A Top 10 University
By any objective measure, Lancaster University is among the best in the country – not only in the Top 10 of all three major league tables, but also ranked highly for student satisfaction, employment and research.

With nearly 290 undergraduate degree programmes, we offer a wide range of possibilities for your studies. Join us at our spectacular modern campus just south of the vibrant city of Lancaster, and you’ll find an open, outward-looking environment, where you can chart your own path, forge a successful future and enjoy an exceptional university experience.

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
World-leading research

Our teams work to find the answers to global questions affecting us all. Renowned experts at the forefront of their fields are shaping our understanding of the world. Their work feeds into our degree programmes, ensuring that your education – whatever your path or preferred subject – is built on cutting-edge thinking.

Every day, we discover, explore and understand more. Here are some of our unique research projects.

Science and Technology

We are developing a tool to qualify and quantify the impact of solar parks across the UK.

Our physicists made a model universe in a test tube.

We are developing new materials to dramatically increase the security of telecommunications.

We have shown how data mining techniques can be used to identify when twitter users are radicalised.

Arts and Social Sciences

Our linguists discovered that speaking two languages changes the way we see the world.

Our researchers are helping shape the way forward for anti-trafficking initiatives at EU level.

We are leading research into patterns of energy demands and how they change.

Health and Medicine

We are working to unlock patient data to improve health care systems and, ultimately, save lives.

Our research is helping to understand the metabolic behaviour of abnormal cells, like cancer.

Our research is helping to develop new drugs to combat schizophrenia, depression and bipolar disorder.

Management

Our researchers have explored the impact of performance-enhancing drugs in the workplace.

Our leading research helps family firms innovate, grow and succeed across generations.

Our experts are using mathematical modelling to reduce airport congestion.

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Equipped for achievement

Few universities can boast a campus like ours – a 560-acre site which is self-contained yet well connected, and surrounded by nature but buzzing with an urban vibe. Since 2003, over £500 million has been invested in the campus buildings, facilities and infrastructure. It shows.

Across the campus, we offer exceptional facilities, from the lab and lecture theatres in our faculties, to the award-winning accommodation and social areas in our colleges.

Our £20 million sports centre offers a swimming pool, and a range of courts, pitches and 3G surfaces, while our newly refurbished library offers a wide range of workspaces. It’s all underpinned by technology, from an extensive Wi-Fi network and handy iLancaster app, to cutting-edge equipment in our science labs.

Over the next four years, we’re planning another £200 million of investments across our facilities, pushing Lancaster University to the forefront of higher education – and confirming our place in the UK’s top ten.

Global influence

Our campus may be self-contained, but our community stretches far beyond Lancaster, with an influence and impact which is felt right across the globe.

We have more than 150 academic partners across 24 countries around the world. Strong links with universities and institutions in the USA, Asia and Europe ensure that we work at the forefront of international, collaborative research projects, working on major global issues. It also means that we can help our students explore the world in a wide range of different study placements, cultural exchanges and volunteering programmes.

Today, we have students working toward Lancaster University degrees on three different continents, with many destined to join our campus to complete their studies. We welcome thousands of students to Lancaster from more than a hundred countries – including China, Ghana, India, Nigeria and Malaysia – giving our community a broad cultural base and vibrant make-up.

With so many links stretching around the world, it’s little surprise that we aren’t only ranked among the top 10 in the UK but – according to Times Higher Education – are also among the world’s top 100 most international universities.

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Our collegiate advantage

We’re one of a handful of universities that have a college structure (the others include Oxford, Cambridge and York). It doesn’t just make us different; we think it makes us better.

As well as the physical places where you live and socialise, your college provides a community within the university, a supportive environment and a ready-made social network from day one.

Being part of one of our colleges means that although you’re studying at a large university along with thousands of others, you’re also part of a small, friendly community where it’s easy to meet new friends. You’ll spend time there, whether at special events, in the leisure facilities or in the college bar. You’ll have the chance to represent your college, whether in the sporting arena, on a quiz team, or as part of the student-run common room committee. And, if you ever need help, you can turn to your college for welfare support or the guidance of an experienced advisor.

After your exam results we’ll confirm your place with us and ask you to choose your college (along with your accommodation, if you’re staying on campus). From the first day, when your fellow college members are on hand to show you around your accommodation, to the day you graduate with your fellow members, your college is an integral part of the Lancaster University experience.

“The collegiate system was one of the main reasons I came to Lancaster. The benefits hit home from the moment you arrive and the Freshers’ Rep takes you to your room to help you to settle in. This emphasis on welfare runs through the fabric of the University and is aided by the colleges: no-one slips through the net.”

Sophie Thickitt
Fylde College
BSc Hons Geography

After coming to Lancaster and joining Fylde college, Sophie was elected as Education and Welfare Officer.
Better than the Russell Group?

Lancaster performs more strongly than most Russell Group universities on most objective measures of performance.

Lancaster is ranked higher in the UK university league tables than 71% of Russell Group universities

Lancaster’s average UK league table position is higher than Birmingham, Bristol, Cardiff, Edinburgh, Exeter, Glasgow, King’s College London, Leeds, Liverpool, Manchester, Newcastle, Nottingham, Queen Mary University London, Queen’s University Belfast, Sheffield, Southampton and York.

The average position is drawn from The Times/Sunday Times, Complete and Guardian league tables.

Student satisfaction is higher at Lancaster than at 88% of Russell Group Universities

Our student satisfaction - as measured by the Complete University Guide - is superior to Birmingham, Bristol, Cardiff, Durham, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Imperial College London, King’s College London, Leeds, Liverpool, LSE, Manchester, Newcastle, Nottingham, Queen Mary University of London, Queen’s University Belfast, Sheffield, Southampton, University College London, Warwick and York.

You are more likely to get a graduate-level job or gain access to further study with a Lancaster degree than with a degree from 71% of Russell Group universities

Our graduate employment/further study rate - as measured by the Complete University Guide - is higher than Bristol, Cardiff, Edinburgh, Exeter, Glasgow, Leeds, Liverpool, LSE, Manchester, Newcastle, Nottingham, Queen Mary University of London, Queen’s University Belfast, Sheffield, Southampton, University College London, Warwick and York.

Guardian University Guide: Lancaster 8, Warwick 9, Exeter 11, Leeds 16, York 19, Manchester 31, Newcastle 37, Liverpool 59

Complete University Guide: Lancaster 9, Warwick 8, Exeter 13, Leeds 16, York 20, Manchester = 25, Newcastle = 25, Liverpool 38


This information was correct at the time of going to press. Please feel free to check our website for the most up to date position.

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk

Our conclusions are drawn from UK university league tables which use official statistics from bodies such as the National Student Survey, the Higher Education Statistics Agency and the Higher Education Funding Council for England. These figures are correct at the time of going to press, but please feel free to check our website if you want the latest position: www.lancaster.ac.uk
Throughout the three or four years you’ll spend at Lancaster University, we are here to offer students more than an experience – we’re here to help you find a clear path to the future you want. We’re good at it too, with more than 97% of our students going into a job or further study within six months.

Our Careers Service works closely with both academic colleagues and with major graduate employers and global businesses to ensure that you can develop key skills, gain work experience and meet with mentors and alumni. We have strong business connections and work with you to offer you industrial placements, internships and work experience opportunities appropriate to your career goal. We will share with you our connections to some of the top global graduate recruiters, high growth businesses and employers across every sector, to help you take your first vital steps into the world of work.

The services we offer include:

+ Annual Careers Fairs attracting 100+ employers
+ Sector-specific events and workshops, and employer networking
+ Career-mentoring programmes where you can learn from an employer or alumni mentor
+ Career-planning workshops
+ Practical courses in employability, enterprise skills and career management as part of your degree
+ Communications about graduate schemes, internships and work experience
+ On-campus recruitment agency offering part-time roles for students and full-time roles for graduates

Contact us
For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk/careers
Tools

Our online Knowledge Bank offers access to a comprehensive package of products and services, from videos, learning pages and psychometric tests to insights from top employers on their recruitment and selection methods, alumni feedback and web-based seminars with employers. We have over 6,000 graduate opportunities listed every year on our exclusive Lancaster University job search portal and we are targeted by the Times Top 100 companies to advertise their roles to you.

Volunteering

Lancaster University has a thriving volunteering culture, with around 1,300 students involved every year. Our Students’ Union works with a number of charities, schools and local organisations to arrange a variety of volunteering opportunities. As a great way to develop skills, enhance your CV and – above all – make a positive contribution to the local community, becoming a volunteer can be as rewarding as it is beneficial. See more on page 44.

Experience

We know that many employers value experience just as much as high-quality qualifications, so you’ll have plenty of opportunities to step into the workplace during your time in Lancaster. Many of our courses involve a placement with an employer. Some can last as long as a year, while others are based around single short-term projects. Do well in these placements and you won’t just support your education, you could also receive a permanent job offer. We can also help you organise vacation internships or find a part-time role to help you develop professional skills while earning in your spare time.

www.lancaster.ac.uk/employment-and-recruitment-services

Lasting support

You probably won’t need us after you graduate – most of our students go straight into work or stay in academia for postgraduate studies. But careers aren’t straight lines on one simple track. Your aims in life can shift over time and your circumstances may change. When that happens, we’re here to help. We provide our graduates with lifetime access to our services: we’re here for as long as you need us.

Find out more at www.lancaster.ac.uk/careers

Opportunities for innovative thinkers

If you’re eager to make your mark on the professional world, you don’t have to wait until you’ve graduated to get started. You can get involved in a range of activities to help you create – and make the most of – your own opportunities.

Our own Enterprise Centre offers a wealth of expertise, support and contacts to help turn business ideas into a reality, while we can also support you in a wide range of inter-college and inter-university enterprise competitions, and business leadership courses and activities.

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Your experience at Lancaster University owes as much to our place in the world as it does to our place in the league tables. As well as enjoying a self-contained and well-equipped modern campus, we’re lucky to be just minutes from a city steeped in vibrant culture, with easy access to some of England’s most beautiful countryside and coast.

With the Lake District to the north and Blackpool to the south, two of the country’s most popular visitor attractions are yours to enjoy. And, with the beautiful Lune Estuary and Morecambe Bay to the west and the dramatic moorland of Bowland Forest, we also have an abundance of natural beauty on the doorstep.

We’re well connected too, just minutes from the M6, a few miles from a railway station and just over an hour away from Manchester International Airport by direct train.

Whether you’re coming from halfway across the world or just a few miles away, you’ll find Lancaster offers the perfect destination for your studies.
The city on your doorstep

A short bus ride or cycle will take you from our campus into the heart of Lancaster – a city full of character and culture. It’s a city without the sprawl, compact enough to walk around and small enough to hold onto a friendly personality. But there’s also everything you’d expect from a modern city, with plenty to see and do, from busy shops and a vibrant nightlife to cultural attractions and beautiful parks.

History

Lancaster’s story features Romans, a medieval stronghold and a major port, and the medieval Wars of the Roses which we still re-enact today, but in much friendlier terms on the sports field with the University of York. The cityscape is dominated by the 12th century Lancaster Castle and the Ashton Memorial building, while cobbled streets criss-cross a centre boasting museums, quirky outdoor spaces and well-preserved Georgian architecture.

Shopping

Lancaster is a great place to shop, with all the major chains you’d expect to find on any high street, together with an eclectic mix of independent shops, boutiques and bustling markets. The Charter Market, running since the 12th century, offers a selection of 40 stalls every Wednesday and Saturday, while the Assembly Rooms vintage market sells everything from chic retro clothes to handmade crafts.

Arts and Culture

The city is a recognised centre for culture in the region, with a great collection of theatres, galleries, cinemas and music venues. The city hosts a range of festivals throughout the year, from music festivals and a literary festival to a maritime festival and ‘Light up Lancaster’ – an annual two-day festival mixing art, lights and fireworks.

Cafes, Bars and Clubs

Lancaster is buzzing with life day and night, with a great mix of popular cafes, coffee shops and bars throughout the city centre. You’ll find a good selection of traditional pubs, modern wine bars and everything in between, along the banks of the canal, tucked away in side streets and even underneath the city in the castle’s former wine cellars. The Students’ Union-owned ‘Sugarhouse’, the largest nightclub in the city, is open exclusively to students and offers free return buses to campus.
Everything on campus

Set in 560 acres of parkland, three miles south of Lancaster city centre, our campus offers the best of both worlds: the vibrant feel of a busy community and the natural tranquillity of Lancastrian countryside.

Having invested £500 million since 2003, we’ve created the complete campus: a self-contained community with world-class facilities. The city centre is just a five-minute bus ride (or 25-minute cycle) away, but you’ll find everything you could need throughout your student life right here.
Academic resources

www.lancaster.ac.uk/library  
www.lancaster.ac.uk/iss

Our Library building has recently undergone a full refurbishment, creating an exceptional study space with more than 1,200 technology-enabled workspaces, training rooms and group study rooms. You’ll have access to more than 30,000 e-journals, 300,000 e-books and 800,000 print books.

You will also have access to:
- Online learning spaces for modules on your course
- A wide range of software, including specialist applications for your course
- Information and personalised resources in the iLancaster mobile app
- Secure network and cloud storage for your work

Sports facilities

www.lancaster.ac.uk/sportscentre

Whatever your sport, you’ll find somewhere to train and play on campus.

In our £20 million sports centre, we have a 25-metre pool, an 8.5-metre climbing wall, squash courts and badminton courts, as well as an extensive gym, fitness studio and health suite. Outside there’s plenty more to keep you active, with countless courts, artificial pitches, grass playing fields and an 11 hole golf course at our newly acquired conference facility Forrest Hills. Whether you’re a footballer, rugby player, cricketer, tennis player, netballer or even a bowler, we’ve got you covered.
Arts and culture

www.lancasterarts.org
www.lancaster.ac.uk/ruskin

The nationally acclaimed Lancaster Arts programme is at the heart of the cultural quarter on campus and features the finest international and contemporary artists in music, dance, theatre and visual art.

The University is home to the renowned Nuffield Theatre, one of Europe’s largest professional studio theatres, and the Great Hall has a reputation for the excellence of its international classical music series. The Peter Scott Gallery and the Ruskin Library hold priceless collections of art, ceramics, books, archives and drawings, and also host exhibitions, artists’ talks and student exhibitions, with a new display each term open to the public. We even have our own student-run 3D cinema. There are opportunities for students to get involved and be supported by the professional artists who regularly visit campus which add to the vibrant and creative Lancaster experience.

And a lot more…

Charity shop
Hairdresser
Chaplaincy

Post office
Bookshop
Supermarket

Travel agent
Restaurants
Cafés

Bakery
Doctors
Dentist

Bars
Petrol station
Bank

Prayer room
Ice cream parlour
Pharmacy

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Award-winning accommodation

Put simply, our accommodation is the best in the country – having won the accolade of Best University Halls for the period 2010 - 2015.

We have the approach to match, too, as we are winners of the Best Booking Experience and the Best Moving-in Experience Awards in a recent survey of 200+ institutions, and one of just 11 institutional landlords to score higher than 90% in satisfaction among international students.

We have more than 6,000 individual rooms on campus. We guarantee that one of them will be yours for your first year – just as long as you accept our offer as your first choice and you get the relevant paperwork to us in time.

Split between the eight colleges, our rooms come in different types and grades – from standard rooms with some facilities shared between around eight students, to rooms in our townhouses and even studio rooms that come complete with their own kitchens.

No matter which college, type or grade of accommodation is right for you, you’ll find an excellent standard wherever you go. Most rooms on campus have a wash basin (around two-thirds are also en suite), as well as high-speed internet access, 24-hour security, while shared areas in the halls are cleaned regularly.

If you live off-campus in your first year, you will still join one of the eight undergraduate colleges at Lancaster and have the same access to all the facilities, activities and support networks as on-campus students.


(2018 - 2019 accommodation rates are still to be confirmed)

Room with private shower and toilet: £118.16 - £139.37
Room with shared shower and toilet: £85.40 - £119.56

For more details, take a look at www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/accommodation
Accommodation types

Standard
There is a variety of standard accommodation in Bowland, County, Furness, Grizedale and Pendle Colleges, all with washbasins in the rooms. Kitchens are usually shared between four to six students, as are toilets and shower rooms. County and Bowland Colleges also offer Superior Standard accommodation, which includes a lounge area in each flat.

£85.40 to £112.77 per week
Most Standard rooms cost £99.75

En suite
En suite rooms are available in every college, and make up around two thirds of our accommodation. Kitchens are usually shared between four to eight students.

£118.16 to £139.37 per week

Townhouse
Our award-winning, campus townhouses are available in County and Grizedale Colleges. The upper three floors contain 12 bedrooms and six shower rooms, while the ground floor accommodates a large kitchen, dining area and lounge, as well as a small garden terrace.

£119.56 per week
(based on a 43-week contract)

Studio
We have 144 studios located in Grizedale and Pendle Colleges, offering a self-contained option for those looking for more independence. These are larger versions of the Superior En Suite, with a kitchenette, dining table and a 3/4-size bed, though they do not offer the communal areas you’ll find in other types of accommodation. A handful of studios are larger and suitable for two occupants.

£155.54 per week
Twin studios cost £173.04
(or £86.52 per person)

En suite
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Catered
The majority of our accommodation is self-catered, but you can get a catered package in some areas, which provides flexible breakfasts and dinners every day during term time.

For more information about this option please see www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/accommodation

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Staying off-campus

After the first year, many students opt to live in the city centre. While we have our own city-centre halls at Chancellor’s Wharf, offering many of the same facilities you’ll find at halls on campus, we also have an approval scheme for private landlords called Lancaster University Homes. Covering our own residences as well as flats and houses across the city, every property is inspected to ensure it meets our high standards before it gets our recommendation.
Visit us
There’s only so much we can show you in a document like this. There’s no substitution for exploring the campus, seeing the facilities and meeting the people. So we’d always recommend that you take the time to pay us a visit.

Take a tour
We offer a range of tours, both student-led and self-guided, allowing you to take in the campus buildings and facilities including, the library, social hotspots and – on some tours – the accommodation. We also offer extended tours which include a chance to meet staff and students in your chosen area of study.

Drop by
The campus is open to the public, so you can come and see our shops, cafés, sports facilities and outdoor areas whenever you please. We’ll also be at more than 30 UCAS higher education conventions around the country throughout the spring and summer – so feel free to stop and ask us about studying and living in Lancaster.

Virtual tour
Find out more about our beautiful 560 acre campus through our virtual tour. Watch videos showcasing our range of subjects, 360 degree panoramas to help you navigate the accommodation and hear what its like studying here from real students.

Open days
We hold three open days during the summer, giving you the chance to visit the campus to see the facilities, the accommodation and all the amenities. Staff across every department are on hand to answer questions and offer advice about our courses, the Students’ Union will offer their insights into the social side of life and you can meet plenty of our current students to get their perspective on the Lancaster University experience.

Dates:
Friday 14th July
Saturday 15th July
Saturday 2nd September

For more information, tour booking details and convention dates visit: www.lancaster.ac.uk/visitus

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We’re one of the few universities that operate a college structure – something that offers support and a ready-made social network from the day you arrive. Our campus provides a stunning, natural setting for our close-knit community, with award-winning accommodation, first-rate facilities and a buzzing social scene, organised by our active Students’ Union. As a diverse, varied, vibrant and international university, we offer a student experience no other institution can.

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Your college

Your college plays an essential role in life at Lancaster. It’s not just a place to stay, but also a close-knit community and a ready-made social network that you’re a part of from the day you arrive. There, you’ll find support, social activities and regular events, from inter-college sports competitions to careers talks.

A small membership fee is required which goes towards the running of each college.

Each college comes with its own distinctive identity, history and character – so choose wisely.

Find out more about the college that’s right for you: www.lancaster.ac.uk/colleges

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Bowland College

One of the founding colleges, Bowland is positioned in the centre of the campus. We aim to foster a college spirit of regard for others, to build a warm and friendly community and to ensure that everyone can access all of the opportunities the University has to offer.

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Cartmel College

A friendly, easy-going, vibrant and supportive community. Cartmel is full of opportunities for you to gain new experiences and develop skills for your future while still having lots of fun.

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County College

At the heart of County College is a 250 year old oak tree, which provided the inspiration for our logo, and is a symbol of our identity. As a college we encourage, promote and support creativity and originality in all that we do.

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Flyde College

Over the years Fylde has developed a reputation for sporting excellence, but you don’t have to be a sporting hero to feel at home in the college. We believe success comes from friendship, teamwork, a will to win and the sense of community our students experience – qualities that are part of everything we do.

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Furness College

Furness is the smallest college, which makes it a friendly place to be. We offer a very active and varied social calendar, sporting and cultural life, plus a strong sense of community. Every member of Furness is a member of the Furness Family. Our motto is ‘Everywhere Else is Nowhere’ says it all!

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Grizedale College

Always known for our welcoming atmosphere and generous spirit, the new accommodation and social facilities match our ethos perfectly. Students take an active part in running our college. As a result, our social life has one of the best reputations on campus.

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Lonsdale College

As one of the two founding colleges, Lonsdale proudly combines its original spirit, heart and traditions with fantastic accommodation, social and study facilities. One of the largest and most vibrant colleges, our motto is ‘Simply the Best’.

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Pendle College

Pendle is a friendly college with a warm welcome. We have a strong tradition in sustainability and are the college with real eco credentials, our students are strong in bar sports and we are known as the college for live music events. Our motto is ‘Altiora Sequamor – strive to reach the top’.

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For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
What they say...

“The Overseas Programme organised by the Students’ Union gives you a unique opportunity to immerse yourself in a different culture and experience the world with new eyes with like-minded people from all over the world. Our partnerships with other universities connect you with students in a fun and engaging way, leaving you with unforgettable memories!”

Georgia Frimpong

Students’ Union

Lancaster University

Students’ Union is here to represent you in every aspect of your student life.

We offer a huge number of services to make studying here as fun, fulfilling and fantastic as it can be.

This union belongs to our members and it’s theirs to lead, influence and change. Our accessible democratic structures are designed to put students in charge and put their ideas at the heart of what we do. This is because students’ rights and needs matter, and our members are the best people to tell us what the union should be doing.

Every student automatically becomes a member of the union and we’re here to support you in every aspect of student life, from being involved in your college communities to supporting your societies and clubs and representing your academic interests. High quality support and advice is always available to students and there are a wide range of resources available to aid learning and research.

We support students to get the most out of their studies as well as to gain skills and experiences that will benefit them for the rest of their lives.

Whether it’s discovering a new sport, gaining a new hobby, travelling to a new country, getting involved in organising our big events or campaigning on an issue close to your heart, the union offers you the chance to shape your own university experience – and you can find out more about what we do independently and through partnerships with university departments elsewhere in this prospectus.

