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Peterborough & Stamford

UNDERGRADUATE PROSPECTUS

2022/23

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HELLO FUTURE

Peterborough is the fourth fastest growing city in the UK

Courses are available to study in Peterborough and Stamford

The majority of degrees are studied as two full days a week

There are opportunities for work experience and work placements

There are part-time study options for the majority of degrees

Study in small class sizes and get 1:1 support from your lecturers

Business and computing degrees can be started in September or January

You can benefit from lower tuition fees and low income bursaries

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YOUR FUTURE STARTS HERE

CHOOSING TO STUDY AT UNIVERSITY, THEN SELECTING THE RIGHT INSTITUTION AND COURSE – THESE ARE BIG DECISIONS. WE WILL GIVE YOU CLEAR AND ACCURATE INFORMATION SO YOU CAN MAKE THE BEST CHOICE FOR A SUCCESSFUL FUTURE.

Since opening our purpose built £10 million campus in 2009 in the heart of Peterborough, we have grown our portfolio of courses to reflect the needs of local, national and international employers and these lead to genuine employment opportunities for our graduates in their chosen career path.

In 2020 we became part of the Inspire Education Group and subsequently have grown our HE provision in the area by offering courses in both Peterborough in Stamford. The location of courses are clearly identified on the course pages in this prospectus.

In July 2021, we also became an approved partner institution of The Open University. Course pages also identify the awarding body of the course that you are studying.

As a relatively new institution, we have been able to create a learning environment which is different to other universities, and our strength comes from our smaller size, enabling us to put you at the heart of everything we do.

Significantly this includes smaller class sizes, more contact time with your lecturers including; 1:1 tutorials, convenient timetabling and flexible study options to fit in with our students. We do this by listening to your feedback and enhancing our offer and support.

When you study with us, we will support your development and help you achieve your career ambitions. We have excellent working relationships with local companies who are looking to recruit our graduates directly from us or improve qualifications for their existing staff.

We will support you in identifying opportunities for internships, work placements or volunteering to improve your career prospects which can lead to permanent work after graduating.

However, at least as important is the role of higher education providers in creating citizens, thereby enhancing democratic and civic participation.

UCP has a civic mission to develop the community and enhance the civic life of the region. Enhancing democratic and civic participation also builds the confidence of our students, creates networks and enhances your employability.

A number of research projects undertaken by our staff and students has led to knowledge exchange, which promotes public good which, in turn, promotes great democratic and civic participation.

We look forward to working with you, so please do come and discover what we have to offer.

Liz Knight
Academic Director
University Centre Peterborough

HELLO TO A BRIGHTER FUTURE

FOR MANY PEOPLE, GETTING THEIR DEGREE IS THE START OF THE JOURNEY, NOT THE END. WE WILL HELP YOU PROGRESS WITHIN YOUR CHOSEN CAREER.

A FAST GROWING CITY

Peterborough is the fourth fastest growing city in the UK and the local area is growing due to excellent road and rail links. There is a thriving hub of businesses which includes head offices for some of the UK's top companies. With this growth, there is demand from companies for graduates, which gives UCP graduates a head start in gaining employment in their chosen career.

"I would strongly encourage local businesses to engage with the University Centre Peterborough and The Skills Service to help shape skills provision both now and for the future."

TOM HENNESSY, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OPPORTUNITY PETERBOROUGH*

HELLO FUTURE

Our degrees were designed in consultation with local employers to ensure our graduates are career ready as we realise how important new graduates are for local employers. On the course pages in this prospectus, you will see the different careers and jobs available for graduates to help you choose which course is most suitable for you.

IMPROVING EMPLOYABILITY

We have an Employability Hub to enhance your professional and transferrable skills. We work with students and employers to develop graduate outcomes and maximise the employability of our students. There are numerous employability and volunteering opportunities throughout the year supported by local and national employers.

WORK PLACEMENTS AND WORK EXPERIENCE

Employability plays an important part in the course that you study and we will help you identify work placements, internships and volunteering opportunities. As our lecturers have links with industry, they can let you know about the opportunities available even after you have finished studying with us and become part of our Alumni.

Some courses include work placements as core modules which are assessed and may lead to employment after you graduate. As courses are timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this gives you the flexibility to find part-time work or a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity.

"Over the past few years, we have had some great students working with us through summer placements and in part-time roles alongside their study. This has enabled them to gain experience much earlier and made their study more meaningful. The strong individuals have ultimately gained full-time training contracts with us on completion of their study."

SAFFREY CHAMPNESS CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

*Peterborough Economic Intelligence Report January 2019

WHERE BEING SMALLER REALLY COUNTS

WE BELIEVE THAT SIZE REALLY MATTERS WHEN IT COMES TO CHOOSING A UNIVERSITY, AS THERE ARE MANY BENEFITS TO STUDYING SOMEWHERE SMALLER.

BENEFIT FROM OUR SMALL CLASS SIZES

The courses at University Centre Peterborough are studied in small class sizes compared with other universities, a typical course size is under 30 students.

During our lectures and seminars, students can engage and interact with academic staff so all students understand the course content and build knowledge. There are opportunities to discuss and answer questions without any pressure. Compared to larger universities who may have lectures with over 100 students, the learning environment can be very different.

There are some courses where smaller classes are even more beneficial as you may need to be hands-on with recording equipment, require individual help in the science lab, use specialist technology to test sports performance or star in a drama production.

IT'S EASY TO SETTLE IN

You won't get nervous finding your way around campus and you certainly won't get lost finding where your next seminar is. Our modern campus makes it easy to settle in and we ensure new students see all of the facilities during their induction and enrolment week. If you want to see the campus beforehand, come to one of our Open Days or Campus Visits.

"I specifically chose to study at University Centre Peterborough as I didn't want to study somewhere that was too big. I feel confident asking questions in my seminars and get feedback straight away."

MAKE NEW FRIENDS STRAIGHT AWAY

In small classes you will quickly get to know your peers and group activities will give you opportunities to work together. As our courses are based on small campuses you will also get to know students on other courses.

ACCESS TO SUPPORT WHEN YOU NEED IT

By the nature of us being a smaller institution, you can be reassured that our support team and your lecturers can give you the support you require without you having to wait for it. You will find it helpful that you are dealing with familiar staff throughout the duration of your studies.

YOU WILL GET NOTICED

All students have an equal chance to stand out from the crowd and have their potential noticed. As our lecturing staff get to know you, they will let you know of work placement and employment opportunities that are most suitable for you.

WE GET TO KNOW YOU AS INDIVIDUALS

WE PROVIDE A WARM AND WELCOMING ENVIRONMENT, WHERE ALL OF THE ACADEMICS, SUPPORT STAFF AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT GET TO KNOW YOU AS INDIVIDUALS.

YOUR FUTURE REALLY MATTERS TO US

Our academic staff will know your name, what you are interested in, how well you are doing, whether you need extra support and what your future plans are so they can help you succeed. This support continues after you have graduated as we will continue to support you as a member of our alumni.

1:1 AND GROUP TUTORIALS

We timetable weekly individual and group tutorials so you can discuss previous lectures and seminars, plan for coursework and assessments and talk through any help you require to get the most out of your course. This also gives you the opportunity to receive feedback on coursework and assessments so you are constantly able to improve.

By being in small classes, we will even notice if you don't attend a lecture so can ensure you are not missing out on important course content.

"It feels like I'm studying in a private university as we get personal attention. All of my lecturers have time for me and nothing ever seems to be too much trouble. There is a real sense of community on my course as everyone works together."

"The support and quality of content delivered in lectures on the Sociology and Psychosocial Studies degrees always strived to provide contemporary, interesting and informative lessons."

LEARN FROM QUALITY, EXPERIENCED AND WELL CONNECTED STAFF

Many of our lecturing staff have worked in the industry they lecture in and bring their knowledge and understanding of best practice to lectures and seminars. Through their industry connections, they will help students gain work placements or opportunities in local and national businesses.

We are committed to the personal and professional development of our academic staff so you are taught well by leading academics with recognised qualifications.

On our website under each course page, there are staff profiles where you find out more about their relevant experience, qualifications and the passion our academics have for their course.

TIMETABLES THAT FIT AROUND YOU

YOUR TIME IS VERY VALUABLE, WHICH IS WHY WE HELP YOU MAKE THE MOST OF IT SO YOU CAN FIT YOUR COURSE AROUND PERSONAL OR WORK COMMITMENTS.

MAJORITY OF COURSES ARE TWO FULL DAYS A WEEK

When studied full-time, the majority of courses at University Centre Peterborough have lectures timetabled as two full days a week over two semesters per year. Part-time have one to two full days a week over two semesters per year.

We are able to offer this convenient timetabling to our students as we are a smaller institution so we can timetable our staff and resources more efficiently.

There are some exceptions where full-time courses are one or up to three days a week, and you can find the specific details on the course information pages in this prospectus.

The days of the week you study may change each year and in some circumstances one of the full days might have to be split into two half days, but we aim to keep these as full days wherever possible.

PLANNING YOUR OTHER DAYS OF THE WEEK

This convenient timetabling enables you to better plan your time for independent study and fit the course around personal or work commitments.

It can help you to gain part-time work to fund your time at university or work placements and volunteering opportunities to enhance your employability after you graduate.

THE ACADEMIC YEAR

There are two semesters per year and each semester is up to 15 weeks which includes up to 12 teaching weeks and 3 assessment weeks.

If studying full-time you will be in classes, seminars and tutorials for approximately 15 hours per week and will spend the rest of your time in independent study and extra-curricular activities including work placement if not embedded in your course. We recommend that full-time students allow 30 hours per week for additional study.

The campus is open Monday to Friday throughout the year and you will also have 24/7 access to a virtual learning environment (VLE) with e-books, journals and abstracts plus teaching resources and interactive tools.

Timetables are available at least 6 weeks before registration and you can refer to the academic calendar on **ucp.ac.uk/key-dates** for examination weeks and resit periods.

"I would never have been able to fit in my work placement and gain experience if the course wasn't timetabled as full days. This experience was so invaluable in helping me get my first job in my chosen career."

WE'RE HERE TO SUPPORT YOU

YOU MIGHT NOT NEED ANY SUPPORT DURING YOUR TIME STUDYING WITH US, BUT IF YOU DO NEED TO SPEAK TO SOMEONE, IT IS REASSURING TO KNOW THERE IS SOMEONE AVAILABLE AND WILLING TO HELP.

When you first enter our Peterborough campus you will notice our Student Support Centre is before our main reception - this is because we put students first in everything we do. You will never feel there is no one available and you never need to be afraid to ask.

STUDENT SUPPORT

Our Student Support team are not just there to help our current students, but can help you even before you apply to us as we understand that preparation is just as important.

If you have something you don't feel comfortable speaking to a member of staff about, you can speak to our Student Officer who is there to bridge the gap between students and staff.

The Student Support team can help deal with all enquiries relating to:

- **Funding and fees for UK and EU students**
- **Grants and allowances**
- **Student accommodation**
- **Mental health and wellbeing**
- **Emotional support**
- **Course extensions and mitigations**
- **Arrangements for learning support**

EMPLOYABILITY HUB

Our Employability Hub is designed to enhance your professional and transferrable skills plus we will help students with employability and placement opportunities as we work closely with employers.

STUDY EXCELLENCE SESSIONS

During lunchtimes, there are drop-in study excellence sessions which focus on academic, transferable and professional skills such as Harvard referencing, preparing for seminars, CV writing and IT help using Excel and PowerPoint. We also offer English writing and speaking support sessions for students where English is an additional language (EAL).

"I took advantage of the free study excellence sessions in my first year, which helped me quickly adapt to the jump of studying at degree level. There were even mentoring sessions from past students who understood what it felt like and put me at ease."

DISABLED STUDENTS

Our facilities are designed to be fully accessible for disabled students. We provide additional support by purchasing specialist equipment, staffing help or extra time for exams. We will require you to undertake an assessment so we can tailor support to your needs.

CHAPLAINCY

A chaplaincy service is available to you irrespective of your faith or commitment where you can discuss spiritual or personal issues in confidence. They host weekly free coffee mornings where you are welcome to have a friendly chat.

MATURE STUDENTS ARE NOT ALONE

THE STUDENT COMMUNITY AT UNIVERSITY CENTRE PETERBOROUGH IS A DIVERSE AND FRIENDLY ONE. MATURE STUDENTS ARE THOSE AGED 21 OR OVER AT THE START OF THEIR STUDIES.

You will not feel alone as all courses have a mix of different ages with at least one in three undergraduates being a mature student so you get the chance to meet people with similar interests and experiences.

You will find that you bring interesting and alternative perspectives into lectures, and these will be respected and valued.

We are committed to helping you develop your academic skills so you can balance your studies with family or work commitments.

FUNDING YOUR STUDIES

Mature students are just as entitled to apply for tuition fee and maintenance fee loans and you may be entitled to bursary schemes. In certain circumstances you may be able to get additional loans / grants to help towards your living costs or childcare. We will help you on an individual basis to ensure you receive what you are entitled to. See page 150 for further information.

"I thought I would be nervous and the only older person on my course, but I was soon put at ease when I came to an Open Day and spoke to the current students."

PART-TIME STUDY

Many of our courses offer the option to study part-time so you can fit studies around family or work commitments. However, due to the way we timetable lecturers for the majority of courses into two full days, you may find that studying full-time is just as convenient. Note that applications for part-time courses can be made directly to University Centre Peterborough and you do not need to apply through UCAS.

ACCESS TO HE

If you have been out of education for a while and do not want to start a degree straight away, you might want to consider an Access to Higher Education qualification, which can prepare you for university study. Mature students who study Access to HE beforehand can be better prepared to manage the workload of a degree. See page 140 for further information.

CHILDCARE FACILITIES

There is a nursery on our Peterborough campus by the Park Crescent entrance which offers high quality childcare for babies and young children aged 3 months to 5 years old. Early booking is advised as there are limited spaces. For more information or to make booking arrangements contact The College Nursery on **01733 762180** or email **nursery@peterborough.ac.uk**.

WE BELIEVE IN GIVING OUR STUDENTS A VOICE

WE LISTEN TO WHAT YOU HAVE TO SAY AND ACT ON YOUR FEEDBACK AND COMMENTS. OUR STUDENTS PLAY AN IMPORTANT ROLE IN THE SUCCESS OF THE UNIVERSITY CENTRE.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Instead of a Students' Union, University Centre Peterborough has its own Student Council. This is managed by our Student Officer and is completely independent from UCP so can act impartially on behalf of the students. The Student Council meet once a month and topics vary from teaching, facilities and general feelings about student life. This provides an opportunity for engagement and participation, where the student voice can be heard and actively promoted.

