrieval; and human information behaviour. This course focuses on collections of all kinds and on the migration of such services to digital environments.

The course is intended primarily for those working or planning to work in the collections sector. You will be prepared for employment in fields including public, academic and school libraries, consultancies, special libraries and information services and publishing.

The course is accredited by the Chartered Institute of Library and Information Professionals (CILIP).

COURSE CONTENT

You will complete seven core modules:

- Digital information technologies and architecture
- Digital libraries
- Information management and policy
- Information resources and organisations
- Libraries and publishing in the information society
- Library and information science foundation
- Research, evaluation and communication skills.

You will also choose one elective module from a range which typically includes:

- Audiences and marketing
- Education and training in the cultural sector
- Evaluation, politics and advocacy
- Information domains
- Web applications.

Some options are offered by the School of Arts & Social Sciences.

On successful completion of eight modules students progress to the dissertation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The minimum entry requirement is a second class honours degree from a UK university, a recognised equivalent from an accredited international institution or an equivalent professional qualification. Previous relevant professional experience will also be considered.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months (daytime)



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SOFTWARE ENGINEERING

MSc

The focus of the course is on advanced engineering concepts and methods and design issues for the development of high-quality complex software systems. These are explored using industrial-strength technologies such as the C++ and Java object-oriented programming languages and the UML modelling language. This course will cover significant trends in systems development including service-oriented architecture, open-source systems and XML-enabled interoperable services.

The course is accredited by the British Computer Society for partial fulfilment of the academic requirement for Chartered IT Professional (CITP) status.

As part of our long-established relationship with SAP, we offer SAP Certification training. MSc students are eligible to register for the SAP TERP10 Certification course at a substantial discount.

You will be prepared for employment in software houses, consultancies and with major software users such as the financial sector, where there is a significant demand for professionals with a deep knowledge of advanced software development and rigorous engineering practice.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The minimum entry requirement is a good second class honours degree from a UK university, a recognised equivalent from an accredited international institution or an equivalent professional qualification. Previous academic and commercial experience will also be considered. Applicants should have significant previous exposure to computing, especially programming and relational databases.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5 or above in all categories

TOEFL (internet based): 90

COURSE CONTENT

You will develop skills in analysing user requirements and designing appropriate software solutions; designing and creating complex software systems to solve real-world problems; evaluating and using advanced software engineering environments; design methods and programming languages; and evaluating and responding to recent trends in interoperability and software development.

There are eight core modules which include:

- Advanced databases
- Programming in C++ or Programming in Java
- Requirements engineering
- Service-oriented architectures
- Software systems design
- Systems specification.

You will also complete an independent research project.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months (daytime)



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THE CITY LAW SCHOOL

The City Law School is one of London's major law schools. Offering an impressive range of academic and professional courses, we were the first law school in London to educate students and practitioners at all stages of legal education. With four levels of study – undergraduate, postgraduate, professional and continuing professional development –we offer a full range of courses for those interested in following a career in law.

90%

Percentage of The City Law School graduates who were in employment or further study six months after graduation

860

Number of postgraduate students studying in The City Law School (June 2012)

74

Number of full-time equivalent academic staff in The City Law School

At The City Law School we have engaging and challenging courses led by talented and dedicated staff. Our courses are among the best in the country, attracting high-calibre students, many of whom go on to achieve significant success in the legal field.

Our acclaimed Legal Practice Course and Bar Professional Training Course give students the skills they need to go straight into practice. For non-law graduates, our prestigious Graduate Diploma Law and Graduate Entry LLB allow students to transfer directly into the profession. We also have a range of LLM courses designed to develop students' knowledge and skills in specialist areas of law.

RESEARCH AT THE CITY LAW SCHOOL

The Research Assessment Exercise (RAE) has recognised the School as producing research of world-leading quality. Many of our staff are international experts in their respective fields and we conduct research in all major areas of law.

Within City University London we share our knowledge and expertise with the Centre for Information Leadership and Centre for Law Justice and Journalism. We aim to promote cutting-edge research with a view to advancing knowledge and bringing value to society.

At the School you can study for a PhD or an MPhil by research either full-time or part-time. For more information, please see page 178.

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BAR PROFESSIONAL TRAINING COURSE (BPTC)

Our well-established and world-renowned Bar Professional Training Course (BPTC) is designed to meet every demand of the modern Bar. The course provides you with case analysis, advisory and court-room skills that can be applied not only at the Bar but also in a wide range of professional and commercial careers.

To give you the best possible chance of entering the Bar we offer a specialised Pupillage Advisory Service to provide you with advice about your cv, chambers to apply to and mock interviews.

On successful completion of the BPTC you will receive the City University London Postgraduate Diploma in Professional Legal Skills, which is required for you to be called to the Bar and take your first steps into practice.

COURSE CONTENT

The BPTC consists of several core subjects and options developed to deliver the relevant legal skills and knowledge all newly-qualified barristers need along with the detailed knowledge required for your chosen specialist areas and subjects. You are taught at Masters level by accredited advocacy trainers with an emphasis on skills-based training and advocacy.

Core subjects:

- Case preparation and analysis
- Civil advocacy
- Civil litigation, civil evidence and remedies
- Conference skills
- Criminal advocacy
- Criminal litigation, sentencing and criminal evidence
- Drafting skills
- Legal research
- Opinion writing skills
- Professional ethics
- Alternative dispute resolution.

