

Postgraduate Prospectus 2026





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The future starts with you

Excellence is in our nature

We're a World Top 140 university* and a founding member of the prestigious Russell Group of world-class, research-intensive UK universities. Our diverse community welcomes students from all countries and backgrounds to be part of our legacy of pioneering learning, teaching and research.

A history of ambition

Founded during the Industrial Revolution, visited by royalty and political leaders, and recognised for our world-leading research, our University's history spans over 190 years. Since 1834, we've pursued ambitious goals, continuously striving to expand our understanding of the world. Through innovation and creativity, we've pushed the boundaries of knowledge, fostering a culture of excellence and leadership.

Building a better society

Our commitment to nurturing generations of students goes beyond education. We're committed to social and environmental justice in everything we do. Our pioneering research supports the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (UNSDGs) seeking peace and prosperity for all people and the planet, now and in the future.

We aim to build a society that's better, stronger, and fairer – empowering our alumni to create outstanding impact around the world. With over 270,000 alumni, our global community is a testament to our legacy.

Global partnerships and collaborations

We've cultivated strategic partnerships with industries and employers worldwide – creating collaborations that generate ideas and solutions for the economic, social, and cultural benefit of our world. Together, we're helping to shape a brighter future for all.

Explore a world of possibilities

Choose from over 270 postgraduate degrees, each designed so that you develop the skills and knowledge for your future career. Our nationally and internationally respected courses offer a wealth of opportunities for personal and professional growth.

Embracing diversity and inclusion

Join our inclusive student body spanning campuses in Newcastle, Singapore and Malaysia. Our 29,000-strong student community is drawn from over 135 countries. We celebrate diversity and proudly stand as a University of Sanctuary for those seeking safety and a better life. We're dedicated to promoting gender equality in research and academia, and hold an Athena Swan Silver Award in recognition of this.



I've benefitted from supportive teachers who have helped me navigate the transition to a UK university. I've found the learning experience at Newcastle University to be enriching, and I appreciate the opportunities I've had to develop new skills and perspectives throughout my academic journey here.

Victor
Digital Business MSc



Preparing for success

We are committed to helping you access real-world experience opportunities and develop sought-after skills through paid work placements and internships. Our comprehensive teaching and dedicated student support services are tailored to equip you for a successful future.

An affordable city bursting with character

Newcastle is recognised as one of the UK's Top 5 student cities and a Top 5 city for affordability in the UK*. Rich in culture, history and architectural beauty, it serves as the cosmopolitan capital of the North East. Newcastle also has a lower cost of living compared to other cities in the country, meaning your budget will go further here. With us, you can experience the city at its best from our centrally located campus.

A supportive community

You'll be part of a community of around 6,500 postgraduate students, forming friendships and creating experiences that will stay with you long after you leave. From our dynamic Students' Union and expert Careers Service, to our professional health, wellbeing, and student support teams, we'll help you make the most of your postgraduate experience at Newcastle.

Our graduates are in demand

We've been awarded 5 QS Stars for Student Employability (2025). Many of our degrees are shaped by our strong links with national and international businesses, including our Principal Partner, Siemens. Selected courses are also developed and accredited by professional organisations. Throughout your degree, you'll be supported with expert advice to help you take the next steps in your professional life – both while you're studying with us, and for three years after you graduate.

Groundbreaking research

Our growing portfolio of Centres of Research Excellence deliver multi-disciplinary research, co-ordinating our response to the world's major challenges. In the latest Research Excellence Framework (2021) 42% of our research classed as world-leading in its originality and significance, and we hold 5 QS Stars for Research (2025).

Inspiring excellence every day

Experience the power of education under the guidance of gifted educators and world-class experts. Our teaching is rated 5 star (QS Stars 2025) and by studying with us you'll gain first-hand insights and learning experiences from academics at the top of their field. We strive for the extraordinary, inspiring every individual to maximise their full potential.



Nattakorn

Accounting, Finance and
Financial Analysis MSc



Newcastle isn't just a city; it's a welcoming community where people make all the difference. Rain or shine, the lively spirit and friendly faces make every day in Newcastle feel like home.



Our 190-year history

Step back in time and explore some of the milestones that have shaped us over our 190-year history.



1800

1834

A School of Medicine and Surgery – the foundations of Newcastle University – is established.

1849

Alumnus John Snow, one of the fathers of epidemiology, identifies cholera as a waterborne disease.

1871

The College of Physical Science – later Armstrong College – opens.



1911

The Arches are built, becoming a symbol of the University.



1900



1920

Chemist, Prof Walter Haworth begins a five-year tenure at Newcastle. He will go on to receive the Nobel Prize in Chemistry in 1937.

1927

Our School of Art awards the first Fine Art BA degree in the UK.



1937

Armstrong College and the School of Medicine and Surgery merge to form King's College.

1945

Two Northumberland farms are officially adopted, supporting over 100 years of world-leading agricultural research and teaching.



1947

A memorial garden to staff and students who died during the two world wars is built in the Old Quadrangle.

1955

Richard Hamilton's exhibition 'Man, Machine and Motion' establishes Newcastle as the birthplace of Pop Art.



1967

American Civil Rights leader, Dr Martin Luther King Jr, visits campus to receive an honorary degree.

1994

We become a founding member of the prestigious Russell Group – 24 world-class, research-intensive UK universities.

2000
onwards



In the 21st century we're building on our strong heritage.

We're now home to a vibrant international community of 29,000 students from over 135 countries. We have three campuses – Newcastle, Singapore and Malaysia – and an inspiring global network of more than 270,000 alumni.

Our work to understand and protect our world, to build a better society, for everyone, continues.

Explore more about our history at
ncl.ac.uk/history



Who we are



**World Top 140
university**

(QS World University
Rankings 2026)



**Top 20 university
in the UK**

(Times Higher Education
World University Rankings 2025)



**5 QS Stars
for student
employability**

(2025)



**Top 5 city for
affordability
in the UK**

(QS Best Student Cities 2026)



**Strong
employer links**

with international businesses
including, Siemens RIE, PwC,
Dyson, Procter & Gamble,
Accenture

**RUSSELL
GROUP**
founding
member



World Top 50 & UK Top 5 student city

(QS Best Student Cities 2026)



University of Sanctuary

a place of safety,
solidarity and
empowerment for all



65% increase in research power since 2014

(Research Excellence
Framework 2021)



Leading research powerhouse

for ageing and health, data, culture
and creative arts, cities, and a
sustainable future for our planet



88% score in Quality of Research Supervision

(Postgraduate Research
Experience Survey 2023)



Top 10 for sport in the UK

(BUCS Ranking 2023–24)



5+ QS Stars for overall excellence

(2025)



56th in the world and 19th in the UK for sustainability

(QS World University Rankings: Sustainability 2025)



270+
postgraduate
degrees



160+
societies



60+
sports clubs



Our impact

We're working together to tackle some of the biggest challenges the world has ever known.

Across our University strengths in ageing and health, culture and creative arts, one planet, data, and cities and place, we're changing lives.

From unraveling the mysteries of long Covid to pioneering new cancer treatments, our exploration extends from understanding our past to probing the depths of space and the evolution of galaxies.

Protecting the future of our planet is paramount – whether through innovative sustainable technologies or driving the electric revolution in the UK. Our efforts span across predicting the intensity of tropical storms, studying the arts' impact on dementia, and preserving global heritage in times of conflict.

Together, we strive to make a meaningful difference in our world. Find out more about our University strengths ncl.ac.uk/strengths

From Newcastle. For Research. For Innovation.

Explore cutting-edge research and innovation at Newcastle University through the lens of our From blog. Read the latest stories, gain valuable insights, and access expert commentary from our community. from.ncl.ac.uk



Click to watch our strengths in action

Stories from real people, bringing the work of our researchers to life.

Ageing and health

We're helping people live healthier, happier, longer lives.

From understanding rare diseases to comprehending multi-morbidity and ageing, we're identifying and treating age-related diseases, working tirelessly to make a difference to the lives of others.

With an ageing population and declining birth rates impacting healthcare, the economy, and our society. Our awareness of diseases impacting quality of life in later years is expanding – and it's underscoring the importance of proactive self-care to prevent avoidable diseases.

Persistent health inequalities persist – driven by socioeconomic status, race, and disparities in healthcare access – leading to differential health outcomes and resource distribution. This highlights the urgency of targeted interventions to address and mitigate such health inequalities.

With our excellence in medicine in both the UK and Malaysia, alongside our collaborative work with the National Innovation Centre for Ageing and Academic Health Science Centre amongst others, we're helping to create a world in which we can all live better, for longer.

Through our efforts in ageing and health research – from cancer drug discovery and development, to revolutionising treatment of type 2 diabetes – we're helping to shape positive change in society, for the benefit of all.

ncl.ac.uk/health



Our goal is to build on the success of the last 20 years and find the most appropriate therapy for every child with cancer. We want to make discoveries here in Newcastle, by working as part of a worldwide community, that can ultimately improve research and treatments to children right around the world.

Professor Steven Clifford
Chair of Molecular Paediatric Oncology
and Director, Newcastle University
Centre for Cancer



Our impact

Culture and creative arts



We're challenging historical perspectives and enriching the future through arts and culture.

Producing work that pushes boundaries of disciplines and practices, we're providing evidence-based research and creative practice to address some of the major challenges facing society today. By interrogating the past, we can understand the world around us, while also protecting cultural richness for future generations.

Global culture and creative arts hold immense potential to advance knowledge, enrich experiences, spark public discourse and tell impactful human-centred stories. Prioritising the understanding and preservation of our global culture is paramount.

Our cultural partnerships connect our innovative work with the public. We are the home for Newcastle Centre of Literary Arts (NCLA), the Farrell Centre and Special Collections and Archives, and have strong working connections with local cultural venues such as the Great North Museum: Hancock and the Hatton Gallery.

Through our role as lead partner for the Creative Industries Policy and Evidence Centre, and our connections with the Northern Creative Corridor – we chart a course towards a richer future enhanced by culture and creative arts.

nclac.uk/culture



My primary research interests include the intersection of poetry with other disciplines (history, politics, music, photography), the knowability of the past, the articulacy of poetic form, and the power of rigid belief systems (both political and religious) in a radically uncertain age.

Professor Sinéad Morrissey

Professor of Creative Writing, TS Eliot and Forward prize winning poet

**Member of the N8 Group –
the most research intensive
universities in the north of
England**

Find out more
ncl.ac.uk/strengths



Professor Jonathan Sapsed
Professor of Entrepreneurship
and Innovation

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The University's record in developing students in arts and culture is well known and it has deep and intimate links with the surrounding institutions and ecology.

This is where my work and the work of the Creative Policy and Evidence Centre fits, with our relationships with government departments, regional government, industry associations, and agencies across the UK and internationally. We analyse how culture and creative practice interact with the economy and this complements the work of our excellent artists and cultural experts across the University.



Our impact

One planet

We're working to ensure that there is enough, for everyone, forever.

With increasing populations and expanding industries, our planet is confronting unprecedented challenges. The devastating effects of climate change are wreaking havoc on ecosystems and endangering biodiversity.

As pollution worsens and energy demands soar, natural resources face immense strain. Developing sustainable energy systems is becoming increasingly imperative.

By prioritising sustainability, we're not only addressing climate change, but also creating new opportunities for green jobs and economic growth.

Our commitment ensures a healthier environment for future generations while positioning the UK as a global leader in clean energy solutions.

Together, we're building a future that's both innovative and environmentally responsible.



Whether it's safeguarding river deltas futures, driving the transition to low-carbon energy and transport in the UK and internationally, or developing biotechnologies to create a new generation of living buildings, we're dedicated to embedding social and environmental justice throughout our activity.

Aligned with the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (UNSDGs), we're addressing global challenges of inclusivity and accessibility in order to leave no one behind – pursuing peace and prosperity for people and the planet, both now and for the years to come.

Our commitment to the UNSDGs helps to shape our operations and approaches to teaching, research and innovation.

We firmly believe in contributing to a sustainable future for a better world - with an improved quality of life for all.

ncl.ac.uk/oneplanet



56th in the world and 19th in the UK for sustainability

(QS World University Rankings: Sustainability 2025)



Queen's Anniversary
Prize in Water Security
(2022-2024)

Find out more
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Professor Claire Walsh

Professor in Water Security,
Deputy Head of the Water Group
in the School of Engineering



We have developed a portable 'lab in a suitcase', which allows researchers and scientists to go anywhere in the world, including remote locations, and screen potentially unsafe water.

We have already trained nearly 150 researchers, regulators and industrialists in the use of the 'lab in a suitcase' in the UK, Malaysia, Cambodia, India, Nepal, Vietnam, Thailand and Ethiopia.

I work in collaboration with all those involved in decision-making so that cost-effective, efficient and sustainable approaches and solutions to real-world problems can be achieved, both now and in the future.



Our impact

Data

We're unlocking the power of data to discover solutions and drive innovation.

We're exploring the importance of using data for public good. We're dedicated to managing, analysing, and understanding the potential of data to fuel innovation, foster experimentation, and uncover solutions. While also training the next generation of leaders in data science.

The challenge that we face isn't simply about how we collect data, it's how we extract value from it.

The volume of available data is expanding exponentially – and with it, opportunities. However, as a society, we lack confidence in the safest and most effective methods of utilisation. Widespread scepticism and mistrust persist, particularly concerning the inherent risks of irresponsible data usage. Exploring the importance of using data for public good is key.



Ultimately, my research seeks to push the boundaries of quantum science and technology, paving the way for innovative applications and advancements in fields ranging from quantum computing to energy conversion and beyond.