STUDENT REPS

University Centre Peterborough has many Student Representatives who sit on academic committees and who provide feedback on behalf of other students on their course.

STUDENT CHARTER

The Student Charter was produced with our students and worded to be 'student friendly'. It outlines the rules and regulations as well as the rights students have with us. Quality and standards are covered within the Student Charter, which outlines what students can expect from UCP and what UCP expects of its students.

The Student Charter has enabled students to participate at a high level, not only because students wrote it, but it is also a policy that is owned and updated by our students.

"I have never felt like a number during my time at UCP. As a course representative, the lecturers and management really listen to student opinions and encourage them to contribute to make the learning environment even more enjoyable."

STUDENT AMBASSADORS

If you are an undergraduate student, you could receive a tax-free bursary of up to £1,000 by becoming a Student Ambassador for University Centre Peterborough.

The benefits of becoming an Ambassador includes; increasing employability when you graduate, developing personal and presentation skills and inspiring prospective students to go to university.

STUDENT OFFICER

Our Student Officer chairs the Student Council, is a member of the UCP Council and is involved with UCP meetings. As a Board member, the Student Officer provides a voice for the student body and can influence decisions that are made.

University Centre Peterborough takes the student voice very seriously and encourages a partnership ethos between institution and student. The role of the Student Officer is to act as a link and mediator between students and staff.

YOUR CAMPUSES AND STUDENT ACTIVITIES

OUR CAMPUSES ARE LOCATED IN THE HEART OF PETERBOROUGH AND STAMFORD, AND JUST A SHORT WALK INTO THE CITY OR TOWN CENTRES.

STUDY AT OUR MODERN CAMPUSES

For the majority of our undergraduate courses, all lectures and seminars will take place at the Peterborough or Stamford campuses, which are open Monday to Friday throughout the year.

Our modern campuses include the following features:

- **96 seater lecture theatre***
- **Fully equipped classrooms**
- **Costa or Starbucks café**
- **Large social atrium or common room**
- **Computer / digital suites**
- **Quiet study zones**
- **Open plan / group study areas**
- **Student Support Centre***

Students will have access to the learning resource centre, gym facilities, beauty salon, nursery* and additional catering outlets at adjoining Peterborough and Stamford Colleges.

Some courses at our Peterborough campus have practical elements so will use the specialist facilities such as gym and sports labs, science laboratories and engineering / construction areas at adjoining Peterborough College. Our Media Production and Journalism courses use specialist facilities at the Media and Journalism Centre in the city centre and our Performing Arts courses use the rehearsal facilities at The Key Theatre or our various partners.

STUDENT EVENTS

Each semester there is plenty to do, with lots of events that are available for all students. This is where you can socialise and get to know fellow students on other courses.

Just some of our student events include:

- **Freshers' Companies Fayre**
- **Freshers' welcome events**
- **Quiz nights**
- **Film screenings**
- **Charity and fundraising events**
- **Family fun activities**
- **Employability events**
- **Volunteering events**
- **Student Awards evening**
- **Graduation ceremony**

We also work with many venues and attractions across Peterborough and Stamford to arrange special events for courses and social groups.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

There are a variety of clubs, sports teams and societies on offer at University Centre Peterborough who regularly meet to take part in activities throughout the year.

If there is not a club or sports team for you, then you can start your own with a minimum of 10 students and we will support you by providing funding.

*Located at the Peterborough campus only

STUDENT HOUSING AND FLATS

FOR MANY, UNIVERSITY LIFE STARTS IN STUDENT ACCOMMODATION. IT IS CONVENIENT, COST EFFECTIVE AND A GREAT WAY TO MEET AND MAKE NEW FRIENDS - PERFECT FOR GETTING YOUR HEAD DOWN.

UNIVERSITY COURT

The student accommodation at University Court in Peterborough is located within walking distance to our Park Crescent campus and close to the city centre. The train station in the city centre also makes it convenient for our courses in Stamford.

The accommodation is available for first year students and can be booked by second and third year students (subject to availability).

- **Five bedrooms in each flat**
- **En-suite in every bedroom**
- **Free wi-fi**
- **Free laundry facilities**
- **24 hour CCTV and gated entrance**
- **Secure cycle store**
- **Car parking available**
- **Single sex flats available**

Each five bedroom flat has a communal kitchen / lounge with sofas and is fully equipped with breakfast bar, range of kitchen units and appliances (including cooker, fridge, freezer and microwave) making it a great space for relaxing with your housemates.

All of the private bedrooms include a double bed and study area with desk, storage and shelving. Every bedroom has its own private en-suite shower room so you do not have to share bathrooms.

There is also a common room and laundry room serving the entire complex.

SAFE AND SECURE

The accommodation offers a safe environment for students to enjoy university life.

Access to the accommodation is via an electronic gate which leads into well-lit, secure landscaped grounds with CCTV and 24 hour emergency call out.

A secure cycle store is provided and limited car parking is available.

COSTS AND VIRTUAL TOURS

Rooms can be rented for 43 or 51 weeks per year **from £116.20 per week** (price correct for 2021/22) and is fully inclusive of utility bills and wi-fi.

University Court is managed independently from University Centre Peterborough - for further information including a virtual tour please visit **www.tavernershall.co.uk**

OTHER STUDENT ACCOMMODATION

University Centre Peterborough can help with arrangements and queries for accommodation at University Court or other private rented accommodation in Peterborough.

For further information or queries please email **accommodation@ucp.ac.uk**

PETERBOROUGH AND STAMFORD ARE EASILY ACCESSIBLE

PETERBOROUGH AND STAMFORD ARE LOCATED IN THE HEART OF THE UK AND BENEFIT FROM EXCELLENT ROAD AND RAIL LINKS.

Whilst many new students move into our student accommodation in Peterborough, a third of the students who study at University Centre Peterborough commute from up to 40 miles away. As the majority of courses are timetabled as two full days a week, it can be just as easy to commute from home.

"By studying in full days, I was able to commute on the days I had lectures, which made it even more affordable to study my course."

WALKING

Our campuses are close to the city and town centres and a short walk from the main bus and train stations.

BIKE

Our central locations in the heart of Peterborough and Stamford mean that students can use the network of on- and off-road cycle routes, providing a quick, safe and easy way to get around. There are also plenty of cycle racks available on campus.

CAR

If you plan to bring your car, students can apply for a **FREE CAR PARKING PERMIT** if you live more than two miles away. Spaces are limited and available on a first come, first served basis. Alternatively, there is all day car parking close to the Peterborough campus from £4 per day.

When using a sat nav to the Peterborough campus, use postcode PE1 4DX (not PE1 4DZ) which will bring you to the Park Crescent entrance.

TRAIN

Peterborough is a major interchange train station and has direct links from the north and south with London from 45 minutes and Newcastle from 2 hours 20 minutes away.

Peterborough to Stamford by train is under 15 minutes and trains depart at least every hour.

See the table on the right for locations under one hour to get to Peterborough by train.

BUS

The bus stations in Peterborough and Stamford are a short walk to our main campuses.

For buses which stop directly at our campuses, students can use the Peterborough College or Stamford College bus routes for an additional cost per year. These pick up from many of the towns and villages within a 20 mile radius.

For the full list and pick up / drop off times please visit **peterborough.ac.uk/students/transport** or **stamford.ac.uk/college-life/transport**

UNDER 1 HOUR TO PETERBOROUGH BY TRAIN

Whittlesey	10 mins
Stamford	15 mins
Huntingdon	15 mins
Grantham	20 mins
March	20 mins
St Neots	25 mins
Spalding	25 mins
Stevenage	30 mins
Newark	30 mins
Oakham	30 mins
Sandy	30 mins
Ely	35 mins
London (Kings Cross)	45 mins
Cambridge	55 mins
Leicester	55 mins
Doncaster	55 mins

YOUR GUIDE TO PETERBOROUGH AND STAMFORD

AS THE FOURTH FASTEST GROWING CITY IN THE UK AND WITH 200,000 PEOPLE LIVING IN PETERBOROUGH, THERE IS PLENTY TO DO AND SEE FOR STUDENTS OF ALL AGES AND INTERESTS.

We have put together this guide to help you explore just some of what our diverse and picturesque area offers. If you have not been to Peterborough or Stamford before we hope this guide helps you find something to do and enjoy.

For the latest information on events, attractions and news of what is going on in the local area check out these websites:

Peterborough Matters
- peterboroughmatters.co.uk

ESP Magazine
- espmag.co.uk

The Moment Magazine
- themomentmagazine.com

HISTORY & HERITAGE

Peterborough is steeped in heritage from the 900 years old Peterborough Cathedral to Bronze Age settlements at Flag Fen. Burghley House near Stamford host many annual events and Peterborough Museum has over 200,000 items.

Peterborough Cathedral
- peterborough-cathedral.org.uk

Burghley House, Stamford
- burghley.co.uk

Flag Fen
- vivacity.org/heritage-venues/flag-fen

Peterborough Museum
- vivacity.org/heritage-venues/peterborough-museum-art-gallery

CULTURE & ENTERTAINMENT

Stand-up comedy, live theatre, musicals, dance, West End screenings, pantomime, tribute bands, live music and club nights - we've got pretty much everything covered. Top acts and national tours choose the big venues in Peterborough and Stamford as their preferred destination.

The Key Theatre
- vivacity.org/theatres/key-theatre

Stamford Corn Exchange Theatre
- stamfordcornexchange.co.uk

The Cresset
- cresset.co.uk

New Theatre Peterborough
- newtheatre-peterborough.com

FESTIVALS

There are festivals taking place throughout the year that celebrate everything from heritage, religion, nationality, beer and even sausages! Festivals take place in the city centre, on The Embankment or the East of England Arena.

Peterborough Beer Festival
- pborobeerfest.camra.org.uk

Peterborough Diwali Festival
- peterboroughdiwali.org

Heritage Festival
- vivacity.org/heritage

Fake Festival (live music and bands)
- fakefestivals.co.uk

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Stuck for something different to do? There is always plenty of choice plus special offers and discounts for students.

Showcase Cinema de Lux
- showcasecinemas.co.uk

Hollywood Bowl (Tenpin Bowling)
- hollywoodbowl.co.uk/peterborough

InflataNation Inflatable Theme Park
- inflatanation.com

Escape Rooms Peterborough
- escape-peterborough.co.uk

SHOPPING

As well as the main shopping centres, you will be spoilt for choice with even more shopping outlets and markets. There are high street chains including Primark, M&S, River Island, Next and H&M plus plenty of boutique and artisan shops.

Queensgate Shopping Centre & Westgate Arcade
- queensgate-shopping.co.uk

Serpentine Green Shopping Centre
- serpentine-green.com

Brotherhood Shopping Park
- brotherhoodshopping.co.uk

Stamford Market
- southkesteven.gov.uk

EAT & DRINK

If you're a real foodie, then Peterborough is the perfect place to set your taste buds alive! Stretching to all corners of the globe there is an array of exotic cuisines as well as high street chains such as Nandos, Turtle Bay, Côte Brasserie, Wagamama and Pizza Express.

Charters Bar (the bar is on a Dutch barge)
- charters-bar.com

Stamford Cosy Club (a stunning open plan bar)
- cosyclub.co.uk/location/stamford

Tap and Tandoor (Indian gastro pub)
- tapandtandoor.co.uk

The Brewery Tap (micro-brewery and live music)
- thebrewery-tap.com

WATCHING SPORT

Peterborough is home to Peterborough United FC who are also known as 'The Posh'. For a great student night out we recommend you visit the ice hockey or speedway for fast and thrilling sports that are competed at the top level.

Peterborough United Football Club
- theposh.com

Peterborough Rugby Club
- peterboroughrufc.rfu.club

Peterborough Phantoms Ice Hockey
- gophantoms.co.uk

Peterborough Panthers Speedway
- peterborough-speedway.com

EXERCISE & SPORT

Whatever sport you want to do there will be the facilities or a club to do it. There are plenty of gyms and swimming pools plus sports clubs for tennis, squash, martial arts, hockey, cricket, rugby and football.

Peterborough Lido (Outdoor Swimming Pool)
- vivacity.org/sports-venues/peterborough-lido

Ferry Meadows parkrun
- parkrun.org.uk/ferrymeadows

Planet Ice (Ice Skating)
- planet-ice.co.uk

Tallington Lakes (Water Sports & Dry Ski Slope)
- tallington.com

GREEN SPACES

You are never far away from outdoor spaces with **Nene Park, Ferry Meadows** or **Burghley Park** offering stunning lakes, meadows and woodland. Our Peterborough campus is next to **Central Park** which is one of the most prestigious parks in the city. **The Green Wheel** is a 45 mile long cycle route circling Peterborough and offering a healthy way to enjoy the picturesque countryside.

45 MINUTES TO LONDON

Whilst Peterborough and Stamford have everything on offer you will need, the rest of the UK is easily accessible and you can get to Kings Cross London by train from Peterborough in just 45 minutes.

YOUR GRADUATION CEREMONY

After completing your course at UCP, you can attend a prestigious graduation ceremony at the historic Peterborough Cathedral which is over 900 years old. Graduates can invite family or friends to the ceremony, which is the perfect way to recognise your hard work and achievements.

You can watch the video from our last graduation ceremony at **ucp.ac.uk/graduation**

STUDENT SUCCESSES, EVENTS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

AT UNIVERSITY CENTRE PETERBOROUGH, WE BELIEVE IN CELEBRATING THE SUCCESS OF ALL OUR STUDENTS. EACH YEAR WE ALWAYS HAVE A LOT TO CELEBRATE AS OUR STUDENTS ARE AMAZING.

We are privileged to hold our graduation ceremony in Peterborough Cathedral and immensely proud that two-thirds of our graduates achieve a first class honours or 2:1 degree classification.

After graduating, it is rewarding to see the careers our students go on to as well as students who choose to continue their academic journey by studying a variety of postgraduate courses. Past students have gone on to study masters in engineering at Oxford and PGCE qualifications to pursue their teaching careers in local schools.

Our Sociology and Psychosocial Studies students have been involved with research projects that have featured on BBC Look East and Anglia News as they covered current affair topics. This included research into Universal Credit for Peterborough Citizens Advice and a community integration project for Peterborough City Council.