Option subjects:

- Advanced civil–professional negligence
- Advanced criminal litigation
- Commercial law
- Company law
- Domestic violence
- Employment law
- Family law
- Fraud and financial crime
- Free representation unit work
- Landlord and tenant.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You must have completed the academic stage of training, which consists of either a qualifying law degree or non-law degree followed by a law conversion course such as the Graduate Diploma in Law or the Graduate Entry LLB.

In both cases a lower second class honours degree is required.

One of the entry requirements for the BPTC is that students are fluent in English. Applicants need to be able to demonstrate that their oral and written English ability is equivalent to:

IELTS: A minimum score of 7.5 in each section of the test

TOEFL (internet based): A minimum score of 28 in each part of the test

Pearson Test of English: A minimum score of 73 in each part of the test.

Applications must be made online at www.barprofessionaltraining.org.uk.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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GRADUATE DIPLOMA (GDL)

First developed in 1976, our nationally-renowned Graduate Diploma in Law was one of the first of the Common Professional Examination (now known as the Graduate Diploma in Law) courses for non-law graduates wishing to start training for a career in law.

The GDL covers the seven core foundation subjects that are prerequisites for taking the professional exams. Our GDL course has an unrivalled reputation within the profession for the quality of its teaching, the ability of its students and the preparation it provides for students seeking pupillage or a training contract.

Successful completion of this course qualifies you to progress to one of the two professional courses all UK lawyers are required to take: the Legal Practice Course (LPC) for solicitors and the Bar Professional Training Course (BPTC) for barristers.

COURSE CONTENT

You will study the seven core foundation subjects that you would cover during a qualifying undergraduate law degree. The academic programme and examinations are of first degree level and will involve work that is normally studied by undergraduates over at least 18 months. You will be taught by The City Law School's own lecturers and by visiting lecturers from other prestigious universities, including Cambridge and Oxford.

The foundation subjects are:

- Constitutional and administrative law
- Contract law
- Crime
- Equity and trusts
- European Union
- Land law
- Tort law.

In addition to the foundation subjects, you will study another academic law subject unique to City – Introduction to Legal Ethics. This subject directs your attention towards the ethical challenges which lawyers may face in practice.

You have the option to upgrade your Graduate Diploma in Law to an LLB degree by taking further law modules.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A degree (in any subject) of a lower second class honours standard, conferred by a university in the UK or Republic of Ireland or by the Council for National Academic Awards; or an approved degree conferred by an overseas university and a good knowledge of the English language.

The rules governing admission to practice law vary from country to country. Before applying, students wishing to take the Graduate Diploma in Law as a step towards becoming a lawyer outside England and Wales are strongly advised to check with the appropriate body in the country in which they wish to qualify and practise that the degree is acceptable for this purpose.

Applications for the course must be made to the Central Applications Board. For more information, visit www.lawcabs.ac.uk.

For students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualification is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above

TOEFL (internet based): 107 or above.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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GRADUATE ENTRY

LLB (Hons)

The Graduate Entry (LLB) allows non-law graduates to achieve an LLB degree in just two years rather than the usual three. You will have the opportunity to gain skills and knowledge in the core legal subjects and learn about specialist areas of law. You have the additional option of participating in mooting competitions to strengthen further your legal and debating skills.

Successful completion of the course qualifies you to progress to one of the two professional courses all UK lawyers are required to take: the Legal Practice Course (LPC) for solicitors and the Bar Professional Training Course (BPTC) for barristers.

COURSE CONTENT

In Year One you will study four of the seven core foundation subjects that are usually covered in an undergraduate law degree. In Year Two you will study the remaining three core subjects and have the opportunity to enhance your knowledge of particular areas of law by choosing three elective subjects.

Year One:

- Contract law
- Criminal law
- English legal system
- Public law
- Tort law.

In Year Two you will take three options from a list of elective subjects, including:

- Banking law
- Canadian constitutional law
- Canadian corporate law
- City enterprise services
- Commercial and agency law
- Commercial property law
- Company law

- Competition law
- Criminal justice
- Employment law
- Evidence
- Family and child law
- Human rights law
- Immigration law
- Intellectual property law
- International commercial arbitration
- International criminal law
- International economic law
- Islamic law
- Justice, law and history
- Legal skills
- Maritime law
- Media law
- Public international law.

The range of elective subjects offered is subject to availability and demand.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You must have completed the academic stage of training, which consists of either a qualifying law degree or non-law degree followed by a law conversion course such as the Graduate Diploma in Law or the Graduate Entry LLB.

In both cases a lower second class honours degree is required.

For applicants whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above

TOEFL (internet based): 107 or above.

Applications must be made online at www.ucas.com.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years (evenings)



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LEGAL PRACTICE COURSE (LPC)

Our Legal Practice Course (LPC) has been designed to ensure that you are fully prepared to meet the demands of the modern legal profession. Taught in the heart of the legal profession at our campus in Gray's Inn, Holborn, our LPC helps you to master the vital skills and knowledge you need to be a successful solicitor. You can also take advantage of our bespoke training contract and careers advice as soon as you accept your place with us.

On successful completion of the course you are awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Legal Practice. As our LPC is taught at Masters level rather than at degree level, you will have the option to convert your final award into an LLM Professional in Legal Practice by writing a dissertation.

COURSE CONTENT

Written and developed in consultation with practitioners, our LPC comprises two stages. Stage One gives you the key skills and knowledge you need to go on to be a trainee solicitor, while Stage Two allows you to enhance your knowledge in specialist areas of law.