Dr Obinna Abah

NUAcT Fellow (Data/Mathematics, Statistics and Physics)

Artificial intelligence is revolutionising the information landscape, heightening the necessity for ethical and responsible data usage guidelines. As the demand for knowledge and deeper insights increases, ensuring ethical and responsible use of data is crucial.

Through our partnership with the National Innovation Centre for Data, alongside The Alan Turing Institute - the UK's national institute for data science and artificial intelligence – we're using data to transform research across the University, train future data science leaders, and share data expertise for societal, economic, and academic advancement.

We're dedicated to promoting equality of opportunity and unlocking data's potential to drive innovation and discover solutions.

ncl.ac.uk/data-innovation



Cities and place

We're helping to build sustainable communities fit for the future.

Through innovative solutions, we're striving to expand social and economic opportunities. Our focus lies on developing cleaner, greener, and more sustainable ways of living, actively championing positive change within our global society.

As the world's population increases, our communities grow and change, presenting many challenges. Preserving green spaces and natural environments is crucial in a world where resources are under intense pressure. In addition, the escalating cost of living poses challenges for many, influencing lifestyles and life expectancies within communities.

Growing disparities between socioeconomic classes intensify health and wellbeing issues while limiting social and economic prospects.

Our University was originally founded to educate pioneers of the industrial revolution and address social challenges like public health. This founding ethos remains ingrained in our institution today.

Through our Engagement and Place Strategy, and our work at the Farrell Centre widening the debate around the crucial roles that architecture and planning play in the contemporary world, we're leading conversations about the future of cities and place. Alongside our other regional and global partnerships, we're helping to create a fairer and more just society for everyone.

ncl.ac.uk/cities-place



I have a unique opportunity with the Newcastle University Academic Track (NUAcT) Fellowship, as it allows me to explore unique research questions that can't be pigeonholed to one discipline.

My research explores the intersection of design and biotechnology – I believe we need photosynthesis to be more integrated into the built environment, particularly cities.

The motivation behind my research is to solve some of the ecological crisis (for example, electrical waste) and within this biophotovoltaics research, we're talking about something potentially game-changing.

Dr Marin Sawa
NUAcT Fellow
(Biotechnology Architecture)



Big city in a small space

A special place

Newcastle is a World Top 50 and UK Top 5 student city* and it's easy to see why.

Vibrant, exciting and effortlessly cool, it's the heart of our North East region, and our campus stands proudly in the centre.

With so much to see and do, and a welcoming multicultural community, you'll feel like you belong – one in six people here is a student.

It's also a compact city; easy to navigate on foot or by bike, with easy cycling routes to popular student suburbs and plenty of green spaces to enjoy on a sunny day.



High Bridge



Grey Street



Baltic Centre for Contemporary Art and The Glasshouse International Centre for Music

Well connected

Fast road links connect the city with the rest of the UK. Regular trains from Newcastle Central Station make exploring hassle-free, whether that's a day trip to Edinburgh, just one and a half hours away, or a journey to London, in under three hours.

Direct flights to multiple UK and worldwide destinations from our international airport provide opportunities to visit new places, while making sure home is never far away.

A Metro transport system – the busiest light rail system outside of London – links our airport and railway station, as well as Newcastle's suburbs, and the beautiful North East coastline, which is just 25 minutes from the city centre.

Friendly and affordable

Natives of Newcastle are affectionately known as 'Geordies', but no-one really knows where the nickname came from.

Whatever the origin of the word 'Geordie', it's become synonymous with a city where the local people are known for their warmth, big personalities and great sense of humour. Newcastle is a place where you'll feel at home.

Your student budget will also go further here, too. **A Top 5 city for affordability in the UK***, Newcastle has a lower cost of living compared to other cities in the country. Student discounts and local travel passes make travel, both across the city and the wider North East, cost-effective.

*QS Best Student Cities 2026



Grey's Monument



St James' Park



City living

Newcastle's skyline is a rich architectural vista of historic and contemporary buildings – and one of the best places to enjoy the view is from the top of Grey's Monument.

Set in the heart of Grainger Town, the climb to the top of this landmark is worth it, to see the city's historic quarter stretching out before you.

You can explore Grainger Town's indoor market serving up fresh groceries, breakfasts, brunches, pizza, tapas and more, catch a West End show at Newcastle's Theatre Royal, or see the world go by from one of the many cafés that line the magnificent Grey Street.

Stroll along Northumberland Street, the pedestrian-friendly shopper's paradise that runs through the city centre. Or head to Chinatown with its ornate paifang (archway) built by Shanghai craftsmen that leads on to a colourful community of shops, businesses, and restaurants.

Just a 20-minute walk from the city centre is the Quayside, a hub of music, food and nightlife loved by students. It's here you can see the seven bridges Newcastle is famous for, including the iconic Tyne Bridge and eye-catching Gateshead Millennium Bridge.

Not far from the centre, our creative quarter – Ouseburn – boasts a thriving arts scene and community-run farm. For café culture and independent local shops, try Jesmond, Heaton, Ouseburn and Gosforth – easily accessed by public transport or a leisurely walk.





Find out more
belong.ncl.ac.uk/explore-newcastle

World Top 50 and UK Top 5 student city

(QS Best Student Cities 2026)

Outdoor spaces

Across Newcastle, over 30 parks and open spaces help paint the city green.

In nearby Jesmond and Heaton, a public wooded dene creates a wildlife corridor with two adjoining parks. Perfect for walking, cycling and picnics on a sunny day, look out for the Shoe Tree where students throw old shoes up into the branches to celebrate the end of exams.

With a history dating back to the 12th century, the Town Moor comprises around 1,000 acres of open space. A unique backdrop for walking and cycling, it hosts the annual Hoppings – Europe's largest travelling funfair.

On the edge of campus, Exhibition Park is a perfect spot for picnics, with a lake, pavilion, skate park, all-weather sports court and café. It's also home to The Palace of Arts, a micro-brewery that hosts live music and events.

Art, music and culture

It's easy to soak up some culture in Newcastle starting with six theatres, multiple museums, cinemas and art galleries.

Unique venues include the BALTIC, a former flour mill that's now a centre for contemporary art, and The Glasshouse that overlooks the River Tyne. This music centre is almost as famous for its iconic glass and steel structure as it is for the international musicians that perform here.



Chinese New Year in Newcastle

Click to watch our video to find out from our students the best bits of living in Newcastle – from the warm 'Geordie' welcome and creative atmosphere, to the beautiful beaches and wonderful places to eat.



Big city in a small space

Theatre Royal



Grainger Town

Nights out

Newcastle's nightlife is legendary – from bars and clubs set among classical architecture, to gigs and comedy nights, crazy golf and ghost tours.

Catch live music and new bands at local pubs and larger gigs at concert venues such as Utilita Arena Newcastle. See global stars at Newcastle United's stadium St James' Park which has famously hosted some of the biggest artists, from the Rolling Stones to Ed Sheeran and Tyneside-born singer songwriter Sam Fender.

If you enjoy contemporary theatre and live performances, Newcastle boasts six theatres to choose from. Among them, the Theatre Royal stands out as one of only nine Grade I listed theatres in England, alongside the city's Tyne Theatre and Opera House. It stages between 350 and 400 performances annually, including touring productions from London's West End.

Food and eating out

Our food scene is influenced by cultures from around the globe. Whether you're keen to try something new, or are craving a particular delicacy from your home culture, you'll be able to satisfy your appetite.

Enjoy street food, eat out at independent cafés and fine dining restaurants, or shop at local supermarkets and outdoor markets for the freshest of ingredients.

Take your taste buds on a world tour thanks to discount deals during NE1 Restaurant Week. Visit the Quayside Market's street food vendors for lunch on-the-go every Sunday, and enjoy fresh, locally caught fish at one of Newcastle's many fish and chip shops.

Newcastle is also the birth place of the national bakery Greggs, so if a pasty is more to your taste, you've come to the right place.



Beyond campus, there is such a strong sense of community here. If you need help with anything, reach out to people, there is an entire city ready to help you.

Akash
Business Analytics MSc



Great North Run



Hatton Gallery

Find out more
ncl.ac.uk/city-life

Sport

Newcastle is a proud sporting city. Home to Premier League Newcastle United Football Club, you'll hear the roar of devoted 'Toon Army' fans resounding across the city on match day. You can even take a rooftop tour of 'the Magpies' 52,000-capacity stadium.

For rugby union fans the Newcastle Falcons' Kingston Park ground is a convenient Metro ride away. Or you can cheer on the Newcastle Eagles, the most successful team in British Basketball League's history. Their purpose-built arena is within walking distance of the city centre.

On the outskirts of Newcastle, you'll find the sport of kings – horse racing. Founded in 1882, Newcastle Racecourse is one of the busiest in Britain hosting over 60 race meetings a year.

If cricket is your passion, hop on a bus or train to Durham County Cricket's Chester-le-Street ground – the home of first-class cricket in the North East and a former host of the Ashes.

One campus. Endless experiences.

You don't have to stray far from campus to immerse yourself in art, history, and culture. We have a number of partnership venues located in and around our beautiful city-centre campus, giving you ample opportunity to uncover new experiences, right on your doorstep.

From ancient archaeology and contemporary art exhibitions to theatre performances and thought-provoking architectural spaces, you won't be short of things to explore in-between seminars, at your own pace.

Discover our venues and things to do at
ncl.ac.uk/visit-culture



Welcome to the North East



Amble



Did you know?

The North East county of Northumberland has more castles than any other county in England, with over 70 castle sites.

Famously, Alnwick Castle starred as the magical Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry in two of the Harry Potter films.

Hadrian's Wall





Tynemouth

Explore our beautiful region

Stunning landscapes, majestic castles, vibrant urban spaces, and beautiful coastlines make up the North East of England.

Bordering Scotland and home to two of England's 19 UNESCO World Heritage Sites – the iconic Hadrian's Wall and captivating Durham Castle and Cathedral – our land and communities bring history to life.

Every corner is alive with opportunity. Driven by innovation, our cities – Newcastle, Sunderland, and Durham – are vibrant, modern, and multicultural. Our communities, from the fishing villages along our coastline to the charming rural market towns, each have their own unique stories to share.

But it's the natural beauty of the North East region that will take your breath away.

Walk along blue flag beaches of golden sands, explore the sweeping moorlands of the North Pennines, and discover Northumberland National Park. With England's largest forest, cleanest rivers, clearest air and darkest skies, our region is just waiting to be explored.

And the best bit? It's all just a train, Metro or bus ride away from the heart of Newcastle.



Bamburgh Castle



Angel of the North

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Teaching excellence



Your education for life

We don't just want you to achieve your potential, we want you to go beyond it.

Our Education for life 2030+ strategy is making sure that, wherever you start from, you'll access the opportunities and support you need to learn.

With our world-leading research, industry connections and best teaching practice at the heart of your experience, your learning will always be relevant and focused on the future of work.

And you'll gain the skills, knowledge and experience needed for your career and the world you'll live in.

See how we're transforming our teaching and your learning at ncl.ac.uk/education-strategy

Research and teaching are closely linked

As a research-intensive Russell Group University, your lecturers will be at the forefront of research in their discipline. Pioneering work of our best minds will construct your degree as you engage with the latest real-world knowledge in your field.

Education with a leading edge

World-leading experts and top academics at the forefront of their discipline will inspire you. You'll be challenged to innovate and encouraged to apply your own ideas to course content through in-depth reading and analysis.

Gifted educators, including National Teaching Fellows recognised for their teaching excellence, will nurture your curiosity and challenge you as you learn. You'll be guided by an academic team including your course director, subject lecturers, professional and technical staff, and your personal tutor or supervisor.

Backed up by independent study as you explore your own ideas, you'll be taught in many different ways depending on your subject choice:

- lectures
- seminars
- group work
- technical skills development
- lab-based and practical skills sessions

Real-world, impactful learning

We continually monitor and review our existing and new courses to ensure they reflect the most up-to-date academic developments and, crucially, meet market and employer needs. Taught programmes are shaped in consultation with our industry partners, so that they accurately reflect the needs of employers. On some courses, this means that you'll work directly on projects set by industry or commercial companies, applying learning to real-world contexts.

We consistently deliver high-quality teaching, learning and outcomes for our students, and are assessed by the UK government through the UK Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF).



Learning support

We recognise that every student arrives at university from a different starting point. We embrace and support our diverse community of learners at Newcastle, ensuring equity of access, experience and outcomes for all.

Postgraduate study is a notable step up from the learning and independent study required of you at an undergraduate level.

To help you manage the transition, we'll work with you to develop the necessary skills needed to help you thrive through:

Academic Skills Hub: developing study and digital skills, academic practice and writing, with one-to-one support, drop-in sessions and an online Academic Skills Kit (ASK). An ASK podcast, themed clinics, and the 'Your Skills' programme provide additional support, with specific study resources for international students.

Maths-Aid: maths drop-in sessions and bookable consultations for postgraduate taught students who are not in the School of Mathematics, Statistics and Physics.

Language support: free in-session English classes and tutorials for non-native English speakers to improve reading, writing, listening and speaking skills. [Find more information on page 67.](#)

Digital resources: our virtual learning environment gives 24/7 access to course content, study materials, module and programme information.

A lecture recording service supports note-taking and revision; a mobile app gives access to personal timetables, University and NUSU news, library accounts and more.

Language Resource Centre: resources and opportunities for language learning in over 100 languages, including English. The Centre also has a TV and film archive of more than 8,000 titles in dozens of languages, and on-site access to international TV channels.