Each year we have students who are selected to attend BCUR (British Conference of Undergraduate Research). We have been previously represented by Biological Sciences and Sports and Exercise Science students.

To improve graduate outcomes and employability skills, the Office for Students (OfS) awarded University Centre Peterborough £300,000 to set up an Employability Hub with dedicated staff to benefit future students.

Our employers play a key part of our culture and are involved in the conferences for Computing, Engineering and Sport, which showcase the groundbreaking work from our final year students.

Our Early Years and Education students in Peterborough and Stamford continue to play a valuable role as key workers in schools which are rapidly growing in the area.

To promote literature in the region, we run a series of popular Literary Festival events which are free for members of the public to attend. Previous speakers have included popular children's author Michael Rosen and crime writer Sophie Hannah.

There are many other opportunities for you to use and see the facilities as we encourage the wider community to be involved. We host many subject taster events for sixth form and college students and have even hosted live autopsy events with The VIVIT Experience.

To develop and encourage the next generation, we work closely with primary schools and the Children's University organisation to provide free university activities in STEM related subjects.

At our annual Students Awards ceremony we recognise the hard work and excellence across every single one of our courses and those individuals who have made significant contributions to the student community.

Every year, University Centre Peterborough continues to grow and our Alumni have created an institution that recognises the success and achievement for future students to come.

"I was much impressed by the lecturers who proved to be brilliant mentors. As well as gaining knowledge, the conducive environment has raised my confidence to study a Masters in International Relations after graduating from UCP. I cherished every moment spent with teachers and fellow students as the diverse cultures made the environment even more enjoyable."

ZIA SHABBIR

BSc (Hons) Business Management

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Foundation Degree
BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

UCAS code: **N280** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION
UCP Stamford Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY
Full-time 2 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATES
September 2022 or January 2023

TUITION FEES
£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
48 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	DD
BTEC	PPP
Cambridge Technicals	PPP
Access to HE	45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications (such as the ILM Leadership and Management) or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

This foundation degree provides a variety of business skills required for the workplace. We have consulted with prospective employers on the content and design of this course to ensure that the skills students learn are industry-standard.

The course is designed for students to develop as versatile learners. The first year of the course provides students with a grounding in a variety of business disciplines, which underpin later learning. In year two students have a choice of optional modules, providing the opportunity to tailor their course with specialist knowledge.

Teaching staff have strong professional profiles, and our close partnerships with local businesses allow us to draw on their expertise and resources for both input and assessment. Assessments are designed to prepare the learner for the real business world. Case studies will be used for the learner to apply higher level intellectual skills in their analysis and problem solving. In some modules a group presentation made in the form of a pitch to senior management will form the assessment.

Students will be encouraged to be active learners whose knowledge and understanding is gained through a positive relationship with academic staff, who will act as mentors, rather than 'lecturers'. The involvement of industry specialists will also be crucial, and again they will not be seen purely as 'guest lecturers', but as part of the university community.

You will automatically become a member of CMI (Chartered Management Institute) for no extra cost and receive access to a CMI online management resource portal. Students studying Business Management at University Centre Peterborough get CMI (Chartered Management Institute) accreditation which means they will graduate with a degree and may be eligible for a professional qualification.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/busfdsc**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)
- Academic and Business Skills (15 credits)
- Global Business Context (30 credits)
- Accounting for Managers (15 credits)
- Insight into Economics (15 credits)
- Work-based Practice (30 credits)
- Insight into Marketing (15 credits)

YEAR 2 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 5)
- Research & Employability Skills (15 credits)
- Project Management Fundamentals (15 credits)
- Management & Leadership Today (30 credits)
- Managing People (15 credits)
- Data Interpretation for Managers (15 credits)
- Work-based Project (30 credits)

CMI HE Partner

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5
Coursework	75%	80%
Written Exams	10%	20%
Practical Exams	15%	-

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

CHARTERED MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE (CMI) PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

Students studying Business Management at University Centre Peterborough are eligible for CMI (Chartered Management Institute) accreditation which means they could graduate with a professional qualification as well as a foundation degree.

HELLO FUTURE

After successful completion of the FdSc Levels 4 and 5, you have the opportunity to complete the Level 6 of the BA (Hons) Business Management course at the UCP Peterborough Campus to obtain a full honours degree with a further year of study.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Management Trainee
- Departmental Manager
- Management Consultant
- Management Analyst
- Human Resources Manager
- Sales and Marketing Manager
- Administration Manager
- Office Manager

You can also continue your development by studying professional qualifications from the Chartered Management Institute (CMI).

BSc (Hons)
BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

UCAS code: **N290** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATES

September 2022 or January 2023

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

£6,000 per year when studied part-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

72 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDE or BC
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

If you have completed the Foundation degree in Business Management at UCP you can start Level 6 of the BSc (Hons) Business Management to obtain a full honours degree.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications (such as the ILM Leadership and Management) or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

This degree provides a variety of business skills required for the workplace. We have consulted with prospective employers on the content and design of this course to ensure that the skills students learn are industry-standard.

The first year of the course provides you with a grounding in a variety of business disciplines, which underpin later learning. In year two you have optional modules providing you with the opportunity to tailor your degree. In the final year, a 30 credit Major Project on a topic of your choice allows for further individual specialisation.

Teaching staff have strong professional profiles, and our close partnerships with local businesses allow us to draw on their expertise and resources for both input and assessment.

Case studies will be used for you to apply your skills in analysis and problem solving. In some cases you will justify and reflect upon your business decisions and strategies to a panel of academic and industry experts in a 'Dragon's Den' style scenario, or a group presentation made in the form of a pitch to your peers and lecturers.

Students will be encouraged to be active learners whose knowledge and understanding is gained through a positive relationship with academic staff, who will act as mentors, rather than 'lecturers'. The involvement of industry specialists will also be crucial, and again they will not be seen purely as 'guest lecturers', but as part of the university community.

You will automatically become a member of CMI (Chartered Management Institute) for no extra cost and receive access to a CMI online management resource portal.

Students studying Business Management at University Centre Peterborough get CMI (Chartered Management Institute) accreditation which means they will graduate with a degree and may be eligible for a professional qualification.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/busbsc**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Academic and Professional Skills (15 credits)
- Global Business Context (30 credits)
- Accounting for Managers (15 credits)
- Insight into Economics (15 credits)
- Insight into Marketing (15 credits)
- People, Planet & Profit (15 credits)
- Human Resources in Context (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Career Management & Employability Skills (15 credits)
- Management & Leadership Today (30 credits)
- Project and Operations Management (15 credits)
- International Trade & Labour Dynamics (15 credits)
- Research Project Preparation (15 credits)
- Managing People (15 credits)
- Data Interpretation for Managers (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Modern Leadership Concepts (15 credits)
- Responsible Recruitment and Employment
- Law (15 credits)
- Applied Strategic Management (15 credits)
- Leadership for Sustainability (15 credits)
  Marketing in the Digital Age (15 credits)

Students choose one option from group A and one from group B:

- Undergraduate Major Project (Research) (30 credits) - A
- Undergraduate Major Project (Practical) (30 credits) - A
- Professional Placement (15 credits) - B
- Preparation for Postgraduate Study (15 credits) - B

CMI HE Partner

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	75%	80%	85%
Written Exams	10%	-	-
Practical Exams	15%	20%	15%

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

CHARTERED MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE (CMI) PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

Students may be eligible to receive the Level 5 Diploma in Management and Leadership from the CMI (Chartered Management Institute) which means they will graduate with a degree and a professional qualification.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Chartered Manager
- Management Consultant
- Management Analyst
- Human Resources Manager
- Marketing Manager
- Logistics and Supply Chain Manager
- Office Manager
- Sales Manager

You can also continue your development by studying professional qualifications from the Chartered Management Institute (CMI).

BSc (Hons) **BUSINESS MANAGEMENT (HUMAN RESOURCES)**

UCAS code: **N270** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATES

September 2022 or January 2023

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

72 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDE or BC
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

If you have completed the FdSc Business Management at UCP you can start Level 6 of the BSc (Hons) Business Management with Human Resources to obtain a full honours degree.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications (such as the ILM Leadership and Management) or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

There will be an 18% increase in human resource jobs available in Peterborough from 2017 to 2022*. This is why we consulted with prospective employers on the content and design of this course to ensure students learn industry-standard skills so they graduate as Human Resources Management professionals.

The first year of the course provides you with a grounding in a variety of business disciplines, which underpin later learning. In year two you begin to specialise in Human Resource Management with the module Managing People. In the final year the HR specialty is completed by studying Responsible Recruitment and Employment Law, Employee Relations and a 30 credit Major Project on an HR topic of the student's choice.

Teaching staff have strong professional profiles, and our close partnerships with local businesses allow us to draw on their expertise and resources for both input and assessment.

Case studies will be used for you to apply your skills in analysis and problem solving. In some cases you will justify and reflect upon your business decisions and strategies to a panel of academic and industry experts in a 'Dragon's Den' style scenario, or a group presentation made in the form of a pitch to your peers and lecturers.

Students will be encouraged to be active learners whose knowledge and understanding is gained through a positive relationship with academic staff, who will act as mentors, rather than 'lecturers'. The involvement of industry specialists will also be crucial, and again they will not be seen purely as 'guest lecturers', but as part of the university community.

You will automatically become a member of CMI (Chartered Management Institute) for no extra cost and receive access to a CMI online management resource portal.

*Source: Labour Market Information Report

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/bushr**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Academic and Professional Skills (15 credits)
- Insight into Economics (15 credits)
- Global Business Context (30 credits)
- Fundamentals of Financial and Management Accounting (15 credits)
- Insight into Marketing (15 credits)
- People, Planet and Profits (15 credits)
- Human Resources in Context (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Research and Employability Skills (15 credits)
- International Trade & Labour Dynamics (15 credits)
- Management and Leadership Today (30 credits)
- Managing People (15 credits)
- Project Management Fundamentals (15 credits)
- Research Project Preparation (15 credits)
- Data Interpretation for Managers (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project (30 credits)
- Modern Leadership Concepts (15 credits)
- Responsible Recruitment and Employment Law (15 credits)
- Marketing in the Digital Age (15 credits)
- Employee Engagement (15 credits)
- *Either* Professional Placement (15 Credits) *or* Preparation for Postgraduate Study (15 Credits)
- Applied Strategic Management (15 credits)

CMI HE Partner

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	75%	80%	85%
Written Exams	10%	-	-
Practical Exams	15%	20%	15%

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

CHARTERED MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE (CMI) PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

Students may be eligible to receive the Level 5 Diploma in Management and Leadership from the CMI (Chartered Management Institute) which means they will graduate with a degree and a professional qualification.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Human Resources Advisor
- Human Resources Manager
- Human Resources Policy Advisor
- Recruitment Consultant
- Employee Relations Officer
- Graduate Human Resources Trainee
- Candidate Engagement Officer
- Employee Relations Officer

You can also continue your development by studying professional qualifications from the Chartered Management Institute (CMI) or Chartered Institute of Personal and Development (CIPD).

BSc (Hons) **BUSINESS MANAGEMENT (MARKETING)**

UCAS code: **N260** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATES

September 2022 or January 2023

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

72 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDE or BC
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

If you have completed the FdSc Business Management at UCP you can start Level 6 of the BSc (Hons) Business Management with Marketing to obtain a full honours degree.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications (such as the ILM Leadership and Management) or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

Graduates with the right skills in marketing, advertising and public relations are needed to combat skills shortages in this fast-paced and exciting sector. We have consulted with prospective employers on the content and design of this course to ensure that the skills students learn are industry-standard.

The first year of the course provides you with a grounding in a variety of business disciplines, which underpin later learning. In year two you begin to specialise in marketing with the module Integrated Marketing Communications. In the final year the marketing specialty is completed by studying Marketing in the Digital Age, Public Relations and a 30 credit Major Project on a marketing topic of the student's choice.

Teaching staff have strong professional profiles, and our close partnerships with local businesses allow us to draw on their expertise and resources for both input and assessment.

Case studies will be used for you to apply your skills in analysis and problem solving. In some cases you will justify and reflect upon your business decisions and strategies to a panel of academic and industry experts in a 'Dragon's Den' style scenario, or a group presentation made in the form of a pitch to your peers and lecturers.

Students will be encouraged to be active learners whose knowledge and understanding is gained through a positive relationship with academic staff, who will act as mentors, rather than 'lecturers'. The involvement of industry specialists will also be crucial, and again they will not be seen purely as 'guest lecturers', but as part of the university community.

You will automatically become a member of CMI (Chartered Management Institute) for no extra cost and receive access to a CMI online management resource portal.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/busmark**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Academic and Professional Skills (15 credits)
- Insight into Economics (15 credits)
- Global Business Context (30 credits)
- Accounting for Managers (15 credits)
- Insight into Marketing (15 credits)
- People, Planet & Profit (15 credits)
- Human Resources in Context (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Career Management & Employability Skills (15 credits)
- Management & Leadership Today (30 credits)
- Project and Operations Management (15 credits)
- International Trade & Labour Dynamics (15 credits)
- Research Project Preparation (15 credits)
- Managing People (15 credits)
- Integrated Marketing Communication (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Modern Leadership Concepts (15 credits)
- Responsible Recruitment and Employment Law (15 credits)
- Applied Strategic Management (15 credits)
- Public Relations (15 credits)
- Marketing in the Digital Age (15 credits)
- Undergraduate Major Project (Research) (30 credits)
- Undergraduate Major Project (Practical) (30 credits)
- Professional Placement (15 credits)
- Preparation for Postgraduate Study (15 credits)

CMI HE Partner

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	75%	80%	85%
Written Exams	10%	-	-
Practical Exams	15%	20%	15%

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

CHARTERED MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE (CMI) PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

Students may be eligible to receive the Level 5 Diploma in Management and Leadership from the CMI (Chartered Management Institute) which means they will graduate with a degree and a professional qualification.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Marketing Communications Officer
- Marketing Consultant
- Marketing Manager
- Digital Marketer
- Public Relations Consultant
- Events Manager
- Sales Executive
- Business Development Manager

You can also continue your development by studying professional qualifications from the Chartered Management Institute (CMI) or Chartered Institute of Marketing (CIM).