As part of Stage Two, you choose three electives.

You choose from the following electives:

Commercial Cluster:

- Advanced civil litigation
- Commercial dispute resolution
- Commercial law and practice
- Equity finance
- Mergers, acquisitions and takeovers.

Litigation Cluster:

- Advanced civil litigation
- Commercial dispute resolution
- Employment law and practice
- Family law and practice.

Hybrid Cluster:

- Advanced civil litigation
- Commercial law and practice
- Employment law and practice
- Private client.

The range of elective subjects offered is subject to availability and demand.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Students must have completed the academic stage of training, which consists either of a qualifying law degree or a non-law degree followed by a law conversion course such as the Graduate Diploma in Law or Graduate Entry LLB.

In both cases a lower second class honours degree is required.

Applications must be made through the Central Applications Board at www.lawcabs.ac.uk.

CIVIL LITIGATION AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION

LLM

The LLM in Civil Litigation and Dispute Resolution takes all aspects of managing legal disputes well beyond the Bar Professional Training Course and the Legal Practice Course. Provided in one of the major litigation centres in the world, it offers an insight into a full range of methods of managing disputes, including arbitration and mediation.

Assuming basic knowledge of procedure and evidence, it focuses on areas such as strategic use of the rules of court and practical matters such as funding. It also offers small-group coaching in developing skills such as advocacy. In applying for the LLM in Civil Litigation and Dispute Resolution you are applying for a course that will cover the world of litigation and dispute management to help you to build an effective career.

COURSE CONTENT

You will learn how to use the rules of civil litigation and dispute resolution effectively to serve clients and achieve the best outcome for a case. This includes practical matters such as costs, risk assessment and making best use of procedural options.

You will take four compulsory modules:

- Arbitration
- Civil litigation: process and tactics
- Civil dispute resolution options: strategy risk and costs
- Mediation and negotiation.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Candidates should have strong academic potential and good English. The entrance requirement is normally an upper second class honours degree in law. However, an appropriate professional qualification and/or relevant work experience will be given credit or will be an advantage.

IELTS: 7 with a minimum of 6 in each area (we do not accept TOEFL).

For more information and to apply, please visit www.city.ac.uk/law.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years



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CRIMINAL LITIGATION

LLM

The first postgraduate degree course in the UK to be devoted exclusively to Criminal Litigation, this course allows you to examine important areas of criminal litigation in greater depth than is usually possible at undergraduate level or on a vocational training course. The course concentrates on the principles of the criminal justice system and the need to place those principles in a critical and comparative context.

The course appeals to practitioners in the field of criminal justice, particularly solicitors, barristers, CPS employees and police officers. Past students have included lawyers on a career break and those seeking judicial appointment wishing to broaden their knowledge and raise their practical awareness. Many of our students have also taken this LLM as an in-depth transition from their LLB or BA courses prior to studying for the Bar Professional Training Course or Legal Practice Course.

COURSE CONTENT

You will be taught by a team with considerable experience of professional education for lawyers and many years in practice. This unique mix of practice and education experience is fully utilised on the LLM course.

You will study the following modules:

- Advocacy
- Criminal procedure
- Criminal evidence
- Sentencing.

You will also choose from a range of elective modules:

- International criminal law: procedure and evidence
- The Court of Appeal: practice and procedure
- Psychology and evidence
- Vulnerable witnesses.

The range of elective subjects offered is subject to availability and demand.

When you graduate you will have a substantial understanding of the fundamentals of criminal litigation and enhanced analytical abilities.

Our graduates have reported that the course helped them to advance through gaining a promotion, changing careers or through professional progression.

The SRA (Solicitors Regulation Authority) has approved this course for Continuing Professional Development (CPD) for solicitors. Further details about CPD accreditation may be obtained from the SRA, visit www.sra.org.uk

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Candidates should have a very strong academic potential and good English. The entrance requirement is normally an upper second class honours degree in law or an appropriate professional qualification and experience. Full credit will be given for professional experience (for example, substantial experience as a police officer).

For those students whose first language is not English, the following qualification is required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above

TOEFL (internet based): 107 or above FL

For more information and to apply, please visit www.city.ac.uk/law.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two, three or four years



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INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL LAW LLM

EU COMMERCIAL LAW LLM, INTERNATIONAL BANKING LAW LLM, INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION LAW LLM, INTERNATIONAL ENERGY LITIGATION LLM, MARITIME LAW (UK) LLM

The LLM in International Commercial Law is a flexible Masters programme that enables you to develop a full understanding of international commercial law through scholarship, extensive practitioner contact and real-world insights.

It is provided at our Gray's Inn campus in the heart of the legal community by high profile professionals from around the world.

The LLM in International Commercial Law, subject LLMs and specialisms provide you with a sound basis for developing a career in international commercial legal practice with a national or international legal firm, in-house or with a national or international regulator.

COURSE CONTENT

The City LLM offers three major programme options:

1) Obtain the LLM in International Commercial Law by choosing four modules from a range of approximately thirty and completing a dissertation in any one of those four areas.

2) Add a specialism to the LLM in International Commercial Law by taking two modules and a dissertation in a single specialist area of law, plus another two modules from the wide range available. You can be awarded a specialism in the following areas:

- EU Commercial Law
- International Banking Law
- International Competition Law
- International Dispute Resolution Law
- International Energy Litigation
- IT & Media Law
- Maritime Law.