We look forward to welcoming you to our university and hope that we can help to make your time as a student truly unforgettable.

Rhiannon Llystyn Jones
Lancaster University
Students’ Union President

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Students’ Union

With an extensive range of clubs and societies, a highly-qualified welfare and academic advice centre and a nationally-recognised volunteering unit, Lancaster University Students’ Union is here to make your university experience the best it can be. When you come to study at Lancaster, you automatically become a member – so you’ll have access to all the services and support they offer. However, if you do not wish to join you also have the right to opt out of membership, the choice is yours.

Entertainment

Our main venue is The Sugarhouse in the city centre. The largest night club in Lancaster, it’s open three nights a week and offers a broad range of music and different club nights. We also work with the University and all the colleges to provide a wide variety of entertainment, from large campus events and shows, to live comedy nights, international evenings and much more.

Travel opportunities

The Overseas Programme offers the chance to participate in an international cultural exchange, where you can interact with students studying at one of Lancaster University’s partner institutes in China, Ghana, India, Malaysia. Put simply, it’s a once-in-a-lifetime experience.

Student media

If you’re thinking of a career in the media, there’s no need to wait until you graduate. With a newspaper, radio station, TV channel and cinema, you can get involved right away – whether you’re a budding journalist, editor, producer, presenter or even a projectionist.

Volunteering

Becoming a volunteer offers a great way to build new skills, enhance your CV and discover new experiences. The Union volunteering team offers a wide range of different opportunities for you to get involved. Our schools partnership team lets you volunteer with local schools, ideal for anyone considering a career in teaching or working with young people. Our environmental work includes campaigning on national and international sustainability issues, as well as growing vegetables and keeping chickens on campus.

We also work with more than 100 community organisations to arrange volunteer placements and projects. In short, there’s something for everyone.

Join the club

The Union supports more than 200 different groups. From hockey to hiking and football to Frisbee, we have it all. And if we don’t have what you’re looking for, speak to us and we’ll give you the support you need to set it up. Some groups compete against other universities, some organise regular events on campus and others work in the community. The best way to find out what we do is to get involved.

What they say...

“I was lucky that Lancaster University has a students’ union that facilitates so many great activities. It’s well worth getting involved because not only do you get to meet new friends and have great memories, who knows where it will lead you when you graduate!”

Jonathan Martin, Graduate

Sports: part of a team

Set among woodland and sports pitches, our £20 million Sports Centre offers extensive indoor facilities, from a 25-metre swimming pool and 8.5 metre climbing wall, to a multitude of courts and a two-floor gym with over 100 stations for cardio and weight training.

Outside, we have countless playing fields, pitches and courts, including 3G artificial pitches – not to mention a bowling green, lacrosse pitch, Woodland Walk and an 11 hole golf course at our newly acquired conference facility, Forrest Hills.

Competition

The University and the Students’ Union work together to support students competing against other universities in over 35 different sports – providing coaching, help with equipment and transport. For many of our teams, the highlight of the sporting year is the Roses: an annual weekend-long tournament against the University of York and one of the biggest inter-varsity events across Europe. We also run different recreational and inter-college leagues and competitions within the University, including the highly contested inter-college Carter Shield.

Fun and fit

The extensive facilities and numerous sports societies are not just for the competitive. Just Ray is the Students’ Union recreational sports project, offering a range of different activities, run by student activators each week for just £2 a session. Not just a good way to keep fit, these sessions offer a fun way to socialise for both students and staff. Find out more at: www.lusu.co.uk/get-involved/sport

Alternatively, if you’re looking for support in your fitness training, you can turn to our Personal Training Team and Physiotherapy Team. For more details, take a look at: www.lancaster.ac.uk/sportscentre

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Whenever you need support, you’ll have someone to turn to. Between your college, the Students’ Union and the University itself, you’ll have access to specialist guidance covering everything from your academic progress to your personal wellbeing. All you need to do is ask.

**Academic guidance**

[www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/academic-support](http://www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/academic-support)

Throughout your studies you will receive support and guidance from your Course Tutors, Academic Tutors, college support team and Student Learning Advisors, among others.

**The Base**

[www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/thebase](http://www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/thebase)

The Base is our one-stop enquiry desk located in the centre of campus on Alexandra Square. If you need advice on any student matter, that’s where to go.

**Wellbeing, counselling and mental health**

[www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/counselling](http://www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/counselling)

A free and confidential service is available to all students, to help you address any personal or emotional problems getting in the way of your university experience or your academic performance.

**Disability**

[www.lancaster.ac.uk/disabilities](http://www.lancaster.ac.uk/disabilities)

We provide support for all students with disabilities on all aspects of learning, including assessment and support for dyslexia, assessments for study aids and funding applications.

**Funding**

[www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/funding](http://www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/funding)

We can provide you with information and guidance on living costs, budgeting and student financial aid, including help with government and university funding.

**Visa and immigration**

[www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/international](http://www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/international)

Our Visa and Immigration team can help you with visa applications, the immigration process and registration process. You can also go to them with any questions about the terms and conditions of your stay.

**Pre-School Centre**

[www.lancaster-preschoolcentre.co.uk](http://www.lancaster-preschoolcentre.co.uk)

Our Pre-School Centre provides high-quality child care for students and staff. We charge fees, but we can advise you how you might claim back some of the costs.

**Registry**

[www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs](http://www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs)

We can assist you with academic record matters, registration, module enrolment, academic review and appeals.

**Chaplaincy Centre**

[www.chaplancs.org.uk](http://www.chaplancs.org.uk)

Our Chaplaincy Centre is a place where you can worship, reflect, explore faith issues, find support and encouragement, and meet others.

**Healthcare support**

[www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/health-services](http://www.lancaster.ac.uk/sbs/health-services)

Lancaster University offers a medical practice, where you can see a GP or nurse (register first), as well as a dental clinic and pharmacy.

**Natural Healthcare Centre**

[www.naturalhealthcare.org.uk](http://www.naturalhealthcare.org.uk)

Based within our Chaplaincy Centre, the complementary health treatments offered include acupuncture, Alexander Technique, aromatherapy and reflexology.

**Students’ Union representation and support**

[www.lusu.co.uk/advice](http://www.lusu.co.uk/advice)

The Students’ Union Representation and Support team provide free, independent and confidential advice and guidance to help solve problems covering anything from academic, accommodation, welfare, money, consumer and employment issues. As a service we also have lots of expertise in supporting international students.

**Nightline**

[nightline.lusu.co.uk](http://nightline.lusu.co.uk)

The Students’ Union offers a confidential night time telephone and e-listening service run by trained student listeners – available every night of term for you to call or email. You can also text for information.
Open to the world

Lancaster University is consistently ranked in the world’s top 1% of academic institutions, more than a quarter of our staff are from overseas and we have over 150 international research, teaching and student exchange partnerships with universities and institutions in 24 countries around the world.

We welcome nearly 3,000 international students every year. If you’d like to be one of them, we’re ready to help.

Entry requirements

Like any applicant, you must meet the entry requirements before you can start a degree programme. In the course directory, these are put in terms of UK qualifications. To find out how your qualifications compare, visit: www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/international-qualifications

It’s also vital that you have the language skills to study for your degree in English. You will need to show evidence that you meet our minimum English Language requirements:

+ IELTS 6.5 with a minimum of 5.5 in each component or
+ GCSE/IGCSE Grade C

If your skills could be improved, we offer a four-week English for Academic Purposes programme (EAP). Find out more at: www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/international-students/english-requirements

Arriving in Lancaster

We offer comprehensive support from the very start, until you graduate. Before you leave, we provide information on visas and immigration, and as long as you firmly accept our offer as your first choice by the UCAS deadline, and have submitted your accommodation application by the specified date, we can guarantee a place in our campus accommodation for your first year (see more on page 30). We can even pick you up from Manchester airport. Once you’ve arrived, you’ll find a series of events to get you settled, with plenty of ongoing support.

Foundation Programmes

For students who have finished school, but don’t yet meet our undergraduate entry requirements, we offer the International Foundation Year – a chance to study at Lancaster to prepare for a degree programme, with both language skills and academic subjects.

We also offer transfer programmes, which pave the way to studying at Lancaster. Run with partner institutions in China, India, Malaysia, Dubai and Nigeria, our 1+3 and 2+2 Programmes offer a specially-designed curriculum that you start in your home country before joining our campus for three or two years respectively to complete your degree.

Find out more at: www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/international-students

Study or work abroad for a semester or a year

We have partner universities in Europe, the USA, Canada, Mexico, Australia, New Zealand, China, Hong Kong and other parts of Asia which offer study placements. Alternatively, you can work in approved organisations or businesses.

You can study or work abroad for a semester or a full academic year without changing the length of your degree programme. Usually, this means going abroad in the second year of a three-year degree, or the third year of a four-year degree.

The majority of our modern language degrees require a year abroad, where you work as a teaching assistant in a school, in a business or organisation, or study at a university.

With a global network of partner institutions and organisations, we can offer a range of opportunities to broaden your cultural understanding, develop new skills and enhance your employability by studying, working or volunteering overseas.

Explore our international network

Living expenses for a year overseas are usually higher than a year in Lancaster. The cost of a placement varies depending on where you study and can range from £8,000 to £15,000, not including flights, local travel or the cost of visas. There are a number of ways you can apply for financial support to travel abroad – which we can help you explore. For example, you can apply for an enhanced student loan for your placement as your student loan can be used for your overseas placement.

Funding your overseas placement

While you won’t need to pay fees to your host university while you’re abroad, you still pay fees to Lancaster University. How much depends on how long you’re away: if it’s a single-semester placement, you pay the full amount, but if it’s a whole year, then you pay less – for 2016/17, students studying abroad paid £1,350 (15% fees). For up-to-date information about fees, please visit:www.lancaster.ac.uk/ugfunding

Go abroad for a short placement

We also offer the chance to go on one-to-eight-week placements with our partners in India, China, Malaysia, the US and Ghana, amongst others, during your vacation. These cultural exchanges offer the opportunity to explore the industry, culture and communities of these countries, giving you the kind of experience that isn’t just personally rewarding but is also attractive to employers.

For more information about all these opportunities, please visit: www.lancaster.ac.uk/studyabroad

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Our alumni

Where will your degree from Lancaster take you? From business to media, art to politics, sport to education, more than 130,000 Lancaster graduates play influential roles in more than 170 countries around the world.

Cat Smith
Labour MP for Lancaster and Fleetwood
(Gender and Sociology, 2006, Cartmel)

“I particularly enjoyed the first year, the feeling of independence and the chance to figure out who you were.”

Caroline Rookes
Chief Executive of the Government’s Money Advice Service
(English, 1975, Furness)

“University was a very big transition for me coming straight from school. It helped me understand myself and take responsibility for myself.”

Ranvir Singh
Television presenter
(English and Philosophy, 1998, Pendle)

“My English degree was hugely useful to my career in journalism, but also being made to think critically and question is at the heart of my work, so it was all very relevant.”

Sam Hodges
Head of Communications, Twitter UK
(English, 1999, Pendle)

“I went to Lancaster a bit shy, but it was the right environment for me to grow. What really struck me was the nature of the relationships that existed between students and teachers, which made it OK to discuss, challenge and debate with a person who was in authority. In a big company like the BBC or Twitter, that is vital.”

Jeremy Oppenheim
Director of Growth and External Engagement, Home Office
(Sociology, 1977, Cartmel)

“I am very interested in the behaviour of people in groups. Those things I learned about at Lancaster inform my leadership practice every day.”

Amy Raphael
Freelance journalist and biographer
(English and Italian, 1989, Fylde)

“I owe Lancaster everything. I made great friends there and my experience there made me feel when I left that I could tackle anything.”

Read more about our alumni: www.lancaster.ac.uk/alumni/alumni-profiles

Alan Milburn
Lancaster University Chancellor and former Health Secretary and Labour MP
(History, 1979, Pendle)

“Lancaster University was my foundation for the whole of my working life and career. The skills I learned there - of being rigorous, analytical and understanding how to make a judgement call – were important in my political life, and still are in the work I do today in child poverty and social mobility.”

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
How to apply

We welcome and encourage applications from all over the world and it’s our aim to make the process of applying as smooth as possible. All applications for full-time study must come through UCAS. Schools, colleges, international agencies and British Council offices overseas can help you with your application, or you can find out more at www.ucas.com

Completed applications should be sent by the 15th January.

You can apply for some courses past that date (check for vacancies on the UCAS website, or contact our admissions office to find out more), but the final deadline is the 30th June.

If you’re applying for Medicine, your application needs to be in by the 15th October the year before you start.

Part-time study

Some of our degree programmes are available on a part-time basis. To find out more, please contact the Admissions Office.

Entry qualifications

Our course directory offers indicative requirements for each programme, but these can change. It’s worth double-checking the details at: www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/courses.

When we offer a place, we express the required qualifications in terms of three A level grades, rather than UCAS tariff points. We may also ask for particular grades in specific subjects, either at a level or GCSE.

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see the table below.

We understand that some students may be applying with a range of qualifications. We keep our entry requirements flexible to ensure that every applicant is treated fairly. Find out more at: www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate-qualifications-uk.

For students outside the UK

If you have studied at a school or college outside of the UK, we accept a wide range of qualifications. You can find out more about these at: www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/international-qualifications.

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For a full list of acceptable English language qualifications please visit: www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/international-students/englishrequirements.

After you’ve applied

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Your first year

Flexible Part 1 options
Your undergraduate studies are divided into Part 1 (your first year) and Part 2 (your second, third and sometimes fourth year).
Here are seven things you need to know about Part 1.

+ You may have the chance to choose some of your modules
You will be automatically enrolled on compulsory modules, and your department will advise you whether there are others to choose from.
+ In some courses, you can take a minor subject
Many degree programmes enable you to study minor subjects alongside your major in Part 1. However, your course structure does not allow for this if you are studying Law, Medicine, Engineering or Physics.

+ Struggling to decide which minor to take? Help is available
You can find a full list of modules in the courses handbook at: www.lancaster.ac.uk/onlinecourseshandbook

All Part 1 module numbers begin with ‘1’, such as FREN100: Part 1 French Studies.

+ Your modules must add up to 120 credits
Each module is worth a set of credits. The credit total needed for Part 1 for most degree programmes is 120. Most modules equate to 40 credits, which would mean you need to enrol in three. Some are worth fewer credits, which would mean you would need to enrol on more to reach the total.

+ There are some limitations to the modules you can choose
Certain subjects are not available to study as minor subjects. Some study combinations may cause timetable clashes, and popular subjects may have restrictions or reach capacity.

+ Part 1 choices can affect your Part 2 options
Some Part 1 courses enable you to change your major in Part 2. However, you can only do this if you also meet the criteria for that subject.

+ You must pass Part 1
You must pass all your Part 1 modules to proceed to Part 2. However, your marks from Part 1 do not count towards your final degree classification.

Tuition fees
The annual tuition fee you need to pay for studying at Lancaster University is based on your residential status, which is decided on the information given in your UCAS application.

2018/19 fee levels will be announced in the spring of 2018. For guidance these are the fees for 2017/18. Please note that fees are likely to increase annually. Further details on current and future fees can be found on our website.

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Support from the University
We aim to help every student make the most of their life and education. For many of our UK students, that includes offering bursaries and scholarships. These depend on where you’re from, your financial circumstances, and how well you do in your A levels (or equivalent) before starting your studies with us. In 2016, we provided £2.2 million in bursaries and scholarships, helping 3,119 new and continuing students with the cost of fees and living expenses.

The cost of university can seem daunting. However, your course structure does not allow for this if you are studying Law, Medicine, Engineering or Physics. Tuition fees are only one part of your expenses, so it’s vital that you plan and prepare as thoroughly as possible. Our student funding staff can offer information on financial support and advice on budgeting.

Support from the government
Your two main expenses will be tuition fees and living costs. For UK students, Student Finance England offers loans, which have to be paid back. Most English students won’t have to pay upfront to study, but can instead apply for a Tuition Fee Loan to cover the cost of tuition, plus a Maintenance Loan to help with living costs.

There are also government grants (which you don’t have to pay back) available to cover living costs for students with dependents, though these depend on your household income. There is also extra support available for students with a disability.

If you’re from outside England, there are different arrangements and options to help you cover the costs of coming to Lancaster University. You can find out more at www.direct.gov.uk/studentfinance

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For students facing an unexpected shortfall or an emergency, we have a discretionary Lancaster Opportunity and Access Fund for UK Students, which can provide short-term loans or emergency funding. If you’re running into difficulties, don’t wait until the last minute – get in touch with our Student Funding Service right away.

Budgeting your living costs
A simple way to plan for your annual costs is to start with your weekly costs, then multiply this by 40 weeks – the number of weeks in the university year (it’s less if you can go home during the April and December breaks).

As a rough guide, most students’ rent and basic property bills are around £115 for a single student and up to £180 for a student with dependents (not including childcare costs, which are around £16 per half day at our own Pre-School Centre). You should then add costs for food, travel, books and stationery, insurance, TV and internet, phone, laundry, social and personal expenses.

You can find a range of budgeting tools and information on our website and the advisors at the Student Funding Service will be happy to offer practical advice.

(2018/19 accommodation rates are still to be confirmed)
Room with private shower and toilet: £111.16 – £139.37
Room with shared shower and toilet: £85.40 – £119.56
For an off-campus shared LUSU Living property (including broadband, insurance, repairs and more): £69

Typical costs...
Lease of bread – 75p
6 eggs – £1.09
Bag of rice (1 kg) – £1.10
Litre of milk – £1.00
Washing up liquid – 92p
Toilet rolls x 4 – £1.75
Toothpaste – £1.20
Pint of beer – £3.10
Load of washing – £2.40
Tumble drying – £1.12
Return bus fares for the campus to the University – £2.50
Return train ticket from Lancaster to Manchester (off-peak) £19.30
Taxi fare to Lancaster city centre – £10.00

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Travel

Lancaster University is set among 560 acres of parkland, around three miles south of Lancaster city centre. While the natural surroundings give our campus a sense of tranquillity, we’re also well-connected and easy to reach.

**By car**
Leave the M6 motorway at Junction 33 and take the A6 north towards Lancaster. For Lancaster University main campus – turn right at the third set of traffic lights on the A6 into the University main drive.

**By rail**
There are direct rail links between Lancaster and many of the UK’s major cities and city airports. There is a frequent direct bus service between Lancaster Railway Station and the University. Taxis are available at the station, which is a five-minute walk from the city centre.

**Car parking**
Visitors should use the Pay and Display parking zones during weekdays between 08:00 and 18:00. You can also use visitor scratch cards in Pay and Display areas – these available from the Cashiers’ desk in University House during office hours.

**By air**
From Manchester International Airport take the M56 motorway at Junction 5 and join the M6 motorway at Junction 20 (north). Follow the directions ‘By car’. An hourly rail link runs between Manchester Airport and Lancaster.

**By bicycle**
It takes around 25 minutes to cycle from the city centre to the campus on the two University signed routes. An off-road cycle route runs from Whinfell Drive in Hala and enters the campus near Bailrigg House. A further off-road signed cycle route runs along the Lancaster Canal to the city centre.

**By bus**
For bus information call Traveline on: 0871 200 22 33

In the City
The bus station is situated on Damside Street in the City Centre. Buses (services 2, 2A, 2X, 3, 3A, 4, 41, 42) leave for the University every five minutes on weekdays and most services also stop at Common Garden Street in the city centre. There is also a direct bus service between Lancaster Railway Station and the University (Services 3A and X3).

On Campus
All buses drop off and collect passengers in the Underpass situated underneath Alexandra Square. Services 3, 4, 41 and 42 also serve the southern perimeter road and around Alexandra Park. There are also bus stops directly outside the Sports Centre on the main drive.

Find out more at www.lancaster.ac.uk/travel
Accounting and Finance
BSc Hons

Our reputation as one of Europe’s leading institutions for Accounting and Finance is combined with expert teaching, excellent resources and a fantastic campus experience. Our degrees guarantee a challenging and rewarding educational experience, with some boasting professional accreditation.

Accounting and Finance
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N400
Course length: 3 years

Accounting and Finance (Industry)*
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N401
Course length: 4 years

Your degree
Studying Accounting and Finance at Lancaster provides you with the tools to develop both technical knowledge and a broad understanding of the discipline and its application in the business world.

These programmes are accredited by all the major British accountancy bodies, providing graduates with exemptions from many of these bodies’ core examinations. You can choose to change to the Industry degree during your first year at Lancaster (subject to availability).

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Introduction to Accounting and Finance
+ Principles of Economics

Second year
+ Accounting Information Systems and Auditing
+ Principles of Financial Accounting
+ Statistical Methods for Business

Final year
+ Bond Markets
+ Financial Accounting
+ Quantitative Finance

Optional modules include
+ Business Law
+ Taxation
+ Corporate Finance

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Accounting and Finance
A level: AAB

Required subjects
GCSE Mathematics grade B,
GCSE English Language grade B.

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

EY Scholarship
Home and EU students applying for N400 and N401 will be eligible to apply for the four-year EY Scholarship Scheme.

What’s included?
+ A paid four-week summer placement in EY’s assurance or tax practices
+ A one-year industrial placement in your third year
+ Three £5,000 payments in Years 1, 2 and 4 subject to satisfactory academic performance
+ Fast track to Chartered Accountant status with either the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales or the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland
+ A potential permanent job on graduation

How to apply
Eligible applicants who have confirmed first choice offers from N400 or N401 will be contacted by the LUMS Admissions Team in October of their first year at Lancaster with information about how to apply.

Did you know?
90% of UK Accounting and Finance graduates from 2015 were in graduate positions and/or further study within six months

#2 for Accounting and Finance
The Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide

Professional Accreditations*
Those degrees marked with an asterisk are accredited by all major British accountancy bodies. This provides exemptions from many of these bodies’ core examinations.

Please see www.lancaster.ac.uk/accounting-accreditation for further information.
Accounting and Finance
BSc Hons

**Typical entry requirements**
(See website for full details)

Accounting and Management
A level: AAB
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Accounting and Finance
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N300
Course length: 3 years

Finance
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N301
Course length: 4 years

**Required subjects**
GCSE Mathematics grade B,
GCSE English Language grade B.

**Did you know?**
#8 for Accounting and Finance
The Guardian University Guide

**Future careers**
+ Accountancy
+ Financial management
+ Banking advisor
+ Auditor
+ Finance analyst

**Your degree**
Our specialised Finance degree prepares you for the challenging and exciting world of professional finance. After gaining a solid grounding in finance theory and methodology, you’ll develop proficiency in areas such as International Financial Markets, Bond Markets and Financial Statement Analysis. You can also select further specialist options to tailor your degree to your future career path.