BSc (Hons) **BUSINESS MANAGEMENT (MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING)**

UCAS code: **N230** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATES

September 2022 or January 2023

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

80 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDD or BC
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

If you have completed the Foundation Degree in Business Management at UCP you can start Level 6 of the BSc (Hons) Business Management with Management Accounting to obtain a full honours degree.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications (such as the ILM Leadership and Management) or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

This course includes a wide range of skills identified by both employers and the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants and the Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA) as being important for accountancy and finance graduates in the 21st century.

Ethics and sustainable business are covered, as the ability to communicate effectively both in writing and orally, to work in teams and to be able to think critically and solve problems.

The teaching and learning includes a diverse and dynamic range of strategies including practical classes and workshops.

Case studies will be used in some modules to both embed knowledge and understanding, but also to allow students to apply their skills in their analysis and problem solving. In some modules, students will have to justify and reflect upon their business decisions and strategies to a panel of academic and industry experts in a 'Dragon's Den' style scenario.

Students will be supported to progress through the production of a range of types of outputs that would normally be required in business situations. The development of spreadsheets and use of industry specific software will improve your employability and allow a practical application of knowledge. This may form a part of a portfolio of the student's work for assessment purposes. These types of learning experiences have specifically been chosen to emulate the types of experience and skills that are required by industry.

The courses at University Centre Peterborough are studied in smaller class sizes compared with other universities, a typical class size is under 30 students.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/busmark**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Academic and Professional Skills (15 credits)
- Global Business Context (30 credits)
- Insight into Economics (15 credits)
- Fundamentals of Management Accounting (30 credits)
- People Planet Profit (15 credits)
- Insight into Marketing (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Career Management & Employability Skills (15 credits)
- Management Accounting: Decision & Control (30 Credits)
- Project and Operations Management (15 credits)
- Company Accounts (15 credits)
- Data Interpretation for Managers (15 credits)
- Managing Finance in a Digital World (15 credits)
- Research Project Preparation (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Modern Leadership Concepts (15 credits)
- Corporate Reporting (15 credits)
- Applied Strategic Management (15 credits)
- Advanced Management Accounting (15 credits)
- Managing Performance (15 credits)
- Professional Placement (15 credits) *or* Preparation for Post graduate Study (15 credits)
- Undergraduate Major Project (30 credits)

CMI HE Partner

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	75%	50%	40%
Written Exams	10%	40%	30%
Practical Exams	15%	10%	30%

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

CHARTERED MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE (CMI) PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

Students may be eligible to receive the Level 5 Diploma in Management and Leadership from the CMI (Chartered Management Institute) which means they will graduate with a degree and a professional qualification.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Financial Accountant
- Management Accountant
- Auditor
- Company Secretary
- Business Development Manager
- Financial Data Analyst

You can also continue your development by studying professional qualifications from the Chartered Management Institute (CMI) or Chartered Institute of Management Accounts (CIMA).

Foundation Degree
DIGITAL MARKETING & COMMUNICATIONS

UCAS code: **DMC1** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 2 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 3 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATES

Full-time September 2022

Part-time September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

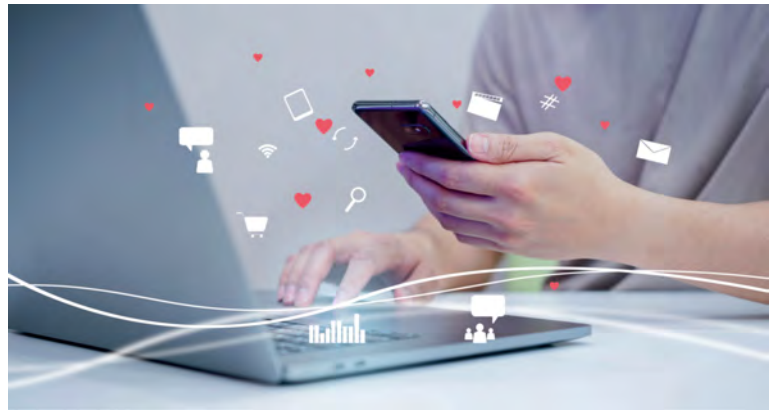
48 UCAS points in any subjects:

- A-levels DD
- BTEC PPP
- Cambridge Technicals PPP
- Access to HE 45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications (such as the CIM Foundation Certificate in Marketing) or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.



Marketing is rapidly changing, with employers expecting graduates to step directly into a role with a wider knowledge of digital communications and social media, and how to reach their target market using a wider range of channels than in the past.

The foundation degree provides students with a broad overview of the business environment, especially from a marketing perspective, where the emphasis has moved away from satisfying wants and needs to providing experiences.

We work with employers in the digital marketing field and have identified a need for content management as well as technical skills. A specific requirement of employers is the ability to manage, monitor and evaluate digital projects, plus practical skills such as Project Management, Marketing and Social Media Marketing. There is a strong academic underpinning which is assessed using more traditional methods. Students are assessed on a range of practical work, which is more industry skills oriented, such as portfolios and digital artefacts.

This two year course contains modules that provide students with career and employability skills, which will allow them to develop a personal development plan and evidence professional competence in the key elements of the recruitment process. The Project Preparation module allows students to develop a 2,000 word proposal suitable to present to a potential employer, or a potential funding provider should the student wish to be freelance.

The course teaches students to be aware of the dynamic nature of the communications and marketing environments in how to identify target markets and generate effective content for those audiences using the most appropriate medium. A large percentage of the assessment is linked to 'real-world' examples and case studies.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/dmcfda**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Media and Marketing Environment (30 credits)
- Academic and Business Skins (15 credits)
- Writing for Media Platforms (15 credits)
- Introduction to Digital Publishing (15 credits)
- 21st Century Marketing (30 credits)
- Digital Asset Development (15 credits)

YEAR 2 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 5)

- Research and Employability Skills (15 credits)
- Social Media Marketing (15 credits)
- Measuring Success (15 credits)
- Copywriting, Images and Ethics (15 credits)
- Integrated Campaign Management (30 credits)
- Understanding Consumer Behaviour (15 credits)
- Project Preparation (15 credits)

CMI HE Partner

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5
Coursework	90%	85%
Written Exams	-	10%
Practical Exams	10%	5%

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

CHARTERED MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE (CMI) PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

Students may be eligible to receive the Level 5 Diploma in Management and Leadership from the CMI (Chartered Management Institute) which means they will graduate with a degree and a professional qualification.

HELLO FUTURE

After successful completion of the FdA Levels 4 and 5, you have the opportunity to complete the Level 6 of the BA (Hons) Digital Marketing and Communications course to obtain a full honours degree with a further year of study.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Digital Marketing Assistant
- Marketing Assistant
- Social Media Officer
- Content Officer
- Trainee Marketing Manager
- Business Development Executive
- Marketing Executive
- Sales Executive

You can also continue your development by studying professional qualifications from the Chartered Institute of Marketing (CIM).

BA (Hons) **DIGITAL MARKETING & COMMUNICATIONS**

UCAS code: **DMC2** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATES

Full-time September 2022

Part-time September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

72 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDE or BC
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

If you have completed the FdA Digital Marketing & Communications at UCP you can start Level 6 of the BA (Hons) Digital Marketing & Communications to obtain a full honours degree.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications (such as the CIM Foundation Certificate in Marketing) or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

Peterborough is leading the advancements in 5G digital technology as we're one of the first cities in the UK to become Gigabit superfast - that means 5G for everyone and further growth and developments in digital marketing.

The largest sector of employment in the Peterborough region is the business and professional fields, with the majority of jobs advertised in sales and marketing. Local employers have identified local skills gaps and a desire to recruit locally.

To address this we worked closely with industry to design course content to ensure that students are equipped with industry-standard skills to enable them to compete effectively in the digital marketing and communications job sector upon graduation.

At the academic level, students will be introduced to a critical and analytical framework where they are encouraged to look beyond traditional analysis to consider the social and environmental elements in the networked world, to consider how the online world has changed the face of marketing and to create their own online identity for their professional development.

Our collaboration has identified a need for graduates with practical knowledge of both content management and technical skills in digital marketing, as well as an enhanced business and commercial awareness, and practical skills within areas such as project management and social media marketing. The capstone module in level 6 is an opportunity to bring all of their practical skills and competencies and academic knowledge together into a traditional dissertation, or a more practical project involving a digital artefact.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/dmcba**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Media and Marketing Environment (30 credits)
- Academic and Business Skins (15 credits)
- Writing for Media Platforms (15 credits)
- Introduction to Digital Publishing (15 credits)
- 21st Century Marketing (30 credits)
- Digital Asset Development (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Research and Employability Skills (15 credits)
- Social Media Marketing (15 credits)
- Measuring Success (15 credits)
- Copywriting, Images and Ethics (15 credits)
- Integrated Campaign Management (30 credits)
- Understanding Consumer Behaviour (15 credits)
- Project Preparation (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project (30 credits)
- Computer Mediated Marketing (15 credits)
- Leading Innovation (15 credits)
- Advanced Digital Publishing (15 credits)
- Professional Placement (15 credits)
- Public Relations (15 credits)
- Digital Data Insight (15 credits)

CIM
Graduate Gateway

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	90%	85%	75%
Written Exams	-	10%	5%
Practical Exams	10%	5%	15%
Placement	-	-	10%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

In your final year as part of the Professional Placement module, you will engage in a work placement, either during term time or over the long summer vacation.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

CHARTERED INSTITUTE OF MARKETING (CIM) PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

Successful completion of modules will allow students to apply for The Professional Certificate in Marketing (Digital Marketing) from the Chartered Institute of Marketing (CIM).

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Digital Marketing Manager
- Social Media Manager
- Content Manager
- Marketing Manager
- Business Development Executive
- Marketing Executive
- Sales Executive
- Public Relations Manager

You can also continue your development by studying professional qualifications from the Chartered Institute of Marketing (CIM).

"I initially started a degree at a large university and then discovered the small amount of support that students were offered. I then applied to UCP and the journey was completely different. They offered smaller classes, 1:1 help and the upmost support from all members of staff so my academic journey could reach an all-time high."

ELIZA ELLIS-HYMAN
BA (Hons) Psychosocial Studies

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BA (Hons) **CRIMINOLOGY**

UCAS code: **M900** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

88 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CCD or AB
BTEC	MMM
Cambridge Technicals	MMM
Access to HE	45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

Are you interested in the problem of crime in contemporary societies? If so, our Criminology course may be for you.

As a Criminology student, you will investigate the nature of crime and criminality as well as studying societies response through the criminal justice system. You'll learn about the social and personal impacts of crime and what it means to be a victim of crime. You will understand how societies control and punish disorder and study forms of transnational crime that cross-national borders.

Criminology takes a social scientific approach to studying and classifying crime as well as exploring theories around criminal behaviour. In addition to theory, you will study the institutions of the criminal justice system including police, law courts, prisons and probation services. Students will get the opportunity to take trips to the Crown Court (including the Old Bailey) and participate in the Peterborough Crime Walk, police riot training and prison visits.

As a Criminology student, you will learn how to conduct independent research drawing on a range of methods utilised by social scientists. You'll also be encouraged and supported to adopt an interdisciplinary problem-solving approach to social issues working collaboratively with students from other disciplines to find solutions.

Finally, you will hone in on your future career path, testing your interests and skills working with local organisations and building your professional network for when you graduate. You will have the opportunity to undertake a live research project with a range of local partners and undertake research that makes a material difference to people's lives. This will enable you to graduate not just with a good degree but a range of real-world experience which will help you progress into your desired career.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/crim**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Academic and Professional Skills for Social Scientists (30 credits)
- Introduction to Criminology (15 credits)
- Introduction to Criminal Justice (30 credits)
- Politics, Ideology and Society (15 credits)
- Exploring Crime and the Media (15 credits)
- Popular Culture Representations of Crime and Criminal Justice (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Research Skills for Social Scientists (30 credits)
- Exploring Issues with the Courts (15 credits)
- Violence in Contemporary Society (15 credits)
- Prisons and Punishment (15 credits)
- Advanced Criminological Theory (15 credits)
- Policing and Investigation (15 credits)
- War, Globalisation and Security (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project (30 credits)
- Global Transnational Crime (15 credits)
- Contemporary Criminal Justice Policy and Implementation (15 credits)
- Investigative Psychology (15 credits)
- Youth Justice (15 credits)

Plus choose 30 credits of optional modules

- Sex and Society (15 credits)
- Critical Studies in Race and Ethnicity (15 credits)
- Live Research Project (15 credits)
- Deviance in Pleasure and Leisure (15 credits)
- Exploring Employment (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	90%	80%	90%
Practical Exams	10%	20%	10%

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Each year, there are many students who complete the BA (Hons) Criminology course who go on to study a variety of postgraduate courses.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Probation Officer
- Prison Officer
- Youth Worker
- Victim Support Worker
- Police and Emergency Services
- Researcher
- Data Analyst
- Local Government Officer

"I have met so many people that one way or the other have influenced me and assisted me on my personal journey to become who I am today. When I started UCP I was a different person and I have learnt more than just subjects."

BA (Hons)
ENGLISH LITERATURE

UCAS code: **Q300** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION
UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY
Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE
September 2022

TUITION FEES
£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
88 UCAS points with qualifications in related subjects:

A-levels (English Language or English Literature)	CCD or AB
BTEC	MMM
Cambridge Technicals	MMM
Access to HE	45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language or English literature and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.5 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

Are you passionate about literature? Are you always reading books, thinking about books and talking about books? Are you an imaginative and creative person, and do you want to work in a career that draws on these talents? If so, our English Literature degree might be the course for you.

In your first year, you will be introduced to the key skills that have traditionally underpinned literary criticism (such as genre analysis, textual analysis, and writing for audiences), as well as those that are more akin to the publisher of today.

In your second year you will build on this knowledge base with a set of modules that draw on and challenge the literary canon. A wide range of texts are selected to broaden your knowledge of literary movements and encourage you to become creative, critical, free thinkers.

In your final year you will undertake a dissertation project that will let you explore a topic of your choice. Students have proposed a wide range of topics in the past, from the vegetarian utopia of Shelley, via mental health, femininity and the supernatural in gothic fiction; representations of 'The Oriental' in Tintin; the links between hip-hop and poetry, through to dragons and their symbolic resonance in the fantasy genre.

The degree runs an annual Literary Festival featuring established authors and poets. These popular events are free for students and members of the public to attend.