Additional support: practical and study skills support is available through our Specialist Learning team and our Disability team. If you have a disability, long-term health, mental health or neurodiverse condition, you can let us know when you apply. This will help us identify the support you need during your application to Newcastle. Visit the 'Further Information' section on this page ncl.ac.uk/pg-applications-help



5 QS Stars for teaching

(2025)

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(Teaching Excellence
Framework Silver award 2023)

Postgraduate taught degrees

Over 150 taught degrees

Are you continuing straight from an undergraduate degree, returning to education after some time away, or changing career direction?

Postgraduate taught degrees at Newcastle are designed to help you build the specialist knowledge you need to develop professional skills valued by employers and tackle the challenges facing today's world.

Understanding taught degrees

Discover a brief overview of postgraduate taught study, below.

Master's award types:

- Master of Arts (MA)
- Master of Science (MSc)
- Master of Architecture (MArch)
- Master of Business Administration (MBA)
- Master of Clinical Dentistry (MCLinDent)
- Master of Clinical Research (MCLinRes)
- Master of Education (MEd)
- Master of Fine Art (MFA)
- Master of Landscape Architecture (MLA)
- Master of Laws (LLM)
- Master of Medical Education (MMedED)
- Master of Public Health (MPH)
- Master of Science and Laws (MScL)

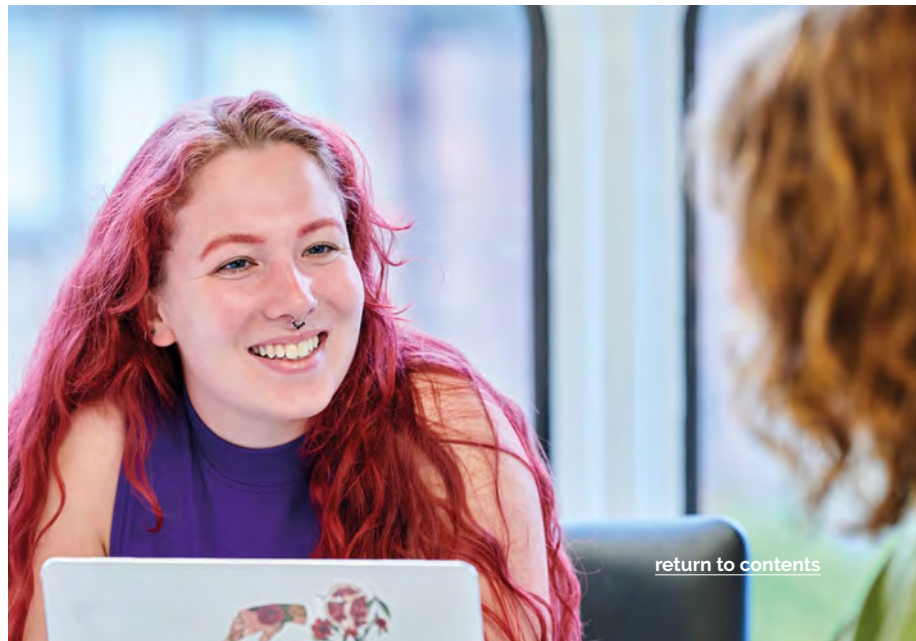
Entry requirements

Most of our degrees ask for a 2:1 at Bachelor's level, or equivalent. For the most up-to-date and detailed entry requirement information about our courses, go to ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/degrees

Course duration

Full-time courses usually take 12 months, although we offer a few full-time Master's courses that take 24 or 36 months. Some courses offer the option of part-time study which typically takes 24 months. Availability of part-time study as well as full details can be found on individual course profiles.

ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/degrees



Start date

Courses usually start at the beginning of the academic year in September; a small number of courses start in January.

Teaching and learning style

You will generally spend two terms learning through lectures, seminars, group work and (depending on subject choice) technical skills development, lab-based and practical skills sessions. This is followed by one term of research-based work, culminating in an independent project (usually a dissertation).

Assessment methods

Exams, essays, presentations, group work or a combination of all these elements will make up how you are assessed. You will also typically complete a research project or final dissertation of 15,000-18,000 words.

Credits

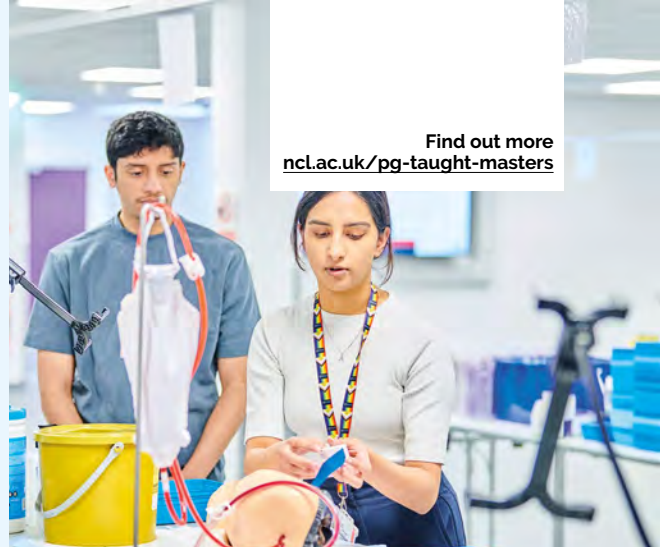
In general, taught courses are made up of 120 credits of taught modules and a 60-credit dissertation or research project.

Flexible study options

The majority of our postgraduate courses (both taught and research) are studied on a full-time basis – however, some of our courses can be studied flexibly*. Flexible study options include the following:

Part-time Master's degrees: you'll study the same course as your full-time peers over an extended period at regular and irregular times throughout the year. This may include studying at evenings and weekends, or in intensive teaching blocks.

Online Master's degrees: our online Master's courses involve the same level of work as an on-campus programme, but allow you to fit studies around your work or family life through distance learning. They are also a good option to consider if moving to the UK to study a full-time degree isn't an option for you.



Find out more
ncl.ac.uk/pg-taught-masters

Blended learning degrees: blended learning degrees involve learning, teaching and assessment through a combination of on-campus and online methods. Some courses also include work placements. You'll receive face-to-face learning in intensive teaching blocks of one to two weeks, while readings, discussion forums, and assignments are delivered via the Canvas Virtual Learning Environment (VLE), online.

Explore our full range of taught Masters' degrees, including flexible study options, at ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/degrees

Postgraduate certificates and diplomas

More advanced than an undergraduate degree, postgraduate certificates (PGCert) and postgraduate diplomas (PGDip) are taught postgraduate qualifications at the same level as a Master's degree, but take less time and typically don't require a dissertation.

PGCert: is awarded if you successfully complete half of the taught module and is typically worth 60 credits.

PGDip: is awarded if you successfully complete all the taught modules and is typically worth 120 credits.

Explore our range of postgraduate certificates and diplomas at ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/degrees



Applying for a taught degree

It's easy to apply for a taught degree at Newcastle. We've broken down the process into seven simple steps, below. To apply for a research Master's or a PhD, visit [pages 38-39](#).

1 Choose your course

Find a course that's right for you. Visit ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/degrees to:

- compare courses
- explore module outlines
- find information about subject facilities
- learn about course entrance requirements
- discover how to apply
- find who to contact for more information
- get information on fees and funding opportunities

Applying as an international student? We work with education agents across the world who can support your application – check our country pages at ncl.ac.uk/international/country

2 Check entry requirements

The minimum entry requirement for the majority of our taught Masters' courses is an upper-second-class Honours degree (2:1), or international equivalent.

You'll find the full academic and English language requirements in the course entry profile online. IELTS English language entrance requirements are also listed for individual courses on [pages 71-91](#).

Guidance on the international academic equivalencies for most countries can be found on our online country pages and course profiles.

We also welcome applications from professionals with significant work experience.

3 Check application deadlines and deposits

Some courses have an application deadline and international students will be required to pay an application deposit. Details of this can be found online in the 'How to apply' tab in your chosen course profile.

4 Apply online or via your education agent

Check our application help pages at ncl.ac.uk/pg-applications-offers and use the link to our 'Apply to Newcastle' portal*.

Follow the steps to:

- register to use the portal
- complete your application form – you can save and update your application as many times as you like before submitting
- attach and upload your supporting documents
- submit your application
- track the progress of your application once it has been submitted

Supporting documents

You will need to submit:

- your personal statement
- academic transcripts to confirm your degree or your progress and results to date
- a copy of the photograph page of your passport
- if you are not from a majority English language speaking country, you will need to include a copy of your English language test results, eg IELTS that have already been taken
- certified translations (if your documents are not in English)

5 Your offer

Once we have considered your application, we will send you an email informing you of your application's change of status. You'll then be required to log on to the portal to view your offer.

How to accept your offer

When you have received an offer, you need to officially accept it to secure your place. You can do this online via the 'Apply to Newcastle' portal.

Conditional offer: if you receive a conditional offer, you will need to work towards meeting the conditions of your offer, so that your application becomes unconditional. You may need to pay a deposit as part of the conditional offer. Information on what and how to pay will be included in your offer email. Documents relating to your offer can be scanned and uploaded online via the portal.

OR

Unconditional offer: if a deposit was not required as part of your conditional offer, you may still need to pay this or provide proof of sponsorship before a 'confirmation of place' can be issued. If you need to pay a deposit, information on how to pay the deposit will be included in your official offer email. You can pay online via our portal.

For more information about our offers go to ncl.ac.uk/pg-applications-offers

6 Confirmation of your place

Once you have met all of the conditions of your offer (and paid your deposit if required), you will receive a 'Confirmation of Place' email and, if you need to apply for a Student Visa, a 'Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies' (CAS) number.

gov.uk/student-visa

If you intend to study on a Student Visa, some subject areas will require Academic Technology Approval Scheme (ATAS) clearance before you can study in the UK.

ncl.ac.uk/student-progress/visa/atas

7 What happens next?

Further information on what to do next, including advice on how to register, and what to expect when you arrive in Newcastle, can be found at ncl.ac.uk/student-welcome

We will also send you regular email updates, so look out for these.

Need more help?

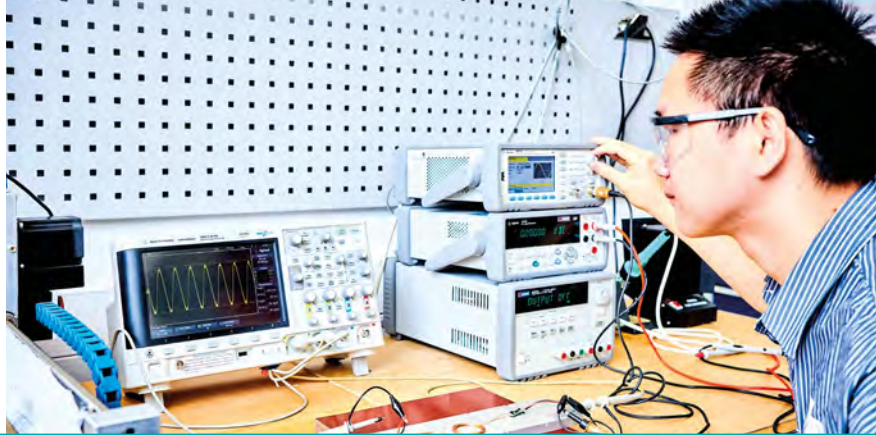
If you have a question about your application, you can get in touch with our Postgraduate Admissions team by raising an enquiry through the 'Apply to Newcastle' portal. You can also chat to us live at ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate

For further guidance on how to complete your application go to ncl.ac.uk/pg-applications-help

Click to watch our quick guide
on how to apply for a Master's course.



Research excellence



Confronting global challenges

Across our research, we are committed to ensuring equitable access and sustainability for all. We are building a research culture that supports collaboration and collegiality; the freedom to grow and explore; fairness and inclusion; and openness and integrity.

As a founding member of the Russell Group - a group of 24 world class, research-intensive universities - we are committed to:

- producing the very best research
- providing an outstanding teaching and learning experience
- developing strong links with business and the public sector

Our multidisciplinary research not only drives our work, but helps shape our education offer. As a student here, you'll have the opportunity to engage directly with cutting-edge research that addresses real-world issues.

We're recognised for our outstanding research achievements, and have been awarded 5 QS Stars for Research in 2025. Additionally, we've received royal recognition through three prestigious Queen's Anniversary Prizes for the quality of our research.

Our vibrant research community, alongside our three national innovation centres and 17 centres of research excellence, offer a dynamic environment where you'll collaborate with world-class experts and contribute to ground-breaking discoveries. With 42% of our research classified as 4* world-leading in the latest REF results*, this validates our position as one of the UK's world-leading, broad-based research-intensive universities.

Our research-led teaching approach ensures that you'll study at the forefront of your field, where you'll learn from academics who are leading the way in their discipline – gaining invaluable insights and skills that will empower you to make a meaningful impact in your subject area.

Whether you're passionate about advancing healthcare, tackling climate change, or exploring the intersections of culture and society, at Newcastle, you'll join a supportive and stimulating research-focused environment geared towards academic discovery and personal growth.

ncl.ac.uk/research-excellence

Click to explore cutting edge research and innovation

at Newcastle University through the lens of our From blog. Read the latest stories, gain valuable insights, and access expert commentary from our community.

*Research Excellence Framework 2021



65% increase in research power since 2014

(Research Excellence Framework 2021)

Find out more
ncl.ac.uk/research-excellence



Professor Rachel Franklin
Professor of Geographical Analysis



My research focuses on leveraging new and novel data sources and methods for understanding how society is changing.

Without suitable data and methods to understand people and places at a fine temporal and spatial scales, our understanding of people and places is at best partial.



Postgraduate research degrees

Pushing the boundaries of global knowledge

Whether you're driven by curiosity or a desire to solve real-world problems, our portfolio of over 120 postgraduate research courses will help you advance your passions and make an impact.