**Examples of the modules on offer**
First year
+ Introduction to Accounting and Finance
+ Economics
Second year
+ Advanced Principles of Finance
+ Statistical Methods for Business
+ Introduction to Econometrics
Third year
+ Financial Statement Analysis
+ Corporate Finance
+ Investments

**Placement year**
On the Industry variants of our programmes you’ll spend your third year on placement, giving you the opportunity to gain practical skills and experience to complement the theory and academic skills obtained in the rest of your degree.

**Why you’ll love us...**
“My experience at Lancaster was simply amazing. I am happy that I chose to study there as I met a lot of people, learned valuable lessons and had some great experiences that will always remain dear to me.”
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**Required subjects**
GCSE Mathematics grade B,
GCSE English Language grade B.

**Finance (Industry)**
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N300
Course length: 3 years

**Typical entry requirements**
(See website for full details)

Finance
A level: AAB
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

**Required subjects**
GCSE Mathematics grade B,
GCSE English Language grade B.

**Accounting and Management**
A level: AAB
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

**Required subjects**
GCSE Mathematics grade B,
GCSE English Language grade B.

**Finance**
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N300
Course length: 3 years

**Typical entry requirements**
(See website for full details)

Finance
A level: AAB
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

**Required subjects**
GCSE Mathematics grade B,
GCSE English Language grade B.

**Accounting and Management**
A level: AAB
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

**Required subjects**
GCSE Mathematics grade B,
GCSE English Language grade B.

**Finance (Industry)**
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N301
Course length: 4 years

**Your degree**
Our specialised Finance degree prepares you for the challenging and exciting world of professional finance. After gaining a solid grounding in finance theory and methodology, you’ll develop proficiency in areas such as International Financial Markets, Bond Markets and Financial Statement Analysis. You can also select further specialist options to tailor your degree to your future career path.

**Examples of the modules on offer**
First year
+ Introduction to Accounting and Finance
+ Economics
Second year
+ Advanced Principles of Finance
+ Statistical Methods for Business
+ Introduction to Econometrics
Third year
+ Financial Statement Analysis
+ Corporate Finance
+ Investments

**Placement year**
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**Required subjects**
GCSE Mathematics grade B,
GCSE English Language grade B.

**Finance**
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N300
Course length: 3 years

**Typical entry requirements**
(See website for full details)

Finance
A level: AAB
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

**Required subjects**
GCSE Mathematics grade B,
GCSE English Language grade B.
These degrees give you the skills to think analytically about complex organisational issues, skills which could open doors to a variety of careers.

Your degree
This degree will provide you with the highly sought after skills and knowledge needed to solve business problems and improve decision making in modern organisations around the world. You will learn to understand and structure complex problems, think quantitatively and analyse data.

Certain modules offer live projects with real clients, which give you hands-on experience. There is also an optional year-long industrial placement to put your theoretical knowledge into practice.

After a comprehensive introduction to techniques and concepts in your first year, you will choose a specialism from one of the possible pathways designed to enrich and challenge you.

Our flexible degree scheme then allows you to add extra modules from a wide range of options to create a course that’s relevant to your own aspirations.

Lancaster’s Business Analytics and Consultancy degree will provide you with the opportunity to apply your quantitative skills in business across a range of industries and careers. The degree builds upon the excellent track record of the Department’s leading research and long experience in solving real problems for industry.

Did you know?
Our Business Analytics degrees combine business intelligence and management with analytical skills

Business Analysts are highly sought after for their quantitative and business skills

Work placements
In the four-year Business Analytics course you will spend your third year working in industry, where you can put your theoretical knowledge into practice.

Future careers
+ Management consultancy
+ Project management
+ Supply chain management and logistics
+ Retail analysis

Study abroad
If you choose the Study Abroad degree, you will spend a year at a partner university in North America or Asia.

Examples of the modules on offer
+ Structuring Complex Problems
+ Project Management and Consultancy Skills
+ Negotiation and Decision Support

Required subjects
GCSE Mathematics grade B, GCSE English Language grade C.

Examples of the modules on offer
+ Statistical Methods for Business Analytics
+ Business Modelling and Simulation
+ Spreadsheet Modelling for Management
+ Data Mining for Direct Marketing and Finance

Operations, Logistics and Supply Chain Management Specialisation
+ Supply Chain Management
+ Business Forecasting
+ Quality and Risk Management
+ Advanced Spreadsheet Modelling

Information Systems Specialisation
+ E-Business
+ Business Information Systems
+ Managing Information Systems

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Analytics and Mathematical Modelling
BSc Hons

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)
Mathematics, Operational Research, Statistics and Economics (MORSE)
A level: AAA including Mathematics or AAB including Mathematics and Further Mathematics.

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Required subjects
A level Mathematics grade A.
GCSE Mathematics grade B.
GCSE English Language grade C.

Graduates are highly sort after for their analytical and quantitative skills.

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
+ Statistics and Computing for Management
+ Introduction to Management Science / Operational Research
+ Mathematics
+ Principles of Economics

Second year
+ Optimisation
+ Linear Algebra
+ Intermediate Microeconomics

Third year
+ Business Forecasting
+ Number Theory
+ Applied Economics

Something extra...

You may also be interested in our Accounting and Finance, Economics and Information Technology and Management degrees.

Future careers

+ Economic analysis
+ Business analysis
+ Statistics and operations research

Did you know?
The MORSE degree combines mathematical foundations with applications in economics and management.

Your degree

The MORSE scheme at Lancaster is specifically designed for numerate students wishing to pursue careers in industry, commerce, finance and the public sector. It provides knowledge and key skills in areas that are in great demand and emphasises the application of those ideas in the real world.

The programme equips you with competencies in a variety of quantitative and analytical subjects. Creating strong foundations in mathematics, operations research, statistics and economics in the first year of study, the programme then allows you to tailor your personal programme, whether this is by developing your knowledge in all areas or specialising in those topics that you see as most relevant to your future career. These might be in pure mathematics, statistics, business analytics, economics or management topics. Taught by our world-class Departments of Mathematics and Statistics, Economics, and Management Science the programme offers a wide range of choice for students, all of which focus on applying mathematical knowledge and theory in a practical context.

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With purpose-built facilities, your own studio and tutors who are practising artists, the focus of your degree will be the development of a substantial body of work that showcases your unique style, advanced technical skills, creative flair and cultural awareness. Typically we have many more applicants than places and employers rate Lancaster University Fine Art graduates very highly.

Your degree

Our aim from day one is for you to become an informed art practitioner with clear creative aspirations and ambition. You will be able to study Fine Art disciplines separately or together, working across:

- Painting
- Drawing
- Sculpture
- Digital Art
- Installation

The first year serves as a grounding in Fine Art, while in years two and three you can take all your studio modules in Fine Art or add in options from other creative disciplines such as Design, Film and Theatre.

We also offer work-related modules which enable you to expand your network of contacts, influences and experience. Lancaster has a thriving student exhibition society and the city is well positioned to link to galleries and exhibitions across the north-west and Scotland as well as nationally and internationally.

Did you know?

- Art Gallery on campus with an international collection
- Dedicated studio space with 24/7 access
- Joint #7 for Art and Design

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
- Modernism in the Arts
- Fine Art Studio Practice

Second year
- Fine Art Studio Practice
- Critical Reflections
- Expanded Painting Practice
- Digital Media
- Work Placement

Third year
- Fine Art Studio Practice
- Expanded Drawing
- Creative Enterprise
- Dissertation

Typical entry requirements

(See website for full details)

Required subjects

Please note: the following subjects are considered desirable, but not essential, by the department:

- Art and Design
- One other humanities subject.

An Art Foundation course is not required. However, Level 3 Art Foundation courses are considered on a case by case basis alongside two A levels at grade B or above and a successful portfolio.

Getting seen is crucial for those who want to pursue careers in Fine Art and your studies culminate with both a solo and group show. This allows you to exhibit your work to the public and potential employers.

Future Careers

- Professional artist
- Museums and galleries
- Publishing, media and marketing
- Exhibition curator

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2016 graduate Alice Adams showed her work at the Tate Modern.

The Peter Scott Gallery

- Varied programme of exhibitions and talks by contemporary artists
- International art collection
- Links with the wider artistic community of the region

Combine art with...

- Fine Art and Creative Writing/WW18
- Fine Art and Film/WP13
- Fine Art and Theatre/WW14

For the entry requirements for these courses please see the index.
Biochemistry at Lancaster gives you the opportunity to learn from active research scientists on tailored degree courses in the primary investigative science within biology and medicine. Our competitive placement opportunities also offer an enhanced experience throughout your degree.

Your degree
Biochemistry examines the structure and function of living organisms at the molecular level. You will study a range of Biochemistry modules as well as practically oriented modules designed to equip you with the laboratory skills and knowledge required by a successful biochemist.

Our flexible Biochemistry degree provides students with core modules in Biochemistry and Chemistry coupled with a solid background in other related fields.

The flexible nature of the course enables you to specialise your field of study after your first year, with a diverse choice of modules including:
- Immunology
- Tropical Diseases
- Environmental Pathogens

Future Careers
+ Forensic science
+ Pharmaceutical or food industries
+ Academic, industrial and medical research

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Biochemistry (BSc)
A level: AAB
Biochemistry (Study Abroad) (BSc)
Biochemistry (MSci)
A level: AAA
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Required subjects
A level Chemistry and 1 other science subject preferably from Biology, Mathematics or Physics.
GCSE Mathematics grade B, GCSE English Language grade C.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Protein Biochemistry
+ Cell Structure and Function
+ Genetics
+ Organic Chemistry

Second year
+ Cell Biology
+ Biochemistry Techniques
+ DNA Technology
+ Biochemistry

Third year
+ Cell Signalling
+ Cancer
+ Chemistry of Biomedical Imaging
+ Molecular and Biochemical Parasitology

Fourth year (MSci only)
+ Drug Discovery and Development
+ Advanced Topics in Biochemistry
+ Advanced NMR

Study abroad
If you take our Study Abroad variant, you will spend your second year studying at a partner university in the USA, Canada or Australasia.
**Biochemistry with Biomedicine**
**BSc Hons**
**UCAS code:** BC79
**Course length:** 3 years

*Your degree*

Our Biochemistry with Biomedicine degree is for students with a broad interest in the biochemical processes of life and how these are altered by disease, and allows you to tailor your degree to match your own interests.

Our extensive links with external hospitals and industrial laboratories bring another dimension to teaching and research on our biomedical courses.

*Lab-based projects*

On all our Biochemistry degrees you’ll conduct your own research project where you’ll benefit from the experience of our internationally renowned academic staff.

*Examples of the modules on offer*

**First year**
- Molecules of Life
- Biomedicine and Society
- Organic Chemistry
- Anatomy and Tissue Structure

**Second year**
- Medical Microbiology
- Biochemistry
- Genetics

**Third year**
- Tropical Diseases
- Protein Biochemistry
- Biology of Ageing
- Ethics in Biomedicine

*Did you know?*

- 92% overall student satisfaction
- 80% of graduates are in work or further study within six months

*Typical entry requirements* (See website for full details)

**Biochemistry with Biomedicine**
A level: AAB

For BTEC and IB equivalents please see page 53.

**Required subjects**
- A level Chemistry and 1 other science subject preferably from Biology, Mathematics or Physics.
- GCSE Mathematics grade B.
- GCSE English Language grade C.

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**Biochemistry with Genetics**
**BSc Hons**
**UCAS code:** C7C4
**Course length:** 3 years

*Your degree*

Our Biochemistry and Genetics degree is suitable for students looking to study an exciting and rapidly developing subject with a focus on the genetic blueprint of life, DNA.

The degree provides you with core modules in Biochemistry and Genetics coupled with a solid background in related fields such as biotechnology and cell biology.

*Examples of the modules on offer*

**First year**
- Genetics
- Protein Biochemistry
- Human Physiology

**Second year**
- Biochemical Techniques
- Cell Biology Techniques
- DNA Technology

**Third year**
- Medical Genetics
- Protein Biochemistry
- Cell Cycle and Stem Cells
- Cancer

*Why you’ll love us…*

“The very best thing about the teaching at Lancaster is the quality of the material. I’ve often found myself in a lecture with a leading figure in the area being taught, who has made reference to research published only months before.”

Jonathan Longden
Biochemistry BSc

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**Biochemistry**
**BSc Hons**
**MSci Hons**

*Typical entry requirements* (See website for full details)

**Biochemistry with Genetics**
A level: AAB

For BTEC and IB equivalents please see page 53.

**Required subjects**
- A level Chemistry and 1 other science subject preferably from Biology, Mathematics or Physics.
- GCSE Mathematics grade B.
- GCSE English Language grade C.

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For more information please visit [www.lancaster.ac.uk](http://www.lancaster.ac.uk)
Lancaster offers both Biology and Biological Sciences degrees. This allows you to choose between exploring whole organisms and how they interact with the environment by studying our Biology degree, or a more broad range of life sciences topics, ranging from the molecular and cellular to biodiversity and environmental physiology.

During your degree, you’ll conduct your own research project where you’ll benefit from the experience of our internationally renowned academic staff.

**Biology, Biological Sciences**
BSc Hons/MSci Hons

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**Biology**

**BSc Hons**
UCAS code: C101
Course length: 3 years

**Biology (Study Abroad)**

**BSc Hons**
UCAS code: C103
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

**Biology**

**MSci Hons**
UCAS code: C109
Course length: 4 years

**Your degree**

Discover how animals and plants function as organisms as well as studying their diversity and conservation. You will study biological principles and current issues, and learn practical techniques.

**Examples of the modules on offer**

**First year**
- Developmental Biology
- Zoology
- Impact of Microbes
- Skills in Biomedical and Life Sciences
- Marine and Estuarine Biology

**Second year**
- Evolution
- Environmental Physiology
- Developmental Biology
- Field Biology

**Third year**
- Genetics
- Neurobiology
- Dissertation
- Animal Behaviour
- Environmental Plant Biology

**Fourth year (MSci only)**
- Dissertation
- Habitat Management
- Microbes and Disease
- Wildlife Population Ecology

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**Future careers**

- Environmental microbiologists
- Nature conservation officers
- Crop and soil scientists

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**Study abroad**

If you take our Study Abroad variant, you will spend your second year studying at a partner university in the USA, Canada or Australasia.

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**Typical entry requirements**

(See website for full details)

**Biology (BSc)**
A level: AAB

**Biology (Study Abroad) (BSc)**

**Biology (MSci)**
A level: AAA

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

**Required subjects**
- 2 Science A levels from: Biology, Chemistry, Computing, Environmental Science, Geography, Geology, Human Biology, Mathematics, Physics or Psychology.

GCSE Mathematics grade B, GCSE English Language grade C.

Other modules are also available in topics such as Global Change Biology; Molecular and Cellular Function; and Environmental Pathogens. You will also have the opportunity to take part in field courses both in the UK and abroad and to undertake an original piece of research either in a lab or field setting.

You may also participate in half- and full-day excursions that benefit from our local surroundings of the Lake District, Yorkshire Dales, Bowland Fells and Morecambe Bay, in addition to residential field work.

The degree also provides an excellent platform for research-based careers in Biology including further postgraduate study.

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Biological Sciences
BSc Hons/MSci Hons

Your degree
Explore the science of life with our flexible degree which provides a wide range of dynamic modules that allow you to tailor your studies to suit your interests.

This degree offers you a diverse choice of modules in:
+ Genetics
+ Biomedicine
+ Microbiology
+ Ecology
+ Physiology
+ Conservation

Our links with external research institutions, such as hospitals and industrial laboratories, add even greater texture to your experience.

Study abroad
If you take our Study Abroad variant, you will spend your second year studying at a partner university in the USA, Canada or Australasia.

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Future careers
+ Microbiologists
+ Immunologists
+ Wildlife consultants
+ Forensic scientists

The transferable skills you acquire are particularly useful in:
+ Teaching
+ Data analysis
+ Accounting and finance

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Biological Sciences (BSc)
A level: AAB

Biological Sciences
(Study Abroad) (BSc)
A level: AAB

Biological Sciences (MSci)
A level: AAA

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Biological Sciences
BSc Hons
UCAS code: C100
Course length: 3 years

Biological Sciences
(Study Abroad) BSc Hons
UCAS code: C102
Course length: 3 years
(including a year abroad)

Biological Sciences
MSci Hons
UCAS code: C1M6
Course length: 4 years

Required subjects
+ 2 Science A levels from:
  Biology, Chemistry, Computing, Environmental Science, Geography, Geology, Human Biology, Mathematics, Physics or Psychology.
+ GCSE Mathematics grade B.
+ GCSE English Language grade C.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year:
+ Cell Structure and Function
+ Evolutionary Biology
Second year:
+ Medical Microbiology
+ Populations to Ecosystems
Third year:
+ Biology of Ageing
+ Global Change Biology
Fourth year (MSci only):
+ Extended laboratory or field-based project
+ Opportunity to focus on areas of particular interest

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Biological Sciences with Biomedicine
BSc Hons
UCAS code: C1B9
Course length: 3 years

Your degree
Studying Biological Sciences with Biomedicine at Lancaster gives you the flexibility to study a broad range of bioscience disciplines while learning specifically how biology influences human disease and health. This degree is designed to provide a broad grounding in bioscience subjects whilst maintaining an emphasis on specific biomedical topics.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year:
+ Genetics
+ Anatomy and Tissue Structure
+ Infection and Immunity
Second year:
+ Cell Biology Techniques
+ DNA Technology
+ Microbiological Techniques
Third year:
+ Ethics in Biomedicine
+ Cell Signalling
+ Environmental Pathogens
+ Clinical Immunology

You’ll also receive in-depth training in the key techniques associated with modern biological and biomedical practices by taking a series of techniques courses, some of which are taught by staff from a local hospital. The transferable skills and analytical training you’ll gain during your degree will allow you to enter diverse fields including management, marketing and finance.
Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Biology with Psychology
A level: AAB
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Required subjects
2 Science A levels from: Biology, Chemistry, Computing, Environmental Science, Geography, Geology, Human Biology, Mathematics, Physics or Psychology.
GCSE Mathematics grade B, GCSE English Language grade C.

Biology with Psychology
BSc Hons
UCAS code: C1C8
Course length: 3 years

Your degree
This degree is taught jointly by our Biology tutors and academics from the Department of Psychology. The degree explores the biological processes which underpin human behaviour and you will gain core knowledge of both Biology and Psychology.

Both elements of this degree programme equip you with a range of transferable communication, analytical and interpersonal skills.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Human Physiology
+ Genetics
+ Understanding Psychology
Second year
+ Cognitive Psychology
+ Cell Biology
+ Brain and Behaviour
Third year
+ Animal Behaviour
+ Neurobiology
+ The Developing Mind

Future careers
+ Academic, industrial or medical research
+ Pharmaceutical and food industries
+ Environmental consultancy

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Competitive placement opportunities
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Bioscience with Entrepreneurship
BSc Hons
UCAS code: C1N2
Course length: 3 years

Your degree
The Bioscience with Entrepreneurship degree is aimed at students with an interest in a range of bioscience topics, but who are also looking to understand the challenges of entrepreneurship and innovation.

Bioscience is a fast-paced, innovative environment that increasingly requires graduates who are not only leading scientists, but those who also have an entrepreneurial mindset. Entrepreneurship is about being equipped to identify new opportunities, knowing how to act on them, and making a difference – it is not just about business start-up, but is applicable within a range of different contexts.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Entrepreneurship – Key Debates and Concepts
+ Skills in Biomedical and Life Sciences
+ Anatomy and Tissue Structure
+ Infection and Immunity

Second year
+ Corporate Entrepreneurship and Innovation in a Global Context
+ Biochemistry
+ Small Business and the Small and Medium Enterprise
+ Genetics

Third year
+ Franchising
+ Innovation
+ Cell Cycle and Stem Cells
+ Cancer

Future careers
+ Environmental microbiologist
+ Nature conservation officer
+ Soil scientist and crop scientist
+ Forensic science
+ Pharmaceutical or food industries
+ Academic, industrial and biomedical research

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Biology, Biological Sciences
BSc Hons/MSci Hons

Future careers
+ Management
+ Finance
+ Teaching

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

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Biology, Biological Sciences
BSc Hons/MSci Hons

Future careers
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+ Finance
+ Teaching

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Course length: 3 years

Your degree
The Bioscience with Entrepreneurship degree is aimed at students with an interest in a range of bioscience topics, but who are also looking to understand the challenges of entrepreneurship and innovation.

Bioscience is a fast-paced, innovative environment that increasingly requires graduates who are not only leading scientists, but those who also have an entrepreneurial mindset. Entrepreneurship is about being equipped to identify new opportunities, knowing how to act on them, and making a difference – it is not just about business start-up, but is applicable within a range of different contexts.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Entrepreneurship – Key Debates and Concepts
+ Skills in Biomedical and Life Sciences
+ Anatomy and Tissue Structure
+ Infection and Immunity

Second year
+ Corporate Entrepreneurship and Innovation in a Global Context
+ Biochemistry
+ Small Business and the Small and Medium Enterprise
+ Genetics

Third year
+ Franchising
+ Innovation
+ Cell Cycle and Stem Cells
+ Cancer

Future careers
+ Environmental microbiologist
+ Nature conservation officer
+ Soil scientist and crop scientist
+ Forensic science
+ Pharmaceutical or food industries
+ Academic, industrial and biomedical research

Did you know?
No prior experience of business or entrepreneurship is required for entry to this degree scheme.

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For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk

Biology, Biological Sciences
BSc Hons/MSci Hons

Future careers
+ Management
+ Finance
+ Teaching

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Bioscience with Entrepreneurship
BSc Hons
UCAS code: C1N2
Course length: 3 years

Required subjects
2 Science A levels from: Biology, Chemistry, Computing, Environmental Science, Geography, Geology, Human Biology, Mathematics, Physics or Psychology.
GCSE Mathematics grade B, GCSE English Language grade C.

Biology with Psychology
BSc Hons
UCAS code: C1C8
Course length: 3 years

Your degree
This degree is taught jointly by our Biology tutors and academics from the Department of Psychology. The degree explores the biological processes which underpin human behaviour and you will gain core knowledge of both Biology and Psychology.

Both elements of this degree programme equip you with a range of transferable communication, analytical and interpersonal skills.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Human Physiology
+ Genetics
+ Understanding Psychology
Second year
+ Cognitive Psychology
+ Cell Biology
+ Brain and Behaviour
Third year
+ Animal Behaviour
+ Neurobiology
+ The Developing Mind

Future careers
+ Academic, industrial or medical research
+ Pharmaceutical and food industries
+ Environmental consultancy

Did you know?
Competitive placement opportunities
#14 for Biosciences Guardian University Guide

Bioscience with Entrepreneurship
BSc Hons
UCAS code: C1N2
Course length: 3 years

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+ Skills in Biomedical and Life Sciences
+ Anatomy and Tissue Structure
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Second year
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Third year
+ Franchising
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Our Biomedical Science and Biomedicine degrees are aimed at those with a broad interest in human life processes and disease and give you the opportunity to gain an in-depth understanding of the techniques and issues associated with modern biomedical research.