The courses at University Centre Peterborough are studied in smaller class sizes compared with other universities, a typical class size is under 30 students.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/englit**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)
- Writing Matters: Academic and Professional Skills (15 credits)
- Introduction to Creative Writing (15 credits)
- Dead Heroes Society: Tragedy (15 credits)
- Contexts and Canons: Murakami to Blake (15 credits)
- Approaching Criticism (15 credits)
- Contexts and Canons: Equiano to Chaucer (15 credits)
- Only Fools and Sources: Comedy (15 credits)
- 20th Century Practitioners (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)
- Renaissance to Romantics (15 credits)
- Writing WW1: Memory and Forgetting (15 credits)
- The Image: Exploring Visual Literacy in Media, Culture and Literature (15 credits)
- Stranger on the Shore: Placing the Postcolonial (15 credits)
- Preparing for Employment: Research and Employability (15 credits)
- Shakespeare Unstuck (15 credits)
- Writing for Newspapers and Magazines (15 credits)
- Vampires, Virgins and Villains: Reading the Gothic (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)
- Undergraduate Major Project (30 credits)
- Decade: The Literature of the 1950s (15 credits)
- Modernism and the City (15 credits)
- Adaptations: Crossing the Genre (15 credits)
- Working in English, Film and Media (15 credits)
- Neverland to Wonderland: Explorations in Children's Literature (15 credits)
- Reading the Now: Contemporary Literature (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	80%	80%	70%
Written Exams	20%	20%	20%
Practical Exams	-	-	10%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

As part of the Working in English, Film and Media module in the final year, students on this course will undertake a 120 hour work placement with an arts or media organisation.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Each year, there are many students who complete the BA (Hons) English Literature course who go on to either secure a teaching placement locally or study a variety of postgraduate courses.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Teaching
- Copy Writing
- Editing and Proofing
- Librarianship
- Academic and Professional Writing
- Arts Administration
- Journalism / Publishing
- Web Content Manager

BA (Hons) **ENGLISH LITERATURE (CREATIVE WRITING)**

UCAS code: **Q310** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

88 UCAS points with qualifications in related subjects:

A-levels (English Language or English Literature)	CCD or AB
BTEC	MMM
Cambridge Technicals	MMM
Access to HE	45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language or English literature and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.5 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

Are you creative with words? Do you write poetry or fiction? Do you want to develop and hone your talent as a creative writer? If so, our BA (Hons) English Literature with Creative Writing degree might be the course for you.

In your first year, you will be introduced to the key skills that have traditionally underpinned creative writing such as creative practices, critical writing, narrative and characterization as well as studying the literary modules.

In your second year, you will build on this knowledge with a set of modules that work across genres and draw on a range of competencies, as well as introducing you to the skills needed to succeed as a creative practitioner.

In your final year, you will become more commercially aware, with employability a consistent factor. The focus, therefore, moves from introducing key concepts and skills to applying knowledge, know-how and career-focused ambitions through modules such as Publishing in Practice and Working in English, Film and Media.

Peterborough has a lively literary culture and is a centre for poetry of the spoken word. It has a poet laureate and an established literary festival making it a great place to study creative writing.

The degree runs an annual Literary Festival featuring established authors and poets. These popular events are free for students and members of the public to attend.

The courses at University Centre Peterborough are studied in smaller class sizes compared with other universities, a typical class size is under 30 students.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/engcr**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Writing Matters: Academic and Professional Skills (15 credits)
- Introduction to Creative Writing 1: Writing Prose (15 credits)
- Dead Heroes Society: Tragedy (15 credits)
- Contexts and Canons: Murakami to Blake (15 credits)
- Approaching Criticism (15 credits)
- Contexts and Canons: Equiano to Chaucer (15 credits)
- Introduction to Creative Writing 2: Writing Poetry (15 credits)
- 20th Century Practitioners (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Shortcuts: Writing Short Fiction (15 credits)
- Writing WW1: Memory and Forgetting (15 credits)
- The Image: Exploring Visual Literacy in Media, Culture and Literature (15 credits)
- Stranger on the Shore: Placing the Postcolonial (15 credits)
- Preparing for Employment: Research and Employability (15 credits)
- Shakespeare Unstuck (15 credits)
- Writing for Newspapers and Magazines (15 credits)
- Vampires, Virgins and Villains: Reading the Gothic (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project (30 credits)
- Decade: The Literature of the 1950s (15 credits)
- Publishing in Practice (15 credits)
- Adaptations and Afterlives (15 credits)
- Working in English, Film and Media (15 credits)
- Neverland to Wonderland: Explorations in Children's Literature (15 credits)
- Reading the Now: Contemporary Literature (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	80%	80%	70%
Written Exams	20%	20%	20%
Practical Exams	-	-	10%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

As part of the Working in English, Film and Media module in the final year, students on this course will undertake a 120 hour work placement with an arts or media organisation.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Each year, there are many students who complete the BA (Hons) English Literature course who go on to either secure a teaching placement locally or study a variety of postgraduate courses.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Teaching
- Copy Writing
- Editing and Proofing
- Librarianship
- Publishing and Content Management
- Creative and Professional Writing
- Writing for the Games Industry
- Journalism / Publishing

BA (Hons)
HISTORY & ARCHAEOLOGY

UCAS code: **V400** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

88 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDD or BB
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

Flag Fen © Martin Bird 2019

Are you interested in the past and how it shapes the future? Are you fascinated by the history of your environment - of the buildings and landscapes that comprise it and the laws and institutions that animate it? Do you view the present as continuous with the past or do you see the past as a series of more or less violent ruptures leading up to the present? Are you passionate about the historical world and its importance for understanding the present? Are you interested in a career in the Heritage Industries – in a fast-developing sector that contributes £11.9 billion to the UK economy?

If so, our BA (Hons) History and Archaeology course is for you. The course is a unique combination of history and archaeology modules designed to create an integral course that supports students that want to pursue careers in either discipline. We have created a course that at one and the same time satisfies the intellectual curiosity of history and archaeology students while providing the best possible opportunity for progression into the graduate jobs market in education, teaching and the heritage sector.

The course was developed in consultation with academics and industry professionals to ensure that the skills with which our students graduate align as closely as possible with the skills required by industry. During your studies you will have the opportunity to undertake a work placement with one of a range of heritage organisations in the city and wider region. These include Vivacity, Headland Archaeology, Oxford East Archaeology and Historic England.

The greater Peterborough area is steeped in history which includes Bronze Age sites at Flag Fen and Must Farm as well as the Peterborough Cathedral which is over 900 years old. The History and Archaeology degree programme introduces students to Britain's more recent past through the Empire and Imperialism module and how these manifests in the fabric of Peterborough and its environs. Investigation also enables students to develop their knowledge of social and industrial history, through the investigation of Peterborough's buildings and industrial sites.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/hisarc**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- The Birth and Development of Modern Europe (30 credits)
- Practical Aspects of Archaeology (30 credits)
- Themes in Archaeology (15 credits)
- Heritage Management (15 credits)
- Prehistory: A European Perspective (30 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Rome and the Roman World (15 credits)
- The Role of Science in Archaeology (15 credits)
- Ritualised Landscapes (15 credits)
- Historiography and the Historian (15 credits)
- Working in the Heritage Industries: Work Placement and Reflective Portfolio (30 credits)
- Imperialism and Empire (15 credits)
- Desk-based Assessment (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project (30 credits)
- Urban Experience and Identity in Early Modern Europe (30 credits)
- Pre-industrial Technology (15 credits)
- The Social Role of Buildings (15 credits)
- The Archaeology of the Human Bone (15 credits)

Plus choose 15 credits of optional modules

- Conflict and Society in European History (15 credits)
- Surveying the Historic Environment (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	100%	70%	70%
Written Exams	-	5%	15%
Practical Exams	-	15%	15%
Placement	-	10%	-

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

During your studies you will have the opportunity to undertake a work placement with one of a range of heritage organisations in the city and wider region. These include Vivacity, Headland Archaeology, Oxford East Archaeology, Historic England and local secondary schools.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

Some trips may take place in addition to the timetabled teaching days due to site availability.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Archaeologist
- History Teacher
- Archivist
- Conservation Officer
- Curator
- Heritage Manager
- Educational Officer
- Events / Project Organiser

"Small class sizes are combined with a broad range of academically stimulating modules, all supported by enthusiastic, experienced and accessible tutors. I would recommend this degree to anyone who has an interest in History, Archaeology, or simply an inquiring mind."

BA (Hons)
PSYCHOSOCIAL STUDIES

UCAS code: **C880** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

88 UCAS points in any subjects:

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If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

Do you ever wonder why people act in the way that they do? Have you ever wondered what makes you who you are? Would you like to understand the psychological factors and how this links up with broader society? Do you find yourself wondering what part of human behaviour is explained by nature and what part is down to the society we live in?

If so then the BA (Hons) Psychosocial Studies course at University Centre Peterborough may be of interest to you. Psychosocial Studies is a unique subject that addresses both individual experiences and larger social processes. In the course you will be introduced to the core concepts that shape the discipline and the key tools with which to undertake social analysis and research.

You will ponder the big questions relating to identity, psychological development, health and education. In addition, you will consider broader questions relating to social justice like inequality and discrimination and contemporary issues of new technologies, climate change and social activism. You will also learn the skills of a social scientist, you will be capable of formulating research questions and investigating them on your own.

You will undertake research independently and as a member of a group and you will gain an insight into the city and the wider region - the problems and challenges it faces and the ingenuity and energy with which it attempts to address these.

Finally, you will hone in on your future career path testing your interests and skills working with local organisations and building your professional network for when you graduate.

You will have the opportunity to undertake a live research project with a range of local partners and undertake research that makes a real difference to the life of the city and the broader region. This will enable you to graduate not just with a good degree but a range of real-world experience which will help you progress into your desired career.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/socio**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Academic and Professional Skills for Social Scientists (30 credits)
- Foundations in Sociological Theory (15 credits)
- Introduction to Psychology (15 credits)
- Social Psychology (15 credits)
- Politics, Ideology and Society (15 credits)
- Psychosocial Formations of the Self and Identity (15 credits)
- Globalisation and its Effects (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Research Skills for Social Scientists (30 credits)
- Contemporary Social Theory (15 credits)
- Social Policy in Action (15 credits)
- Intersectional Studies (15 credits)
- Development Through the Lifespan (15 credits)

Plus choose 30 credits of optional modules

- Sociological Perspectives: Education (15 credits)
- Psychology of Education (15 credits)
- The Body in Society (15 credits)
- Health Psychology (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project (30 credits)
- Society Beyond Nature (15 credits)

Plus choose 75 credits of optional modules

- Theories and Concepts in Psychological Therapies (15 credits)
- The Digital Human (15 credits)
- Critical Studies in Race and Ethnicity (15 credits)
- Exploring Feminist Thought (15 credits)
- Foundations in Clinical Psychology (15 credits)
- Atypical Child Development (15 credits)
- Sociology of Sexuality (15 credits)
- Investigative Psychology (15 credits)
- Live Research Project (15 credits)
- Social Movements and Activism (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	90%	90%	80%
Practical Exams	10%	10%	20%

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Each year, there are many students who complete the BA (Hons) Psychosocial Studies course who go on to study a variety of postgraduate courses.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Policy Adviser
- Community Organiser
- Social Worker
- Researcher
- Data Analyst
- Human Resource Officer
- Advice Worker
- Teacher or Lecturer

BA (Hons) **SOCIOLOGY**

UCAS code: **L300** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

88 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CCD or AB
BTEC	MMM
Cambridge Technicals	MMM
Access to HE	45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

If you are someone who is deeply curious about the world around you, and perhaps wants to explore ways to solve the important problems faced by society, then you might already be a sociologist.

Sociology asks the big questions, for example those about racism, sexism, social class, culture, politics and the media. It objectively examines how societies change and what prompts these shifts. It also looks into various aspects of our lives: our work, our education, our relationships, our identities, in addition to the media we consume and the things we buy.

Sociologists are also increasingly interested in the internet and the role it has in our lives: why are we addicted to our mobile phones, why do we post things on social media and what does the future hold when we have all this knowledge in our pockets? Ultimately, we want to identify solutions to the problems faced by society and then work towards changing the world for the better.

Sociology is critical, engaging, interesting and, more often than not, fun. You will be introduced to the core concepts that shape the discipline and the key tools with which to undertake social analysis and research. You will ponder all these big sociological questions while developing as a social scientist who is capable of formulating research questions and investigating them on your own. This research will help you gain an insight into the city and the wider region - the problems and challenges it faces and the ingenuity and energy with which it meets these.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/pysch**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Academic and Professional Skills for Social Scientists (30 credits)
- Foundations in Sociological Theory (15 credits)
- Capitalism, Class and Inequality (15 credits)
- Deviance and Society (15 credits)
- Politics, Ideology and Society (15 credits)
- The Ethnographic Turn (15 credits)
- Globalisation and its Effects (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Research Skills for Social Scientists (30 credits)
- Contemporary Social Theory (15 credits)
- Sociological Perspectives: Education (15 credits)
- Intersectional Studies (15 credits)
- Sociological Perspectives: Work (15 credits)
- The Body in Society (15 credits)

Plus choose 15 credits of optional modules

- Social Policy in Action (15 credits)
- Media, Culture and Society (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project (30 credits)
- Critical Studies in Race and Ethnicity (15 credits)
- Exploring Feminist Thought (15 credits)
- Society Beyond Nature (15 credits)

Plus choose 45 credits of optional modules

- Sociological Perspectives on the Problem of Evil (15 credits)
- Sexuality, Social Control and Society (15 credits)
- The Digital Human (15 credits)
- Sociology and the Politics of Sport (15 credits)
- Live Research Project (15 credits)
- Social Movements and Activism (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	80%	80%	80%
Practical Exams	20%	20%	20%

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Each year, there are many students who complete the BA (Hons) Sociology course who go on to study a variety of postgraduate courses such as Masters and PhD courses.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Social Worker
- MP
- Policy Adviser
- Civil Service
- Community Organiser
- Researcher
- Data Analyst
- Housing Association Officer
- Teacher
- Human Resources Officer
- Marketing
- Business Management
- Project Management

Diploma in
THERAPEUTIC COUNSELLING

UCAS code: **N/A** Awarded by: **Pearson Edexcel**

LOCATION

UCP Stamford Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Part-time 2 years (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 2 years (1 afternoon and evening a week on the same day over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£5,000 in total (you can apply for an Advanced Learner Loan of £2,882 over two years leaving £1,059 to pay each year)

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applications for the Diploma in Therapeutic Counselling should be made directly to our Stamford Campus.