3) Gain a subject-specific LLM by taking four modules and a dissertation in a single area of law such as:

- International Banking Law
- EU Commercial Law
- International Competition Law
- International Energy Litigation
- Maritime Law.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Candidates should have strong academic potential and good English. Applicants should normally hold an upper second class honours degree in law or an equivalent qualification (for some courses an appropriate professional qualification and relevant experience will be acceptable).

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above

TOEFL (internet based): 107 or above

For more information and to apply, please visit www.city.ac.uk/law.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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MARITIME LAW (GREECE)

LLM

Our LLM in Maritime Law is an academically-demanding and satisfying course for anyone working in shipping law. The course is designed to give you a detailed understanding of maritime law building upon your existing knowledge and enhancing your career prospects.

Delivered in the exceptional Laskaridou Library of Piraeus, Athens, the course is delivered in English in weekend blocks by experienced British academics and legal practitioners. It gives you the unique opportunity to study in Greece the same maritime modules as students studying the course in London. You will graduate alongside our UK LLM students in the historic Guildhall in the City of London.

COURSE CONTENT

You will study key areas of Maritime Law, and issues relating to shipping.

Modules include:

- Admiralty law
- Carriage of goods by sea
- International trade law
- Marine insurance.

The course is delivered in English by experienced British academics, legal practitioners and occasionally specialist lecturers of other nationalities. Each module is provided in three eight-hour weekend blocks usually over a Friday and Saturday afternoon, allowing you to fit your study around your professional and personal commitments.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should normally hold an upper second class honours degree in law or an equivalent qualification. We will consider applications from students who have significant experience of work in the shipping professions in roles such as ship's officers, ship brokers and claims handlers.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above

TOEFL (internet based): 107 or above

For more information and to apply, please visit www.city.ac.uk/law.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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PROFESSIONAL LEGAL PRACTICE LLM

If you study the Legal Practice Course (LPC) at The City Law School you can convert your LPC into an LLM in Professional Legal Practice. Our LPC is delivered at Master's level rather than degree level, so you can gain an LLM by completing a dissertation after your LPC. This LLM satisfies all the requirements of a traditional LLM with a primary focus on practice.

COURSE CONTENT

You will be asked to make a written proposal for your dissertation. This is an opportunity for you to undertake research in an area of your choice related to legal practice, procedure or legal skills and is required to demonstrate originality. The choice is wide but could include:

- A critical consideration of an aspect of practice in a specialist area, such as the use of alternative dispute resolution options in commercial cases
- An analysis of how a particular skill is developed and applied in legal practice, such as techniques in questioning a client or a witness
- A topic linked to your work experience or *pro bono* work.

To complete your dissertation you will work independently with supervision by a member of staff.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applications for this course may be made by students who have registered to take the full LPC with The City Law School within the last five years. It is not possible to apply for the LLM conversion before registering for the LPC, but we provide places for all students who make dissertation proposals of sufficient quality.

There are two application rounds each year, one shortly after the start of the LPC and one near the end of the LPC.



DURATION OF COURSE

Part-time: up to eighteen months



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PROFESSIONAL LEGAL SKILLS

LLM

If you study the Bar Professional Training Course (BPTC) at The City Law School you can convert your BPTC into an LLM in Professional Legal Skills. Our BPTC is delivered at Master's level rather than degree level, so you can gain an LLM by simply completing a dissertation after your BPTC. This LLM satisfies all the requirements of a traditional LLM, with a unique primary focus on practice. The LLM gives you the chance to focus on a chosen area of professional legal practice of your choice, while strengthening your knowledge and understanding of legal professional practice.

COURSE CONTENT

You will be asked to make a written proposal for the dissertation. It needs to be based in an area of legal practice, procedure, or skill. For example:

- An in-depth examination of a particular area of procedure, such as financing litigation or using interim applications strategically
- A critical consideration of an aspect of practice in a specialist area, such as the use of alternative dispute resolution options in commercial cases
- An analysis of how a particular skill is developed and applied in legal practice, such as techniques in questioning a client or a witness
- A topic linked to your work experience or *pro bono* work.

To complete your dissertation you will work independently with supervision by a member of staff.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applications for this course may be made by students who have registered to take the BPTC with The City Law School within the last five years. It is not possible to apply for the LLM conversion before registering for the BPTC, but we provide places for all students who make dissertation proposals of a sufficient quality.

There are two application rounds each year, one shortly after the start of the BPTC, and one near the end of the BPTC.



DURATION OF COURSE

Part-time: one year



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PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW

LLM

This LLM programme concentrates on the development of a thorough and critical understanding of Public International Law. The course aims to enhance your ability to analyse, interpret and criticise the laws, rules, policies and practices that underpin public international law.

The LLM in Public International Law provides a good academic grounding in this increasingly important area of legal practice. On completing the LLM you will be well-placed to obtain employment with governmental and non-governmental agencies, commercial law firms and in house legal departments of multinational corporations concerned about international corporate responsibility.

COURSE CONTENT

You choose from two major programme options. You can take the LLM in Public International Law, choosing four from approximately fifteen different module subjects. You can then complete a dissertation in any one of the four modules.

Alternatively, you can choose to add a specialism to your LLM in Public International Law by taking two modules and a dissertation in a chosen specialist area of law. We offer specialisms in:

- International human rights
- International dispute resolution
- International law and the global economy
- International criminal law and justice
- International law and armed conflicts.