As a postgraduate research student at Newcastle, you'll engage in independent research under the guidance of experienced research supervisors. Set yourself apart by choosing your pathway to a research degree, developing sought-after expertise and high-level skills prized by employers.

Your research options

Research Masters' (MRes, MLitt, MPhil, LLM by research)

Research Master's courses are varied, dependant on the discipline and nature of the degree. They may be entirely focused on independent research with bespoke training or include specific training or taught elements that augment the independent research experience.

Doctoral degrees

- Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)
- Integrated PhD
- Professional Doctorates

Our flexible study options may allow some courses to be studied either full- or part-time. We also offer some courses that blend online learning with face-to-face teaching.

Studentships

Do you know the research area you would like to work in, but don't have a clear idea of a specific PhD project? You can search for a funded studentship. Studentships normally have a named supervisor with a fixed project title and are listed at ncl.ac.uk/pg-funding-search. Simply search 'studentship' in the search bar.

Doctoral Training Centres and Partnerships

Carry out a funded PhD studentship via a Doctoral Training Partnership (DTP), Doctoral Training Centre (DTC) or Centre for Doctoral Training (CDT).

Studying alongside a cohort of other PhD students, you will work with leading researchers from different universities and schools. Doctoral Training Centres and Partnerships are often interdisciplinary and you could get the chance to collaborate with an organisation from business or industry.

ncl.ac.uk/doctoral-training

For a full breakdown about the different types of research degree qualifications, visit ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/qualifications



The studies we have done in Newcastle, have now been incorporated in international clinical practice guidelines, meaning our work not only benefits patients in the UK but also worldwide.

Professor Vijay Kunadian
Professor of Interventional
Cardiology

Doctoral College

Our Doctoral College is dedicated to providing support and guidance to our postgraduate research (PGR) community.

Supporting a wide range of research-orientated activities, including funding – providing you with opportunities to enhance your research experience, develop your academic profile by presenting at key conferences in your field, enhance your networking skills, and develop your career prospects.

To see the full range of support available to you through the Doctoral College, visit ncl.ac.uk/doctoral-college

Postgraduate researcher development programmes

A postgraduate researcher development programme will support your research and provide you with opportunities to acquire transferable skills that will enhance your preparation for a variety of careers.

Offered by our three faculties – Humanities and Social Sciences; Medical Sciences; Science, Agriculture and Engineering – workshops and activities will help you reach your potential as a researcher, build career-related skills and increase your confidence. Find out more at ncl.ac.uk/research-development



Applying for a research degree

How you apply for a research degree will depend on your ambitions. Do you want to apply for an established programme, a studentship, or propose your own research area?

The following steps act as a rough guide for how the application process works for some of our courses. How you apply for a postgraduate research degree will vary depending on the specific course or degree type you choose. We therefore recommend checking the 'How to apply' section of your chosen degree online, to find detailed information on the application process for the course you want to study. ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/degrees

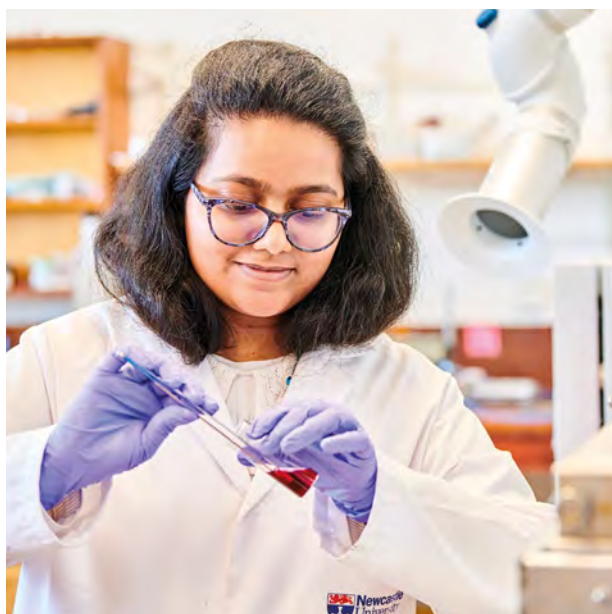
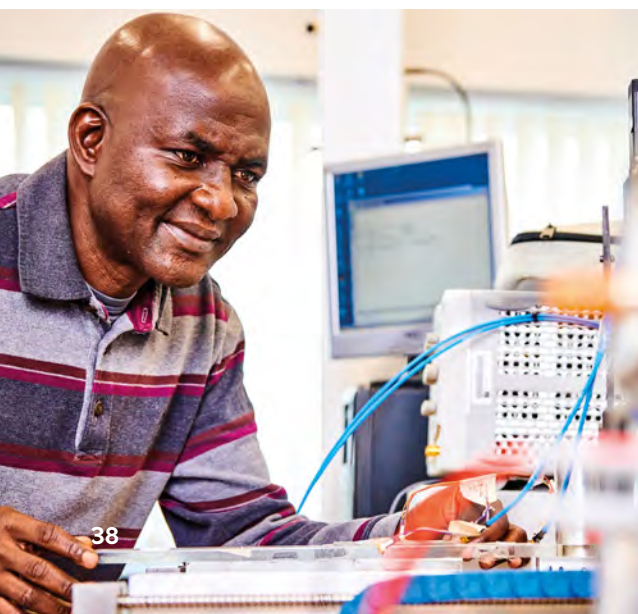
1 Choose your course

Explore the different types of research degrees that are available on [pages 71-91](#), or view full details of our degrees online at ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/degrees

Our funded PhD projects or studentships, including studentships within a Centre for Doctoral Training, Doctoral Training Partnership or Doctoral Training Centre, are advertised on our main funding pages. ncl.ac.uk/pg-funding-search

2 Explore our research specialisms

Review our research groups and academic staff profiles online and consider whether their specialisms are a good intellectual fit with yours. Staff profiles can be found in individual schools and institutes pages under 'Our people' at ncl.ac.uk/academic



3 Check entry requirements

The minimum entry requirement for our research Masters' courses is normally an upper-second-class Honours degree (2:1) or international equivalent. PhD applicants also usually require a Master's degree.

- Academic and English language requirements can be found in your chosen degree profile online.
- IELTS English language requirements are also listed for individual courses on [pages 71-91](#).
- Guidance on international academic equivalencies for most countries can be found at ncl.ac.uk/international/country

4 Research proposals

Some degrees require a research proposal at the point of application. If they do, check if this is a detailed proposal or a short (nonbinding) research proposal to indicate your broad area of interest. See the 'How to apply' section of your chosen degree online.

5 Research supervisor

Check if you need to identify a potential supervisor before you apply, to discuss your planned research – some of our degrees require this. See the 'How to apply' section of your chosen degree online.

6 Start dates and deposits

These can be found online in the 'How to apply' section of your chosen degree.

7 Apply online

Apply via our secure 'Apply to Newcastle' portal. You will be guided to create a username and password*. applyto.newcastle.ac.uk

We accept applications throughout the year for non-funded PhDs. Closing dates for funded PhDs (or studentships) will be specified in the individual funding adverts.

For further guidance on how to complete your application go to ncl.ac.uk/pg-applications-help

*A small number of courses have a different application method. Please refer to your degree page to find out how to apply.





Shape your future

Build your career

Our Careers Service will support you – whatever stage you are at, whichever country you're from.

From alumni networks and skills development workshops to strong employer ties and entrepreneurial support, we'll help you launch your career beyond postgraduate study.

Get expert advice

Our Careers Service will support you to take the next steps in your professional life – both while you're studying with us and for up to three years after you graduate.

ncl.ac.uk/careers

Work with qualified careers professionals to build the future you want. Support includes:

- application support
- interview coaching
- specialist online careers workshops
- networking opportunities
- enterprise skills and START UP support
- MyCareer, a bespoke platform of opportunities including part-time jobs, term-time and summer internships and graduate vacancies



Apply to the Make It Happen Fund

The Make It Happen Fund helps current students and recent graduates in career development. Bursaries support skill enhancement and work experience opportunities. They are available* for various needs like interview costs, conference attendance, or project funding. You can access the service for up to 12 months after you graduate.

ncl.ac.uk/make-it-happen-fund

Engage with employers

Attend our career and recruitment events to network with potential employers and industry experts. Gain insight in employer expectations through our well-established links with many local, national and global employers including, Accenture, GSK, Jaguar Land Rover, Northern Stage, PwC, IBM, Dyson, Procter & Gamble and Siemens RIE. Seek advice and inspiration by connecting with our alumni network group on LinkedIn with our guidance.



Build employability skills

Developing the employability of our students is embedded across our teaching methods, but you can also build your skills through:

- insight days
- paid internships
- jobs on campus
- skills workshops

Education for Life framework: we'll help you recognise the skills and attributes you already have and identify those you need to develop. You'll also be able to reflect on your experiences and the value you are gaining from them, as well as finding further opportunities to develop your own set of attributes.

ncl+ Award: employers are increasingly looking for candidates who stand out from the crowd. Through the ncl+ Award, you can gain recognition for the extra-curricular activities that you are taking part in, helping you to highlight the sought-after skills valued by employers. By completing the ncl+ Award, you will reflect on the skills you are developing, and learn how to market them to future employers.

Inspirational alumni

Phil Beahon (Law LLB 2014) – Co-founder of sportswear brand Castore and eCommerce entrepreneur

Sir Terry Farrell CBE (Architecture BA 1961) – Architect and designer

Rowan Atkinson CBE (Electrical and Electronic Engineering BSc 1975) – Actor, comedian and screenwriter

Charlie Webster (English Language and Linguistics BA 2004) – Broadcaster and Women's Rights campaigner

Susannah Rodgers MBE (Modern Languages BA 2005) – Former British Paralympic Swimmer

Professor Sir John Burn (Human Genetics BSc 1973, MBBS 1976, MD 1991) – Professor of Clinical Genetics

Peter Straughan (English BA 1994) – Screenwriter and director

Max Fosh (Combined Honours BA 2018) – British YouTuber and comedian



Shape your future



5 QS Stars for employability

(2025)

International student support

Navigating your career as an international student – both during and after your studies – is made simple and clear with our International Student Support, offering essential information tailored to your needs.

Access resources and activities covering every stage of your journey conveniently in one place.

Key activities include:

- gain insight into National Insurance and working entitlements during your studies
- explore where to find work experience and part-time job opportunities
- learn how to craft a UK-style CV and receive feedback on your applications
- discover how the Careers Service can help you seek opportunities beyond the UK

Our International Student Support brings together the careers information you need. The University Visa team can help you understand immigration routes into graduate employment. They offer:

- workshops in partnership with the Careers Service
- a 10-minute video covering the different immigration routes available to international graduates
- a detailed guide to the Graduate route

Find out more at ncl.ac.uk/careers-international-students-support

You can also access support to find a job in your home country – for example, our China Career Gateway programme prepares our Chinese students for the UK and Chinese job markets. We've teamed up with specialist recruitment platform, Lockin China, which features vacancies specifically targeting our graduates.

By joining the China Career Gateway programme you'll get the opportunity to understand the graduate job market in the UK and China, learn how to make effective applications for graduate roles in the UK and China, and connect with Newcastle University graduates and hear their experiences of finding work after graduation.



The Careers Service have been an incredibly useful resource, helping to educate and prepare us as future graduates for the job market. They run activities such as CV writing workshops or organising 1-1 meetings to review or prepare for job applications.

James
Sport and Exercise Psychology MSc



Find out more
ncl.ac.uk/careers/startup

Business start-up advice

For graduates considering entrepreneurship or self-employment, our START UP team offers comprehensive guidance and resources. If you want to start or grow a business, freelance career or social enterprise, our team of like-minded entrepreneurs and creatives can help.

Whether you're simply curious about what working for yourself could look like, or have a killer idea already, our knowledgeable team can support you at every stage of your start-up journey – from pre-idea to launch and beyond.

Benefit from personalised coaching and advice from industry veterans and partners, alongside access to online tools covering all stages of business development. Engage with industry professionals and our partners through networking events and community gatherings.

Aspiring entrepreneurs can apply for grant funding – with over £220,000 already awarded to start-ups in the past five years, helping over 230 businesses to start trading. We have also launched our brand-new co-working space, and bespoke retail pop-up shop exclusively for our students and graduates to promote their brands, sell products and grow their customer base.

We rank in the top 10 and top 5 universities for student and graduate entrepreneurship, based on the collective performance of our starts for employment, investment and turnover (HE-BCI Survey 2023-2024).

Find out more at ncl.ac.uk/careers/startup

START UP support, Dan's story

Business School graduate Dan had a clear career goal – to provide widescreen entertainment that was local, affordable, inclusive and diverse. Cue the launch of Jam Jar Cinema.

To get his business idea off the ground, Dan accessed the Careers Service START UP service – a package of support that includes confidential one-to-one coaching, online workshops, peer support groups and equity-free grant funding.

Now, more than 10 years on, the best of British, Hollywood and independent films fill Jam Jar Cinema's screens – attracting over 80,000 movie fans a year. The workforce has grown to a team of 14 and the business has expanded into an adjoining property to add two new screens.

As its driving force and now managing director, Dan has also been recognised in the UK's Honours List with the British Empire Medal for services to cinema. Dan is still involved with START UP, volunteering his time as a mentor, and offering his business insights to students and recent graduates who want to work for themselves.

Watch as Dan talks through Jam Jar Cinema and the START UP support he received
go.ncl.ac.uk/jamjar-cinema

Click to discover our START UP stories
and take inspiration from the business founders we have supported.



State-of-the-art facilities

Supporting your research and learning

From on-campus museums and art galleries to a global innovation district and award-winning library service, your education will be conducted in 5-star facilities* that support your studies and help to elevate your future.