Applicants must have a Certificate in Counselling Skills and Theory (Level 3) and the ability to secure 100 hours of counselling practice.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team at the Stamford Campus on **01780 484300** or **enquiries@stamford.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 5.5 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

An enhanced DBS check is required.

As a counsellor, you'll actively listen to clients, offering them time, empathy and respect to talk about particular issues and problems, with the aim to reduce confusion and increase their ability to cope with challenges, or to make positive changes to their lives.

Achieving this qualification enables you to practice as a Counsellor and progress to work in senior roles within the NHS, charity or education sectors.

The course is widely recognised by a number of professional bodies including the BACP, the UK Council for Psychotherapy (UKCP) and the National Counselling Society (NCS).

This two year course based at our Stamford campus will provide you with a thorough grounding in the key concepts and practical skills required in the counselling sector and is recognised nationally by employers. You will gain the knowledge, understanding and skills required for a range of counselling specialisms to allow you to successfully progress in the future.

You will learn through a combination of independent and group activities including lectures, seminars, trips, visits and work-related experiences.

You have the option of studying the course as one full day or one afternoon and evening on the same day.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/couns**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 5)

- Person-centred Approaches to Counselling (15 credits)
- Counselling Skills, Development and Practice (15 credits)
- Comparative Theories and Approaches in Counselling (15 credits)
- Continual Personal Development in Counselling (15 credits)

YEAR 2 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 5)

- Human Development in Relation to Counselling (15 credits)
- Client work in Therapeutic Counselling (15 credits)
- Counselling for Loss and Grief (15 credits)
- Counselling Clients who have Experienced Abuse (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 5
Coursework	100%

WORK PLACEMENT

Students must have the ability to secure 100 hours of counselling practice.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied part-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

After successful completion of the Diploma in Therapeutic Counselling, you have the opportunity to complete the Level 6 of the BA (Hons) Therapeutic Counselling and Psychotherapy (Top-up) course to obtain a full honours degree with a further year of study.

This course qualifies you at practitioner level as a Counsellor. You could gain employment in the counselling field or related psychological professions.

"It was a great experience where I have gained the knowledge to help me in my career. By being close to home I have also made friends for life."

BA (Hons) **THERAPEUTIC COUNSELLING & PSYCHOTHERAPY** (TOP-UP)

UCAS code: **PCCP** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus
UCP Stamford Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 1 year (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applications for the BA (Hons) Therapeutic Counselling and Psychotherapy (Top-up) should be made through UCAS.

Applicants must have either a:

- Level 5 Diploma in Counselling
- Level 4 Diploma in Counselling and a Level 5 qualification in another subject
- Level 4 Diploma in Counselling and two years post qualifying experience

If you only have a Level 4 Diploma in Counselling you must have a minimum of 400 hours of counselling training.

All applicants must have 100 hours of supervised counselling practice and hold professional registration with the BACP, NCS, UKCP or equivalent. Before interview you will be required to provide two written references (academic and professional) and a CV with evidence of CPD.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

An enhanced DBS check is required.

This one year top-up course is aimed to develop your understanding of person centered and cognitive behaviour theory (CBT) counselling theories. It is designed to offer progression from the Diploma in Therapeutic Counselling which is offered by University Centre Peterborough or other level 4 and level 5 counselling qualifications.

This course is unique as it brings CBT skills and knowledge into a person-centred Framework of working utilising a pluralistic approach which puts clients' needs at the heart of the counselling process.

You will develop a critical understanding of counselling and be able to devise and sustain arguments, solve problems and use techniques of theoretical approaches to your application of specific issues.

The course modules were designed to be industry appropriate around the field of person-centred therapy, cognitive behaviour theory (CBT) and psychopathology. They meet the needs of employers and will enable you as a qualified counsellor to develop your skills and knowledge as part of the professional development requirements.

The skills gained on the course will enable you to become a skilled and reflective practitioner with a CBT emphasis so your can progress into a variety of counselling careers within the NHS, charity or education sectors.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/pccbt**

YEAR 1 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- PC & CBT Counselling Theory (30 credits)
- Working Professionally with Mental Health (30 credits)
- Reflective Ethical Practice (20 credits)
- Research Methods (40 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 6
Coursework	100%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

There is no requirement for students to undertake a placement on this course as students will already have significant professional experience as a condition of entry to the course.

Students will need to undergo 10 hours of personal therapy whilst they are on the course which will be evidenced in the reflective portfolio.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

After graduating you will be able to apply for jobs with a Person Centred and CBT emphasis within the NHS, charity or education sectors. You will also be able to progress onto a masters programme.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Counsellor
- Psychotherapist
- Mental Health Practitioner
- Advice Worker
- Set up your own practice

"From the very beginning to the end of my degree I have learnt, experienced and gained so much knowledge, skill and passion for my subject. My lecturers have been nothing but inspiring and encouraging by pushing me out of my comfort zone. I truly feel prepared for both my Masters and future creative career."

EMILY SLACK-HUMPHREY
BA (Hons) Performing Arts

CREATIVE INDUSTRIES COURSES

BA (Hons) **Digital Arts** 70-71

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BA (Hons) **Journalism** 76-77

BA (Hons) **Media Production** 78-79

BA (Hons) **Performing Arts** 80-81

BA (Hons)
DIGITAL ARTS

UCAS code: **DARB** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

72 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDE or BC
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

A portfolio and interview may be required before an offer can be made.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

The core Digital Arts course is an industry driven three-year degree which provides a route into the digital and creative industries. The course is aimed at students with creative talents who are seeking to develop professional-standard skills to work in the creative and digital sectors. The digital and creative sectors have been identified as growing both regionally and nationally. We will provide you with the skills and support to launch your career as a creative practitioner in one of the many occupations available in the creative and digital industries.

On the course you will be introduced to the basic principles of graphic design, animation, and photography as well as learning new design technologies like mobile app and computer games design. You will learn about the central debates and discourses that inform contemporary digital art and design and understand the industry in which you will work. You will learn to critically appraise your own work and the work of others, in a constructive and productive way.

You will have the opportunity to do a 120 hour / three-week work placement with a design agency, media organisation or work on an industry commission. You will learn to work creatively, and problem solve in a group in 'live' projects and real-world briefs. Your undergraduate major project will enable you to showcase your talents and exhibit your work to the public and sector professionals.

Throughout the course you will be supported in developing your professional profile and your entrepreneurial skills to ensure a smooth transition to professional employment. All students completing the course will have a portfolio of digital work in the form of a website show to prospective employers and you will have multiple opportunities on the course to develop your network of professional contacts.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/digarts**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Digital Asset Development (30 credits)
- Photography (15 credits)
- Digital Animation (15 credits)
- Critical Theory in Art and Media (15 credits)
- Graphic Design (15 credits)
- Introduction to the Creative Industries (15 credits)
- Website Design (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Computer Game Design (30 credits)
- Critical Practices in Art and Media (15 credits)
- App Design (15 credits)
- Integrated Advertising (30 credits)
- Professional Practice and Development (30 credits) - with 120 hour work placement

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project (60 credits)
- Developing Ethical and Professional Skills (15 credits)

Plus choose 45 credits of optional modules

- Digital Visual Effects and Post Production (30 credits)
- Enhanced Integrated Practice (30 credits)
- Commercial Photography (15 credits)
- Professional Futures (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	100%	75%	50%
Placement	-	25%	-
Major Project	-	-	50%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

In your second year as part of the Professional Practice and Development module, you will undertake a 120 hour (three week) work placement with a design agency or media organisation and/or work on an industry commission.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. This may also provide time for you to undertake private and freelance work alongside your studies. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Games Designer
- App Designer
- Website Designer
- Graphic Designer
- Illustrator
- Photographer
- Animator
- Creative Director

BA (Hons) **DIGITAL ARTS (GRAPHIC DESIGN)**

UCAS code: **DARG** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Stamford Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

72 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDE or BC
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

A portfolio and interview may be required before an offer can be made.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

This graphic design course has an industry focus, exploring the contemporary aspects of digital graphic design practices and providing a route into the digital and creative industries. In the digital environment traditional design skills alone are no longer enough and this course will teach you how to make take traditional skills and practices and integrate them into the digital world. We will provide you with the skills and support to launch your career as a creative practitioner in one of the many occupations available in the creative and digital industries.

On the course you will create graphic design projects and have the opportunity to enter national competitions while using industry standard equipment and software. Alongside your graphics modules you will also be introduced to basic principles of photography while working with peers on both the core and photographic digital arts courses. You will learn about the central debates and discourses that inform contemporary digital art and graphic design and understand the industry in which you will work. You will learn to critically appraise your own work and the work of others, in a constructive and productive way.

You will have the opportunity to do a 120 hour / three-week work placement with a design agency, media organisation or work on an industry commission. You will learn to work creatively, and problem solve in a group in 'live' projects and real-world briefs. Your undergraduate major project will enable you to showcase your talents and exhibit your work to the public and sector professionals.

Throughout the course you will be supported in developing your professional profile and your entrepreneurial skills to ensure a smooth transition to professional employment. All students completing the course will have a portfolio of digital work in the form of a website show to prospective employers and you will have multiple opportunities on the course to develop your network of professional contacts.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/diggraphic**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Digital Asset Development (30 credits)
- Critical Theory in Art and Media (15 credits)
- Graphic Design Practice 1 (30 credits)
- Introduction to the Creative Industries (15 credits)
- Creative Practice (30 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Graphic Design Practice 2 (45 credits)
- Critical Practices in Art and Media (15 credits)
- Integrated Advertising (30 credits)
- Professional Practice and Development (30 credits) - with 120 hour work placement

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project (60 credits)
- Developing Ethical and Professional Skills (15 credits)

Plus choose 45 credits of optional modules

- Digital Visual Effects and Post Production (30 credits)
- Enhanced Integrated Practice (30 credits)
- Commercial Photography (15 credits)
- Professional Futures (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	100%	75%	50%
Placement	-	25%	-
Major Project	-	-	50%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

In your second year as part of the Professional Practice and Development module, you will undertake a 120 hour (three week) work placement with a design agency or media organisation and/or work on an industry commission.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. This may also provide time for you to undertake private and freelance work alongside your studies. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Games Designer
- App Designer
- Website Designer
- Graphic Designer
- Illustrator
- Photographer
- Animator
- Creative Director

BA (Hons) **DIGITAL ARTS (PHOTOGRAPHY)**

UCAS code: **DARP** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

72 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDE or BC
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

A portfolio and interview may be required before an offer can be made.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

This photography course has an industry focus, exploring the contemporary aspects of digital photographic practices, providing a route into the digital and creative industries. In a digital environment taking images alone is no longer enough - this course will teach you how to make great images, but also how to use and apply these effectively within a digital world. The course is aimed at students who want to build an integrated approach to their practice. We will provide you with the skills and support to launch your career as a creative practitioner in one of the many occupations available in the creative and digital industries.

On the course you will create a range of photographic projects using industry standard equipment and software and explore digital and traditional ways of publishing your work. You will also be introduced to basic principles of graphic design and integrated practice. You will learn about the central debates and discourses that inform contemporary digital art and photography and understand the industry in which you will work. You will learn to critically appraise your own work and the work of others, in a constructive and productive way.

You will have the opportunity to do a 120 hour / three-week work placement with a design agency, media organisation or work on an industry commission. You will learn to work creatively, and problem solve in a group in 'live' projects and real-world briefs. Your undergraduate major project will enable you to showcase your talents and exhibit your work to the public and sector professionals.

Throughout the course you will be supported in developing your professional profile and your entrepreneurial skills to ensure a smooth transition to professional employment. All students completing the course will have a portfolio of digital work in the form of a website show to prospective employers and you will have multiple opportunities on the course to develop your network of professional contacts.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/digphoto**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Digital Asset Development (30 credits)
- Image in Context (30 credits)
- Critical Theory in Art and Media (15 credits)
- Approaches to Practice (30 credits)
- Introduction to the Creative Industries (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Expanding the Frame (30 credits)
- Critical Practices in Art and Media (15 credits)
- Collaborative and Collative Practice (15 credits)
- Integrated Advertising (30 credits)
- Professional Practice and Development (30 credits) - with 120 hour work placement

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project (60 credits)
- Developing Ethical and Professional Skills (15 credits)

Plus choose 45 credits of optional modules

- Digital Visual Effects and Post Production (30 credits)
- Enhanced Integrated Practice (30 credits)
- Commercial Photography (15 credits)
- Professional Futures (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	100%	75%	50%
Placement	-	25%	-
Major Project	-	-	50%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

In your second year as part of the Professional Practice and Development module, you will undertake a 120 hour (three week) work placement with a design agency or media organisation and/or work on an industry commission.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. This may also provide time for you to undertake private and freelance work alongside your studies. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Games Designer
- App Designer
- Website Designer
- Graphic Designer
- Illustrator
- Photographer
- Animator
- Creative Director

BA (Hons) **JOURNALISM**

UCAS code: **P500** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATIONS

UCP Peterborough Campus (70%)
Media and Journalism Centre (30%)

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

72 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDE or BC
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

Our journalism course is designed to enable you to train and develop as a practitioner so that you will be the ones to investigate and report on tomorrow's news.

If you want to become a journalist and explore what journalism is and where this fast paced and exciting industry is heading, this is the perfect course for you.

Delivered at the state-of-the-art Media and Journalism Centre in the heart of the city and at the University Centre main campus, you will learn under the guidance of current industry professionals and be given a practical grounding in print, radio, photo and digital journalism.

You will learn how to produce imaginative and incisive copy to deadline as well as developing a range of skills to ensure you have the creativity and versatility to thrive in today's industry. You'll look at the problems, pitfalls and potential for today's journalism, studying its past and debating its future.

If your interest is sport or fashion journalism we will support you in this allowing you to specialise throughout the course.

Students will gain valuable work experience in a local or regional media organisation as part of the Professional Development module in their final year.

During your time with us you will have the opportunity to work with local and regional partners in Peterborough and undertake exciting internships with local businesses and placements at major consumer magazine titles.