Biomedical Science
BSc Hons/MSci Hons

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
- Biomedical Science in Practice
- Infection and Immunity
- Protein Biochemistry

Second year
- Medical Microbiology
- Cellular Pathology
- Cell Biology Techniques

Third year
- Cancer
- Medical Genetics
- Pathobiology

Fourth year (MSci only)
- Microbes and Disease
- Diseases of the Brain
- Molecular Basis of Cancer

Did you know?
Competitive placement opportunities
All Bioscience students are eligible to apply for a range of industry and Lancaster University laboratory internships. Biomedical Science students are eligible to apply for an NHS placement to gain their IBMS certificate of competence.

Future Careers
- NHS (Biomedical scientist)
- Glaxosmithkline
- Alcon laboratories
- Pharmaceutical and food industries
- Forensic science
- Biomedical research
- Management and finance

Lab-based projects
As part of your Biomedical Science or Biomedicine degree, you will also carry out a laboratory-based project and can draw on the expertise of our academic staff who have vast biomedical research experience across fields including:
- Cancer
- Alzheimer’s and Parkinson’s diseases
- Tropical Diseases

Biomedical Science
(IBMS Accredited)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: B990
Course length: 3 years

Your degree
Lancaster’s Biomedical Science degree is accredited by the Institute of Biomedical Science (IBMS). Taught jointly with clinical and biomedical staff from local hospitals, our degree is a very structured scheme in which the majority of modules are compulsory, placing an emphasis on the molecules and mechanisms fundamental to life processes and how these are disrupted by disease.

Biomedicine
(BSc Study Abroad/MSci/MSci Study Abroad)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: C704
Course length: 3 years

MSci Hons
UCAS code: C703
Course length: 4 years

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
- Biomedical Science in Practice
- Biomedicine and Society
- Diagnosis in Biomedical Science

Second year
- Medical Microbiology
- Cellular Pathology
- Medical Microbiology

Third year
- Cancer
- Medical Genetics
- Pathobiology

Fourth year (MSci only)
- Microbes and Disease
- Diseases of the Brain
- Molecular Basis of Cancer

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Biomedical Science (BSc)
A level: AAB

Biomedicine (BSc)
A level: AAB

Biomedicine (BSc Study Abroad/MSci/MSci Study Abroad)
A level: AAA

For BTEC and IB equivalents please see page 53.

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Biomedicine (Flexible Scheme)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: C701
Course length: 3 years

MSci Hons
UCAS code: C703
Course length: 4 years

Required subjects
A level Biology and 1 other science subject preferably from Chemistry, Mathematics or Physics.

GCSE Mathematics grade B.

Third year
- Medical Genetics
- Pathobiology
- Ethics in Biomedicine

Fourth year (MSci only)
- Microbes and Disease
- Diseases of the Brain
- Molecular Basis of Cancer

Study abroad
Students on the Biomedicine Study Abroad degrees spend the second year at a university in Australasia, Canada or the USA.

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Future Careers
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- Glaxosmithkline
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- Pharmaceutical and food industries
- Forensic science
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- Tropical Diseases

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Lancaster’s Business Management degrees give you the big-picture overview of how businesses and managers operate in an international environment.

Your degree

Our Business Management degrees give you a broad and practical understanding of how businesses and managers operate. You will gain an excellent grasp of the core principles of management studies.

You will be introduced to the concepts and theories of contemporary management to develop both the skills and awareness needed to be an effective manager. At the same time, you will hone your skills in critical reflection, collaboration, report writing, and presentation.

This flexible degree allows you to select specialisms from every business discipline, enabling you to strengthen your knowledge in those areas of interest to help prepare you for your future profession.

Examples of the modules on offer

+ Business and Management
+ Data Analysis and Business Analytics
+ Marketing
+ Finance and Accounting for Managers
+ Strategic Management
+ Operations Management
+ Economics for Managers
+ Leadership
+ Management in a Global Context
+ Human Resource Management
+ Entrepreneurship

Did you know?

“Currently have a Distribution Management graduate job with Tesco. The knowledge I gained from learning about many different aspects of business and the regular career events on the business course have helped me massively in my life.”

Charlie Walker, Graduate Distribution Management Trainee

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Lancaster’s growing Chemistry Department offers modern, cutting-edge facilities for practical learning and research. Our newly-opened chemistry building houses some of the best research instrumentation in the country, and our students are taught in brand-new specialised teaching and research laboratories, by world-leading experts in their field.

In most chemistry departments, the ‘core’ degree programmes are typically segregated into Inorganic, Organic and Physical Chemistry (IOP). Whilst a thorough background knowledge covering all of these areas is essential, we feel that these subjects should not be taught in isolation. Our approach is to teach chemistry as a much more integrated subject. Chemistry is an inherently practical subject and our Chemistry degrees fundamentally reflect this; laboratory-based practicals form a significant part of our course.

**Typical entry requirements**

(See website for full details)

In the final year of your degree, whether you choose to study our BSc or MChem course, you will have the opportunity to undertake a research project. Our staff have varied research interests, and are particularly interested in inter-disciplinary projects that cross the typical subject boundaries. The research project will be alongside a number of taught modules that will further enhance your knowledge of modern chemistry techniques, and will allow the opportunity to study advanced topics in greater detail.

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Chemistry
BSc Hons/MChem Hons

Future career
Graduates of chemistry have excellent employment prospects and as well as developing your specialist knowledge of the subject, we will also help you to develop the skills needed to take the next step in your career, whether that’s on to further study and research, or taking an opportunity in one of the many industries that chemists succeed in. We have a dedicated ‘Careers Development’ module which focuses on transferable skills, and provides advice and guidance in applying for jobs and developing your interview technique.

To help prepare you for employment, our extensive network of businesses provide paid intern opportunities, where you will benefit from working directly within industry and develop skills which give you an advantage when applying for jobs. Not only that, we’ve invested £11 million in facilities to support the north-west chemical industry with access to a broad range of equipment and expertise relating to the design, manufacture and safe handling of chemical products.

Athena SWAN
The Department of Chemistry has recently been awarded an Athena SWAN Bronze award, which recognises the advancement of gender equality among students and staff.

Future careers
+ Chief chemist
+ Project manager
+ Engineer
+ Medicinal chemist
+ Cancer researcher
+ Teacher

Study abroad
MChem students may choose to expand their horizons by spending a year at a partner university in North America, Australia, New Zealand, Germany, France or the Netherlands.

Chemistry in other contexts
Chemistry is taught as a core subject in these degrees:
+ Chemical Engineering/H800
+ Biochemistry/C700
+ Natural Sciences/GFC0

Why you’ll love us...
“Our new Chemistry Department has had an outstanding start. With world-leading research and state-of-the-art facilities, we have already grown into a vibrant community in which staff and students can thrive.”
Professor Peter Fielden
Head of Department

Did you know?
#10 for research outputs
Research Excellence Framework
£
Over £36 million invested in a state-of-the-art building with world-class facilities

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Computing and Communications
BSc Hons/MSci Hons

The School of Computing and Communications is an international centre of excellence in teaching and research, and focuses on creating the systems of the future and training the inventors, designers and developers of those systems. The School offers a wide range of subject areas for undergraduate study, taught by a team of over 50 acknowledged world experts in their field.

Did you know?
#1 in the UK for graduate prospects in Computer Science Times and Sunday Times University Guide

#12 in the UK for research outputs Research Excellence Framework

Unique experimentalist approach blending theory and practice

Award winning software design studio

Stand out with an MSci

Each of our three-year undergraduate programmes can be extended with a unique final year to form an MSci degree. In addition to all the benefits of a BSc degree, students of these popular programmes also gain a Masters level qualification, advanced professional development and organised industry placements... all within four years.

Study abroad

If you follow our Study Abroad programme, your second year is spent studying equivalent courses at one of our world-class partner institutions in Europe, North America, Canada or Australia.

Your degree

Our Computer Science programmes provide a broad, rigorous treatment of the fundamental principles of the discipline, combined with their modern day application. The degree adopts an experimentalist approach to the subject – where the theory you learn in lectures is strengthened through dedicated practical sessions in our state-of-the-art labs.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Software Development
+ Fundamentals of Computer Science
+ Information Systems
+ Digital Systems

Second year
+ Software Design
+ Human Computer Interaction
+ Operating Systems
+ Group Project

Third year
+ Distributed Systems
+ Artificial Intelligence
+ Individual Final Year Project

Fourth year (MSci only)
Our MSci degree provides an additional year of study, containing a unique blend of academic content, professional development and organised industrial placements.
+ Data Science
+ Cloud Computing
+ Advanced HCI
+ Ten weeks of organised, integrated placements
+ A full-time seven-week industry dissertation project

Accreditation
All our degree programmes are accredited by the British Computer Society and The Institute of Engineering and Technology, meaning that they offer you the appropriate foundation for a career in computing or information systems. Accreditation is an indicator of quality to employers.

Future careers
+ Designers and innovators at media companies such as the BBC
+ Postgraduate and doctoral training
+ Software engineers designing and implementing systems at companies such as IBM, BT, and BAE
+ Research and development
+ Data scientist and the applications of big data

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Computing and Communications
BSc Hons/MSci Hons

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Software Engineering
A level: AAB
Software Engineering
(with Industrial Experience)
A level: AAA
For BTEC and IB Diploma
equivalents please see page 53.

Required subjects
GCSE Mathematics grade B,
GCSE English Language grade C.

Apply only once
If we are unable to offer you a place
on the MSci or Study Abroad courses,
you will automatically be considered
for an alternative course.

Supporting the Computing A level
We are committed to encouraging
the adoption of the new A level
Computing curriculum. Students
applying with an A level in
Computing will receive favourable
consideration.

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
+ Software Development
+ Fundamentals of Computer Science
+ Information Systems
+ Digital Systems

Second year
+ Core Studio
+ Software Design
+ Advanced Programming

Third year
+ Networked Studio
+ Live Studio
+ Languages and Compilation

Fourth year (MSci only)
+ Data Science
+ Cloud Computing
+ Advanced HCI
+ Ten weeks of organised, integrated placements
+ A full-time seven-week industry dissertation project

Your degree
Our Software Engineering
programmes offer you a broad
computer science curriculum with an
emphasis on software engineering and
design. These degrees are delivered
using an innovative ‘design studio’
approach and you will spend a large
part of your course engaged in small
collaborative group-based teaching.

You will benefit from extensive first-
hand experience of developing real
world systems using the cutting-edge
software platforms, methodologies
and strategies adopted by the world’s
leading software companies.

This programme is popular and
includes guest workshops from
industry partners that give you a
head start in your career.

Software Engineering
BSc Hons
UCAS code: G602
Course length: 3 years

Software Engineering
(with Industrial Experience)
MSci Hons
UCAS code: G601
Course length: 4 years

Why you’ll love us...
"The course enabled a
seamless transition from
university to the real world
as I was able to put the
skills learned throughout
my degree into a practical
environment, which made me
a more attractive candidate
for employers and I had
multiple job offers. The final
year allowed me to become
a more confident programmer
and being able to create
develop software that
would be used by others
was extremely satisfying.”
Daniel Garrett,
MSci Hons Computer Science
(with Industrial Experience)

Combine Computing with...
+ Computer Science and
  Mathematics BSc/GG14
+ Computer Science and
  Mathematics MSci/GG1K
+ French Studies and Computing
  (4 years)/GR42
+ German Studies and Computing
  (4 years)/GR42
+ Management and Information
  Technology (4 years)/GN52
+ Spanish Studies and Computing
  (4 years)/GR44

For the entry requirements
for these courses please see
the index.

Working together
The School incorporates a
Knowledge Business Centre
which works to bring industry
and academic research closer
together, providing business
services, an incubator unit for
a range of innovative small
companies and offers support
for placements and internships.

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Criminology is an exciting subject. It enables us to challenge assumptions about who commits crime and why, where it takes place, and responses to crime by different criminal justice systems. Our graduates are well-informed about the latest research into Criminology and related subjects, they are taught by leading experts in the field and they have gained work experience during their degree.

Your degree

One of the first English universities to offer an undergraduate degree in Criminology, Lancaster offers a well-established and broad-ranging programme of study. We draw on other disciplines as well as long-standing criminological traditions and give you the flexibility to tailor your degree to your personal and professional interests.

Taught by nationally and internationally renowned researchers, your degree is informed by cutting-edge criminological research and contemporary debates on crime, deviance and punishment. Your degree will develop your understanding of:

+ The processes of criminalisation and victimisation
+ Social, legal and cultural meanings of crime
+ Representations of crime in the media and popular culture

You will take a critical look at criminal justice agencies such as the police and prison services. You will also engage in critical evaluation of the concepts of crime and deviance, including state crime, crimes of powerful groups, crime prevention, security, and crime control policies.

Core modules

+ Crime and Social Life
+ Understanding Criminological Fieldwork
+ Measuring Crime
+ Criminological Thought

Optional modules include

+ Crime and Media
+ Criminal Careers
+ Crimes of Power
+ Drugs, Crime and Society
+ Sex Crimes

Future Careers

A criminology degree prepares you for a wide range of possible careers in the public and private sectors including:

+ A range of Government departments including the Home Office, Ministry of Justice, National Crime Agency, UK Border Agency and Revenue and Customs
+ Criminal justice agencies such as the police, probation, and prison services
+ Criminal justice agencies such as the police, probation, and prison services
+ Social work and work with young people
+ Working in third sector support agencies with offenders, victims and their families
+ A broad spectrum of jobs requiring data analysis skills

Did you know?

Cutting-edge research informs our teaching
Opportunities to gain work experience

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For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Taught by world experts, Lancaster’s distinctive approach to design reflects a department that is at the cutting-edge of the field. This degree moves beyond the limited scope of traditional disciplines such as graphic or product design, giving you the skills to tackle the complex cultural and social problems we will face in the future by combining creative thinking with innovation, technology, business and research.

Did you know?

#7 for Art and Design
Complete University Guide

£1.8 million investment in state-of-the-art design studios

Future-focused for enhanced skills and employability

#7

Placement year

There is the opportunity for a year-long placement with a public, private or voluntary organisation in the UK or overseas. This extends your degree to four years and provides a valuable opportunity to gain work experience, apply academic ideas in practice, and develop a network of professional contacts.

After graduation

Our graduates are at the cutting-edge of critical design thinking. They are able to respond creatively to the evolving business environment and have the skills and experience to design innovative products, services and systems.

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
+ Introduction to Design
+ Modernism in the Arts

Second Year
+ Design Thinking
+ Design Studio - Materials
+ Design Studio - People
+ Design Interactions
+ Design Management
+ Critical Reflections

Future careers

+ Design consultant
+ Creative director
+ Service designer
+ UX/UI designer
+ Design futurist
+ Design ethnographer

Why you’ll love us...

“I really enjoyed the flexibility that was offered throughout the course. The design modules that I undertook were extremely hands-on and really added real-life work development.”

Emily Lindsay
Assistant Brand Manager, Rowntrees

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Learn how organisms interact with each other and their environment, and discover the impact of human activity in a series of exciting field-based and lab-taught modules.

Your degree
The flexible nature of our Ecology and Conservation programmes enables you to focus primarily on either ecology or conservation, or to combine the two according to your interests.

You will examine biological ecosystems in which organisms are locked in complex interactions with each other and their environment. It’s a diverse field and your degree focuses on areas including animal behaviour, evolution and global change biology. You will also gain an understanding of how biological principles relate to the conservation of wildlife and ecosystems.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Biodiversity and Conservation
+ Spanish Field Course
+ Zoology

Second year
+ Evolution
+ Field Biology
+ Populations to Ecosystems

Third year
+ Conservation in Practice
+ Frontiers in Ecology and Evolution
+ Research Project (with Lancaster Environment Centre, a commercial partner or at a European University)

Future careers
+ Ecological consultant
+ Reserve manager
+ Natural history film maker
+ Government/NGO scientist
+ Conservation officer
+ Research ecologist

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)
Ecology and Conservation (BSc)
UCAS code: C180
Course length: 3 years
Ecology and Conservation (Study Abroad)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: C182
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)
Ecology and Conservation (Professional Experience)
MSci Hons
UCAS code: OX48
Course length: 4 years

Required subjects
- 2 Science A levels from Biology, Chemistry, Computing, Environmental Science, Geography, Geology, Human Biology, Mathematics, Physics or Psychology.
- GCSE Mathematics grade B.
- GCSE English Language grade C.

Ecology and Conservation (BSc)
A level: ABB
Ecology and Conservation (BSc Study Abroad/MSci Professional Experience)
A level: AAB
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Did you know?
- 10 week internship on our integrated masters degrees
- 90% of our students progress into work or further study within 6 months

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Enjoy the breathtaking natural beauty of the Brazilian Amazon during our third-year field course.

Study abroad
Students on our Study Abroad course will spend their second year at a partner university in the USA, Canada or Australasia.
Studying Economics at Lancaster University gives you the opportunity to experience world-class training in challenging and demanding research-led programmes, with a wide range of optional modules allowing you to tailor your studies to suit your interests and aspirations.

Your degree
You will study Economics from first principles, making our three-year degree equally suited both to beginners who have not studied it before and to students who want to reinforce and develop what they have already learnt at A level.

Our course looks at the theories and techniques used to analyse and guide economic policy decisions, so that you can understand fundamental issues and topical concerns.

Many of our Economics graduates have gained places on leading graduate schemes in banking, international business and consultancy, as well as specialised careers as economists in the public and private sector, whilst other students have gone on to study postgraduate courses at top institutions in the UK and abroad.

On the Industry variant, you have the opportunity to take a full-year industry placement between your second and final years to enable you to put your knowledge into practice. If you follow our Study Abroad variant, you’ll spend your second year at a partner university in North America, Europe or Australasia. This will enable you to broaden your horizons and gain international experience.

Did you know?
#13 for Economics
The Guardian University Guide

Future careers
+ Management consultancy
+ Government and policy making
+ Finance and banking

Opportunities for industry placements
+ Accounting and Economics/NL41
+ Accounting and Economics (Industry)/NL42
+ Economics and Geography/LL71
+ Economics and International Relations/LL12
+ Economics and Mathematics/ GL11
+ Economics and Politics/LL21
+ Finance and Economics/ML31
+ Finance and Economics (Industry)/NL32
+ Mathematics, Operational Research, Statistics and Economics/GLM0
+ Philosophy, Politics and Economics/LOV0

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Principles of Economics
+ Quantitative Methods for Economics

Second year
+ Mathematics for Economics
+ Introduction to Econometrics
+ Intermediate Micro and Macroeconomics
+ Game Theory

Third year
+ Public Economics
+ Health Economics
+ Industrial Organisation
+ International Trade
+ Development Economics
+ Applied Macroeconomics

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Principles of Economics
+ Preparation for Placement

Second year
+ Managerial Economics
+ Business and International Macroeconomics
+ Applied Economics
+ Economic Policy

Third year
+ Business Placement

Fourth year
+ Industrial Organisation
+ International Business
+ Business Placement Dissertation

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Lancaster’s Engineering Department is internationally recognised as being at the forefront of research and innovation. It is one of only a handful of general engineering departments in the country offering an interdisciplinary experience typical of what you will face in modern industry.

CDIO framework
Our degrees are underpinned by the CDIO™ framework – Conceiving, Designing, Implementing and Operating – which prepares the next generation of engineers.

Did you know?
#2 for Mechanical Engineering
The Guardian University Guide

#3 for General Engineering
Complete University Guide

Practical learning
We offer practical and experimental courses to give you hands-on experience of applying the theory you have learnt in lectures.

Graduate employment
New state-of-the-art engineering building with specially designed workshops and laboratories

We have excellent career prospects with a 93.9% three year average for graduate level recruitment after graduation.

Common first year
All our undergraduate engineering degrees begin with a common first year. This means that no matter which discipline you choose you’ll study the same combination of engineering, science and mathematics modules before you specialise in your second year. The modern world requires engineers who can effectively communicate between disciplines and by building on a broad foundation of modern engineering our engineering graduates are able to adapt regardless of how their careers diversify.

Examples of the first year modules you will study:
- Calculus
- Computers and Control
- Design, Innovation and 3D Thinking
- Differential Equations
- Electrical and Electronic Fundamentals
- Energy Technology and Sustainability
- Fundamentals of Chemistry for Engineers
- Fundamentals of Digital Electronics
- Fundamentals of Electronic Instrumentation
- Further Engineering Mathematics
- Introductory Engineering Mathematics
- Process Engineering Fundamentals
- Strength and Materials
- The World of Manufacture
- Transport Technology

Second year onwards
At the end of your first year you can specialise in a particular field of engineering. This allows the flexibility to change degrees from your original UCAS choice.

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Required subjects
A level Mathematics and a Physical Science, for example Physics, Chemistry, Electronics, Design and Technology or Further Mathematics. Minimum of 3 GCSEs grade B to include Mathematics, GCSE English Language grade C.

Engineering BEng
UCAS code: H100
Course length: 3 years

Engineering (Study Abroad) BEng
UCAS code: H101
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

Engineering (Study Abroad) MEng
UCAS code: H104
Course length: 4 years (including a year abroad)

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk

Accreditation
All our degrees are externally accredited, offering a mark of assurance that the degree programme meets the standards defined and set out by the engineering professions. Our three-year BEng degrees meet partial fulfilment of the educational requirements of Chartered Engineer (CEng) status, whereas our four-year MEng degrees meet the full educational requirements. You will graduate with all the necessary underpinning knowledge, understanding and skills for eventual registration as CEng with a licensed professional engineering institution. We hope all our students aspire to registration as professional engineers and as such encourage all students who meet the required threshold at the end of second year to upgrade on to the four-year MEng scheme of study.

Future careers
Many of our graduates go on to work with the companies we have strong links with, often starting on salaries in excess of £24,600 per annum.
Chemical Engineering
BEng Hons/MEng Hons

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

**Chemical Engineering BEng**
- UCAS code: H800
- Course length: 3 years

**Chemical Engineering MEng Hons**
- UCAS code: H811
- Course length: 4 years

**Required subjects**
- A level: Mathematics and Chemistry.
- Minimum of 3 GCSE grade 8 to include Mathematics, GCSE English Language grade C.
- For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

**Chemical Engineering**

Second year
- Thermodynamics and Statistical Mechanics
- Reactors and Equipment
- Particle Technology and Separation Processes
- Process Transfer of Mass and Heat
- Engineering Design Project

Third year
- Chemical Process Design Project
- Advanced Process Transfers
- Energy Conversion
- Chemical Engineering Design and Process Safety
- Engineering Management

Fourth year (MEng only)
- Dissertation Project
- Water Resources and Treatment Technologies
- Electrochemical Engineering
- Wastewater Engineering Technology
- Leadership in Technology

Examples of the modules on offer

**Future careers**

- Design engineer
- Project management
- Consultancy
- Process engineer
- Chemical engineer
- Water engineer
- Communications
- Electronic engineer
- Instrumentation engineer
- Renewable energy
- Design engineer
- Structural consultant
- Project engineer
- Mechatronic engineer
- Systems design
- Engineering Analysis
- Applications engineer
- Health and safety
- Nuclear engineer

Did you know?