The academics delivering the course are specialists in their respective fields and at the forefront of recent developments in the interplay between domestic and international systems. In addition to lectures and seminars, you will have the opportunity to take part in mooting and practitioner workshops and you will be introduced to practising lawyers.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Candidates should have a strong academic profile and good English. The entrance requirement is normally an upper second class honours degree in law, social science, humanities or related field or an equivalent professional qualification and experience. Full credit will be given for professional experience.

Students do not need to have studied Public International Law. If they have not they will be required to take the general PIL module.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above

TOEFL (internet based): 107 or above.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL LAW

MJur

The MJur in International Commercial Law is a high-level two year Masters programme which enables you to develop a full understanding of international commercial law through in-depth scholarship, extensive practitioner contact and real world insights. You can study three different programme options: the MJur in International Commercial Law, MJur in International Commercial Law with an added specialism or a subject-specific MJur in a particular area of law.

It is provided at our Gray's Inn campus in the heart of the legal community by high-profile professionals from around the world.

COURSE CONTENT

The City MJur offers three major programme options.

1) Obtain the MJur in International Commercial Law by choosing seven modules from a range of approximately thirty and completing a dissertation in any one of these areas.

2) Add a specialism to the MJur in International Commercial Law by taking two modules and a dissertation in a single specialist area, plus another two modules from the wide range available. You can be awarded a specialism in the following areas:

- EU Commercial Law
- International Banking Law
- International Competition Law
- International Dispute Resolution Law
- International Energy Litigation
- IT & Media Law
- Maritime Law.

3) Gain a subject specific MJur by taking four modules and a dissertation in a single area of law such as:

- International banking law
- EU commercial law
- International competition law
- International energy litigation
- Maritime law.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Candidates should have a strong academic potential and good English. Applicants should normally hold an upper second class honours degree in law or an equivalent qualification (for some courses an appropriate professional qualification and relevant experience will be acceptable).

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 7.0 or above

TOEFL (internet based): 107 or above

RESEARCH

MPhil/PhD

A PhD or MPhil by Research can make you stand out as a thought leader in your area of expertise and help you to become a recognised expert in academia or as a practising lawyer. At The City Law School we offer research opportunities in a wide range of areas in a supportive and vibrant environment created for learning and understanding law. Supervision is available in a broad range of legal subjects by staff engaged in the leading edge of modern legal research.

COURSE CONTENT

Supervision is available in a broad range of legal subjects. We specialise in the following research clusters:

- Company law /commercial law/ contract law/competition law
- Criminal law/criminal justice
- European law
- Legal professions/ professional practice
- Maritime law and transport
- Media law
- Public law/human rights/ civil liberties
- Public international law.

When you join the School you will be assigned two supervisors. One will take primary responsibility for your supervision. Your supervisor is responsible for assisting you with refining your research ideas, suggesting reading and making comments on the drafts of your thesis.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should normally have a minimum of a good honours degree in an appropriate subject, or equivalent qualification. An appropriate Master's level qualification is desirable. You are expected to demonstrate the aptitude and motivation to undertake a course of independent research.

Please contact the School before making an application to find out if you meet our entry requirements and to check that we are able to support your proposed research.

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DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: four years

Part-time: eight years



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INTERDISCIPLINARY CENTRES

The Interdisciplinary Centres at City University London work across business and industry to offer research, partnership, education, professional development and enterprise. With the participation of several of the Schools, the Centre for Information Leadership, the Centre for Creativity in Professional Practice and the City Collaborative Transport Hub now offer unique Masters degrees.

Interdisciplinary research and education have been major strengths at City for many years. In research, interdisciplinary collaborations, both within and across our Schools, bring together different perspectives and approaches to a problem, allowing more innovative and creative solutions to be found. An interdisciplinary approach to education can similarly serve to enhance aspects of a programme where this serves the programme aims, for example by bringing together practitioners from different backgrounds or professions to work in partnership to enhance services to the public, product development or other forms of enterprise.

The Master of Information Leadership (MIL), led by the Centre for Information Leadership in collaboration with several of City's Schools, is focused on the development of future chief information officers, responsible for IT in industry and government and in the library and information services professions.

The Masters in Innovation, Creativity and Leadership (MICL), run by the Centre for Creativity in Professional Practice, is truly interdisciplinary, attracting students from a wide range of professions and equipping them with the expertise to manage creativity and innovation in their fields.

Students on the MSc in Transport Systems and Strategy benefit from the expertise of academics in the City Collaborative Transport Hub. Professionals working in transport policy and systems implementation will benefit from its focus on technology, sustainability and management.





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MASTER OF INFORMATION LEADERSHIP

MIL

This new post-experience executive interdisciplinary Masters course, the first of its kind, focuses on the development of future Chief Information Officers (CIOs), with responsibility for the IT function in industry and government and their equivalents in the library and information services professions.

The course is led by the Centre for Information Leadership (CIL) in conjunction with several Schools. Through education, case studies and experiential learning delivered by academics and practitioners, you will be exposed to theories and practices relating to various aspects of the role of information leaders, now and in the future.

The MIL is delivered part-time over ten weekends each year in central London, allowing you to manage your work commitments. During each weekend you will access expertise from City academics, outside experts and practitioners. You will be supported between the study weekends by online tutorials, discussion boards and a dedicated course director.