Access specialist subject facilities

Historic red brick architecture and striking contemporary buildings meet state-of-the-art facilities and learning spaces, including:

- two commercial farms and a biological field station
- a sea-going research vessel, coastal station and marine lab
- media studios, recording and editing equipment
- studios for music and art
- high-specification labs and clinical skills suites
- smart grid lab and energy storage test bed
- translation and interpreting suites
- on-campus museum, theatre and gallery
- architecture studios and a new centre for architecture and urban design
- student-centred makerspace – a dedicated zone for interdisciplinary collaboration, creativity and entrepreneurship

*QS Stars for facilities 2025





Medical School and Dental School: among the largest integrated teaching and hospital complexes in the UK, directly linked to Newcastle's Royal Victoria Infirmary.

Armstrong Building: home to a number of subject areas, dedicated music and rehearsal studios and the iconic King's Hall used for graduations. In the Armstrong Quad, a statue of American Civil Rights activist Dr Martin Luther King commemorates the 50th anniversary of his visit to campus to accept an honorary degree.

Dame Margaret Barbour Building: specialising in sport and exercise science with state-of-the-art physiology and biomechanics labs and facilities for human nutrition and dietetics. A food sensory suite, food handling laboratory, and nutritional investigation rooms support our human nutrition and dietetics degrees.

King George VI Building: offering some of the best equipped teaching facilities for pharmacy in the UK, home to state-of-the-art language labs, and our Wolfson Archaeology Laboratory is equipped to analyse archaeological materials and artefacts.

Farrell Centre: part of our School of Architecture, Planning and Landscape, the Farrell Centre features a public gallery, research and community space – opening up the conversation of 'place' in the North East.

King Edward VII Building: housing some of the UK's best fine art studios, including specialist multi-media workshops.

Great North Museum: Hancock: our on-campus museum with extensive collections, dating from prehistory to modern day.

Culture Lab: our centre for digital media and film practice with industry-standard editing and production facilities.

Northern Stage: an on-campus theatre with three performance spaces for a range of dynamic productions.

Hatton Gallery: a modern art exhibition and learning space in the heart of campus with a history dating back to the early 20th century. The Hatton Gallery collection includes over 3,000 works from the 14th–20th centuries, stages a programme of modern and contemporary art exhibitions and events, and showcases student work as part of annual exhibits.

Ridley Building 2: specialising in biology and marine science, with 10 modern research-ready laboratories, aquariums and an algal culture suite.

Bedson Building: an important base for our drug discovery work with analytical chemistry labs, novel materials and molecular modelling facilities, NMR and mass spectrometry facilities, mechanical, glassblowing and electronic workshops.

The Business School: facilities include a Bloomberg Financial Lab, PwC room and an Experimental and Behavioural Economics Lab. As well as flexible teaching spaces and a dedicated Career Hub.



State-of-the-art facilities



Philip Robinson Library



Stephenson Building

Award-winning Library Service

Our libraries offer a variety of study spaces, including silent, vibrant collaborative, and social learning spaces. Our main library is open 24/7 during peak times of the academic year.

Our extensive electronic and print collections provide access to cutting-edge research and essential reading materials for your subject. Our online subject guides (libguides.ncl.ac.uk) highlight the resources available for your discipline. Our Special Collections and Archives is home to our most rare and unique materials, offering access to distinctive primary sources.

Our friendly staff will help you navigate the wide range of information resources and develop the research skills you need to use them effectively. Our popular 24/7 enquiry service is available via live chat.

Our Library Service has proudly held the Customer Service Excellence award since 1995, reflecting our dedication to outstanding support for students and the wider University community. ncl.ac.uk/library

Stephenson Building

The new Stephenson Building is a world-class engineering facility in the heart of Newcastle, designed to inspire the next generation of engineers, researchers, and innovators. Building on 70 years of heritage, it serves as a hub for collaboration, innovation, and discovery, helping students reach their full potential.

Featuring a state-of-the-art makerspace, digital learning environments, and specialised labs, it promotes hands-on experience and equips our graduates with the skills needed for careers in industry and research. ncl.ac.uk/stephenson



Top 10 for Postgraduate in the UK

(Whatuni Student Choice Awards 2025)



Newcastle Helix



Dove Marine Laboratory

Find out more
ncl.ac.uk/facilities

Newcastle Helix

A £350 million living laboratory and global innovation district for science, technology, research and education in the heart of our city.

The Helix enhances learning by forging a relationship between academia and business. This 24-acre site is home to:

- the School of Computing, located in our **Urban Sciences Building**. A smart building, it has over 4,000 sensors inside and out, monitoring its performance and feeding data into our **Urban Observatory**. Facilities include a games lab, makerspace, data visualisation suite and independent study spaces with over 300 PCs with Raspberry Pi3
- **The Frederick Douglass Centre** with state-of-the-art learning and teaching spaces for business school students, including a 750-seat auditorium
- **The Catalyst** which houses our three National Innovation Centres in ageing, data, and rural enterprise
- at the gateway to the Helix is our **triple-accredited Business School**

ncl.ac.uk/helix

Off campus facilities

Two commercially run farms of more than 800 hectares support our research and teaching in agriculture, animal science, food security, sustainability practices, nutrition, and rural energy.

State-of-the-art marine science and engineering facilities include the Dove Marine Laboratory – used for field study and collecting expeditions – and £1 million research vessel *The Princess Royal*. Designed in-house by staff and students, the boat is based at the Blyth Marine Station.

Our Emerson Cavitation Tunnel is used to test models of ship's propellers and tidal turbines, with a 'slime farm' mimicking how microorganisms and algae grow on ships' hulls in seawater.

Digital resources

Get 24/7 access through our virtual learning environment to your course content, online collaboration with fellow students and tutors, lecture recording and streaming. Plus, access our IT support, including specialist software, a range of assistive technology and a laptop loan scheme for use within the library.

ncl.ac.uk/itservice



Supporting your journey

Strong support network

You'll benefit from a variety of support services and facilities throughout your degree, meaning you're never on your own during your time at Newcastle.

Every step of the way

Our newly refurbished King's Gate is your central hub for student support and services. It offers welcoming study and social spaces, a main Help Desk, private advice appointments for things like visas and careers, and wellbeing support. You'll also find an event space for workshops, a START UP hub for entrepreneurs, and a pop-up shop for showcasing student ventures - all designed to help you succeed.

Support includes:

Counselling: our counselling services offer you a safe and confidential space to talk to a trained professional about any issues or concerns you may have, either in person, or online via the phone or a video call.

Financial support: our team of experts are on hand to help you with a range of financial concerns. Available support includes help with the cost of living and managing your money, navigating through student finance and loan issues, as well as information about scholarships and funding.

Welfare support: from our Student Wellbeing Advisers and Peer Mentoring Service, to our Academic Skills Kit and specialist support - we offer a range of services free of charge and available to all students, creating a safe campus culture for all. To find out more visit

ncl.ac.uk/wellbeing

Disability support: our team of Disability Service Specialist practitioners are dedicated to assisting you in your learning journey. Whether it's accessing study software, making alternative exam arrangements, or providing practical advice on additional support, we're here to help. If you have a disability, long-term health condition, mental health concern, or neurodiverse condition, please reach out to us early so we can assess your needs.

apps.ncl.ac.uk/contact-us/general-enquiry

Faith and spirituality: embracing diversity, our Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care Team welcomes individuals of all faiths and those who identify with none. We offer various opportunities for worship, meditation, and a Listening Ear scheme, connecting you with a compassionate member of our multi-faith team. On campus, you'll find a Muslim prayer space in the King George VI Building, student-led faith societies, and dedicated quiet rooms for prayer and reflection.

Visa support: seek guidance whether you're applying for your Student Visa from your home country, or looking for advice while in the UK. Our team can provide support for postgraduate students making a Student Route application, or applying for a Graduate Route visa after completing your studies.

Our support team will remain available to assist you with visa and immigration matters for the duration of your studies.

ncl.ac.uk/student-progress/visa



As a postgraduate student, the support tailored to our needs is fantastic. Whether it's academic guidance or career services, the University goes the extra mile for its postgraduate students.

Aga
Global Human Resource Management MSc

Find out more
ncl.ac.uk/wellbeing-pg-support



Tailored support

We understand the demands of postgraduate study and the adjustment required for those returning to study after an undergraduate degree, or time away from education. That's why our support is tailored to your needs. This includes:

- self-help app iNCLude to support wellbeing
- global mental health network TalkCampus, based around peer support
- wellbeing workshops

Find out more at ncl.ac.uk/wellbeing-pg-support

We're committed to providing a safe, secure and inclusive campus environment. If you need support while on campus, you can access help through:

- our University Security team
- the SafeZone app
- our campus police officer

Click to watch our video to learn more about the safety measures we have in place.



Your postgraduate community

Welcome to Newcastle

We're home to students from all backgrounds and ages, from all walks of life. Whether you're returning to education after some time away, re-entering the field to pursue a career change, or planning to join straight after completing your undergraduate degree.

You'll join a community of like-minded individuals – both peers and professionals – with one thing in common: making a difference.

Located in the heart of Newcastle, our campus complements the vibrancy of the city centre with its strong community-first feel. Whatever your interests, you'll have a number of opportunities to get involved, uncover new passions, and meet new people that will help make your postgraduate experience your own.



Socially, Newcastle is known for its friendly atmosphere, and international students often find opportunities to engage in various clubs, societies, and events. Connecting with local and international students can ease the feeling of being away from home and create a strong support network.

Prathamesh

Banking and Finance MSc



Students' Union Building

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5 QS Stars for inclusiveness

(2025)

Your Students' Union

Your Students' Union

Newcastle University Students' Union (NUSU) is a hub of events, activities and campaigns which run throughout the year, where you can build new friendships and create lasting memories.

Voice and representation

Led by a team of Sabbatical Officers, over 1,000 volunteer student representatives advocate for students' academic interests within the University, alongside Liberation Officers elected as the voices of marginalised communities.

Our student bodies include those of diverse ethnicities, international students, disabled students, LGBTQ+ students, students being of a marginalised gender, students with a faith and/or belief, students who come from a working-class background, and students with caring, parental or guardianship responsibilities.

Playing a pivotal role in representing student interests, NUSU has actively lobbied local and national governments for increased student support, launched a free student pantry, and addressed student housing challenges.

Clubs and societies

A great way to immerse yourself in the University community, NUSU offer over 160 different student societies catering to various hobbies and interests, as well as 60+ sports clubs you can take part in.

Explore new interests through Give It A Go taster sessions, which offer free or discounted activities, or contribute to local communities through Go Volunteer opportunities.

Your Academic Officer

The Academic Officer is dedicated to making sure our students get the best possible academic experience - championing their right to high-quality teaching, fair assessments, and strong academic support.

Passionate about postgraduate interests, they actively campaign for an inclusive and supportive learning environment for all.

By engaging directly with students, the Academic Officer ensures our students have a powerful voice in shaping their education and future.



Sport at Newcastle

Whether you're a first timer or an aspiring professional athlete, sport and active wellbeing at Newcastle University is for everyone!

Activate

We invested £32 million in our exceptional indoor and outdoor facilities and continue to provide the latest equipment, functional training spaces, design, technology and accessories for all your sporting needs.

Access our high-tech gym, sports halls, glass-backed squash courts and high-performance strength and conditioning rooms to reach your fitness goals. Join in our 50+ live group fitness classes in our advanced studio spaces or build your confidence in strength training under the guidance of our personal trainers.

Head outdoors to play your sport at our purpose-built pitches, pavilions and centres in easy-to-access locations around Newcastle.

Connect

From participating with friends of all abilities in our popular Give It A Go and intramural sport programmes, to representing Team Newcastle with our competitive and performance clubs, immerse yourself in our inclusive sporting community and the extensive opportunities available.

Work with recognised partner clubs and organisations across campus and in the wider community to develop your leadership skills, enhance your graduate outcomes and gain network opportunities.



Top 10 for sport in the UK

(BUCS Ranking 2023-24)

Develop

Are you a high-performing athlete competing at national or international level in your home country? If so, we can support you to achieve the best in your sport and your studies.

We are ranked as one of the Top 10 universities for sport in the UK – based upon the British Universities and Colleges Sport (BUCS) national league table. In 2024-25, over 40 student athletes achieved international honours and professional contracts.

We put the student athlete at the heart of everything we do and we will help maximise your talent by supporting you with our performance sport programme. Apply to be supported via our performance sport scholarships and work with our team of professional coaches, strength and conditioning specialists, physiotherapists and sport science support to become the elite athlete you were born to be.

Inspire

Represent 'Team Newcastle' by joining one of our 60+ student-led sports clubs, with teams competing at regional and national level. With a massive range of sports to choose from, you'll get a chance to be part of our thriving student sporting community and share Newcastle's pride as one of the most exciting sporting cities in the UK.

ncl.ac.uk/sport



Find out more
ncl.ac.uk/sport



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The community here is vibrant and diverse, with numerous societies and clubs that provide a sense of belonging and opportunities to meet people from all over the world.

Hosni
Chemical Engineering PhD

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Your place to call home

A place to make friends

Living in our postgraduate accommodation will allow you to be part of a community. Some residences benefit from having their own study areas or social spaces, allowing you to relax with flatmates and neighbours in your own time.

Whether you're living in a shared flat or a self-contained residence, you'll benefit from excellent security, comfortable accommodation, and support from our Accommodation and ResLife teams.

Our residences

All our accommodation is conveniently located close to campus and the city centre – meaning you're never far from where you'll be studying. They can easily be reached on foot, by bike, or with reliable, fast and frequent public transport.