You will also have the opportunity to learn from professional journalists and media professionals in our guest speaker events organised by students and staff.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/journo**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Media Law and Ethics 1 (15 credits)
- News Reporting (15 credits)
- Exploring Journalism (15 credits)
- Introduction to Video (15 credits)
- Media Law and Ethics 2 (15 credits)
- Integrated Design and Features (15 credits)
- Introduction to Audio (15 credits)
- Launching Your Career (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Mobile Filmmaking (30 credits)
- Employability (15 credits)
- Photojournalism (15 credits)
- Politics and the Media (30 credits)
- Magazine Production (15 credits)
- Shorthand (optional - 15 credits)
- Podcasting (optional - 15 credits)
- Documentary Filmmaking (optional - 15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Professional Development (30 credits)
- Major Project 1 (15 credits)
- Journalism Portfolio 1 (15 credits)
- Major Project 2 (30 credits)
- Journalism Portfolio 2 (15 credits)
- Content Marketing (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	90%	90%	90%
Practical Exams	10%	10%	10%
Placement	-	-	10%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

Students will undertake a 15 day work placement with a media organisation. Previous students have undertaken placements with BBC Look East, BBC Radio Cambridgeshire, Peterborough Telegraph, Peterborough Matters, Cambs Times, Zazzle Media and Peterborough United.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- News Journalist
- Specialist Journalist
- Broadcast Journalist
- Editorial Content Writer
- Copy Editor
- Press Officer
- Content Marketer
- Digital Marketer
- Researcher

"The extra-curricular trips were wonderful because they help the students bond with each other - particularly in the first year of study."

BA (Hons) MEDIA PRODUCTION

UCAS code: **P300** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATIONS

UCP Peterborough Campus (70%)
Media and Journalism Centre (30%)

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

72 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDE or BC
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

Media Production is an industry focused-course drawing on core disciplines in TV production, film, audio production and digital media design. We have designed the course to equip you with the practical, creative and commercial skills needed to succeed in the creative media sector.

These include the ability to:

- Communicate and tell stories through a range of media
- Achieve professional competence in TV, audio, film and networked media
- Become a versatile, creative media practitioner capable of adapting to changing circumstances and capitalizing on opportunities that arise
- Practice in a professional and ethical manner

The course is delivered at the state-of-the-art Media and Journalism Centre in the heart of the city and at the University Centre main campus where you will learn under the guidance of current industry professionals and be given a practical grounding in TV, film, audio production, digital media design and scriptwriting.

Students will gain valuable work experience in a local or regional media organisation as part of the Professional Development module in their final year.

During your time with us you will have the opportunity to work with local and regional partners in Peterborough and undertake exciting commissions with local media organisations.

You will also have the opportunity to learn from creative practitioners and media professionals in our guest speaker events organised by students and staff.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/media**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Media Law and Ethics 1 (15 credits)
- Pre-Production Portfolio (15 credits)
- Exploring Media (15 credits)
- Introduction to Video (15 credits)
- Promotional Video (15 credits)
- Integrated Design (15 credits)
- Introduction to Audio (15 credits)
- Launching Your Career (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Mobile Filmmaking (30 credits)
- Employability (15 credits)
- Photojournalism (15 credits)
- TV and Film Production (30 credits)
- Media and Representation (15 credits)
- Shorthand (optional - 15 credits)
- Podcasting (optional - 15 credits)
- Documentary Filmmaking (optional - 15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Professional Placement (30 credits)
- Major Project 1 (15 credits)
- Media Portfolio 1 (15 credits)
- Major Project 2 (30 credits)
- Media Portfolio 2 (15 credits)
- Managing a Client Brief (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	90%	70%	70%
Written Exams	10%	30%	20%
Placement	-	-	10%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

Students will undertake a 15 day work placement with a local media organisation. Previous students have undertaken placements with BBC Look East, Zazzle Media, BGL Group (Compare the Market) and Peterborough Telegraph.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Video / Film Editor
- Video / Film Producer
- Sound Engineer
- Photographer
- Content Creator
- Blogger / Vlogger
- Social Media Specialist
- Public Relations Officer
- Content Marketer

"I love the small class sizes at UCP, which mean we all get one-to-one help, and our lecturers get to know us and can tailor modules around our interests. I like the smallness of the university, meaning that you get to know everyone and nobody gets left out in lessons."

BA (Hons) **PERFORMING ARTS**

UCAS code: **7W73** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATIONS

UCP Peterborough Campus (75%)

The Key Theatre (25%)

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

88 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CCD or AB
BTEC	MMM
Cambridge Technicals	MMM
Access to HE	45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

This Performing Arts degree is a practice-based course, equipping you with the interdisciplinary skill set required by the contemporary performer. Through core 'Performance Skills' and 'Academic, Professional, Research and Employability Skills' pathways, you will develop the foundations necessary to the autonomous, public-facing, and industry-engaged assessments later in the course.

You will also be introduced to a range of performance-making disciplines, including:

- New Media Performance and Production
- Directing and Devising
- Adapting Shakespeare
- Writing for Performance
- Performance Practice-as-Research
- Applied Performance Project

Throughout the course you will have the opportunity to stage at least three full-length productions, with a Studio Performance at Level 4, a Scripted Performance to a paying public audience at Level 5 and a devised Performance Showcase in an industry setting, to a paying public audience as the culmination of your study at Level 6.

The course is delivered across three locations in Peterborough, each providing state-of-the-art resources relevant to your modules. This includes a home-from-home at Peterborough's prestigious The Key Theatre, where you will be welcomed as residents of the venue, including discounted Key Theatre Club membership, regular attendance at performances and events, work experience and part-time employment opportunities and annual performances as part of the public programme.

You will engage with local, national and international industry through our team of research/industry-active expert staff, guest practitioners and a number of industry-focused modules.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/perf**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Academic and Professional Skills (15 credits)
- Performance Skills: Acting Technique (15 credits)
- New Media Performance and Production (15 credits)
- Interpreting Performance (15 credits)
- Performance Skills: Vocal Training (15 credits)
- 20th Century Practitioners (15 credits)
- Directing and Devising (15 credits)
- Studio Performance (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Research and Employability Skills (15 credits)
- Performance Skills: Physical Theatre Practice (15 credits)
- Scripted Performance (30 credits)
- Performance Skills: Screen Acting (15 credits)
- Performance Practice-as-Research (15 credits)
- Writing for Performance (15 credits)
- Adapting Shakespeare (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project (30 credits)
- Professional Practitioners (15 credits)
- Contemporary Plays (15 credits)
- Applied Performance Project (15 credits)
- Performing Arts: Professional Preparation (15 credits)
- Performance Showcase (30 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	30%	30%	40%
Practical Exams	70%	70%	55%
Placement	-	-	5%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

In the final year of this course, all students will undertake a one week (35 hour) work placement with an arts organisation to gain industry experience. This placement will be assessed and be used as part of your final degree classification.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Performer for theatre, TV and/or film
- Writer or Director for theatre, TV and/or film
- Musician, Poet or Comedian
- Theatre Technician (including design and management)
- Arts Administrator
- Teacher
- Community Arts Practitioner
- Entertainment or Artists' Agent

"I truly have enjoyed studying at UCP as they make you feel like a professional in practice. You're seen as a person and not simply an ID number and the welcoming environment and care for their students has been outstanding."

"I am so glad I embarked on this journey at a mature age. I have learnt so much about myself and so many new skills. I have a deeper understanding of my subject and it opens doors to new professional pathways. You will never regret going back into education."

CHERRELLE MELTON
FdA Early Years and Education and
BA (Hons) Education Studies (Top-up)

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Foundation Degree
EARLY CHILDHOOD STUDIES

UCAS code: **LXM1** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATION
UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY
Full-time 2 years (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE
September 2022

TUITION FEES
£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
Applicants are required to have gained a minimum of 400 hours work experience (e.g. one year for two days a week) within a early years or primary education setting before starting the course. During the course you must participate in a minimum of 12 hours paid or voluntary placement every week during your studies.

48 UCAS points in any subjects:

CACHE Level 3 Diploma	Pass
A-levels	DD
BTEC	PPP
Cambridge Technicals	PPP
Access to HE	45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

An enhanced DBS check is required.

Are you an existing early years practitioner looking to develop your career in the early years sector or someone who aspires to work with young children? This course is a great option for existing practitioners or those who are looking at joining the sector. The early years are recognised as being the important foundation for children's future health and development, setting the future trajectory for the child's lifelong learning.

This two-year foundation degree course will help you develop your understanding of the theoretical and practical elements of working with young children, with specific reference to the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS). It offers the opportunity to deepen your knowledge and understanding of a broad spectrum of subjects related to the care and education of young children, including planning and assessment, literacy and mathematics, children's mental health and wellbeing and international perspectives of early childhood.

The lectures and assessment tasks will enhance your knowledge and experience of the early years, through teaching and discussion of a broad range of topics. These will reference your individual area of practice and your own local authority area and will include contemporary issues within the sector. Class sizes at UCP are typically less than 30, which provides a great opportunity for group discussions and the building of close relationships and networking opportunities.

Alongside lectures, you will learn on the job through participating in placement activities. Therefore, you are required to have a position (paid or voluntary) in an Early Years setting. You will require an on-site mentor to support you in your placement and you will be visited by our practice tutor once per semester, who will both assess your practice and support you to apply your developing academic knowledge to your setting.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY
You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on ucp.ac.uk/early

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)
- Introduction to the EYFS & National Curriculum (15 credits)
- Planning & Assessing Early Years Opportunities (30 credits)
- Academic & Professional Practice 1: The Early Years (30 credits)
- Child Development and Learning (30 credits)
- Children's Mental Health & Wellbeing (15 credits)

YEAR 2 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 5)
- Safeguarding Children and Young People (30 credits)
- International Perspectives of Childhood Education & Care (30 credits)
- Inequality & Disadvantage in Early Education (15 credits)
- Literacy & Mathematics in the Early Years (15 credits)
- Academic & Professional Practice 2: The Early Years (30 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED
Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5
Coursework	60%	60%
Group Activities	40%	40%

WORK PLACEMENT
Applicants must have at least 400 hours of experience working with children before starting the programme. Applicants must be working in, or have access to, an environment that uses the Early Years Foundation Stage (paid or voluntary) and commit to working a minimum of 40 days across the academic year.

HELLO FUTURE
After successful completion of the FdA Early Years and Education, you have the opportunity to progress to the BA (Hons) Education Studies (Top-up) course at University Centre Peterborough to obtain a full honours degree with a further year of study. Following this, many of our graduates proceed to Initial Teacher Training in order to pursue a career as a qualified teacher.

The course can lead to a broad range of future careers with a focus upon children and families.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Early Years / Primary School Teaching
- Education / Nursery Management
- Special Needs Coordination
- Family Support Work
- Children's Centre Management
- Education Welfare
- Play Therapy
- Social Work
- Education Psychology

Note that some careers may require further study or experience beyond the Foundation Degree.

Foundation Degree
PRIMARY EDUCATION

UCAS code: **LXM2** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATION
UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY
Full-time 2 years (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE
September 2022

TUITION FEES
£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
Applicants are required to have gained a minimum of 400 hours work experience (e.g. one year for two days a week) within a early years or primary education setting before starting the course. During the course you must participate in a minimum of 12 hours paid or voluntary placement every week during your studies.

48 UCAS points in any subjects:

CACHE Level 3 Diploma	Pass
A-levels	DD
BTEC	PPP
Cambridge Technicals	PPP
Access to HE	45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

An enhanced DBS check is required.

Are you an existing primary education practitioner looking to develop your career in the primary education sector or someone who aspires to work in the field of children's education?

This course is a great option for existing practitioners, such as teaching assistants, or those who are looking at joining the sector. Primary education provides the key foundation of learning for children and prepares the trajectory for all aspects of children's lives, including their health, development and educational outcomes. A career in primary education provides the opportunity to support children on this journey and to aid each individual child to fulfil their potential.

This two-year foundation degree course will help you develop your understanding of the theoretical and practical elements of working in primary education, with specific reference to the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) and Key Stages 1 and 2 of the National Curriculum. It offers the opportunity to deepen your knowledge and understanding of a broad spectrum of subjects related to primary education, including; planning and assessment, the curriculum and the curriculum areas of English, mathematics and science.

The lectures and assessment tasks will enhance your knowledge and experience of primary education, through teaching and discussion of a broad range of topics. These will reference your individual area of practice and your own local authority area and will include contemporary issues within the sector. Class sizes at UCP are typically less than 30, which provides a great opportunity for group discussions and the building of close relationships and networking opportunities.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY
You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on ucp.ac.uk/early

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)
- Introduction to EYFS & National Curriculum (15 credits)
- Planning & Assessment in Primary Education (30 credits)
- Child Development and Learning (30 credits)
- Children's Mental Health & Wellbeing (15 credits)
- Academic & Professional Practice 1: Primary Education (30 credits)

YEAR 2 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 5)
- Safeguarding Children and Young People (30 credits)
- English in Primary Education (30 credits)
- Mathematics in Primary Education (15 credits)
- Science in Primary Education (15 credits)
- Academic & Professional Practice 2: Primary Education (30 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED
Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5
Coursework	70%	70%
Group Activities	30%	30%

WORK PLACEMENT
Applicants must be working in or have access to a suitable children's environment (paid or voluntary) and commit to working a minimum of 12 hours paid or voluntary placement every week during your studies (for 24 weeks per academic year). In both years you will undertake Work Based Research modules based on your work placement.

HELLO FUTURE
After successful completion of the FdA Early Years and Education, you have the opportunity to progress to the BA (Hons) Education Studies (Top-up) course at University Centre Peterborough to obtain a full honours degree with a further year of study. Following this, many of our graduates proceed to Initial Teacher Training in order to pursue a career as a qualified teacher.

The course can lead to a broad range of future careers with a focus upon children and families.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Early Years / Primary School Teaching
- Education / Curriculum Management
- Special Needs Coordination
- Family Support Work
- Education Welfare
- Social Work
- Education Psychology

Note that some careers may require further study or experience beyond the Foundation Degree.

Foundation Degree
PROFESSIONAL STUDIES (EDUCATION)

UCAS code: **L523** Awarded by: **Bishop Grosseteste University**

LOCATION
UCP Stamford Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY
Full-time 2 years (1 afternoon and evening a week on the same day over two semesters per year)

START DATE
September 2022

TUITION FEES
£6,935 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
Applicants are required to have gained a minimum of 360 hours work experience (e.g. one year for two days a week) within a early years setting before starting the course. During the course you must participate in a minimum of 12 hours paid or voluntary placement every week during your studies.

Typically, applicants will hold a Level 3 qualification (e.g. CACHE Level 3 Diploma, A-levels, BTEC).

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You will need GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

An enhanced DBS check is required.

