MSc Software Engineering online chat session

This online chat session is for students interested in studying our MSc Software Engineering course. The session will be run by academic staff, giving you the opportunity to ask questions about your chosen course at City, University of London. As this is a typed chat group session, you will be able to see the answers to questions asked by other applicants.

Thank you for joining us for today’s CityChat session. This session is for students interested in studying our MSc Software Engineering course. This session runs from 16:30 - 17:30 (GMT). This is an open chat session for you to ask any questions you have regarding these courses and life at City, University of London. During the session, we may also share videos, polls or documents related to your course.

To ask a question, please type it in the chat box. Your question will not post straight away - it will be sent to our Moderators who will type an answer back. Once their answer is complete, it will be published with your question. Please make sure you say which course you have applied to when you post your question. You are also welcome to post just saying Hi and introducing yourself!

Your moderators today are Dr Christos KIoukinas (Programme Director) and Aathavan Selvarajah (Recruitment Team).

Hello everyone, I'm Christos - the Course Director of the MSc in Software Engineering - here to answer any questions you may have.

The course has 4 core modules and 4 elective ones (that can be chosen from a list of 8).

Once the taught modules have been completed you then proceed to do your individual project, which can be done through a 6 month paid internship.

Hello sir my name is [redacted], can you tell me requirements of Software Engineering?

Hi [redacted], the course is designed for people with a BSc in Computer Science (or related) or those who have a 5+ professional experience as a software developer.

I have done my bse in software engineering program and have 2.1 gpa out 4. Can you tell me how I can take admission on this program, I have no professional experience.

Hi, that looks promising. We would have to consider the whole application to be able to give you a definite answer, as we look at everything - degree (and mark) equivalence with UK degrees, marks in specific modules, the personal statement, etc.

Will we have assessments at the end of every module?

Modules usually have both a coursework component and an exam at the end of the term. There are some modules that are coursework only (e.g., Research Methods).
Thank you, I’m planing on doing the part time course! Is it evenings only and how many days a week?

Hi, all our courses are daytime delivery. Part time students simply take two modules per term instead of four - they take them with the full time students.

The timetable is done centrally at the university, so we have little control over it - it might be one full day or two half days per term.

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Hi, all these details are on the course's web page here:
https://www.city.ac.uk/study/courses/postgraduate/software-engineering

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Ok Thank you.

You’re welcome! Glad to answer any other questions you may have.

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You can find there information on Fees, Funding, Scholarships, and Accommodation (university or private). There is also another page for international students at the bottom (a bit hard to spot):
https://www.city.ac.uk/study/international

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HI applicants should hold at least a lower second class honours degree, or the equivalent from an international institution or an equivalent professional qualification.

Previous academic and commercial experience is also considered. Applicants should have significant previous exposure to computing, especially programming (preferably in Java or C#) and relational databases.

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An MSc is a higher degree than a BSc, which is usually the degree that people study after leaving school. We also accept people who do not have a BSc but they need to demonstrate substantial professional experience as a software developer [5+ years].

Thank you for attending everyone, hope you’ve found it helpful!

This session has now ended. Thank you for joining us for today’s chat. If you have any questions, please email pgenquiries@city.ac.uk