Our rooms have shared or en suite facilities, while communal areas and social spaces in our residences help create a community feel where you'll feel right at home.



The Grand Hotel

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Safe and secure

We're committed to providing a safe, secure and inclusive campus environment. This includes CCTV entry phone systems and help points at all our residences. Our Security team is on call 24/7, and the free SafeZone app connects you directly to on-campus security.

To watch our video and find out more about the safety measures we have in place across campus, visit ncl.ac.uk/study/campus/student-safety



Find out more
ncl.ac.uk/accommodation



An aspect I appreciate is the security; the patrol team are always visible every night, conducting their checks with a friendly smile whenever we cross paths.

The ResLife Social Space is a highlight for me, providing a venue to mingle with fellow residents, play games, and just enjoy ourselves.

As someone who loves cycling, I find the availability of secure bike parking at my accommodation to be another advantage.

Abubakar
Advanced Computer Science MSc

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Your place to call home



Bowsden Court

Meeting your needs

For couples and families, we also offer fully furnished two- and three-bedroom self-contained flats.

We're dedicated to supporting students with additional requirements related to a disability or health condition. We have a number of accessible rooms which have been adapted to offer more space to accommodate specialist equipment and be wheelchair accessible.

If you're an international student, look out for our Airport Meet and Greet Service for when you arrive. We'll meet you at Newcastle International Airport and help you to get to your University accommodation.

Contracts and costs

Most of our contracts cover the whole academic year, so you won't have to move out of your room during the holidays, although contracts may vary for couple and family accommodation.

Rent is inclusive of utility bills* and we offer free wifi and personal possessions insurance. Flexible payment arrangements will help you spread out the cost of accommodation, allowing you to choose between paying the full sum at once, in monthly instalments, or termly.

ncl.ac.uk/accommodation/payments



How to apply

Before you're able to apply via our accommodation portal, you must hold a firm offer to study with us. Then, follow our five-step application process:

Find out more
ncl.ac.uk/applying-for-accommodation



1 Register on our Accommodation Portal

Once you've registered, you'll receive a nine-digit number which you'll use to log in. Once you've logged in, select 'Create Application' to start.



2 Start your application

This is where we find out about you, including contact details of your trusted person. This is also your opportunity to tell us about any requirements you have in relation to a disability or health condition.



3 Choose your accommodation

Use the filters and comparison tools to help you decide which accommodation is best for you. Pick your top three choices – a variation of room and residence types – and add them to your basket.



4 Provide any additional information

We're not always able to allocate you to one of your accommodation choices. In this case, we'll use additional information to help us decide where to place you if there's no availability in your chosen accommodation.



5 Submit your application

After you've completed your application, it's time to submit it. You can update your answers at a later date if needed. You'll find information about when we start processing applications at ncl.ac.uk/pg-applying-for-accommodation



Find out more

Information about our accommodation is updated regularly on our website. View photos of our residences and rooms, as well as contract terms and fees – plus find out more about applying at ncl.ac.uk/accommodation



Fund your future

Explore funding opportunities

Wondering where to start when looking at funding for your degree? We've highlighted some of the main funding opportunities below.

For more information about funding, including guidance on how to download our Postgraduate Funding Guide, visit

ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/fees-funding

Tuition fee discounts

All students

- 2% discount if you pay your annual fees in full before the end of registration week
- tuition fee instalment plans available to spread the cost of your studies
- discounts may be available for graduates of Newcastle University progressing to postgraduate study. See online for details ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate

In addition to tuition fee discounts, we offer a wide range of scholarships to support our students.

Explore [pages 60-61](#) and visit our funding database to discover the opportunities available. ncl.ac.uk/pg-funding-search

Awards, bursaries and prizes

All students

Support to meet costs associated with studying specific degrees. Non-repayable and awarded by various organisations, including charities and trusts.

Loans

Home students*

Two postgraduate loan schemes are available to help with course fees and living costs. Both are administered by the Student Loans Company.

Where you live and your awarding body will dictate how much you can apply for; other eligibility criteria may also apply. The amounts given below are correct for a UK student starting a new course on or after 1 August 2025.

Postgraduate Master's Loan – up to £12,858 for students studying taught and research Masters' courses (eg MA, MSc, MRes, LLM, MBA)

Postgraduate Doctoral Loan – up to £30,301 for students studying doctoral degrees (eg PhD, EdD)

*'Home students' refers to UK students and may include EU, other EEA and Swiss nationals with settled or pre-settled status under the EU Settlement Scheme, depending on residency history. Fee status will be assessed on application by our Postgraduate Admissions team.



Studentships

All students

Funded PhD opportunities normally have a fixed project title and named supervisor. Funding can be awarded by charities, commercial organisations and the UK's Research Councils. It is possible to complete a studentship in an academic school, via a Doctoral Training Centre, Doctoral Training Partnership, or Centre for Doctoral Training.

To find all the latest funding opportunities, use our searchable funding database. It's updated regularly at ncl.ac.uk/pg-funding-search



With the support of my academic team, I have the scope and freedom to explore topics and research projects that fit my interest and goals.

Eleasha
Geography PhD



Scholarships

Financial barriers shouldn't limit your potential - we are here to help turn your ambitions into reality. That's why we invest millions of pounds each year to support students like you in achieving your goals.

Our prestigious scholarships do more than ease financial pressure - they open doors to academic excellence, leadership development, and personal growth.

Why apply for a scholarship?

Our wide range of scholarships are designed to:

- recognise outstanding academic talent
- support students with financial need
- empower future leaders
- promote diversity and inclusion

Whether you're aiming for a career in research, leadership, or professional practice, we're here to help you succeed - not just financially, but in every step of your journey.

Types of scholarships we offer

Merit-based scholarships

Our merit-based scholarships are awarded if you can demonstrate outstanding academic achievements in your previous studies.

If you have a strong academic track record, we want to reward your excellence.

Need-based scholarships

We understand that financial barriers can hinder access to higher education. Our need-based scholarships aim to alleviate the financial burden of further studies.

These scholarships are awarded based on a thorough assessment of your financial situation.

Diversity and inclusion scholarships

We are dedicated to fostering a diverse and inclusive academic community. Our diversity and inclusion scholarships are designed to support underrepresented groups.

Such scholarships aim to promote equal opportunities and encourage a rich, multicultural learning environment.

[Click to watch our video](#) to discover the global scholarship opportunities available at Newcastle.

International student scholarships

We aim to create a strong global community and recognise the economic challenges facing students across the world.

Each year we award over 1,000 scholarships to eligible international and EU students. These scholarships ensure that talented students have access to a world-class education, no matter their financial background.

Explore our flagship scholarships:

- Vice-Chancellor's Excellence Scholarships
- Vice-Chancellor's Future Leaders Scholarships - China
- Vice-Chancellor's International Scholarships
- Vice-Chancellor's EU Scholarships
- Vice-Chancellor's EU Research Scholarships

For more detailed information on our international scholarships visit

ncl.ac.uk/study/global-scholarships

We also participate in prestigious scholarship schemes such as Commonwealth, Chevening and Fulbright.

Sports scholarships

We offer a range of sports scholarships, including the North American Athlete Scholarship and general sport-specific awards.

Priority sports include basketball, football, hockey, rugby, and volleyball with individual scholarships also available for high-achieving athletes.

Make the most of your potential

Our scholarships aren't just about financial support - they're about investing in you. Explore the full range of opportunities and apply now

ncl.ac.uk/pg-funding-search

Find out more
ncl.ac.uk/pg-funding-search



Because of this scholarship I just got this once in a lifetime opportunity to study in such a fantastic environment.

Adwyait, India
Vice-Chancellor's
Excellence Scholarship



Funding and financial support

Applying for funding

Many students fund their studies through portfolio funding – a combination of formal funding, such as scholarships, studentships and bursaries, together with loans, savings and part-time work.

Formal funding is very competitive, so start your search early – up to 12 months before your year of entry. The majority of funding opportunities are advertised between September and May.

Before applying, make sure you check the scheme's eligibility criteria. In most cases you will need an upper-second-class or first-class Honours degree (or international equivalent) and a strong application to be successful.

You may also need to be holding an offer of a place on a course before you can apply.

Financial considerations for international students

If you are applying for a Student Visa you must show you have enough money to support yourself during your studies in the UK. For universities outside of London (including Newcastle), this amount has been set at £1,136 per month.

You must have arranged your finances and funding before applying for your visa. We'll help you get the financial advice and support you need to invest in your future.

Watch our video to help you explore the living costs associated with studying in Newcastle.
ncl.ac.uk/living-costs

Rent prices in Newcastle are **61.8% lower** than in London, and grocery prices are **8.9% lower***

Cost of living

Living costs in the North of England are generally cheaper than in the South. Newcastle is around 37.5% cheaper than London*, meaning your money will go further here.

General estimates* of living costs in Newcastle compared to London, include:

Single person estimated monthly costs (before rent)		
 London £1,046.90 Newcastle £806.20		
Meal at inexpensive restaurant  London £20.00 Newcastle £15.00	Rice (1kg)  London £1.85 Newcastle £1.59	Monthly transport pass  London £180 Newcastle £58.15
Cappuccino  London £3.83 Newcastle £3.65	Fitness club (monthly)  London £47.49 Newcastle £43.86	12 eggs  London £3.60 Newcastle £2.61

More general monthly living costs can be found at ncl.ac.uk/living-costs

Cost of living support

To help with the cost of living, we've increased our support and resources by over £1.7 million, launching new initiatives and boosting funds to existing schemes. Support is available to all students (some eligibility criteria may apply).

Our Students' Union has also created a cost-of-living crisis hub detailing its initiatives and the resources it provides.

nusu.co.uk/actions

Our schemes include:



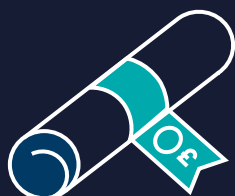
In-person and online appointments with our **Student Finance Advisers**



Make It Happen fund – to meet career-related costs



Student discount app - get 10% off at all campus cafés



Student Financial Support Fund (UK students) and **Financial Assistance Fund (international/EU students)** offering discretionary financial assistance. This includes help with living costs for our Doctoral and MPhil students



For 2025–26 **laundry is included in university accommodation rent** (£120 credit). Excludes Marris House/ Bowsden Court family flats, which have in-flat provision. Extra use: approximately £1.50 per cycle



Give It A Go: the Students' Union's activities programme includes crafts, social sports, discounted tickets, tours and trips with no membership required



Additional jobs for students through our **Jobs On Campus** scheme



Distribution of **free period products** in over 80 campus locations



Explore the **support and resources** available that may help you with the cost of living
ncl.ac.uk/cost-of-living-support



International student support



Chirayu
Marine Engineering MSc

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I love living in Newcastle! The city has such a friendly and welcoming atmosphere that it truly feels like a second home. The people, often referred to as Geordies, are incredibly warm and hospitable, making it easy to connect with the community.

One of the highlights for me was the vibrant cultural scene. From theatres to galleries and music venues, there was always something exciting happening. The Ouseburn Valley, in particular, is a hidden gem with its thriving arts and creative community.



Find out more
ncl.ac.uk/international/country/worldwide

Your gateway to the world

We have campuses in Newcastle, Malaysia, and Singapore, and over 270,000 alumni based around the world. As an international student, you'll meet staff and students from diverse backgrounds, discover new cultures and perspectives, and study in a historically important and culturally rich city. You'll leave Newcastle with broader horizons, international employability, important global connections, and a place to fondly call your second home.

Get to know us

There are lots of ways to get to know us better before choosing Newcastle. Discover ways you can meet us – both virtually and online – on [page 94](#).

You'll find upcoming events on our events calendar ncl.ac.uk/study/meet

International student support

Visa support

Need help with your visa application? Our dedicated Visa Support team offers immigration support, including guidance on the Student and Graduate visa. Find out more on [page 48](#).

ncl.ac.uk/visa-progress

Funding and finance

Learn more about the key funding opportunities available to help you secure financial aid to support your degree on [pages 58-63](#).

Careers and employability

Guiding your career journey as an international student, whether during your studies or after you graduate, is streamlined and transparent through our International Student Pathway. Find more information on [page 42](#).

**Click to discover why students
choose Newcastle University**

get a glimpse into their personal experiences of studying, socialising, and living in the city.



Newcastle University Students' Union (NUSU)

Run by students, for our students, our Students' Union is a great place to make friends and explore existing and new interests.

Find out more on [pages 50-51](#).

International Welcome Week

Once you have a confirmed place to study with us, you'll receive an invitation to join our International Welcome Week which takes place in September and January.

We also host special events and services for our international students, designed to help you settle into life at Newcastle, including:

- information sessions about being a new student at Newcastle
- social activities to help you meet other students
- a Meet and Greet Service at Newcastle International Airport, helping you to get to your accommodation on arrival

ncl.ac.uk/student-welcome



There are many facilities that support my religion. Newcastle University also provides a prayer space. Moreover, there are several Asian stores in Newcastle, making it easy for me to cook Asian food.

Revy
Civil Engineering PhD

Language without barriers

English doesn't need to be your first language to succeed at postgraduate level. Our language support will give you the foundations you need to achieve great things.

Before you arrive

If you are not a native English speaker, or if you are a Student Visa application student, you will need to show that you have adequate knowledge of written and spoken English.

For direct entry to a Newcastle University course, you will typically need an overall IELTS score of 6.5 (or equivalent), but some courses may ask for a higher level of English language proficiency.