The course is designed to enable participants to organise their experience in a coherent framework and equip them to undertake roles including CIO, CTO, Business Change Director, Knowledge Director and Chief Librarian.

COURSE CONTENT

Modules include:

- Information law and compliance (The City Law School)
- Information security and risk (School of Informatics)
- Information, transformation and change (Cass Business School)
- Portfolio, programme and project delivery (School of Informatics)
- Service management and delivery (School of Informatics)
- Strategy and governance (Cass Business School)
- The information leader in organisations (School of Informatics)
- The information leader in society (School of Arts & Social Sciences).

These eight modules are supplemented by a professional and leadership development module which addresses the need for information leaders to exhibit wider high-level skills in negotiation, influencing and leadership.

Assessment is through marked assignments covering each of the modules, culminating in a project which demonstrates the student's understanding of the theory applied to a 'real-world' issue.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants will normally have an upper second class honours degree or international equivalent. In addition you will have at least three years experience in a business-facing information role (equivalent to SFIA 5/CITP), e.g. Senior Information Manager, Senior IT Consultant.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL (internet based): 100.



DURATION OF COURSE

Part-time: two years from October or April



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INNOVATION, CREATIVITY AND LEADERSHIP

MSc/MA/MInnov

This course offers a unique opportunity to study innovation, creativity and leadership from a rounded, interdisciplinary perspective and from leaders in each of the disciplines.

The MICL has been designed for individuals who wish to develop the skills to turn ideas into action. Whether you work for a big company or for yourself, whether you're an engineer, artist, IT specialist or a designer, it really doesn't matter. What matters is that you are interested in the possibilities that enabling a creative climate can bring you or your company; and that you're interested in learning how to manage innovation. The MICL provides you with:

- Knowledge and skills to harness the creativity of your colleagues and stakeholders within and outside your organisation to deliver breakthrough solutions
- Tools you need to manage innovation projects and programmes and to fast-track your own career
- A wide range of creativity and innovation processes and techniques.

The MICL is a highly practical course, designed to have immediate impact on students' capabilities and bring lifelong rewards. Graduates will complete the course having built a diverse network of like-minded individuals, who will be a rich source of ideas and mutual support.

COURSE CONTENT

This course consists of eight core modules and a dissertation project. The modules are:

- Creative problem solving and leadership (Cass Business School)
- Creative writing (School of Arts & Social Sciences)
- Creativity and the creative industries (School of Arts & Social Sciences)
- Delivering innovation – turning ideas into action (Cass Business School)
- Leading creative design (School of Informatics)
- Technologies for creativity and innovation (School of Informatics)

- The law, creativity and innovation (The City Law School)
- The psychology of creativity and innovation (School of Arts & Social Sciences).

Students who successfully complete eight taught modules and a final dissertation will be awarded either a Master of Science (MSc) degree, a Master of Arts (MA) degree or a Master of Innovation (MInnov) degree.

Students who successfully complete eight taught modules but later decide not to submit a dissertation will be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma (PG Dip). Students are not able to apply to study for a PG Dip.



DURATION OF COURSE

Part-time: two years



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should have a minimum three years work experience and a second class Honours degree (or equivalent non-UK qualification). Prospective students who do not have a degree may be eligible based on their work experience.

For those students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 7.0

TOEFL (internet based): 107.

TRANSPORT SYSTEMS AND STRATEGY

MSc

This MSc is for those who aspire to manage complex work in transport. It offers both a comprehensive global context and specialised knowledge. You can enhance your career prospects by integrating a range of academic and professional competencies from different domains across the many disciplines in freight and passenger transport.

The course is focused on integrating technology, sustainability and management approaches and reflects the multi-disciplinary challenges you can expect to meet as a graduate in the workplace. It offers you insights into the roles of managers and commissioners of transport systems changes and builds an understanding of how transport programmes are developed and implemented in partnerships, often founded on strong supply chain relationships. It also aims to build analytical understanding of the policy drivers which influence global transport challenges.

The course prepares graduates for a wide range of career progression involving transport policy and systems implementation. It is particularly suited to those intending to work in transport consultancies and transport service or infrastructure management, in the UK or internationally.

COURSE CONTENT

The course is organised into modules comprising three consecutive days, combining lectures, case studies and group work. The modular structure is designed to allow both full and part-time students to follow the course. Intensive periods of attendance are supported by distance and where possible work-based learning.

Modules include:

- Management and leadership
- Principles of transport systems
- Resilience and security
- Systems and optimisation
- Transport and law
- Transport asset management
- Transport energy and emissions
- Transport strategy and policy.

Assessment is through a mix of coursework of two types (either evaluating core knowledge in the topic or demonstrating application of the module topic to a realistic situation) and / or written examinations. MSc students also submit a written dissertation and complete a related oral examination.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should normally hold a second class honours degree in a subject with some mathematical content and have relevant transport experience. Applicants with academic backgrounds and transport-related work experience in management, law, economics and finance are also encouraged to apply. Consideration will be given to candidates who can demonstrate, by relevant work experience and professional qualifications in the transport field, the ability to undertake the course

For students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5

TOEFL (internet based): 90.



DURATION OF COURSE

Full-time: one year

Part-time: Normally two years. This route should ideally include employer participation.