- Practical hands-on courses including lab-based sessions and project work
- #6 for Chemical Engineering in The Guardian University Guide
- 5 students to 1 academic tutor in your weekly first year tutorials

**Your degree**

Chemical engineers are employed across a huge variety of sectors and need technical knowledge of chemistry, biochemistry, engineering, materials science and IT as well as skills in management, safety and the environment.

With our emphasis on teaching, design and project work, you will develop strong capabilities in assessing engineering options. This will enhance your capacity to make decisions, use creativity and overcome difficulties. Our multidisciplinary environment helps to foster your competence to deal with unfamiliar situations and those that cross subject boundaries.

Both of these courses are accredited by the Institution of Chemical Engineers (IChemE).

**Examples of the modules on offer**

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- Thermodynamics and Statistical Mechanics
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- Applications engineer
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- Nuclear engineer

**Your degree**

Our three-year BEng course will help you develop a sound foundation in all aspects of Electronic and Electrical Engineering that are crucial to the design and manufacture of future systems in the medical, environmental, energy, transport, communications and ICT markets.

You will receive tuition and guidance from our staff who are leading experts in the areas of electronics design, RF and wireless technologies, sensors and instrumentation, nanotechnology and renewable energy.

The four-year MEng variant of this course is ideal for those who want to be at the cutting-edge of technology. Group work on interdisciplinary projects provides ample opportunity to develop your leadership, entrepreneurial and management potential.

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### Typical entry requirements (See website for full details)

#### Mechanical Engineering BEng
- **A level:** AAB
- **Mechantronics BEng**
  - **A level:** ABB
- **Mechanical Engineering MEng**
  - **A level:** AAA

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

#### Mechanical Engineering BEng Hons/MEng Hons
- **UCAS code:** H300
- **Course length:** 3 years

#### Mechanical Engineering MEng Hons
- **UCAS code:** H303
- **Course length:** 4 years

#### Applications
- **Typical entry requirements**
  - **A level Mathematics and a Physical Science, for example Physics, Chemistry, Electronics, Design and Technology or Further Mathematics.
  - **Minimum of 3 GCSEs grade B to include Mathematics, GCSE English Language grade C.

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk

(See website for full details)

### Why you'll love us...

> "The great thing about Lancaster is that the common first year meant that I gained understanding of all disciplines which provided a good grounding to decide which specialistism to take."  

Ben Gibbons  
Mechatronic Engineering

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### Examples of the modules on offer

#### X Mechanical Engineering BEng Hons
- **UCAS code:** H663
- **Course length:** 3 years

#### X Mechanical Engineering MEng Hons
- **UCAS code:** H666
- **Course length:** 4 years

#### Your degree
Lancaster’s Mechatronics degree programme was the first of its kind in the UK. It was set up in 1984 in response to industry’s clear need for engineers who can work confidently and in depth within an interdisciplinary environment.

The course takes a multi-disciplinary approach and focuses on product design and systems integration using embedded microcontrollers, computers and actuators. In the later parts of the course you can get involved with some challenging research projects such as interfacing satellite navigation systems to mobile robots.

The track record of Lancaster Mechatronics graduates shows that in employment they perform a valuable role in coordinating more specialist engineers, and that some quickly move into engineering project management.

Both of these courses are accredited by the Institution of Mechanical Engineers (IMechE).

#### Flexible options

All our courses are offered as a three year BEng degree or a four year MEng degree and all have the option of spending a year in industry.

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### Examples of the modules on offer

#### Second year
- **Electrical Circuits and Power Systems**
- **Group Project**
- **Product Design and Modelling**
- **Mechanics and Actuators**
- **Interfacing and Integration**
- **Intelligent Systems Control**

#### Third year
- **Individual Project**
- **Group Project**
- **Group Robot Project**
- **Electrical Circuits and Power Systems**
- **System Design and Modelling**
- **Mechanics and Actuators**
- **Intelligent Systems Control**
- **Advanced CAD/CAM**

#### Fourth year (MEng only)
- **Leadership in Technology**
- **System Design and Modelling**
- **Mechanics and Actuators**
- **Intelligent Systems Control**
- **Advanced CAD/CAM**

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### Typical entry requirements (See website for full details)

#### Nuclear Engineering BEng
- **A level:** ABB
- **UCAS code:** H820
- **Course length:** 3 years

#### Nuclear Engineering MEng Hons
- **UCAS code:** H821
- **Course length:** 4 years

#### Applications
- **Typical entry requirements**
  - **A level Mathematics and a Physical Science, for example Physics, Chemistry, Electronics, Design and Technology or Further Mathematics.
  - **Minimum of 3 GCSEs grade B to include Mathematics, GCSE English Language grade C.

For a full list of compulsory and optional modules.
[www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/courses](http://www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/courses)

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### Why you’ll love us...

Our four-year MEng scheme, which is guided by our excellence in the research of nuclear instrumentation, nuclear decommissioning, and chemical processes along with our location relative to Sellafield Ltd, Springfields Fields Ltd and many supporting specialist companies, positions us as an international leader in nuclear engineering systems.

Lancaster’s Nuclear Engineering degree programmes are accredited by both the Institution of Engineering and Technology (IET) and the Institution of Mechanical Engineers (IMechE).
Studying English Language, Linguistics or a combination of those subjects at Lancaster offers you the opportunity to learn about the structure, origins and uses of language in a world class Linguistics department, ranked 15th internationally by the QS World University Rankings, 2016.

English Language and Linguistics
BA Hons

Your degree
Taught by academics and scholars highly rated for both teaching and research, this course focuses on the analysis of contemporary and historical English. The first year of your degree will introduce you to the English language, looking at:
+ How to describe English
+ How English varies
+ How English functions in a variety of contexts

You’ll not only study the traditional linguistic areas of English (eg lexis, grammar, phonetics), but also areas that are often overlooked (eg letters, spellings) and areas that have more recently come to the fore, such as pragmatics and conversation analysis.

You’ll design your own degree, selecting from a wide range of optional modules to develop your strengths and interests, and you can choose to spend a year studying in countries such as the USA, Canada, Australia, Sweden, Switzerland or Germany.

Examples of the modules on offer
Core modules include
+ English Language
+ English Grammar
+ English Phonetics
+ Corpus-based English Language Studies
+ Advanced English Phonetics

Optional modules include
+ Discourse Analysis
+ Stylistics
+ Corporate Communication
+ Language in the Workplace

In your final year, you’ll undertake a dissertation research project, which enables you to independently explore a topic that is especially interesting or relevant to your career, with one-to-one supervision from a leading researcher in your chosen field.

Examples of the modules on offer
Core modules
+ English Language
+ English Grammar
+ English Phonetics
+ The Language of Advertising
+ Understanding Media
+ Dissertation

Optional modules include
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You’ll study the structure, history and uses of the English language along with courses on a fascinating array of topics exploring old and new media and its relationship and interaction with language.

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English Language and Linguistics
BA Hons

Future careers
+ Teaching and education
+ Media and communications
+ Translation
+ Consultancy
+ Speech therapy
+ Computer programming
+ Journalism
+ Publishing

Did you know?
#5
Joint #5 for graduate prospects
The Complete University Guide

Work experience
Annual paid research internships over the summer and during the year

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

English Language / English Language in the Media
A level: AAB

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Examples of the modules on offer
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+ English Phonetics
+ The Language of Advertising
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English Language and Linguistics

BA Hons

Typical entry requirements

English Language and Literature
A level: AAB
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Required subjects
A level English Literature or English Language and Literature grade A.

English Language and Literature
UCAS code: Q302
Course length: 3 years

Why you’ll love us...

“The vast number of skills acquired from two disparate, but complementary subjects, have more than equipped me to apply for jobs in a broad range of professional areas.”
Charlotte Davey, BA English Language and Literature

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
• English Language
• English Literature

Second year
• Stylistics
• The Theory and Practice of Criticism

Third year
• Language and Identities: Gender, Ethnicity and Class
• Language Change in English and Beyond
• Contemporary Literature
• American Literature from 1900

We have a range of state-of-the-art research facilities, including eye-trackers, EEG systems and a very well-equipped phonetics lab which includes the ultrasound tongue imaging camera pictured here.

Combine English Language and Linguistics with...

• English Language and French Studies (4 years)/QR31
• English Language and German Studies (4 years)/QR32
• English Language and Spanish Studies (4 years)/QR34
• English Language with Chinese (4 years)/QR31
• English Language and Linguistics/QQC3
• English Language and Literature/Q302
• English Language and Creative Writing/Q3WV
• English literature and Linguistics/QQ13
• French Studies and Linguistics (4 years)/QR11
• German Studies and Linguistics (4 years)/QR12
• Spanish Studies and Linguistics (4 years)/QR14
• Linguistics with Chinese/Q1T1
• Linguistics and Philosophy/QV15
• Linguistics and Psychology/QQ81

You may also be interested in our English Language and Creative Writing degrees. For the entry requirements for these courses please see the index.

English Language and Literature
BA Hons
UCAS code: Q302
Course length: 3 years

Linguistics
BA Hons
UCAS code: Q100
Course length: 3 years

Linguistics (Study Abroad)
BA Hons
UCAS code: Q102
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

Your degree

This course gives you the opportunity to explore the phenomenon of language, focusing on the sound, grammar and meaning systems of different languages.

Many of the issues addressed by linguistics are of central relevance to our society – for example, the relationship between dialect and social prestige, the challenges and benefits of education in a multilingual environment, and the development of voice recognition technologies.

During your studies, you’ll address intriguing questions, such as how language relates to thought, how a child first acquires language and how our language is similar to and different from social signalling systems used by animals.

You’ll study various aspects of language using a wide variety of methods such as:
• Computerised study of language corpora
• Acoustic analysis of sound patterns
• Analysis of tests, interviews and audio-visual recordings

You’ll design your own degree, selecting from a wide range of optional modules to develop your strengths and interests, and you can choose to spend a year studying in countries such as the USA, Canada, Australia, Sweden, Switzerland or Germany.

Did you know?

• #5 for Linguistics in the Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide
• Home to one of the best resourced phonetics labs in the UK

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For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/
Working with world-leading, inspirational academics, you can tailor your degree to study English Literature on its own, with Creative Writing, or combine either subject with a wide range of other subjects. Our literary expertise is extremely varied, with many exciting areas of research and close links to the literary heritage of the north-west. If you choose to study Creative Writing, you will be taught by published, prize-winning writers whose work includes poetry, novels, short fiction, scripts, literary adaptation, and radio productions.

Your degree

Our English Literature degree provides a thorough grounding in a wide range of authors, genres, historical periods, literary movements, techniques and critical approaches in its first year, building over the next two years in complexity and depth. Our Department has consistently received the highest possible rating in the Teaching Quality Assessment. We offer research-led teaching, with the cutting-edge research of our academics feeding directly into our courses.

Joining high-quality traditional approaches to the subject, we also offer innovative approaches to literary study, including short, intensive introductions to new literary concepts in year one. As you progress through your degree, we encourage you to specialise in theories, genres, and periods that particularly appeal to you. We will also help you develop skills in written and oral presentation, interpretation and analysis that will last you a lifetime.

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
+ An Introduction to English Literature
+ World Literature

Second year
+ The Theory and Practice of Criticism
+ Renaissance to Restoration
+ British Romanticism
+ Victorian Literature
+ Literature and Film
+ American Literature to 1900

Final year
+ Shakespeare
+ Modernism Towards Postmodernism
+ Contemporary Literature
+ Dissertation (on a subject of your choice)

In the final year you can also choose from numerous short courses developed out of our research specialisms, such as:

+ The Bible and Literature
+ The Byron and Shelley Circle
+ Victorian Gothic
+ Women Writers of Britain and America
+ 21st Century Theory
+ Literature and the Visual Arts
+ Contemporary Middle Eastern Literatures
+ Science Fiction
+ Work Placement: Culture, Heritage, and Creative Industries
+ School Volunteering Project

Examples of other modules on offer
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+ Dissertation (on a subject of your choice)

Did you know?

#4 for Creative Writing
The Complete University Guide

#11 for English Literature
The Complete University Guide

#6 for English graduate prospects
The Complete University Guide

Combine English Literature with...

+ English Language and Literature/Q303
+ English Literature and History/QV31
+ English Literature and Linguistics/QV35
+ English Literature and Religious Studies/QV26
+ Film and English Literature/QP33
+ French Studies and English Literature/RQ13
+ German Studies and English Literature/RQ23
+ Spanish Studies and English Literature/RQ43
+ Theatre and English Literature/WQ43

Typical entry requirements

See website for full details
English Literature/Creative Writing
BA Hons

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

English Literature with Creative Writing
BA Hons
UCAS code: Q3W8
Course length: 3 years
Major-minor degree: 75% English Literature, 25% Creative Writing

English Literature, Creative Writing and Practice
BA Hons
UCAS code: QW38
Course length: 3 years
Joint major degree: 50% English Literature, 50% Creative Writing

Required subjects
A level English Literature or English Language and Literature grade A.
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Joint majors will also have a choice of specialist creative writing workshops each year which include:
- Short Fiction
- Poetry Writing
- Narrative and New Media
- Creative Non-Fiction

Future careers
- Publishing and journalism
- Teaching
- Writing for TV and media
- Heritage industries
- Research, writing, and teaching for business
- Performing arts

After graduation
We take your future seriously and Lancaster is one of the best English departments in the UK for graduate employment. We provide a range of opportunities to support you in securing a great job when you graduate:
- Work experience in a range of industries and roles
- Speakers and workshops from literary organisations
- Opportunities to make personal contacts with employers
- A strong set of transferable skills

Combined Creative Writing with...
- English Language and Creative Writing/Q3WV
- Film and Creative Writing/PW38
- Fine Art and Creative Writing/WW18
- Theatre and Creative Writing/WW48
You may also be interested in our English Language degrees.
For the entry requirements for these courses please see the index.

Your degree
The study of literature offers tools and a context in which to improve one's own writing, while the study of creative writing offers the practitioner's perspective on literature. In both schemes, Creative Writing students develop their own writing with the close supervision of published and award-winning authors through practice-based workshops and lectures that address general issues of effective writing and professional development. Assessment for both degree schemes is by portfolio.

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Writing workshops take place at Lancaster’s 12th century castle.
Environmental and Earth Sciences
BSc Hons/MSci Hons

At Lancaster we run a range of world-class degree schemes which address the physical, chemical, biological and geographical processes that control the Earth’s environment and the social, cultural and political factors which shape our interactions with it.

Earth and Environmental Science
BSc Hons
UCAS code: FF68
Course length: 3 years

Earth and Environmental Science (Study Abroad)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: FF6Y
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

Earth and Environmental Science
MSci Hons
UCAS code: 4R71
Course length: 4 years

Earth and Environmental Science (Study Abroad)
MSci Hons
UCAS code: FF86
Course length: 4 years (including a year abroad)

Your degree
Lancaster’s Earth and Environmental Science degrees give you the opportunity to learn about geological processes and the associated geological hazards facing human society, whilst enhancing your academic and practical skills through a strong emphasis on earth science fieldwork.

Combining the fundamental sciences with physical geography and geology, the degrees give you an unprecedented breadth of learning. You’ll examine the geological processes that underpin our planet before linking these to human impacts on the land, atmosphere and oceans.

Study abroad
Students on our Study Abroad courses will spend their second year at a partner university, for example in North America, Australasia or Iceland.

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Required subjects
- Earth and Environmental Science BSc
  A level: AAB

Earth and Environmental Science (Study Abroad) BSc Study Abroad/MSci/MSci Study Abroad
A level: AAB

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 13.

Students on a second-year field trip to Carrock Fell, in the nearby Lake District.

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Environmental and Earth Sciences
BSc Hons/MSci Hons

Your degree
Our Environmental Science degree is the longest running programme of its kind in the UK. The degree involves the integrated study of the challenges facing environments, both natural and man-made. We enable you to combine the disciplines of geography, geology, chemistry and physics to investigate subjects including climate change, energy production, water/soil pollution and geological hazards. We offer theory-based lectures alongside practical work, both in the laboratory and in the field.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Global Environmental Challenges
+ Biogeochemical Cycles
+ Hydrology: Water in the Environment
Second year
+ Atmospheric Science
+ Energy, Economy and the Environment
+ Soil Science
Third year
+ Climate and Society
+ Environmental Remote Sensing and Image Processing
+ Dissertation with Employability Skills or Work Placement
Fourth year (MSci only)
+ Pollution Microbiology
+ Modelling Environmental Processes
+ Environmental Toxicology
+ Research Dissertation

Future careers
+ Water industry
+ National policy development (DEFRA)
+ Environmental consultancy

Why you’ll love us...
“The degree is a mix of both lecture and field-based learning which I feel is essential to such a degree; the vast number of field courses makes the whole experience of learning much more enjoyable.”
Samantha France, Earth and Environmental Science BSc Hons

Environmental Science
BSc Hons
UCAS code: F750
Course length: 3 years

Environmental Science (Study Abroad)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: F754
Course length: 3 years

Environmental Science
MSci Hons
UCAS code: F850
Course length: 4 years

Environmental Science (Study Abroad)
MSci Hons
UCAS code: F851
Course length: 4 years

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Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Environmental Science (BSc)
A level: ABB
Environmental Science (BSc Study Abroad/MSci/MSci Study Abroad)
A level: AAB
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Required subjects
1 Science A level from: Biology, Chemistry, Computing, Environmental Science, Geography, Geology, Human Biology, Mathematics, Physics or Psychology.
GCSE Mathematics grade B, GCSE English Language grade C.

Did you know?
100% overall student satisfaction National Student Survey
#5 for Geography and Environmental Studies The Guardian University Guide

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Study abroad
Students on our Study Abroad courses will spend their second year at a partner university, for example in North America, Australasia or Iceland.
Lancaster’s Film Studies degree is a stimulating and intellectually engaging programme that provides a framework for analysing individual films and understanding the techniques of film production, while allowing you to design your own curriculum based on your own strengths and interests.

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Lancaster’s Foundation Year for Medicine and Surgery provides an opportunity for entry into medical education for intellectually-able individuals who are not eligible to apply for direct entry to the Medicine and Surgery (A100) programme. For example, candidates who are not predicted AAA in their A levels but attend a school whose A level results are below average for state-funded schools in England or high achieving candidates studying the wrong subjects at A level.
At Lancaster we offer a number of distinctive geography degree schemes that will allow you to learn about innovative research and engage in international fieldwork.

Geography
BA Hons/BSc Hons/MArts Hons/MSci Hons

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk

Geography (BA/BSc)
A level: AAB

Geography (all other variants)
A level: AAA

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Required subjects
A level Geography.
GCSE Mathematics grade C,
GCSE English Language grade C.

Your degree
You will undertake an extensive course of study, gain a wide range of skills and have the opportunity to cover many innovative and exciting modules that make geography at Lancaster distinctive.

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
+ Global Environmental Challenges
+ Human Geography: Society and Space
+ Physical Geography: Environmental Processes and Systems
+ Interdisciplinary Skills

Second year
+ Spatial Analysis and Geographical Information Systems
+ Political Geography
+ Earth Surface Processes

Third year
+ Dissertation or Dissertation with Work Placement
+ Environment, Politics and Society in Amazonia
+ Recent Change in Aquatic Environments

Fourth year (MSci only)
+ Disaster Management
+ Sustainable Systems
+ Low Carbon Energy Use

The Geography degree schemes offer many modules that are designed to widen your career options such as:
+ Communicating Geography (in which you will teach Geography as a classroom assistant in a local school)
+ Dissertation with Work Placement
+ Spatial Analysis and Geographical Systems

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#5 for Geography and Environmental Science
Guardian University Guide

Combine Geography with...
+ Economics and Geography/LL71
+ French Studies and Geography/LL71
+ German Studies and Geography/LL72
+ Spanish Studies and Geography/LL74

You may also be interested in our new Environmental Sustainability in China degree.
For the entry requirements for these courses please see the index.

Study abroad
If you choose one of our Geography (Study Abroad) degree programmes you will spend your second year at one of our partner universities in the USA, Canada or Australia. This will allow you to extend your knowledge of geography in a continent with remarkably diverse physical environments, cultures and societies.

Did you know?
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Guardian University Guide
**Geography**

BA Hons/BSc Hons/MArts Hons/MSci Hons

**Typical entry requirements**

(See website for full details)

- **Physical Geography**
  - A level: AAB

- **Physical Geography (Study Abroad)**
  - UCAS code: F840
  - Course length: 3 years
  - A level: AAA

- **Physical Geography (BA Study Abroad)**
  - UCAS code: F847
  - Course length: 3 years
  - A level: AAB

- **Physical Geography (Study Abroad)**
  - UCAS code: 4R63
  - Course length: 4 years

- **Physical Geography (Study Abroad)**
  - UCAS code: 4R64
  - Course length: 4 years

**Required subjects**

A level Geography. Alternatively we may accept a cognate subject from: Biology, Chemistry, Geology, Environmental Studies, Mathematics or Physics.

GCSE Mathematics grade C, GCSE English Language grade C.

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

**Physical Geography**

**UCAS code:** B840

**Course length:** 3 years

**Physical Geography (Study Abroad)**

**UCAS code:** F847

**Course length:** 3 years (including a year abroad)

**Physical Geography (Study Abroad)**

**UCAS code:** 4R63

**Course length:** 4 years

**Physical Geography (Study Abroad)**

**UCAS code:** 4R64

**Course length:** 4 years (including a year abroad)

**Study abroad**

If you choose one of our Physical Geography (Study Abroad) degrees you will spend the second year of your studies at a top university in the USA, Canada, New Zealand or Australia.

**Did you know?**

100% of BSc Physical Geography students were satisfied overall with their course.

**Future careers**

Human Geography sets you in good stead for diverse careers:

- Catastrophe risk analyst
- Environmental consultancy
- Waste water management
- GIS analyst
- Government and public sector conservation
- International trade
- Management consultancy
- Research
- Teaching
- Urban planning

**Modules available include**

- The Dynamic Earth
- Glacial Systems
- Earth Surface Processes
- Rivers, Lakes and Estuaries
- Glacier-Landscape Interactions (Iceland)
- Coastal Processes

**Human Geography**

**BA Hons**

**UCAS code:** L720

**Course length:** 3 years

**Human Geography (Study Abroad)**

**BA Hons**

**UCAS code:** L721

**Course length:** 3 years (including a year abroad)

**Your degree**

Human geography is a social science concerned with the actions, interactions and spatial patterns of people and their communities. It enables you to focus on diverse areas including environmental, cultural and political geography.