Student visa application students also need to demonstrate proficiency at level B2 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. This is equivalent to at least IELTS 5.5 in reading, writing, speaking and listening.

gov.uk/student-visa/knowledge-of-english

IELTS requirements are listed in the course guide on [pages 71-91](#). IELTS (or equivalent) and pre-sessional entry requirements can be found online at ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/degrees

For further information about our English language requirements, including IELTS scores and the wide range of English language tests that we accept, go to ncl.ac.uk/international/language

While you're here

Our free English for Academic Purposes course will enable you to build your confidence and skills during lecture-style sessions, workshops, and one-to-one tutorials covering:

- academic writing, including writing for a dissertation or research project
- grammar
- listening and speaking skills
- presentation skills

Find out more at ncl.ac.uk/inseasonal

International students can also access free healthcare through the NHS (conditions apply).

Supporting your learning

Your extracurricular learning will also be supported by our Language Resource Centre, which offers:

- self-study resources in over 100 languages
- multimedia resources – including 8,000 movies and TV shows in dozens of languages, 40 satellite channels, DVD and audio-visual material
- interactive language-learning software
- listen and record facilities for speaking practice
- eTandem learning, partnering you with an English-speaking student who wants to learn your language
- Peer Assisted Learning (PAL) featuring conversation groups and one-to-one informal speaking practice sessions. Explore more at ncl.ac.uk/language-resource-centre



International Study Centre



Purpose-built learning hub

Working with international study specialists INTO, we support our international students with the university preparation they need to thrive.

Here, you'll be able to study on an International Pathway Course that will guarantee you a place on a postgraduate degree at Newcastle, upon successfully meeting progression requirements.

We also offer pre-sessional English courses to help you meet the language requirements for a degree at Newcastle, as well as academic English courses designed to support offer holders with their language skills before joining us.

Specialised facilities

Based in the heart of campus, Newcastle University International Study Centre is your state-of-the-art international student hub offering modern lecture and studio space, laboratories, IT facilities, a library, language resource centre, café, communal social areas and on-site accommodation.

As part of Newcastle University, you'll also have access to all the other fantastic facilities available on campus.

You'll be supported by a student experience and wellbeing team, as well as personal tutors and language advisers. An orientation programme when you arrive, plus a calendar of regular social activities, will help you make friends and settle into life here.

Take a look at the range of scholarships available (and the eligibility criteria) at nclisc.com/en/tuition-and-scholarships. Don't forget to check [page 58](#) for even more opportunities to fund your future.

International Study Centre courses

Courses are delivered using university-standard teaching methods, including lectures, seminars, supported self-study and eLearning. Find out more about our courses at nclisc.com





Find out more
ncl.ac.uk/pathway-courses

Type of course	Content	Start date/enrolment
Pre-Master's • Architecture and Landscape Architecture • Business and Humanities	For direct entry to a postgraduate degree at Newcastle University in architecture, an architecture-related subject, business, communication, law, media, social sciences or transport. Develop the academic and postgraduate research skills in your chosen subject while improving your English language abilities.	On campus: January, June, September.
Academic English	Meet the language requirements for a degree at Newcastle or improve your academic English. Gain the language fluency and academic skills you need with different course durations.	On campus: January, April, June, September.
Pre-sessional English	If you are already holding an offer to study at Newcastle, improve your language and contextual study skills before starting your degree.	On campus: June, July. Courses are 6–10 weeks in length. Online: June, July. Courses are 8–12 weeks in length.

Find out more

To find out more about Newcastle University International Study Centre visit nclisc.com



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Find your degree



It's time to invest in your future. Harness our world-class teaching and research, and channel your passion into a postgraduate degree that will set you apart.

Start your journey

Start your search with our course guide on [pages 71-91](#). Check the different award types, English language requirements, and whether a degree involves full- or part-time study.

Tuition fees

We've also included the tuition fees for international and home students. These are typically for full-time (FT) Doctoral and Master's-level degrees for one year of study (2026-2027 only). If your studies last longer than one year, you should expect the tuition fee to increase in each subsequent academic year of your course, subject to government regulations on fee increases and in line with inflation.

Please note that tuition fees vary by research project for some research degrees. These are marked by an asterisk (*) in the course guide.

Support for international students

Our Newcastle University International Study Centre Pre-Master's courses are listed on [page 87](#), these are offered in partnership with INTO. They can prepare you for direct entry to a range of postgraduate degrees with us. Further details about the International Study Centre, including information about our English language support, are available on [pages 68-69](#) or visit nclisc.com

For more information on the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) see [page 67](#).

Our IELTS entry requirements (Direct entry) are listed in our course guide on [pages 71-91](#).

Get more details

We regularly update our courses throughout the year responding to the latest research breakthroughs, teaching requirements and industry demands.

We would always recommend you visit our website for the most up-to-date and detailed information about our courses.

ncl.ac.uk/postgraduate/degrees

On our website, once you've found the degree that's right for you, you can explore your chosen course in more depth, including:

- entry requirements
- course structure and module overview
- how you will learn and be assessed
- teaching and research facilities
- career prospects
- how to apply
- fees and funding

There is also information on how to apply and how you can get in touch if you have a specific question about the course.

Degree	Level	FT Full time PT Part time	Home fees (£)	International fees (£)	IELTS (Direct Entry)	Research	Taught
Accounting and Finance							
Accounting and Finance	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)	●	
Accounting, Finance and Financial Analysis	MSc	FT/PT	16,300	31,950	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Accounting, Finance and Strategic Investment	MSc	FT	16,300	31,950	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Banking and Finance	MSc	FT	16,300	31,950	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Economics and Finance	MSc	FT	13,450	28,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Finance	MSc	FT	16,300	31,950	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Finance and Economics (Research)	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Financial Analytics and Risk Management	MSc	FT	16,300	31,950	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Ageing							
Ageing*	MPhil; PhD; MD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Ageing and Health	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Agriculture							
Agriculture*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-39,850	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Agricultural and Environmental Science	MSc	FT	14,200	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Sustainable Agriculture and Food Security	MSc	FT	14,200	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Animal Behaviour and Science							
Animal Science*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-39,850	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Animal Behaviour	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Animal Welfare	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Archaeology							
Archaeology	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)	●	
Archaeology	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●

*Tuition fees vary by research project.

Degree	Level	FT Full time PT Part time	Home fees (£)	International fees (£)	IELTS (Direct Entry)	Research	Taught
Architecture, Planning and Landscape							
Architecture, Planning and Landscape	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)	●	
Advanced Architectural Design: Architecture and Cities	MSc	FT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Advanced Landscape Planning and Management	MSc	FT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Architectural Practice and Management	PGDip	PT	2,900	6,200	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Architecture	Master of (MArch)	FT	Check online	29,600	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Landscape Architecture	MA	FT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Landscape Architecture	MLA	FT	Check online	Check online	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Spatial Planning	PGDip	FT/PT	7,600	17,650	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●
Urban Design	MA; PGDip	FT/PT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Urban Planning	MSc	FT/PT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●
Artificial Intelligence (AI)							
Advanced Artificial Intelligence	MSc	FT	14,500	31,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Data Science and Artificial Intelligence (subject to full approval)	MSc	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Geospatial Artificial Intelligence (subject to full approval)	MSc	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Human-Centred Artificial Intelligence	MSc	FT	14,500	31,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Robotics and Artificial Intelligence	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Biology							
Biology*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-42,100	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	

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Biomedical Sciences							
Biomedical, Nutritional and Sports Sciences*	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Biomedicine*	MPhil; PhD; MD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Biosciences*	MPhil; PhD; MD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Biomedical Informatics	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Cardiovascular Science in Health and Disease	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Drug Delivery and Nanomedicine	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Immunobiology	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Medical and Molecular Biosciences	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Mitochondrial Biology and Medicine	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Molecular Cell Biology in Health and Disease	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Regenerative Medicine and Stem Cells	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Translational Medicine and Therapeutics	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Transplantation	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Clinical Research	MClinRes; PGDip; PGCert; CPD	PT online	4,300	Check online	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Clinical Science (Medical Physics)	MSc	PT	Check online	Check online	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Clinical Science (Physiological Sciences)	MSc	PT	Check online	Check online	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Biotechnology							
Biotechnology (Biological, Agricultural and Environmental Sciences)*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-42,100	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Biotechnology (Marine Sciences)*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Biotechnology (Medical Sciences)*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Biotechnology and Bidesign	MRes	FT	14,300	31,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Biotechnology and Business Enterprise	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Industrial and Commercial Biotechnology	MSc	FT	10,000	18,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●

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Business and Management							
Business and Management	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)	●	
Cross-Cultural Communication and International Management	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management	MSc	FT	15,700	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Human Resource Management	MSc	FT	15,700	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
International Business (with specialist pathway in Sustainability)	MSc	FT	15,700	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Management	MSc	FT	16,300	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Management and Business Studies (Research)	MA; PGDip	FT/PT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Master of Business Administration	MBA	FT	33,250	33,250	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Renewable Energy, Enterprise and Management (REEM)	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Strategic Leadership	MSc	PT	9,400	13,200	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Sustainability Management	MSc	FT	15,700	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Cancer							
Cancer*	MPhil; PhD; MD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Cancer	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Molecular Cell Biology in Health and Disease	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Regenerative Medicine and Stem Cells	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Chemical Engineering							
Chemical Engineering*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,500-41,450	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Materials Engineering*	MPhil; PhD	FT	Check online	33,500-41,450	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Renewable Energy, Enterprise and Management (REEM)	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Sustainable Chemical Engineering	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●

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Chemistry							
Chemistry*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900- 42,100	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Chemistry	MSc	FT	14,200	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Drug Chemistry	MSc	FT	10,000	18,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Civil Engineering							
Civil Engineering (Environmental)*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,500- 43,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Civil Engineering (Geotechnical and Engineering Geology)*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,500- 43,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Civil Engineering (Structural)*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,500- 43,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Civil Engineering (Transport)*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,500- 43,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Civil Engineering (Water Resources)*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,500- 43,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Civil Engineering (subject to full approval)	MSc	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Environmental Engineering	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Geospatial Artificial Intelligence (subject to full approval)	MSc	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Hydrology and Water Management	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Transport Engineering, Planning and Management	MSc	FT/PT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Classics and Ancient History							
Classics and Ancient History	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)	●	
Computing							
Computer Science*	MPhil; PhD; Integrated PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,500- 43,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Advanced Artificial Intelligence	MSc	FT	14,500	31,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Advanced Computer Science	MSc	FT	14,500	31,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Advanced Data Science	MSc	FT	14,500	31,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Advanced Data Science with Health	MSc	FT	14,800	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Advanced Data Science with Statistics	MSc	FT	14,800	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●

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Bioinformatics	MSc	FT	15,100	32,300	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Cloud Computing	MSc	FT	14,500	31,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Computer Game Engineering	MSc	FT	15,100	32,300	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Computer Science	MSc	FT	14,500	32,300	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Cyber Security	MSc	FT	14,500	31,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Human-Centred Artificial Intelligence	MSc	FT	14,500	31,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Human-Computer Interaction	MSc	FT	15,100	32,300	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Robotics and Artificial Intelligence	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●

Conservation

Global Conservation	MSc	FT	14,200	31,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Marine Conservation and Sustainability	MSc	FT	14,200	31,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●

Creative Writing

Creative Writing	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Creative Writing	MA; PGCert	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Writing Poetry	MA	PT	5,700	Contact School	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●

Cross-Cultural Communication

Cross-Cultural Communication	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Cross-Cultural Communication and Applied Linguistics	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Cross-Cultural Communication and Education	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Cross-Cultural Communication and International Management	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Cross-Cultural Communication and International Marketing	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●

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Cross-Cultural Communication and International Relations	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Cross-Cultural Communication and Media Studies	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
International Development and Education with Cross-Cultural Communication	MA	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●

Cultural Studies

Media and Cultural Studies	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Creative and Cultural Industries Management (subject to full approval)	MA	FT/PT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Media, Society and Cultural Studies (Research)	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●

Data Science

Advanced Data Science	MSc	FT	14,500	31,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Advanced Data Science with Health	MSc	FT	14,800	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Advanced Data Science with Statistics	MSc	FT	14,800	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Data Science (subject to full approval)	MSc	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Data Science and Artificial Intelligence (subject to full approval)	MSc	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Data Science and Digital Humanities (subject to full approval)	MSc	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Data Science and Industrial Biotechnology (subject to full approval)	MSc	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Data Science and Sport (subject to full approval)	MSc	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Economics and Data Science	MSc	FT	13,450	28,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●

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Dental Sciences							
Dentistry and Dental Sciences*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900- 46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Conscious Sedation in Dentistry	PGCert	PT	8,400	14,950	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 7.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Dental Education	PGCert	PT	4,400	4,450	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 7.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Endodontics	MClinDent	FT	57,100	57,700	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Oral Sciences	MSc	FT	12,200	29,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●
Periodontics	MClinDent	FT	57,100	57,700	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Prosthodontics	MClinDent	FT	57,100	57,700	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Digital Business and Business Analytics							
Business Analytics	MSc	FT	15,700	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Digital Business	MSc	FT	15,700	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Electronic Commerce	MSc	FT	15,700	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Digital Media							
Digital Media	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Creative and Cultural Industries Management (subject to full approval)	MA	FT/PT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Digital Media, Technology and Society	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in listening, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Ecology							
Ecology	MRes	FT	14,300	31,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Global Conservation	MSc	FT	14,200	31,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●