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LEARNING DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

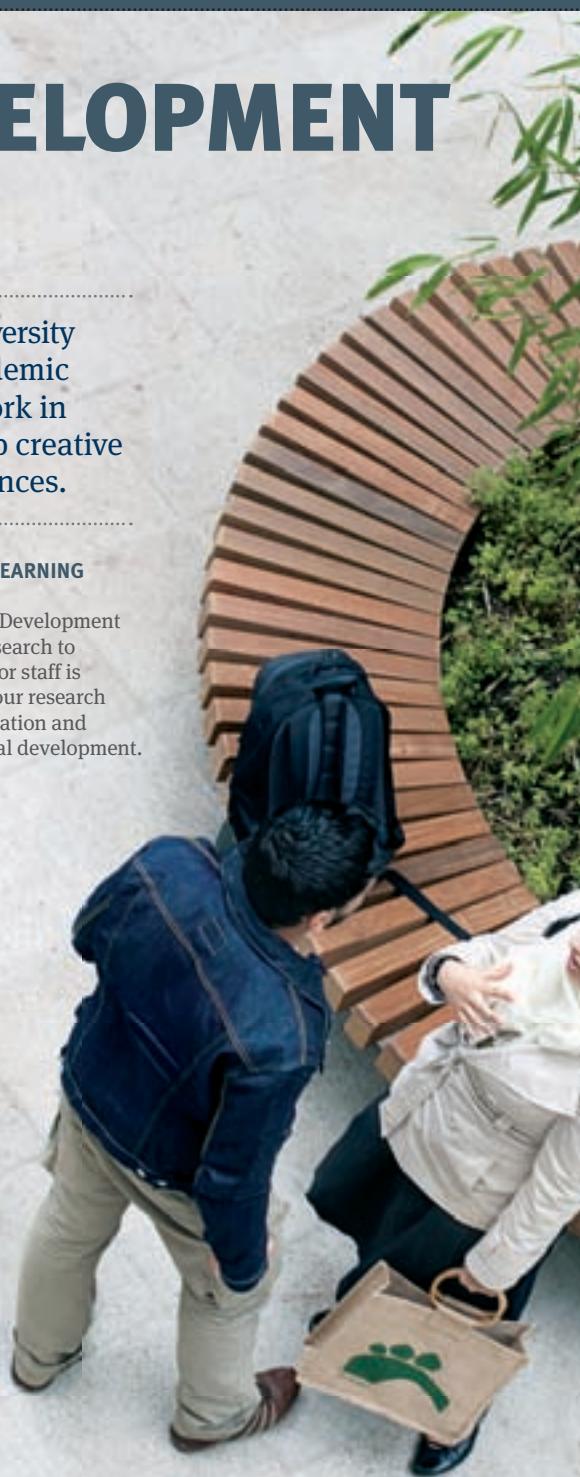
The Learning Development Centre at City University London develops, supports and influences academic excellence and the student experience. We work in partnership with staff and students to develop creative and innovative learning and teaching experiences.

We provide knowledge of educational research and practice that is current and sector leading and use this to influence policy development and evaluation. We also have a role in leading educational change within the institution. We recognise and celebrate the ways that staff innovation can enhance the student experience and our work is disseminated both within and beyond the University.

The activities we undertake encompass academic practice, educational development and technology-enhanced learning.

RESEARCH WITHIN THE LEARNING DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

The staff of the Learning Development Centre are engaged in research to ensure that our support for staff is up-to-date. The focus of our research is pedagogy, higher education and contemporary educational development.





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ACADEMIC PRACTICE

MA

This course provides an opportunity to develop your use of diverse and innovative approaches to facilitating learning which will lead to increased confidence in your role as a lecturer or facilitator of learning and enhance your students' experience. One of the strengths of this course is the opportunity to share your experience with those from other disciplines, identifying the common challenges and opportunities and those which are discipline-specific.

The postgraduate certificate part of the course has Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) approval for teacher status and the Higher Education Academy has accredited different parts of the course for the UK professional standards for teaching in higher education.

COURSE CONTENT

The course draws on a range of educational theories and practice which are examined through case studies, shared experience and research. In the postgraduate certificate part of the course there are both core modules and elective modules.

Assessment is through presentations, online activity, coursework and a dissertation.

The course is delivered through a core and optional modules and a dissertation. The modules are:

- Learning, teaching and assessment
- Student support and personal tutoring
- Curriculum development and evaluation
- Professional and personal development planning
- Technology enabled academic practice
- Academic leadership
- Information and communication technology in higher education
- Mentoring
- Research methods
- Research supervision
- Dissertation module.

KEY DETAILS

The course is part-time and normally takes three years to complete the modules and dissertation to achieve the MA Academic Practice. You can choose not to submit the dissertation and gain either the postgraduate certificate or diploma, both of which are offered as academic practice routes with technology-enabled routes.

The course is open to staff of the University and external colleagues. To apply you should have a role that requires you to educate and facilitate student learning. You should normally have a second class honours degree (or equivalent non-UK qualification).

For students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is also required:

IELTS: 6.5

TOEFL (internet based): 100.



DURATION OF COURSE

Part-time: three years



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PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

MPhil/PhD

This course provides an opportunity for you to explore an aspect of professional education in detail and contribute to the knowledge and practice for this area.

There are three options for your doctorate studies which are the traditional or structured route or synthesis of prior publications.

We have a range of topics we can support which includes curriculum studies, learning and teaching approaches, staff development and academic leadership.

You will need to be working in area of professional education and undertaking this course will lead to you becoming an expert. The dissemination of your research and expertise will enhance your profile when seeking promotion.