**Modules available include**

- Environment and Society
- Africa: Geographies of Transformation
- Development, Geography and the Majority World
- Urban Infrastructure in a Changing World
- Multispecies Geographies
- Food and Agriculture in the 21st Century

**Why you’ll love us...**

"The wide range of modules on offer allowed me to tailor the course to what I enjoyed most and develop skills valued by employers including time management, independent working and some more specialist skills such as GIS and working in labs."

Helen Hollingworth, BSc Physical Geography

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**Did you know?**

We offer field courses around the world, including to Brazil, New York and Croatia

**Ranked in the global top 50 in the QS World University Rankings #46**

**For a full list of compulsory and optional modules:**

www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/courses
Lancaster’s flexible History degree gives you the opportunity to study ancient, medieval, early modern and modern history in a varied programme which focuses on the themes, periods and nations which interest you the most. Our innovative heritage placement provides an opportunity to develop your knowledge and research skills on the job by working with partners like The National Trust and The Greater Manchester Museums Group.

Did you know?

95% overall student satisfaction
Access to over 10,000 rare historical books in our archive
#7 for History Guardian University Guide

Why Lancaster?

From a Roman settlement to 19th century industrialism, the evidence of Lancaster’s rich history is all around you. Museums and quirky outdoor spaces bring stories of witches, the British Empire and royal connections to life. Historic and cultural attractions include:

+ 12th century castle
+ Maritime Museum
+ 18th century Ashton Memorial

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk

Medieval and Renaissance Studies
BA Hons
UCAS code: V125
Course length: 3 years

Your degree

Our Medieval and Renaissance Studies degree allows you to study the history of the period between 300 and 1700 as well as the culture, languages, literature and politics of the time, ranging from Celtic Britain to 17th century Europe.

The first year covers the basics of historical method and research, covering pivotal trends and events in the last 1500 years of European history, and giving you more of an insight into the many options available in your second and third years.

Optional modules include

+ Vikings and Sea-Kings
+ Byzantine and Muslim Sicily
+ The English Civil War

Many of our graduates decide to progress to postgraduate studies, leading to careers in academic research and teaching.

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For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Future careers

+ Civil service and the public sector
+ Journalism and publishing
+ Business, marketing and law

Typical entry requirements

(See website for full details)
Lancaster’s distinctive approach to undergraduate language degrees gives you the opportunity to acquire high-level language skills and a thorough understanding of French, Spanish, German, Italian and Chinese cultures and societies within a global context. In our innovative programmes you can focus on a specific linguistic and cultural context, or explore the relationships between languages and cultures.

Did you know?

#5 for Spanish
The Complete University Guide

All languages are offered as intensive courses for those with little prior language learning

We focus on intercultural study alongside language learning to promote a global understanding

Study abroad

With all courses you will spend a year abroad in one or two countries where your main languages of study are spoken, either:

- As a salaried English language assistant in a school
- On a work placement, or
- Studying at one of our partner universities

This year abroad makes a major contribution to your command of the language, while deepening your intercultural sensitivity.

One year abroad

Typical entry requirements

(See website for full details)

Languages

A level: AAB–ABB

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Required subjects

A level in the relevant language, or if this is to be studied from beginners’ level, AS grade B or A level grade B in another foreign language, or GCSE grade A in a foreign language.

Examples of the modules on offer

First year

- French Studies, German Studies or Spanish Studies (dependent on course)
- The Making of Modern France: The Past in the Present
- The Shock of the New: German 20th Century Culture, History and Society
- History and Culture of Spain and Spanish America

Second year

- Understanding Culture
- Language and Identity in France, Germany and Spain
- Economic and Social Change in France, Germany and Spain since 1945

Third year

- Year abroad in a French, German or Spanish speaking country

Fourth year

- Forms of Modernity in French Literature: 1850–2000
- Literature and Fame in Contemporary Germany
- Latin America and Spain on Film
- Dissertation (compulsory for single majors)

French Studies

BA Hons

UCAS code: R120

Course length: 4 years (including a year abroad)

German Studies

BA Hons

UCAS code: R220

Course length: 4 years (including a year abroad)

Spanish Studies

BA Hons

UCAS code: R410

Course length: 4 years (including a year abroad)

Your degree

These degrees give you the opportunity to acquire both high-level language skills and a thorough understanding of French, German or Spanish cultures and societies within a global context.

Taught by internationally respected researchers, these courses place emphasis on practical language work and communication skills, with opportunities at every stage to study aspects of the culture, thought, society and institutions of French, German and Spanish speaking countries and communities across the world.

Besides core language and culture courses, you’ll be able to design your degree to suit your own interests and strengths, choosing from a broad range of specialist French, German and Spanish courses and cultural, intercultural, historical and political courses promoting comparative understanding, awareness, and competence.

Future careers

- Translation and interpreting
- International development
- Teaching in the UK and overseas
- International marketing and sales

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For a full list of compulsory and optional modules:
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Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Modern Languages
A level: AAB–ABB
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.
Required subjects
A levels in two of the languages to be studied.

Modern Languages and Cultures
A level: AAA–AAB
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.
Required subjects
A level in one or two of the languages to be studied.

Modern Languages
BA Hons
UCAS code: R800
Course length: 4 years (including a year abroad)

Your degree
Lancaster’s Modern Languages degree gives you the opportunity to study three languages from a choice of French, German, Spanish, Italian or Chinese. On this degree you’ll focus on developing fluency and understanding in all three languages alongside exploring the culture and history of your chosen countries.

If you are studying French, German and Spanish, you may choose to drop one of the three languages at the end of the second year.

We offer both advanced courses for those studying from A level and intensive modules for beginners. We normally require you to have a good A level in at least two of the languages, while the third language can be studied from beginners’ or post-GCSE level.

Please note that Chinese and Italian can only be taken as beginners’ languages, and as minors.

One year abroad
Core modules include
+ Oral and Written Language
+ Shaping Contemporary France: Culture, Politics and the Legacy of History
+ Power and Resistance in Spain and Spanish America
+ Post-War German-language, Culture and Identities

Optional modules include
+ Understanding Dictatorship and its Cultural Representation in the Twentieth Century
+ Cross-cultural Encounters in World Literatures
+ Contemporary Cities in Literature and Film

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Advanced French, German or Spanish

Second year
+ Year abroad at a partner institution

Third year
+ Dissertation
+ Witchcraft, Heresy, and Inquisition: The Prosecution of ‘Otherness’ in Europe (14th–17th c.)
+ Imagining Modern Europe: Post-Revolutionary Utopias and Ideologies in the First Half of the 19th Century
+ Translation as a Cultural Practice

Fourth year
+ Researched Dissertation
+ Research Skills for Modern Linguists
+ Reading Theoretically
Languages
BA Hons

Degrees with Minor Chinese

Speak Chinese

The Department of Languages and Cultures offers an intensive beginners’ course in Chinese language and linguistics alongside consideration of the social and cultural context of 21st century China.

Students of Chinese have the opportunity to join a study trip to China during the degree or to take up scholarships for three or six months to study in China either during or after their degree.

French Studies with Chinese
BA Hons
UCAS code: 1S62
Course length: 4 years (including a year abroad)

Your degree

This degree allows you to acquire high-level language skills and a thorough understanding of French and Francophone cultures and societies. The course integrates practical language work and communication skills with the study of aspects of the culture, thought, society and institutions of French-speaking cultures.

Our intensive Chinese course is designed for beginners, and will give you practical and academic skills and understanding of the most widely spoken language in the world, strengthened by an awareness of modern Chinese culture.

One year abroad

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
+ Chinese (Intensive)
+ French Studies

Second year
+ Chinese Language
+ Shaping Contemporary France: Culture, Politics and the Legacy of History
+ French Language

Third year
+ Year abroad in a French-speaking country

Fourth year
+ Chinese Language
+ Chinese Culture and Society
+ Translation as a Cultural Practice
+ Contemporary Cities in Literature and Film

Did you know?

#2 for French and German
The Times and Sunday Times
Good University Guide

Over 60 language degree combinations to choose from

Study French, German, Spanish, Italian and Mandarin Chinese as individual modules or as part of your degree

Future careers

+ Public relations
+ International relations
+ International business
+ Journalism and publishing
+ Corporate communications

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For a full list of compulsory and optional modules:
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Languages
BA Hons

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Linguistics with Chinese
BA Hons
UCAS code: Q1T1
Course length: 3 years

Required subjects
Applicants should have evidence of language learning ability, such as an A level, AS level or GCSE grade A in another foreign language.

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Part I Chinese (Intensive)
+ Linguistics
Second year
+ Chinese Language 2
+ Chinese Language 3
+ Researching Language
+ Structures of the World’s Languages
+ Sounds of the World’s Languages
Plus a choice from modules such as
+ Discourse Analysis: Looking at Language in Use
+ The Language of Advertising
Third year
+ Chinese Language 4
+ Chinese Culture and Society
+ Dissertation
+ Cognitive Linguistics
+ Topics in Phonetic and Phonological Theory

Native Mandarin speakers will not be accepted onto this scheme.

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Languages
BA Hons

Single and joint language degrees
Please note that students on joint degrees (two or three language and language/non-language) undertake half of the modules of a single honours degree; the core of the language and culture modules in the relevant language of a single honours degree, as well as some optional modules.

All our 4 year language degrees include a year abroad.

For the entry requirements for these courses please see the index.

1 Single language degrees (4 Years)
+ French Studies R120
+ German Studies R220
+ Spanish Studies R410

2 Joint language degrees (4 Years)
+ French Studies and German Studies RR12
+ French Studies and Spanish Studies RR14
+ German Studies and Spanish Studies RR24
+ French Studies with Chinese R562
+ French Studies with Italian R1R3
+ German Studies with Chinese 1C44
+ German Studies with Italian R2R3
+ Spanish Studies with Chinese 1T66
+ Spanish Studies with Italian R4R3
+ Modern Languages R800
+ Modern Languages and Cultures R810

Languages
BA Hons

Combine a language with

French (4 Years)
+ Criminology and French Studies MR91
+ English Language and French Studies QR31
+ French Studies and Computing GR41
+ French Studies and English Literature LR13
+ French Studies and Film RP13
+ French Studies and Geography LR71
+ French Studies and History RV11
+ French Studies and Languages QR11
+ French Studies and Mathematics GR11
+ French Studies and Philosophy RV15
+ French Studies and Politics RL12
+ French Studies and Psychology CR81
+ French Studies and Theatre WR41

German (4 Years)
+ English Language and German Studies QR32
+ German Studies and Computing GR42
+ German Studies and English Literature RQ23
+ German Studies and Film RP23
+ German Studies and Geography LR72
+ German Studies and History RV21
+ German Studies and Languages QR12
+ German Studies and Mathematics GR12
+ German Studies and Philosophy RV26
+ German Studies and Politics RL22

Spanish (4 Years)
+ English Language and Spanish Studies QR34
+ Spanish Studies and Computing GR44
+ Spanish Studies and English Literature RQ43
+ Spanish Studies and Film RP43
+ Spanish Studies and Geography LR74
+ Spanish Studies and History RV41
+ Spanish Studies and Languages QR14
+ Spanish Studies and Mathematics GR14
+ Spanish Studies and Philosophy RV45
+ Spanish Studies and Politics RL42
+ Spanish Studies and Psychology CR84
+ Spanish Studies and Theatre WR44

French, German or Spanish (4 Years)
+ Management Studies and European Languages RR92

Chinese
+ English Language with Chinese Q3T1
+ Environmental Sustainability in Contemporary China L270
+ International Management in Contemporary China L280
+ International Relations in Contemporary China L260
+ Linguistics with Chinese QT11
+ Philosophy with Chinese T1A2
+ Politics with Chinese T133
+ Religious Studies with Chinese 1C19
Reading Law at Lancaster gives you the opportunity to gain a strong awareness of the social, political, cultural and historical dimensions of Law. You will benefit from innovative teaching techniques alongside traditional methods and can study Law with a year abroad.

Your degree

Lancaster’s Law degree allows you to develop a comprehensive understanding of the fundamental topics needed for a legal career, and will give you vital legal and employability skills including presentation, public speaking, negotiation, and team-working.

You’ll specialise your field of study to pursue your own professional interests through an extensive list of optional modules, with some covering technical legal topics and others exploring the relationship between law and society.

Core modules

- English Legal System and Methods
- Public Law
- Criminal Law
- Contract Law
- EU Law
- Law of Torts
- Land Law
- Equity and Trusts Law

Optional modules include

- Company Law
- Health Care Law and Ethics
- International Human Rights
- Family Law
- Company Law

Our Law (Study Abroad) programme is a qualifying four-year Law degree designed to provide students with an international and comparative perspective on the law, with the opportunity to study abroad in English at one of our partner universities.

On this degree your third year will be spent at one of our partner universities, where you will choose courses which suit your own interests and aptitudes, before returning to Lancaster in your fourth and final year. Our partner universities include University of Ottawa (Canada), Michigan State University (US), Murdoch University (Australia), Charles University Prague (Europe) and Maastricht University (Europe).

Professional exemptions

With our Law degrees, you can gain full professional exemptions to qualify as a solicitor or barrister by taking and passing several core courses that satisfy the requirements of the professional bodies.

Gain professional experience

As you would expect from a top ten university, there are plenty of opportunities during your course to gain professional experience. You will have the chance to participate in mooting and negotiation competitions, as well as undertaking invaluable pro bono work through The Innocence Project and the School’s Law Clinic. Integrated into the modules are vital skills, such as public speaking, presentation skills, and team working that are highly sought after by all major graduate employers, including law firms.

Placement year

You have the option of a year-long professional placement with a public, private or voluntary organisation in the UK or overseas. This extends your degree to four years and provides a valuable opportunity to gain work experience, apply academic ideas in practice, and develop a network of professional contacts.
Lancaster’s Management degree schemes offer you the choice of either a specialist degree, where your studies will be based in one department, or a multi-disciplinary degree. Our suite of programmes offer you the chance to undertake a work placement, study a language or even gain a second degree from another institution.

Your degree
Studying Business Administration at Lancaster University offers you the opportunity to study a wide range of relevant subjects, providing you with a complete understanding of what is needed to work in business. Alongside this you will spend your third year on an industrial placement.

A key focus of the course is the development of essential managerial skills such as:
+ Team working
+ Leadership
+ Problem solving
+ Effective communication

You will also put your learning into practice in a ten-week team project for a local business in your second year looking at a real issue and providing recommendations to the organisation.

If you choose the Study Abroad degree, you will spend the second year of your course undertaking similar modules in one of our partner universities, allowing you to gain an international perspective.

In the final year you apply your knowledge to a strategic management simulation exercise where your team is in charge of an airline company, providing you with experience of running a business.

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
- Introduction to Management
- Introduction to Business
- Analytics
- Introduction to Marketing

Second year
- Management Accounting for Business Decisions
- Management and Consulting Practice and Critique
- Human Resource Management
- Macro/Micro Economics

Third year
- Industrial Placement

Fourth year
- Strategic Management
- Ethical Responsibility in Business
- Dissertation

Your typical entry requirements
- UCAS code: N200
- Course length: 4 years

Business Administration
(Study Abroad)
BBA Hons
UCAS code: N201
Course length: 4 years
(including a year abroad)

Required subjects
- GCSE Mathematics grade B,
- GCSE English Language grade B.

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
- Introduction to Management
- Introduction to Business
- Analytics
- Introduction to Marketing

Second year
- Management Accounting for Business Decisions
- Management and Consulting Practice and Critique
- Human Resource Management
- Macro/Micro Economics

Third year
- Industrial Placement

Fourth year
- Strategic Management
- Ethical Responsibility in Business
- Dissertation

Why you’ll love us...
“For me, the opportunity to gain real and valuable work experience during the year in industry was the most valuable element. Particularly because my graduate job came from the same company with whom I completed my year placement. Not having to apply for multiple graduate jobs whilst in my busy final year was truly a blessing!”
Jessica Webb

Future careers
Many graduates have successfully secured positions with a variety of blue-chip companies including:

IBM
Deloitte.

Completing an industrial placement has helped many of our graduates to secure positions with top employers.

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Management
BSc Hons/BBA Hons/BA Hons

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

International Business Management (America) BBA Hons
UCAS code: N202
Course length: 4 years (including 2 years abroad)

Required subjects
GCSE Mathematics grade B,
GCSE English Language grade B,
French, German, Italy, Mexico or Spain: A level in the relevant language, or if this is to be studied from beginners’ level, AS grade B or A level grade B in another foreign language, or GCSE grade A in a foreign language.

Your degree
These double degrees provide an international business education in a unique two-country programme. You will study in two prestigious universities and work in two different countries. This allows you to gain work experience in two business cultures. If you take a European or the Mexico variant you will develop your skills in another language. During your first two years, our intensive language courses will help you to gain confidence. You can choose to study French, German or Spanish at an advanced level or beginners’ level, or Italian as a beginner. We offer plenty of support to help new language learners to get up to speed. If you choose to take the North American variant you will study politics and business in your first two years at Lancaster to align with the US curriculum and to broaden your knowledge base. In years three and four, you will study a curriculum equivalent to that in the UK, but taught at one of our partner institutions in the local language, allowing you to experience the culture of that country. You will then graduate from both universities, with two degrees.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Introduction to Management
+ Introduction to Financial Accounting for Managers
+ Introduction to Operations Management
+ Chosen European language

Second year
+ Introduction to Finance
+ Management Accounting for Business Decisions
+ Management and Consulting: Practice and Technique
+ Chosen European language

Partner universities for Years 3 and 4 all belong to the International Partnership of Business Schools
+ NEOMA – Reims, France
+ ESB – Reutlingen, Germany
+ UCSC – Piacenza, Italy
+ EICPE – Madrid, Spain
+ NEU – Boston, USA
+ UDLAP – Puebla, Mexico

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Why you’ll love us...
On the innovative International Business Management double degree you will be a student of two universities, gaining two degrees, alongside work experience in two countries and, with support, boost your competence in two languages – but paying only one set of fees.

Management Studies and European Languages
BA Hons
UCAS code: RN92
Course length: 4 years (including a year abroad)

Your degree
This four-year degree allows you to gain a Management degree alongside developing a high level of ability in a second language (French, German or Spanish), thereby opening up diverse career prospects in globally-oriented organisations. You will gain an understanding of many aspects of business, including Entrepreneurship, Human Resource Management, and Management and Organisations. You are also able to study an additional language (Chinese, French, German, Italian or Spanish – all of which you can start as a beginner) in your first year.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Management and Organisation Studies
+ Introduction to Marketing
+ Written and Oral Major Language (French, German or Spanish)
+ Language in Context Studies
+ Optional - second language Study

Second year
+ Entrepreneurs and Entrepreneurship
+ Marketing Fundamentals
+ Written and Oral Major Language (French, German or Spanish)
+ Language-specific Culture

Third year
+ Placement year or study abroad

Fourth year
+ Entrepreneurship, Strategy and Innovation option
+ Management of Marketing
+ Written and Oral Language
+ Language-specific Culture

For BTEC and IB equivalents please see page 53.
Management
BSc Hons/BBA Hons/BA Hons

Typical entry requirements

Management, Politics and International Relations (Industry) A level: AAB
For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Your degree

Our Management, Politics and International Relations degree is a four-year interdisciplinary programme which includes an integral placement year within an organisation to help you to apply your knowledge to a real-world situation. This degree provides you with an in-depth knowledge of politics, international relations and the management of institutions across various regional and global contexts. It allows you to focus on the issues which are of the most interest to you. In order to deepen your knowledge of management and related issues, you will learn about areas of Management such as Organisation, Work and Technology, Entrepreneurship, and Marketing. This is complemented by modules in Politics and International Relations to give you a more comprehensive understanding of the global business world.

Examples of the modules on offer
Reference

First year
- Management and Organisations
- Politics and Governance in the Modern World
- Introduction to Philosophy

Second year
- Choice of Management modules
- Choice of Politics and International Relations modules
- Business Ethics: Contemporary Issues in Management

Third year
- Placement

Fourth year
- Management and Business in the 21st Century
- Choice of Management modules
- Choice of Politics and International Relations modules
- Dissertation

Did you know?

Students from over 100 countries study on our campus

Future careers

+ General management
+ Finance
+ Government and policy
+ Banking and investment
+ Communication and consultancy

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For Management, Politics and International Relations courses:

Entrepreneurship and Management
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N112
Course length: 3 years

Your degree

The world is continually changing and every business, small or large, needs people with entrepreneurial skills and behaviours.

The BSc Entrepreneurship and Management degree is designed to prepare you to think and act entrepreneurially, whether in the context of large organisations, in small and growing companies, or in starting a new venture. Learning about entrepreneurship is about taking a different approach to your personal and career aspirations, empowering you to make things happen, as well as being resilient to the challenges you may face.

Our Entrepreneurship and Management degrees are different to other Management degrees. They offer the opportunity to build entrepreneurial skills such as creativity, opportunity recognition, sales, finance, entrepreneurial leadership and effective communication. Drawing on world-leading theories for teaching entrepreneurship, you will develop an entrepreneurial mindset through being exposed to the challenges of entrepreneurial projects that involve taking responsibility for creating new ideas, gathering resources and delivering solutions that meet customers’ needs.

In addition, you will have the opportunity to engage with our large base of Entrepreneurs in Residence and leading global business figures, as well as one of the largest teams of top-class scholars in the fields of entrepreneurship and innovation.

Examples of the modules on offer
Reference

First year
- Entrepreneurship: Key Debates and Concepts
- Introduction to Management

Second year
-  Innovation Challenge
-  Entrepreneurial Mindset
-  New Venture Creation

Final year
-  Entrepreneurship Challenge
-  Business Model Innovation
-  Global Entrepreneurship

Future careers

+ Digital start-ups
+ Innovators in large organisations
+ Business consultancy
+ Government and social enterprises

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For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Management
BSc Hons/BBA Hons/BA Hons

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Management and Information Technology (MIT)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: GN52
Course length: 4 years

Your degree
Lancaster’s Management and Information Technology (MIT) degree has been created in partnership with business professionals to give you the ability to apply IT to business situations, evaluate technical knowledge and confidently take on project and team management in IT-related business scenarios.