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Economics							
Economics	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)	●	
Behavioural and Experimental Economics	MSc	FT	13,450	28,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Economics	MSc	FT	13,450	28,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Economics and Data Science	MSc	FT	13,450	28,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Economics and Finance	MSc	FT	13,450	28,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Finance and Economics (Research)	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Education							
Education	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Education	EdD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Applied Educational Psychology	Doctorate (DAppEdPsy)	FT	Check online	Check online	IELTS 7.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Cross-Cultural Communication and Education	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Education	MA	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Education Research	MA	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Educational Leadership	PGCert	PT	3,800	Contact School	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Educational Research and Innovation	PGCert	PT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
International Development and Education	MA	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
International Development and Education with Cross-Cultural Communication	MA	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Music Education	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Postgraduate Certificate in Education, Primary (with Qualified Teacher Status QTS)	PGCE	FT	Check online	25,900	Contact academic school		●
Postgraduate Certificate in Education, Secondary (with Qualified Teacher Status QTS)	PGCE	FT	Check online	25,900	Contact academic school		●
Practitioner Enquiry	MEd	PT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●

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Electrical and Electronic Engineering							
Electrical and Electronic Engineering*	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,500-43,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Automation and Control	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Biomedical Engineering	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Communications and Signal Processing	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Electrical Power	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Embedded Systems and Internet of Things (ES-IoT)	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Microelectronics: Systems and Devices	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Robotics and Artificial Intelligence	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Energy							
Energy*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,500-43,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Renewable Energy, Enterprise and Management (REEM)	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Engineering							
Engineering Management	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
See also the following subject categories: Chemical Engineering; Civil Engineering; Electrical and Electronic Engineering; Marine, Offshore and Subsea Engineering; Materials Engineering; Mechanical and Systems Engineering							
English Literature							
English Literature	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
English Literature	MLitt	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Environmental Science							
Environmental Science (Applied and Environmental Biology)*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-42,100	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Agricultural and Environmental Science	MSc	FT	14,200	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Film							
Film Practice	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Film Studies	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	

Degree	Level	FT Full time PT Part time	Home fees (£)	International fees (£)	IELTS (Direct Entry)	Research	Taught
Film Studies	MLitt	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Global Film	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●

Fine Art

Fine Art	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Contemporary Art History and Curating	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in writing, 6.0 in speaking, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●
Fine Art	MA	FT/PT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Fine Art	MFA	FT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●

Food and Society

Food and Society*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900- 39,850	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Sustainable Agriculture and Food Security	MSc	FT	14,200	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●

Genetics

Genetics*	MPhil; PhD; MD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900- 46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Medical Genetics	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Mitochondrial Biology and Medicine	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Regenerative Medicine and Stem Cells	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	

Geography

Geography*	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400- 25,600	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Global Sustainable Futures	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Human Geography Research	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●

Geoscience

Geosciences*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900- 42,100	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
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Geospatial Engineering

Geospatial Engineering*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,500- 43,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Geospatial Artificial Intelligence (subject to full approval)	MSc	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●

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History							
History	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)	●	
History	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●
Public History	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●
Human Nutrition							
Nutrition, Food and Human Health*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900- 46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Biomedical, Nutritional and Sports Sciences*	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900- 46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Human Nutrition	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
International Development							
Development, Environment and International Politics	MSc	FT/PT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
International Development and Education	MA	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
International Development and Education with Cross-Cultural Communication	MA	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Law							
Law	LLM (by research); MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)	●	
Emerging Technologies and the Law	LLM	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●
International Commercial Law	LLM	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●
International Law and Global Challenges	LLM	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●
International Security: Conflict, Crime and Justice	MScL	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Law	LLM	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●

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Linguistics							
Linguistics; Applied Linguistics	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Linguistics and English Language	Integrated PhD	FT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)	●	
Phonetics and Phonology	Integrated PhD	FT	Check online	25,600	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)	●	
English Language and/or Linguistics	MLitt	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Applied Linguistics and TESOL	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Applied Linguistics Research	MA	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Clinical Linguistics and Evidence Based Practice (Research)	MSc	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Cross-Cultural Communication and Applied Linguistics	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Linguistics	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Sociolinguistics (Research)	MA; PGDip	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Marine Sciences							
Marine Sciences*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Biotechnology (Marine Sciences)*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Marine Ecosystems	MRes	FT/PT	14,300	31,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)	●	
Marine Conservation and Sustainability	MSc	FT	14,200	31,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Marine, Offshore and Subsea Engineering							
Marine Technology*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,500-43,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Marine Technology Education Consortium (MTEC)	MSc	PT	Check online	Check online	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Naval Architecture, Marine and Ocean Engineering	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Shipping and Logistics	MSc	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●

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Marketing							
Marketing	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)	●	
Cross-Cultural Communication and International Marketing	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Digital Marketing	MSc	FT	15,700	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
International Marketing	MSc	FT	15,700	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Materials Engineering							
Materials Engineering*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,500- 41,450	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Mathematics and Statistics							
Mathematics	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Statistics	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Advanced Data Science	MSc	FT	14,500	31,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Advanced Data Science with Health	MSc	FT	14,800	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Advanced Data Science with Statistics	MSc	FT	14,800	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Medical Statistics	MSc	FT	14,800	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Statistics	MSc	FT	14,800	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Mechanical and Systems Engineering							
Mechanical and Systems Engineering*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,500- 41,450	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Biomedical Engineering	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Mechanical Engineering	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Robotics and Artificial Intelligence	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Media, Journalism and Public Relations							
Journalism and Public Relations	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Media and Cultural Studies	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	

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Cross-Cultural Communication and Media Studies	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Digital Media, Technology and Society	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in listening, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
International Multimedia Journalism	MA	FT	11,400	27,100	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in listening, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Media and Journalism	MA	FT/PT	11,400	27,100	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in listening, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Media and Public Relations	MA	FT/PT	11,400	27,100	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in listening, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Media, Society and Cultural Studies (Research)	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●

Medical Education

Clinical and Medical Sciences Education*	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-42,100	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Medical Education	MMedEd; PGDip; PGCert;	FT/PT online	Check online	Check online	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 7.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Physician Associate Studies	MSc	FT	11,200	27,500	IELTS 7.5 overall (with a minimum of 7.0 in all sub-skills)		●

Medicine and Surgery

Medicine and Surgery*	MPhil; PhD; MD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Cardiovascular Science in Health and Disease	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Translational Medicine and Therapeutics	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Transplantation	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Clinical Echocardiography	PGCert	PT	Contact School	Contact School	Contact School		●
Clinical Research	MClinRes; PGDip; PGCert; CPD	PT online	Check online	Check online	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Interventional Nephrology	PGCert	PT	Check online	Check online	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 7.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Medical Statistics	MSc	FT	14,800	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Physician Associate Studies	MSc	FT	11,200	27,500	IELTS 7.5 overall (with a minimum of 7.0 in all sub-skills)		●

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Microbiology							
Microbiology (Biological Sciences)*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900- 42,100	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Microbiology (Medical Sciences)*	MPhil; PhD; MD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900- 46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Molecular Microbiology	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Modern Languages (see also Translation and Interpreting)							
Modern Languages (French; German; Latin American Studies; Spanish; Portuguese; Chinese; Japanese; Translation and Interpreting)	MLitt; MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Museum Studies, Curating Art and Heritage Management							
Museum, Gallery and Heritage Studies	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Heritage, Museums and Galleries	MLitt	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Contemporary Art History and Curating	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in writing and speaking, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●
Curating Art	MA; PGDip	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in writing and speaking, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●
Global Heritage Management	MA; PGDip	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in writing and speaking, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●
Museum Studies	MA; PGDip	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in writing and speaking, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●
Music							
Music	MLitt; MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Music (Performance/ Composition)	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Music Education	MA	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Music Industries Management	MA	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●

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Nanoscale Science and Technology							
Nanoscale Science and Technology*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-42,100	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Drug Delivery and Nanomedicine	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Neuroscience							
Neuroscience*	MPhil; PhD; MD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Neuroscience	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Newcastle University International Study Centre (see page 68 for more information)							
Architecture and Landscape Architecture	Pre-Master's	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Business and Humanities	Pre-Master's	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Operations and Project Management							
Operations, Logistics and Supply Chain Management	MSc	FT	15,700	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Project Management	MSc	FT	15,700	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Pharmacy and Drug Delivery							
Pharmacy*	MPhil; PhD; MD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Drug Delivery and Nanomedicine	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Philosophy							
Philosophy	MLitt; MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Physics							
Physics (Experimental)*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	33,200-47,300	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Physics (Theoretical)	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Clinical Science (Medical Physics)	MSc	PT	Check online	Check online	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)		●

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Politics and International Relations							
Politics	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Cross-Cultural Communication and International Relations	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Development, Environment and International Politics	MSc	FT/PT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
European Union Studies	MA	FT/PT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Global Sustainable Futures	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
International Political Economy	MA	FT/PT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
International Politics (Critical Geopolitics)	MA	FT/PT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
International Politics (Global Justice and Ethics)	MA	FT/PT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
International Relations	MA	FT/PT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
International Security: Conflict, Crime and Justice	MScL	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Politics (Research)	MA	FT/PT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Public Policy	MSc	FT/PT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
World Politics and Popular Culture	MA	FT/PT	11,400	26,500	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Psychology							
Psychology*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900- 46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Animal Behaviour	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Applied Educational Psychology	Doctorate (DAppEdPsy)	FT	Check online	Check online	IELTS 7.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Clinical Psychology	Doctor of (DClinPsy)	FT	Check online	Check online	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 7.0 in speaking, listening and writing, and 8.0 in reading)	●	
Evolution and Human Behaviour	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Cognitive Behavioural Therapy	PGDip	FT/PT	12,650	Contact School	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 7.0 in speaking and listening, 8.0 in reading, and 6.0 in writing)		●

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Foundations in Clinical Psychology (with Professional Skills Portfolio Specialist pathway)	MSc	FT	12,600	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Low Intensity Psychological Therapies	PGCert	FT	Check online	Check online	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 8.0 in reading, 7.0 in speaking and listening, and 6.0 in writing)		●
Sport and Exercise Psychology	MSc	FT/PT	12,600	30,800	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 7.0 in all sub-skills)		●

Public Health and Epidemiology

Public Health, Epidemiology and Health Services Research*	MPhil; PhD; MD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-42,100	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Epidemiology	MRes	FT	12,500	30,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Medical Statistics	MSc	FT	14,800	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Public Health	MPH; PGDip; PGCert	FT/PT	12,800	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 5.5 in all other sub-skills)		●

Research Training

Research Training (available to research students in the Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences only)	PGCert	FT/PT	3,800	8,600	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
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Rural Studies

Rural Studies*	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900-39,850	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Sustainable Agriculture and Food Security	MSc	FT	14,200	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●

Sociology

Sociology	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Gender (with pathways in: Sociology; Global Sustainable Futures; Public Policy; International Relations; International Security)	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
International Security: Conflict, Crime and Justice	MScL	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Sociology	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Sociology and Social Research	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●

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Degree	Level	FT Full time PT Part time	Home fees (£)	International fees (£)	IELTS (Direct Entry)	Research	Taught
Speech and Language Sciences							
Speech and Language Sciences	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	25,600	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)	●	
Phonetics and Phonology	Integrated PhD	FT	Check online	25,600	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)	●	
Clinical Linguistics and Evidence Based Practice (Research)	MSc	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Language Pathology	MSc	FT	Check online	25,900	IELTS 8.0 overall (with a minimum of 7.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Sport and Exercise Sciences							
Biomedical, Nutritional and Sports Sciences*	PhD	FT/PT	Check online	31,900 - 46,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Clinical Exercise Physiology	MSc	FT	12,500	29,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Sport and Exercise Psychology	MSc	FT/PT	12,600	30,800	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 7.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Sustainability							
Global Conservation	MSc	FT	14,200	31,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Global Sustainable Futures	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
International Business (with Specialist pathway in Sustainability)	MSc	FT	15,700	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Leadership in Climate Change and Sustainability	MSc	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Marine Conservation and Sustainability	MSc	FT	14,200	31,000	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Renewable Energy, Enterprise and Management (REEM)	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Sustainability Management	MSc	FT	15,700	30,800	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.0 in all sub-skills)		●
Sustainable Agriculture and Food Security	MSc	FT	14,200	32,700	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Sustainable Chemical Engineering	MSc	FT	13,900	30,050	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 5.5 in all sub-skills)		●

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Teacher Training							
Postgraduate Certificate in Education, Primary (with Qualified Teacher Status QTS)	PGCE	FT	Check online	25,900	Contact academic school		●
Postgraduate Certificate in Education, Secondary (with Qualified Teacher Status QTS)	PGCE	FT	Check online	25,900	Contact academic school		●
TESOL							
TESOL	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
TESOL and Digital Technology	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
TESOL and Intercultural Communication	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Applied Linguistics and TESOL	MA	FT/PT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 6.5 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in writing, and 6.0 in all other sub-skills)		●
Translation and Interpreting (see also Modern Languages)							
Translation and Interpreting	MPhil; PhD	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Interpreting Studies	MLitt	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Translation Studies	MLitt	FT/PT	Check online	24,400	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)	●	
Conference Interpreting	MA	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 7.5 overall (with a minimum of 7.0 in speaking and listening, and 6.5 in writing and reading)		●
Interpreting and Conference Diplomacy (subject to full approval)	MA	FT	Check online	Check online	Check online		●
Translation and Interpreting	MA	FT	Check online	Check online	Stage 1 entry: IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in speaking and listening, and 6.0 in writing and reading) Stage 2 entry (advanced): IELTS 7.5 overall (with a minimum of 7.0 in speaking and listening, and 6.5 in writing and reading)		●
Translation and Localisation	MA	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)		●
Translation Studies	MA	FT	11,400	25,900	IELTS 7.0 overall (with a minimum of 6.5 in all sub-skills)		●



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Leeds	1 hour 20 minutes
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Manchester	2 hours 15 minutes
York	55 minutes

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Dublin	1 hour
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