COURSE CONTENT

The focus of the traditional route is generally on academic inquiry and scholarship, which requires a significant and original contribution to knowledge. It requires an extensive study in the area by undertaking empirical research to contribute original knowledge and theory.

The structured route is similar to the requirements of the traditional PhD but is usually located within a professional discipline and practice. There is a requirement to undertake an extensive study but this structure is defined at the outset so that you can take account of changing practice and needs at each stage.

The prior publication route is offered for those who have undertaken substantial work in an area (often combining research and scholarly activity but over a period of time) and have published this work, demonstrating an original contribution of knowledge.

KEY DETAILS

The traditional and structured routes may be undertaken as full-time study over a minimum of two years or part-time over a minimum of three years. For the prior publication route the minimum time is one year.

The course is open to staff of the University and external colleagues. You should normally have a second class honours degree (or equivalent non-UK qualification) in an appropriate subject and/or an MA or MSc or equivalent qualification.

You should be able to demonstrate proficient use of oral and written English and the aptitude and motivation to undertake a course of independent doctoral research.

For students whose first language is not English, one of the following qualifications is required:

IELTS: 6.5

TOEFL (internet based): 100.

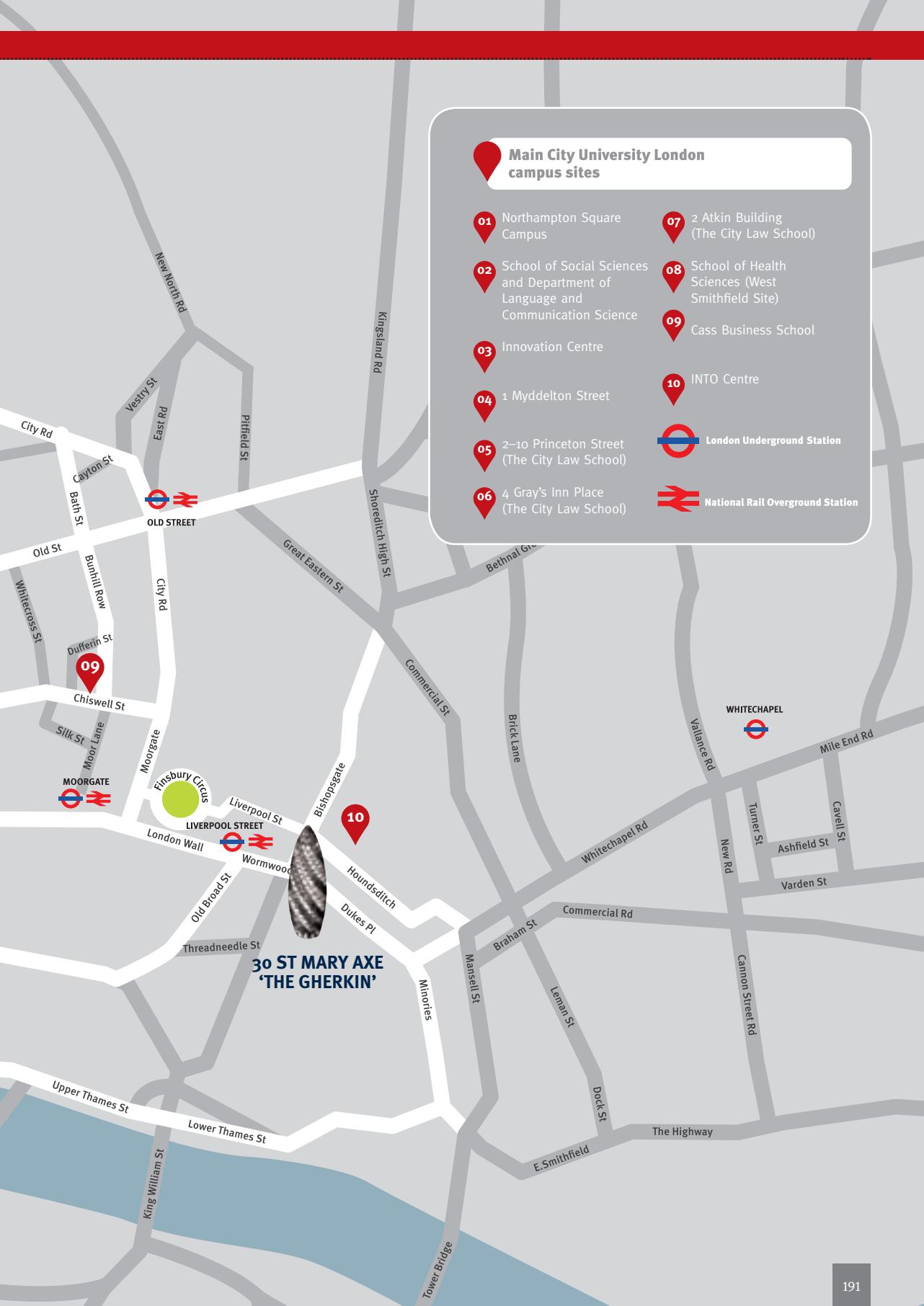


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 - 02 School of Social Sciences and Department of Language and Communication Science
 - 03 Innovation Centre
 - 04 1 Myddleton Street
 - 05 2–10 Princeton Street (The City Law School)
 - 06 4 Gray's Inn Place (The City Law School)
 - 07 2 Atkin Building (The City Law School)
 - 08 School of Health Sciences (West Smithfield Site)
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