You will gain a sound academic basis in management, with an understanding of the concepts, debates and issues in the areas of:
+ Change Management
+ Project Management
+ Information Technology Management
+ Information Systems Development

Endorsed by the government’s IT and telecoms skills council (The Tech Partnership) as part of their IT Management for Business undergraduate degree initiative (ITMB), and accredited as a Tech Industry Gold Degree, this course helps graduates to

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Management and Organisational Behaviour
+ Introduction to Management and Information Technology
+ Software Development
+ Information Systems

Second year
+ Financial Accounting for Managers
+ Management and Information Technology
+ Organisational Behaviour
+ Business Analysis

Third year
+ Industry placement with a sponsor company

Four year
+ Managing People and Change
+ IT Service Management
+ Developing Business Information Systems

Learn more about the course and how our degree compares with other universities.

Work placements
Lancaster’s MIT degree is designed in collaboration with the Tech Partnership, and is supported by over 70 major employers including:

P&G
Deloitte
accenture
FUJITSU

These organisations offer full-year industry placements as part of your degree and often recruit MIT graduates soon after the end of the course.

Did you know?
Accredited as a Tech Industry Gold Degree

#8 for Business
Management and Marketing
The Complete University Guide

Future careers
+ Systems analyst
+ General and IT sector management
+ Business and IT consultancy
+ IT and project management

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International Management
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N120
Course length: 3 years

International Management (Study Abroad)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N121
Course length: 4 years
(including a year abroad)

International Management (Industry)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N122
Course length: 4 years

Your degree
Contemporary management is inherently international. This multidisciplinary course exposes you to a breadth of perspectives on how modern organisations operate across borders and equips you with the skills required for future careers which need an international specialism.

On this degree you will develop key managerial knowledge and skills. You will learn about how contemporary organisations function globally and develop awareness of organisational issues relevant to international operations, markets and jurisdictions. You will also enhance your cultural awareness, problem solving and communications skills.

You can also further enhance your international perspective or gain valuable work experience through the study abroad or year in industry variants of the programme.

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Our management degrees explore how the decisions and actions taken by organisations affect the quality of life in many areas of society today. To do so, they draw not just on management theory and aspects of business studies, but bring insights from many different disciplines, including psychology, history and sociology.

Did you know?

#8 for Business and Management
The Complete University Guide

#1 for graduate prospects for Business, Management and Marketing
The Guardian University Guide

Combine Management with...
+ Management and Sociology/ NL23
+ Management and Psychology/ CHM2
You may also be interested in our Entrepreneurship, Information Technology, Marketing or Management degrees.

For the entry requirements for these courses please see the index.

Your degree

Our degrees offer you a wide-ranging programme studying management theory alongside psychology, sociology and history. The teaching approach blends academic material with practical insights and exercises, enabling a critical understanding of the complex world of work and organisations.

The Management and Organisational Behaviour degree enables you to explore many areas of organisational life. This includes how people are managed in organisations, the different approaches to people management and an examination of how organisational actions affect life in contemporary societies.

On the Management and Human Resources degrees you will focus on understanding people – the way they work and how their behaviour can be influenced through people management practices.

Both degrees offer a high level of flexibility as you are able to choose options from across the University throughout the duration of your degree. This provides an exciting opportunity to develop your own specialist areas of interest alongside the foundations of a Management degree.

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
+ Management and Organisational Behaviour
+ Introduction to Marketing
+ Understanding Psychology

Second year
+ Managing People
+ The Changing Role of Management
+ Business Ethics
+ Human Resource Management (HRM)

Final year
+ International HRM
+ HRM: Theory and Practice
+ Work and Employment Relations
+ Ethics and Sustainability
+ Organisational Change

Future careers

+ Human resource management
+ Management consultancy
+ Business management
+ Media and PR

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Typical entry requirements

See website for full details

Required subjects
GCSE Mathematics grade C, GCSE English Language grade C.

Management and Human Resources
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N600
Course length: 3 years

Management and Human Resources (Study Abroad)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N601
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

Management and Organisational Behaviour
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N602
Course length: 4 years

Management and Organisational Behaviour (Study Abroad)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N215
Course length: 3 years

Management and Organisational Behaviour (Industry)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N227
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

Management and Organisational Behaviour (Industry) (Study Abroad)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N228
Course length: 4 years

Management and Organisational Behaviour (Industry) (Study Abroad)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N229
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

Management and Organisational Behaviour (Study Abroad)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N601
Course length: 3 years

Management and Organisational Behaviour (Industry) (Study Abroad)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N228
Course length: 4 years

Management and Organisational Behaviour (Industry) (Study Abroad)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N229
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

Management and Organisational Behaviour (Industry) (Study Abroad)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: N229
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Marketing
BA Hons/BSc Hons

Lancaster was the first university in the UK to establish a department dedicated to Marketing, and has an unrivalled network of graduates working in marketing at the highest levels, both in agencies and client organisations.

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk

Your degree
You will receive an excellent grounding in all areas of Marketing, including understanding consumer behaviour and the role and importance of market research and analysis. You will learn about Marketing as a management function and develop your knowledge of strategic marketing planning. On our three-year Marketing degrees, you will carry out market research projects with ‘live’ clients - including international brands, charities and local companies - to develop your professional consulting abilities.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Introduction to Marketing
+ Marketing Learning Community
Second year
+ Marketing Simulation
+ Consumer Behaviour
+ Routes to Market
+ Digital Marketing
Final year
+ Strategic Marketing
+ Global Marketing Management
+ Marketing Research and Consultancy Project
+ Brand Strategy

Your degree
As well as gaining excellent insight into all aspects of the Marketing discipline, you will undertake an industrial placement and will use that experience, alongside your academic studies, to improve your understanding of management in practice. In previous years, students have secured placements with multinational companies, allowing them to make a distinctive addition to their CV. Through guided learning in your final year, you reflect on your real-world experience and use this in developing a portfolio of professional practice. Graduates have gone on to positions as Marketing Executives, Marketing Management trainees and Management and Marketing Officers, often within multinational companies such as Microsoft, Volvo, Johnson & Johnson.

Did you know?
The longest established Marketing department in the UK
#2 for Marketing
The Complete University Guide
#2 for graduate prospects
The Complete University Guide
93% of Marketing graduates are in a graduate position or further study

Future careers
+ Account manager
+ Creative director
+ Director of brands
+ Brand manager
+ Client manager

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Marketing
BA Hons/BSc Hons

Marketing BSc Hons
UCAS code: N500
Course length: 3 years

Marketing (Study Abroad) BSc Hons
UCAS code: N502
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)
Required subjects
GCSE Mathematics grade B,
GCSE English Language grade B.

Marketing Management BSc Hons
UCAS code: N503
Course length: 4 years

Marketing Management (Study Abroad) BSc Hons
UCAS code: N504
Course length: 4 years (including a year abroad)

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Introduction to Marketing
+ Marketing Learning Community
Second year
+ Marketing Simulation
+ Consumer Behaviour
+ Routes to Market
+ Digital Marketing
Final year
+ Strategic Marketing
+ Global Marketing Management
+ Business to Business Marketing
+ Creative and Critical Communications

Study abroad
If you choose a Study Abroad course, you will spend the second year of your degree at a partner university in North America or Australasia.
Advertising and Marketing
BA Hons
UCAS code: N501
Course length: 3 years

Your degree
This degree will give you a working knowledge of advertising and marketing practices, including a firm grounding in brand strategy, digital marketing and advanced consumer behaviour. You will hear from guest speakers from some of the UK’s top advertising, marketing and design agencies, enabling you to benefit from their expertise. Part of your studies will involve a real-life advertising research project to enable you to develop your practical experience.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Introduction to Marketing
+ Marketing Learning Community
Second year
+ Advertising
+ Marketing Research
+ Consumer Behaviour
+ Market Simulation
Third year
+ Advanced Topics in Consumer Behaviour
+ Brand Strategy
+ Business to Business Marketing

Why you’ll love us...
“I can tell you definitely that getting a Marketing degree from Lancaster was the springboard to getting a job offer from a leading company in the United States and being able to build my company.”
Gian Fulgoni, Chairman and Co-Founder COMSCORE

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Mathematics and Statistics
BSc Hons/MSci Hons

Lancaster’s degrees in Mathematics and Statistics are flexible, allowing you to specialise in the field of study most relevant to you across the disciplines of algebra, analysis, probability and statistics in a growing department with a strong international reputation.

Your degree
Problem solving skills lie at the heart of mathematics. From your first week, you will take part in regular classes to develop problem solving and teamwork skills, ensuring that you are a highly competent graduate valued by employers. Our degrees include training in:

+ Report writing
+ Mathematical computing
+ Presentation skills

In addition, final year MSci students write a dissertation in either pure mathematics or statistics under the supervision of an active researcher in the field. There is also the option of writing this dissertation as part of a collaborative project with industry.

Our nine single-honours degrees share a common core for the first two years, thus building foundations for further study in:

+ Algebra
+ Analysis
+ Probability
+ Statistics

In your second year you’ll choose to complete either a three year BSc Hons, or a four year MSci, specialising in either pure mathematics or statistics, or taking a combination of the two.

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Mathematics and Statistics
BSc Hons/MSci Hons

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Financial Mathematics
BSc Hons
UCAS code: GN13
Course length: 3 years

Financial Mathematics
MSci Hons
UCAS code: GN1H
Course length: 4 years

Financial Mathematics (Industry)
BSc Hons
UCAS code: GN1J
Course length: 4 years

Required subjects
A level Mathematics grade A.

For IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk

Your degree

These degrees explore the core
elements of finance and mathematics
that underpin the operation of financial
markets, preparing you for a wide
variety of careers in business and the
finance sector.

Core finance modules provide a
thorough grounding in corporate
finance, computing, quantitative
methods and economics and will be
complemented by your mathematics
studies.

Industrial placement

As part of the Financial Mathematics
(industry) degree, you will spend your
third year undertaking a paid work
placement in industry.

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
- Introduction to Accounting and Finance
- Discrete Mathematics
- Probability

Second Year
- Advanced Principles of Finance
- Introduction to Economics for Managers
- Real Analysis

Third Year
- Corporate Finance
- Probability Theory
- Stochastic Processes

Fourth Year
- Dissertation
- Assessing Financial Risk
- Derivatives Pricing

If you’re studying for the MSci,
you’ll write a substantial dissertation
in your final year with one-to-one
supervision from an active researcher
from the Mathematics and Statistics,
Accounting and Finance, Economics
or Management Science departments.

On completion of your MSci, you’ll
have Masters level proficiency in
mathematical analysis, probability,
statistical inference, financial
stochastic processes and optimisation.

Future careers

+ Software engineer
+ Teacher
+ Accountant
+ Biostatistician
+ Civil servant
+ Risk analyst
+ Statistical officer
+ Quantitative analyst
+ Actuary
+ Data scientist
+ Economist
+ Financial consultant

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For a full list of compulsory
and optional modules:
www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/
undergraduate/courses
As global citizens, we are surrounded by images, texts and messages communicating competing ideas, opinions and values. The study of media has never been more vital.

OurMedia and Cultural Studies degree provides you with the theoretical insights, analytical skills and wide-ranging knowledge needed to explore the production, meaning and consumption of media and cultural products, to investigate their social, economic and political significance, and to recognise their key role in shaping who we are, what we think, and what we value.

Our degree is primarily theoretical and analytical, but contains practical components and skills embedded within the core curriculum.

Flexible degree

Our Media and Cultural Studies degree can be personalised to match your interests. Whether you want to explore diverse topics or can’t decide which subject to major in, our flexible degree helps you explore what you are passionate about.

Did you know?

#2

Joint #2 for Communications and Media The Complete University Guide

Future careers

+ Journalism and media

+ Creative sectors

+ Advertising and marketing

For a full list of compulsory and optional modules: www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/courses

Why you’ll love us...

“Coming from Los Angeles, I immediately found the most collaborative, supportive, fun and inventive colleagues and students. My practice-based classes on the art, science and theory of viral YouTube videos, computer art, Twitter, music mash-ups, and DJ culture wouldn’t happen anywhere else!”

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For a full list of compulsory and optional modules: www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/courses
Lancaster Medical School admits 54 students per year to our five-year Medicine and Surgery programme which combines a problem-based learning structure with early patient contact and is supplemented with lectures and clinical anatomy teaching. You will be trained in clinical and communication skills and you will spend years 2–5 on placements in the acute hospitals and primary care settings of North Lancashire and South Cumbria.

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Required subjects
A level Biology and Chemistry, both at grade A.
IB Diploma: Biology, Chemistry and one other at Higher Level (6, 6, 5 points), plus 3 subjects at SL (5, 5, 5 points) minimum points score 36
GCSE: Minimum score of 15 points from 9 subjects (A or A* = 2 points; B = 1 point). The 9 subjects must include Core and Additional Science (or Biology, Chemistry and Physics), Maths and English (grade B or above).
English language proficiency: If you are applying from outside the UK or if English is not your first language, you must demonstrate proficiency in English through either IELTS (Academic, at least 7.0 in each component) or the Pearson PTE Academic qualification (at least 70 in each component) BEFORE applying.

Selection: Selection for interview is based on your record of previous academic achievements, your Biomedical Admissions Test (BMAT) score and other detailed information on your UCAS application. Evidence of healthcare experience and people skills – in the NHS or a care setting, for example – will be required. The interview process at Lancaster Medical School consists of multiple mini interviews (MMI). Please see the website for more details.

Did you know?
Two days per week in hospital throughout year 2
State-of-the-art anatomy facilities opened in 2014
#10 for medicine The Times and Sunday Times University Guide
#4 for overall student satisfaction

Future careers
+ Clinical practice – requires further postgraduate training
+ Public health
+ Medical research

For a full list of compulsory and optional modules: www.lancaster.ac.uk/medicine

Why you’ll love us...
“Studying medicine at Lancaster has so far been fantastic. The knowledge base and passion of both the academic and the clinical tutors has honestly been inspiring.”
Matt Birch
Year 3 2015-16

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Your degree
Our five-year undergraduate medical degree programme will equip you with the skills, knowledge, values and attitudes to prepare you for modern medical practice and to deliver excellent patient care in your future clinical careers.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Problem-Based Learning
+ Clinical Anatomy
+ Clinical Skills Training
+ Communication for Medical Practice
Second year
+ Clinical Anatomy
+ Hospital Placement (2 days per week)
+ Community Placement
Third year
+ Women and Children
+ Care of the Elderly
+ Managing Long-Term Conditions
+ Therapeutics and Sexual Health
+ Community Mental Health

You can also pursue your own areas of interest through four Special Study Modules that broaden your experience and develop skills that are essential for applying scientific rigour in your future medical practice.

Fourth year
+ Hospital Placement (3 days per week)
+ General Practice (1 day per week)
+ Acute Adult Care
+ Palliative Care
+ Obstetrics and Gynaecology
+ Psychiatry
Fifth year
+ Acute Care
+ Community Placement
+ Shadowing an FY1 doctor
+ Selectives in Advanced Medical Practice

Future careers
+ Clinical practice – requires further postgraduate training
+ Public health
+ Medical research

Medicine
MBChB

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Many recent breakthroughs in science and technology have been the result of interdisciplinary collaborations. Physicists are making major contributions to medicine; computer scientists are helping chemists predict the outcome of new chemical reactions; mathematics and statistics are becoming essential tools in biology, psychology and environmental science. By studying a Natural Sciences degree you are telling a prospective employer that you are prepared to think and work across conventional science boundaries and are not limited by a single subject.

Our degrees were established in 1987, making them one of the longest running Natural Sciences programmes in the country. Unlike other institutions which package disciplines together, we let you choose your own combinations.

Did you know?

- Our degrees allow you to pick from a wide choice of scientific areas and study two or more science subjects throughout your degree course.
- Unlike traditional science degrees, Natural Sciences allows you to select either three sciences or two sciences and a non-science subject.
- This is a challenging programme as you will be taught to the same depth of understanding as single honours students in each subject.
- All students begin their degree studying three subjects. You can choose either three sciences or two sciences and a non-science subject. Subjects include:
  - Biological Sciences
  - Chemistry
  - Communications
  - Computing
  - Engineering (Electronic and Mechanical)
  - Environmental Science
  - Geography
  - Mathematics
  - Physics
  - Psychology
  - Plus a wide range of humanities and social sciences

At the end of your first year, you can continue studying all three subjects with a two subject degree.

In your second year you will begin to specialise in your chosen subjects selecting modules from a series of pathways. On the BSc programme, you continue into your third and final year studying the subjects you chose in your second year.

On our Study Abroad degrees you have the opportunity of spending one year of your course studying at one of our partner universities in North America, Australia or New Zealand.

We offer one of the most flexible Natural Sciences degree schemes in the country. Unlike other institutions which package disciplines together, we let you choose your own combinations.

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For a full list of compulsory and optional modules:
www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/courses

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Studying Philosophy at Lancaster gives you the opportunity to learn about and debate important philosophical questions with expert academics, and also to apply philosophical methods to contemporary ethical, social, and political problems.

Did you know?

- Specialists in applied ethics and the philosophy of science
- Flexible to let you explore links with other subjects
- #6 for Philosophy
  The Times and Sunday Times
  University Guide

A degree in Philosophy will equip you with many skills that employers look for, including:

- Critical reasoning
- Clarity of thought
- Concise accurate communication
- Problem solving

#6 for Philosophy
The Times and Sunday Times
University Guide

Did you know?

- English Literature and Philosophy/QV35
- Ethics, Philosophy and Religion/ VV56
- Film and Philosophy/PV35
- French Studies and Philosophy (4 years)/RV15
- German Studies and Philosophy (4 years)/RV25
- History and Philosophy/VVC5
- History, Philosophy and Politics/ VL0
- Linguistics and Philosophy/QV15
- Mathematics and Philosophy/ GV15
- Philosophy and Politics/ VL52
- Philosophy and Religious Studies/VV60
- Philosophy with Chinese/1A22
- Spanish Studies and Philosophy (4 years)/RV45

You may also be interested in our Politics and International Relations degrees and Religious Studies degrees.

For the entry requirements for these courses please see the index.

Course length:

- 3 years

Future careers

- Teaching
- Academic research
- Journalism
- NGOs
- Government
- Civil service

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For a full list of compulsory and optional modules: www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/courses

Examples of the modules on offer

Core modules
- Introduction to Philosophy
- Ethics, Philosophy and Religion

Optional modules include
- Modern Political Thought
- Philosophical Questions in the Study of Politics and Economics
- Economics for the Real World
- Managerial Economics
- International Economics

Philosophy

BA Hons

UCAS code: V500

Course length: 3 years

Your degree

During your studies you will approach challenging questions through the history of philosophy, studying figures such as Plato, Descartes, Kant and Nietzsche, and also via contemporary philosophical debate.

Studying philosophy at Lancaster is not simply a matter of learning about philosophy – we encourage you to develop your own critical perspective on philosophical problems and questions. You’ll also develop analytical skills that will help you to think creatively and self-critically.

Our degree programmes are very flexible. After your first year you choose from a wide range of optional modules across philosophy and other disciplines to design a programme tailored to your own interests.

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
- Introduction to Philosophy
- Ethics, Philosophy and Religion

Second year
- Philosophy of Mind
- Philosophy of Science
- Ethics: Theory and Practice

Third year
- Continental Philosophy
- History of Twentieth Century Philosophy
- Logic and Language

Placement year

There is the opportunity for a year-long placement with a public, private or voluntary organisation in the UK or overseas. This extends your degree to four years and provides a valuable opportunity to gain work experience, apply academic ideas in practice, and develop a network of professional contacts.

Future careers

- Teaching
- Academic research
- Journalism
- NGOs
- Government
- Civil service

For a full list of compulsory and optional modules: www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/courses

Examples of the modules on offer

Core modules
- Introduction to Philosophy
- Ethics, Philosophy and Religion

Optional modules include
- Modern Political Thought
- Philosophical Questions in the Study of Politics and Economics
- Economics for the Real World
- Managerial Economics
- International Economics

Philosophy

BA Hons

UCAS code: L0V0

Course length: 3 years

Your degree

Philosophy, Politics and Economics (PPE) is a classic joint degree and one of our most popular choices. During your degree you will explore important philosophical, economic and political ideas in relation to one another.

You’ll examine the history and basis of political ideas and critically reflect upon the nature and activities of political institutions.

Critically engaging with a range of economic models and theories, you will also learn how political decisions concern, and are influenced by, economic matters.

You’ll also gain a solid foundation in philosophy, which develops your critical reasoning skills and understanding.

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Required subjects
- GCSE Mathematics grade B
- GCSE English Language grade C

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.
Lancaster’s Physics degrees are recognised for providing an outstanding physics education combining fundamental concepts with cutting-edge topics.

Physics
BSc Hons/MPhys Hons/MSci Hons

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk

Your degree
Physics is an exciting subject that is fundamental to developments in modern society. Applications of the subject range from the very pure to the very practical.

Our Physics degree equips you with a broad conceptual and practical working knowledge of physics, along with key transferable skills such as logical thinking, problem solving, numeracy and computer literacy which enable you to embark on a wide variety of career paths.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Quantum Physics
+ Electromagnetism
+ Classical Mechanics

Second year
+ Quantum Mechanics
+ Relativity, Nuclei and Particles
+ Scientific Programming and Modelling Project

Third year
+ Particle Physics
+ Atomic Physics
+ Condensed Matter Physics

Optional modules include
+ Quantum Computation
+ Matter at Low Temperatures
+ Space Physics

Project work is carried out in both your second and third years. In addition, in the final year of the MPhys programme you will take part in an extended investigative project in one of our leading research groups, with access to our unique world-leading facilities.

Examples of recent projects include:
+ Vortices in superfluids
+ Single photon photodiodes
+ Nanoscale probe microscopy of graphene
+ Experimental quantum technologies
+ Nanomechanical resonators

Your degree
This degree develops your understanding of the relationship between the physical laws of the universe and the astrophysical and cosmological domains.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Quantum Physics
+ Electromagnetism
+ Classical Mechanics

Second year
+ Quantum Mechanics
+ Relativity
+ Astronomy
+ Astrophysics
+ Cosmology

Third year
+ Particle Physics
+ Atomic Physics
+ Stellar Astrophysics
+ Big Bang Cosmology

Fourth year (MPhys only)
+ Quantum Computation
+ Matter at Low Temperatures
+ Space Physics

In the final year of the MPhys degree scheme, you’ll also complete an extended research project with an expert in your chosen field, working on topics such as:
+ Binary variable stars
+ Cosmic radio noise
+ Gravitational waves
+ Cosmic inflation

Flexible degree
All our Physics courses are flexible and follow a common first year. This allows you to transfer between all our MPhys and BSc courses as long as academic prerequisites are met.

Study abroad
You can spend the third year of our MPhys/MSci degrees at a partner university in Australia, New Zealand, the USA, Canada or Europe.

For IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Required subjects
A level Mathematics and Physics.
### Physics

#### BSc Hons/MPhys Hons/MSci Hons

#### Typical entry requirements

**Physics with Particle Physics and Cosmology (BSc)**
- UCAS code: F321
- Course length: 3 years
- Required subjects: A level Mathematics and Physics.

**Physics with Particle Physics and Cosmology (MPhys)**
- UCAS code: F340
- Course length: 4 years
- Required subjects: A level Mathematics and Physics.

**Physics with Particle Physics and Cosmology (MSci)**
- UCAS code: F360
- Course length: 4 years
- Required subjects: A level Mathematics and Physics.

#### Your degree

Lancaster’s particle physicists work with state-of-the-art particle accelerators to investigate and identify the nature of space and time. Our resident astrophysicists and cosmologists employ all of their creative and mathematical abilities to explain the early history of the universe in a way that complements and supports observational and experimental data.

In the final year of the MPhys programme, you’ll have access to experimental data from the Large Hadron Collider at CERN and the T2K neutrino experiment in Japan, and will carry out an extended investigative project in an area that interests you.

Recent project topics include:
- Cosmology
- The Higgs particle
- Quantum
- Neutrino oscillations
- Galaxies and dark matter

#### Examples of the modules on offer

**First year**
- Quantum Physics
- Electromagnetism
- Classical Mechanics

**Second year**
- Quantum Mechanics
- Relativity
- Quantum Theory
- Gravitation and Cosmology

**Third year**
- Particle Physics
- Atomic Physics
- Condensed Matter Physics
- Elementary Particle Physics

**Fourth Year (MPhys only)**
- Quantum Information
- Advanced Gravity and Relativity

In the final year of our four-year MPhys course you can choose from a range of topics for your extended project including:
- Gravitational waves
- Quantum computation
- Physics of graphene
- Photonic crystals

#### Did you know?

- Our resident astrophysicists work with state-of-the-art particle accelerators to investigate and identify the nature of space and time.
- We have fantastic relationships with these world-leading organisations:
  - CERN
  - FERMILAB
  - T2K
  - EUROPEAN SPACE AGENCY
  - NASA

#### Research-led teaching

All our degrees are accredited by the Institute of Physics.

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#### Future careers

- Scientific research
- Management consultancy
- Research and development
- Nuclear physicist
- Medical physicist
- Teaching
- Postgraduate Study

#### We’re well connected

We have fantastic relationships with these world-leading organisations:
- CERN
- FERMILAB
- T2K
- EUROPEAN SPACE AGENCY
- NASA

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For a full list of compulsory and optional modules: www.lancaster.ac.uk/physics

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#### Did you know?

- #1 for graduate prospects
- Guardian University Guide
- #1 for Physics and Astronomy in The Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide

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For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Studying Politics and International Relations at Lancaster gives you the opportunity to explore issues and events that are shaping the modern world while developing your skills in research, analysis and communication. We offer a wide range of modules in topical subject areas, so you can tailor your degree to match your personal interests.

Did you know?

Joint #4 for graduate prospects
The Complete University Guide

#5 for Politics
Times and Sunday Times
Good University Guide

Placement year
There is the opportunity for a year-long placement with a public, private or voluntary organisation in the UK or overseas. This extends your degree to four years and provides a valuable opportunity to gain work experience, apply academic ideas in practice, and develop a network of professional contacts.

Study abroad
If you follow our Study Abroad degree, you can spend your second year at one of our partner universities in the USA or Canada. The year provides an invaluable opportunity to experience a different society, culture and political system while furthering your studies.

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

Politics
BA Hons
UCAS code: L200
Course length: 3 years

Politics (Study Abroad)
BA Hons
UCAS code: L201
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

Your degree
This degree explores the themes, concepts and events that have shaped the contemporary political scene, and will allow you to analyse themes such as:
+ War and peace
+ Poverty and inequality
+ Order and justice
+ Governance and power

You’ll learn from academics committed to both teaching and research and will increasingly specialise through an extensive range of modules which focus on topical questions concerning government and politics in Britain, Europe and the world.

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Politics and International Relations in the Contemporary World
Second year
+ The United Kingdom: State, Politics and Policy
+ Modern Political Thought
Third year
+ Britain in the World
+ Africa and Global Politics
+ Liberals and Communitarians

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Politics and International Relations in the Contemporary World
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+ The United Kingdom: State, Politics and Policy
+ Modern Political Thought
Third year
+ Britain in the World
+ Africa and Global Politics
+ Liberals and Communitarians

Examples of the modules on offer
First year
+ Politics and International Relations in the Contemporary World
Second year
+ The United Kingdom: State, Politics and Policy
Third year
+ Contemporary Issues in the Middle East
+ Globalisation and Transnational Politics
+ Global Governance and Legal Structures

Politics and International Relations
BA Hons

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)

International Relations in Contemporary China
BA Hons
UCAS code: L260
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

International Management in Contemporary China
BA Hons
UCAS code: L270
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

Environmental Sustainability in Contemporary China
BA Hons
UCAS code: L280
Course length: 3 years (including a year abroad)

Your degree

In these three interconnected degree schemes, Chinese and non-Chinese students will learn to tackle the big challenges facing the world in the areas of international relations, environmental sustainability and international management – complex issues which can only be tackled through an interdisciplinary approach that takes China’s rise into account.

After a first year at Lancaster University, you will spend the second year overseas. Chinese nationals will go to Lancaster’s partner universities in Europe, Australia, Canada or the US to gain a truly international perspective on China’s role in the world. Those learning Chinese will spend the year at a Chinese university where teaching is in English. In the third year you will continue to learn about contemporary China, put your knowledge into practice through work experience, and specialise in the pathway of your choice.

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
+ Contemporary China
+ Chinese (intensive) (for non-Chinese speakers)

Depending on your pathway:
+ Politics and International Relations in the Contemporary World
+ Management and Organisational Behaviour
+ Managing Organisations, Human Resources and Technology
+ Society and Space
+ Geographical Skills and Applications

Why you’ll love us...

“The course allowed me to expand my horizons by interacting with different people, develop interpersonal and communication skills and also gain independence and confidence.”

Li Mengting, BA Politics and International Relations

Second Year (abroad)
+ A range of specialist modules depending on host institution

Third Year
+ Chinese (for non-Chinese speakers)
+ Chinese Foreign Relations in Practice (work experience)
+ Chinese Society and Culture
+ Dissertation

Depending on your pathway:
+ Politics of Cultural Diversity
+ International Human Resource Management
+ Environment and Society

Future careers

+ Teaching
+ Journalism
+ Government
+ International Business and Finance
+ International Charities

Combine Politics and International Relations with...

+ Economics and International Relations/LL12
+ Economics and Politics/LL21
+ French Studies and Politics (4 years)/RL12
+ German Studies and Politics (4 years)/RL22
+ History and International Relations/VL12
+ History and Politics/LV21
+ History, Philosophy and Politics/VOL0
+ International Relations and Religious Diversity/6B71
+ Law with Politics/M1L2
+ Management, Politics and International Relations (Industry)/N230
+ Philosophy and Politics/VL52
+ Philosophy, Politics and Economics/L0V0
+ Politics and Religious Studies/LV26
+ Politics and Sociology/LL23
+ Politics with Chinese/1T33
+ Politics and International Relations/L269
+ Spanish Studies and Politics (4 years)/RL42

You may also be interested in our Philosophy degrees and our Religious Studies degrees.
For the entry requirements for these courses please see the index.

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Study in a vibrant department, under the expert tuition of active researchers who are at the cutting-edge of modern psychology. Our degree programmes, accredited by the British Psychological Society, will equip you with skills that are highly valued by employers and will prepare you for your chosen career path.

Psychology BA Hons/BSc Hons/MPsych Hons

- **Psychology**
  - UCAS code: C802
  - Course length: 3 years
- **Psychology (Study Abroad)**
  - BA Hons
  - UCAS code: C803
  - Course length: 4 years (including a year abroad)
- **Psychology (MPsych)**
  - UCAS code: C804
  - Course length: 4 years

**Your degree**
You’ll be taught by active researchers meaning that as well as gaining essential knowledge of the key themes, you will have access to the latest thinking and research. Through a mix of lectures, seminars and practicals, you will develop your knowledge and skills, particularly in research methods and statistics. We encourage you to be increasingly independent in your study so that by the time you reach Year 3 you are confident in choosing the modules that best suit your interests, and will put into practice the skills that you have learnt in your own research project. You can choose to graduate with a BA or BSc – our academic support system will help you develop a plan to make this choice and prepare you for your chosen career path.

You will study the key themes of modern psychology:
- How people think
- How children develop
- How the brain works
- How people interact

**Typical entry requirements**
(See website for full details)

- Psychology BA/Hons/BSc(Hons)
  - A level: AAB
- Psychology BA(Hons)/BSc(Hons)/Study Abroad
  - A level: AAA

You’ll also develop your awareness of good research techniques and strategies which will help you both in your analysis of other studies and in your own research.

In your final year you can narrow your field of study and specialise in areas that are the most relevant to your own interests, choosing from a wide range of options taught by experts in the field.

**Examples of the modules on offer**

- **First year**
  - Understanding Psychology
  - Investigating Psychology
- **Second year**
  - Cognitive Psychology
  - Brain and Behaviour
  - Social Psychology
  - Developmental Psychology
  - Personality and Individual Differences
- **Third year**
  - Forensic and Investigative Psychology
  - Clinical Psychology
  - Prozac Nation: Pharmacology
  - The Psychology of Attention
- **Fourth year (MPsych only)**
  - Psychological Aspects of Advertising
  - Analysing Talk and Text
  - Research Methods in the Study of Infant Development

**Study abroad**
Boost your studies and gain valuable experience by spending your third year overseas with one of our partner institutions. You’ll benefit from studying in a different academic environment, having access to new research and will broaden your academic network.

Current opportunities for Study Abroad are in:
- America
- Hong Kong
- Australia
- The Netherlands
Psychology
BA Hons/BSc Hons/MPsych Hons

Voluntary Placement
Volunteering is an excellent way of gaining insight into a career in psychology. The placements that we offer will make you attractive to prospective employers or prepare you for continuing your research after graduation.
Current opportunities include:
+ Age UK: coping alone support
+ Making Space Support Housing: group activity coordinator
+ Lancaster University BabyLab: research assistant
+ Lancaster University Emotion and Communication Lab: research assistant

Further training
Students wishing to enter the psychology professions need to undertake further Masters or Doctoral study, and often gather additional relevant experience by working as:
+ Support workers
+ Mental health workers
+ Assistant psychologists
+ Teaching assistants

We offer a range of postgraduate psychology courses which can be found at www.lancaster.ac.uk/psychology/postgraduate

Did you know?
Structured psychology-relevant work experience
One of the largest human developmental centres in the UK
98% of students progress into work or further study within 6 months

Future careers
+ Clinical psychology
+ Forensic psychology
+ Marketing and advertising
+ Education and healthcare
+ Health and sport psychology
+ Social services

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Combine Psychology with...
+ Biology with Psychology/C1C8
+ French Studies and Psychology/CR81
+ German Studies and Psychology/CR82
+ Linguistics and Psychology/CQ81
+ Management and Psychology/CR82
+ Marketing with Psychology/N5C8
+ Spanish Studies and Psychology/CR84

For the entry requirements for these courses please see the index.

Specialised laboratories
Specialised laboratory facilities are available for:
+ Neuropharmacological testing
+ Sleep research
+ Computational neuroscience
+ Eye tracking
+ Motion capture
+ Virtual reality

Psychology
BA Hons/BSc Hons/MPsych Hons

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Religious Studies at Lancaster gives you the opportunity to study the world’s religious traditions, to develop your skills in critical thinking, and to gain a deeper awareness of cultural diversity. Our programmes will also give you an informed understanding of the conflicts and challenges of the contemporary world.

### Did you know?

- #4 in the UK for Religious Studies
- #4 in the UK for the impact of our research beyond the academic community
- #1 in the UK for English Literature and Religious Studies
- #1 in the UK for History and Religious Studies
- #1 in the UK for International Relations and Religious Diversity
- #1 in the UK for Philosophy and Religious Studies
- #1 in the UK for Politics and Religious Studies
- #1 in the UK for Religious Studies and Sociology
- #1 in the UK for Religious Studies with Chinese
- #1 in the UK for Social Work, Ethics and Religion

You may also be interested in our Philosophy degrees and Politics and International Relations degrees. For the entry requirements for these courses please see the index.

### Placement year

There is the opportunity for a year-long placement with a public, private or voluntary organisation in the UK or overseas. This extends your degree to four years and provides a valuable opportunity to gain work experience, apply academic ideas in practice, and develop a network of professional contacts.

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For a full list of compulsory and optional modules, visit www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/courses

### Examples of the modules on offer

#### First year

- Re-imagining the Modern World
- Constructing Ethics in Christianity and Islam
- Sociology of Religion
- Hinduism in the Modern World
- Buddhism and Society

#### Second year

- Religion and Violence
- Media, Religion and Politics
- New Religions and Alternative Spiritualities
- Religion in Schools
- Dissertation

#### Third year

- Religion and Violence
- Media, Religion and Politics
- New Religions and Alternative Spiritualities
- Religion in Schools
- Dissertation

### Placement year

There is the opportunity for a year-long placement with a public, private or voluntary organisation in the UK or overseas. This extends your degree to four years and provides a valuable opportunity to gain work experience, apply academic ideas in practice, and develop a network of professional contacts.

### Future careers

- Teaching
- Police
- Journalism
- Law
- Social work
- Caring professions

### Typical entry requirements

See website for full details.

### Did you know?

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- #1 in the UK for History and Religious Studies
- #1 in the UK for Philosophy and Religious Studies
- #1 in the UK for Politics and Religious Studies
- #1 in the UK for Religious Studies with Chinese
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### Examples of the modules on offer

#### First year

- Ethics, Philosophy and Religion
- Ethics, Theory and Practice
- Cross-Cultural Ethics
- Western Philosophy and Religious Thought

#### Second year

- Ethics, Theory and Practice
- Cross-Cultural Ethics
- Western Philosophy and Religious Thought
- New Religions and Alternative Spiritualities
- History of 20th Century Philosophy
- Dissertation

### Placement year

There is the opportunity for a year-long placement with a public, private or voluntary organisation in the UK or overseas. This extends your degree to four years and provides a valuable opportunity to gain work experience, apply academic ideas in practice, and develop a network of professional contacts.

### Future careers

- Teaching
- Police
- Journalism
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- Social work
- Caring professions

### Typical entry requirements

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### Did you know?

- #4 in the UK for Religious Studies
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- #1 in the UK for History and Religious Studies
- #1 in the UK for Philosophy and Religious Studies
- #1 in the UK for Politics and Religious Studies
- #1 in the UK for Religious Studies with Chinese
- #1 in the UK for Social Work, Ethics and Religion

You may also be interested in our Philosophy degrees and Politics and International Relations degrees. For the entry requirements for these courses please see the index.
A degree from one of the top Social Work Departments in the UK will allow you to develop the specific, up-to-the-minute skills and knowledge needed to establish yourself in the profession. Our teaching is based on sector-leading research that informs national social work strategy. You will explore how to apply social, scientific and legal knowledge to different social work situations, with placements that provide valuable experience of the role of a social worker.

**Did you know?**

- **#1 for Social Work**
  - Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide
- **170 days on placement**
- **Joint 1st for career after 6 months**
  - Guardian University Guide

**Future careers**

- Statutory social work
- International aid
- Campaign management
- Advocacy
- Community management
- Non-governmental organisations
- Research

**Officially recognised**

Both Social Work courses are endorsed by Health Care and Professions Council (HCPC).

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For a full list of compulsory and optional modules:

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**Social Work BA Hons**

**UCAS code:** L500

**Course length:** 3 years

**Your degree**

This degree explores the nature, origins and values of social work and the economic, organisational policy and social circumstances in which it is practised, setting issues in the context of class, gender, race and ethnicity and disability.

A degree in Social Work requires a high level of vocational commitment and we provide two practice placements across 170 days.

Placements are an excellent way of getting to know the role of a social worker and give hands-on experience to back up classroom learning. This ensures that when you graduate you are prepared for work in the rapidly changing environments of social care.

**Your Social Work modules will include**

- **First year**
  - Social Work Practice
  - Contemporary Social Problems
- **Second year**
  - Autumn Placement
  - Social Work Practice 2
  - Social Work with Children and Families
  - Social Work and Adult Social Care
  - The Research Minded Practitioner
  - Social Work with Young People
- **Third year**
  - Mental Distress and Health
  - Social Work and Drug Use
  - Dissertation
  - Spring Placement

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**Social Work, Ethics and Religion MSW Hons**

**UCAS code:** L5V6

**Course length:** 4 years

**Your degree**

This integrated four-year degree is the only one of its kind in the UK. It offers a professional qualification to practice social work and graduate at masters level, whilst also providing you with a background in the world’s major religious and ethical traditions. This degree combines our full BA Social Work degree with additional ethics and religious studies components.

Facing escalating demands in terms of internationalisation and employability, students will benefit from a degree that combines a professional qualification with a field of study that fosters a deeper awareness of cultural diversity and an informed understanding of the conflicts and challenges of the contemporary world.

This degree requires a high level of vocational commitment, and we provide two social work practice placements across 170 days.

Placements are an excellent way of getting to know the role of a social worker and give hands-on experience to back up lecture and seminar learning. This ensures that when you graduate you are prepared for work in the rapidly changing environments of social care.

**Social Work, Ethics and Religion modules**

- **First year**
  - Social Work Practice
  - Contemporary Social Problems
  - Religions in the Modern World
- **Second year**
  - A choice of Religious Studies options
  - Social Work and Drug Use
  - Social Work with Children and Families
  - Social Work with Young People
- **Third year**
  - A choice of Religious Studies options
  - The Research Minded Practitioner
  - Mental Distress and Health
- **Fourth year**
  - An Ethics and Religion option
  - Social Work and Adult Social Care
  - Dissertation

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**Typical entry requirements**

(See website for full details)

**Required subjects**

- GCSE Mathematics grade C
- GCSE English Language grade C
- A level: ABB
- For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.
The need for genuine sociological insight has never been more acute. Sociology is about people, real life, real problems and real challenges. The Sociology degree at Lancaster will change the way you think forever.

Why Lancaster?
You will be taught by some of Europe’s foremost sociologists in a department nationally and internationally renowned for creative and ground-breaking research. Since 1986, we have been consistently ranked in the top 5 of all Sociology Departments in the UK for the excellence of our research.

Did you know?
#1 for student satisfaction
Guardian University Guide

#4 for Sociology
Guardian University Guide

Top 40 in the QS World Rankings

Combine Sociology with…
+ Criminology and Sociology/ LM39
+ Film and Sociology/ PL33
+ Management and Sociology/ NL23
+ Politics and Sociology/ LL23
+ Religious Studies and Sociology/ VLF3

You may also be interested in our Media and Cultural Studies degrees and Social Work degrees.

Your degree
We live in a highly complex and rapidly changing world. A few enjoy unprecedented levels of material comfort, access to information and education, health care and life expectancy, speed and scope of communications, and ease of movement. At the same time, many are beset by seemingly intractable problems of poverty, inequality, conflict, discrimination, injustice, and all of us must face up to urgent global threats such as finite resources, demographic changes, and climate change.

Sociology will enable you to move beyond commonplace everyday assumptions about the world, to explore contemporary human interdependencies, opportunities and challenges, and, through sustained critical analysis, to identify necessary constructive action.

Examples of the modules on offer
Core modules
+ Introduction to Sociology
+ Understanding Social Thought
+ Researching Social Life
+ Independent Dissertation Project

Optional modules include
+ Gender and Women’s Studies
+ Viral Video Production
+ Society and Drugs
+ Terror
+ Sociology of the Future
+ Media in the Global Age
+ Violence and Society
+ Health, Life and Bodies
+ Sociology of Disasters
+ Bodies in Society

Please see our website for our full module list.

Personal Development
Throughout your degree you will have diverse opportunities to gain professional skills and experience. You can participate in field trips, placements, studying abroad, film screenings, public events, seminars and major international conferences. The connections and experience that you will gain will help to ensure that you stand out to prospective employers.

Flexible degree
Our Sociology degree can be personalised to match your interests. Whether you want to explore diverse topics or can’t decide which subject to major in, our flexible degree helps you explore what you are passionate about.

Placement year
There is the opportunity for a year-long placement with a public, private or voluntary organisation in the UK or overseas. This extends your degree to four years and provides a valuable opportunity to gain work experience, apply academic ideas in practice, and develop a network of professional contacts.

Typical entry requirements
(See website for full details)
Sociology
A level: AAB–ABB

For BTEC and IB Diploma equivalents please see page 53.

Future careers
+ Research organisations
+ Specialist recruitment
+ Community engagement
+ Social enterprises
+ Charitable sector
+ Law and allied professions

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Did you know?
#1
#4
Top 40

Guardian University Guide
Guardian University Guide
QS World Rankings

#1 for student satisfaction
Top 40 in the QS World Rankings

#4 for Sociology

For more information please visit www.lancaster.ac.uk
Join a small, specialist programme which focuses on the 20th and 21st centuries. We offer an intellectually stimulating but flexible degree where theory and practice are balanced to encourage independent learning, original thinking and creative performance.

Our resources include a professional theatre and art gallery, a £10m building with three sprung-floor event spaces, an installation studio, workshops and seminar rooms.

Did you know?
#1 for Drama, Dance and Cinematics
The Times and Sunday Times Good University Guide

#2 for graduate prospects
Complete University Guide

Study abroad
You can spend your second year at one of our exchange universities in Australia, Canada, France, or USA. This exciting opportunity will expand your cultural knowledge and broaden your experience of theatre through courses carefully chosen to complement those offered at Lancaster.

Why you’ll love us... Lancaster University’s Nuffield Theatre is nationally recognised as a key venue for cutting-edge, contemporary theatre, dance and live art. It is the UK’s largest black box theatre. Here you can watch, interact with, and learn from internationally respected performers and practitioners.

Examples of the modules on offer

First year
+ Introduction to Drama, Theatre and Performance
+ Modernism in the Arts

Second Year
+ Modern Dance
+ Post-war European Playwrights
+ Performing the Avant-garde
+ Theatre Practice
+ Theatre Techniques

Third Year
+ Advanced Theatre Practice and Final Degree Performance
+ Contemporary Dance and the Visual Arts
+ Contemporary European Postdramatic Theatre
+ New Writing in British Theatre
+ The Popular, Political and Avant-garde

Future careers
+ Actor, dancer, presenter
+ Media journalist
+ Teacher, lecturer
+ Public relations

Placement year
There is the opportunity for a year-long placement year with a public, private or voluntary organisation in the UK or overseas. This provides extends your degree by four years and a valuable opportunity to gain work experience, apply academic ideas in practice, and develop a network of professional contacts.

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