If you are working and supporting children in primary, secondary and special schools, or with learners in further education colleges, the Education pathway of our Professional Studies Foundation Degree is designed for you.

Many of the students on the course are already employed as Teaching Assistants in schools, working alongside a qualified teacher. They support formal learning opportunities for children and young people, and may sometimes take whole classes for sessions or work with children who have a particular need.

This work-focused foundation degree is a combination of practice-based learning and campus-based sessions, which run once a week so that you are able to continue in employment throughout the duration of the course.

The course is designed to improve your personal and professional communication skills, and will increase your knowledge and understanding of how children and young people learn and mature, by developing new ways of working and challenging existing assumptions.

You will learn through lectures, seminars, workshops and guest speakers from the sector. These will provide opportunities for you to discuss, question and challenge.

After graduating you will be able to take a step towards becoming a teacher, progressing in your role as a Teaching Assistant or extending your opportunities within this sector.

This qualification is awarded by Bishop Grosseteste University and delivered by University Centre Peterborough.

BISHOP GROSSETESTE UNIVERSITY

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY
You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/profedu**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)
- Tools for Learning (30 credits)
- The Individual in Society (30 credits)
- Philosophies, Policy and Provision (30 credits)
- Collaborative Practice (30 credits)

YEAR 2 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 5)
- Supporting Learning (30 credits)
- Inclusion (30 credits)
- Assessment and Learning (30 credits)
- Practitioner Research (30 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED
Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5
Coursework	75%	75%
Practicals	25%	25%

WORK PLACEMENT
Applicants must be working in or have access to a professional environment working with children (paid or voluntary) and must commit to working a minimum of 12 hours paid or voluntary placement every week during your studies.

HELLO FUTURE
After successful completion of the FdA Professional Studies (Education), you have the opportunity to progress to the BA (Hons) Education Studies (Top-up) course at University Centre Peterborough or BA (Hons) Professional Studies or BA (Hons) Primary Teaching Studies with QTS at Bishop Grosseteste University to obtain a full honours degree.

The course can lead to a broad range of future careers with a focus upon children and families.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- HLTA (Higher Level Teaching Assistant)
- Teacher
- Education Management
- Special Needs Coordinator
- Family Support Worker
- Education Welfare Officer
- Social Worker
- Learning Mentor

Note that some careers may require further study or experience beyond the Foundation Degree.

BA (Hons)
EDUCATION STUDIES (TOP-UP)

UCAS code: **X300** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 1 year (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 2 years (1 half day a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must be working in or having access to a suitable children's environment (paid or voluntary) and completed any of these qualifications:

- FdA Early Years and Education (Level 4 and 5)
- FdA Professional Studies (Education) or (Early Childhood) (Level 4 and 5)
- FdA Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (Level 4 and 5)
- Diploma in Education and Training
- CertEd Certificate in Education
- HND Childhood Education and Care
- HND Advanced Practice in Early Years Education

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

An enhanced DBS check is required.

This generalist education programme has been designed to help those with experience in educational settings to develop their skills and knowledge and complement their current qualifications and experience with a BA (Hons) degree.

Education has a fundamental role to play in personal, social and professional development. Through education, you can make a difference in the lives of many learners from different and diverse backgrounds. This degree offers you the opportunity to develop the professional knowledge, skills and understanding required to follow a career in education.

You will become aware of the factors affecting learners' achievement so that you can promote continuous improvement and educational achievement among all students in a wide array of educational institutions. The course will also give you the tools to become a reflective practitioner and an independent, critical problem-solver.

Within the course you will allow you to explore topical issues relating to education and society; and has been designed with current and previous students, school leaders and a range of education stakeholders to help design a course which will provide you with the skills needed in today's educational environments.

The courses at University Centre Peterborough are studied in smaller class sizes compared with other universities, a typical class size is under 20 students.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/edustu**

YEAR 1 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Leadership in Education (30 credits)
- Professional Development & Reflective Practice (15 credits)
- Individual Needs and Educational Psychology (30 credits)
- Undergraduate Research Project in Primary Education (30 credits)
- Developing & Using Resources in Practice (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 6
Coursework	100%

WORK PLACEMENT

Applicants must be working in or have access to a suitable children's environment (paid or voluntary) as you will undertake an Enhanced Work Based Research module based on your work placement.

HELLO FUTURE

After graduating, you will be able to gain a position as a Teaching Assistant within Primary or Secondary schools.

You will also be able to apply for a PGCE in Primary or Secondary Education, or apply for an MA in a field related to education.

Previous students have also been offered places in the School Direct and Teach East programmes, and have progressed to teaching roles via this route.

Other career options related to Education can include working in the Education Department of a local council or going on to work in education based research.

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BA (Hons)
PRIMARY EDUCATION STUDIES (TOP-UP)

UCAS code: **X302** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 1 year (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 2 years (1 half day a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must be working in or having access to a suitable children's environment (paid or voluntary) and completed any of these qualifications:

- FdA Early Years and Education (Level 4 and 5)
- FdA Professional Studies (Education) or (Early Childhood) (Level 4 and 5)
- FdA Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (Level 4 and 5)
- Diploma in Education and Training
- CertEd Certificate in Education
- HND Childhood Education and Care
- HND Advanced Practice in Early Years Education

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

An enhanced DBS check is required.

There will continue to be a very high demand for teachers in Peterborough with a 19% increase in 5 to 14 year olds from 2015 to 2036 (Source: Cambridgeshire Research Group, 2015 Based Population Forecasts). This makes education a growing sector offering good employment opportunities for students studying locally.

Education has a fundamental role to play in personal, social and professional development. Through education, you can make a difference in the lives of many learners from different and diverse backgrounds. This degree offers you the opportunity to develop the professional knowledge, skills and understanding required to follow a career in education.

You will become aware of the factors affecting learners' achievement so that you can promote continuous improvement and educational achievement among all students in a wide array of learning institutions. The course will also give you the tools to become a reflective practitioner and an independent, critical problem-solver.

Within the course you will allow you to explore topical issues relating to education and society; and has been designed with current and previous students, school leaders and a range of education stakeholders to help design a course which will provide you with the skills needed in today's educational environments. Topics covered include behaviour and classroom management, SEN and educational psychology as well as opportunities to advance your own practice and research skills with applied projects.

The courses at University Centre Peterborough are studied in smaller class sizes compared with other universities, a typical class size is under 20 students.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/edustu**

YEAR 1 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Communication, Behaviour and Classroom Management (30 credits)
- Individual Needs and Educational Psychology (30 credits)
- Undergraduate Research Project in Primary Education (30 credits)
- Advanced Professional Practice in Primary Education (30 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 6
Coursework	100%

WORK PLACEMENT

Applicants must be working in or have access to a suitable children's environment (paid or voluntary) as you will undertake an Enhanced Work Based Research module based on your work placement.

HELLO FUTURE

After graduating, you will be able to gain a position as a Teaching Assistant within Primary or Secondary schools.

You will also be able to apply for a PGCE in Primary or Secondary Education, or apply for an MA in a field related to education or child development.

Previous students have also been offered places in the School Direct and Teach East programmes, and have progressed to teaching roles via this route.

Other career options related to Education can include working in the Education Department of a local council or going on to work in education-based research.

Outside of the field of education, we have students who have moved on to a wide range of postgraduate programmes including Masters degrees in early years, social policy / social work and psychology.

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BA (Hons) **EARLY CHILDHOOD STUDIES** (TOP-UP)

UCAS code: **X303** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 1 year (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 2 years (1 half day a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must be working in or having access to a suitable children's environment (paid or voluntary) and completed any of these qualifications:

- FdA Early Years and Education (Level 4 and 5)
- FdA Professional Studies (Education) or (Early Childhood) (Level 4 and 5)
- FdA Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (Level 4 and 5)
- Diploma in Education and Training
- CertEd Certificate in Education
- HND Childhood Education and Care
- HND Advanced Practice in Early Years Education

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If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

An enhanced DBS check is required.

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Education has a fundamental role to play in personal, social and professional development. Through education, you can make a difference in the lives of many learners from different and diverse backgrounds. This degree offers you the opportunity to develop the professional knowledge, skills and understanding required to follow a career in education.

You will become aware of the factors affecting learners' achievement so that you can promote continuous improvement and educational achievement among all students in a wide array of learning institutions. The course will also give you the tools to become a reflective practitioner and an independent, critical problem-solver.

Within the course you will explore topical issues relating to education and society; raising achievement through inclusion and look at the underlying principles of the educational system. The course looks at educational issues at various life stages rather than concentrating on a single phase. This will give you the opportunity to become aware of, and investigate educational issues of particular personal interest and related to your career aspirations.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/edustu**

YEAR 1 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Families, Communities and Partnership Working (15 credits)
- Individual Needs and Educational Psychology (30 credits)
- Leadership & Management in the Early Years (15 Credits)
- Undergraduate Research Project in Primary Education (30 Credits)
- Advanced Professional Practice: The Early Years (30 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 6
Coursework	100%

WORK PLACEMENT

Applicants must be working in or have access to a suitable children's environment (paid or voluntary) as you will undertake an Enhanced Work Based Research module based on your work placement.

HELLO FUTURE

After graduating, you will be able to gain a position as a Teaching Assistant within Primary or Secondary schools.

You will also be able to apply for a PGCE in Primary or Secondary Education, or apply for an MA in a field related to education.

Previous students have also been offered places in the School Direct and Teach East programmes, and have progressed to teaching roles via this route.

Other career options related to Education can include working in the Education Department of a local council or going on to work in education based research.

EDUCATION, TRAINING & SKILLS
(Certificate/Professional Graduate Diploma)

UCAS code: **N/A** Awarded by: **Bishop Grosseteste University**

LOCATION
UCP Stamford Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY
Part-time 2 years (1 evening a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE
September 2022

TUITION FEES
£2,500 per year

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
Applicants are required to have access to a minimum of 100 hours teaching over two years with no fewer than 50 hours in one year.

For the **Certificate**, typically you will have a minimum of a Level 3 qualification (e.g. A-level / BTEC) in the subject(s) that you intend to teach.

For the **Professional Graduate Diploma**, typically you must hold a UK first degree.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

If English is not your first language we recommend an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

An enhanced DBS check is required.

This course provides high-quality teacher training for practising and aspiring teachers and trainers in the education, training and skills sector, including further education and adult training.

The course will enable you to develop your effectiveness as a teacher and facilitate your self-development as a reflective practitioner with training that is flexible, supportive, challenging and rewarding.

The course offers a specialist English or mathematics strand if you wish to work specifically in these areas and you will require a Level 3 English or mathematics qualification (e.g. A-level).

The course is delivered through a variety of methods and you will be encouraged to think critically and form a community of practice. Therefore discussion is a core element of the delivery, together with practical activities and seminar-based learning.

You will be encouraged to experiment with a range of delivery and assessment tools including digital techniques. Developmental observations of your teaching by your tutor and mentor are an essential feature of the course and contribute to the overall assessment.

This qualification is awarded by Bishop Grosseteste University and delivered by University Centre Peterborough.

BISHOP GROSSETESTE UNIVERSITY

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

For the **Certificate**, you will study 30 credits at level 4 and 90 credits at level 5 (a total of 120 credits). For the **Professional Graduate Diploma**, you will study 120 credits at Level 6. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on ucp.ac.uk/certed

YEAR 1
- Learning, Teaching and Assessment in the Education and Training Sector (30 credits)
- Responsive Teaching in the Education and Training Sector (30 credits)

YEAR 2 / FINAL YEAR
- Professional Engagement in the Education and Training Sector (30 credits)
- Teaching a Specialist Subject in the Education and Training Sector (30 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by observed teaching practice, which forms part of the assessment for 3 of the 4 modules. You will also complete a range of coursework and practical activities, for example written, oral and research tasks.

WORK PLACEMENT

Applicants are required to have access to a minimum of 100 hours teaching over two years with no fewer than 50 hours in one year.

The modules in the course link directly to teaching practice and provide you with the opportunity to develop your confidence and skills over the two year period.

HELLO FUTURE

Completion of this qualification will enable successful students to apply for the professional status of Qualified Teacher, Learning and Skills (QTLS), with the Society for Education and Training.

"After I presented my final year project at the UCP Computing Conference, which is attended by employers from the IT industry, I was invited to an interview at HIVE Learning who were impressed with my work. That has now led to me getting my dream job in London working on the development of learning technologies."

MACIEJ KAZIMIEREK
BSc (Hons) Computing and Information Systems

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY COURSES

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BSc (Hons) **Forensic Investigation** 126-127

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Foundation Degree in **Sport & Exercise Science (Coaching)** 130-131

BSc (Hons) **Sport & Exercise Science (Coaching)** 132-133

HND **ANIMAL MANAGEMENT (ANIMAL BEHAVIOUR & WELFARE)**

UCAS code: **D300** Awarded by: **Pearson Edexcel**

LOCATION

UCP Stamford Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 2 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£6,500 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

64 UCAS points with at least one qualification in an animal studies or science related subject:

A-levels	DDE or CC
BTEC	MPP
Cambridge Technicals	MPP
Access to HE	45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language or mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 5.5 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

The Animal Management sector is evolving and expanding constantly and therefore requires an adaptable and knowledgeable workforce to meet these changes. This course will provide you with a solid in-depth introduction to animal welfare and management, to meet employer demands in such a competitive industry.

You will learn through lectures, seminars, practical demonstrations, independent research, visits, field work and through work-related experiences on the programme.

An in-depth, independent research project will form 25% of your final year of study in which you will need to investigate, analyse and report on a set theme relating to animal behaviour and welfare.

You will have the opportunity to be involved in trips to zoos, wildlife parks, animal shelters, natural history museums and an opportunity to visit South Africa (subject to additional costs).

The optional trip to South Africa in the second year* will give students the opportunity to visit and take part in field studies monitoring populations of animals in reserves such as lions, wild dogs, buffalo and rhino.

Throughout the course you will meet industry specialists including Reptile Specialists, Aviculturists, Zoo Keepers, Boarding Establishment Owners, Ecologists and Vets.

At the Stamford campus, you will have access to a range of species housed in the on-site Animal Studies Unit and develop necessary skills in animal management and husbandry. The Animal Studies Unit includes a range of small mammals, reptiles, amphibians, fish and invertebrates, as well as a bespoke nocturnal room and a large outside area housing rabbits, guinea pigs, ferrets, birds, marmosets and meerkats.

*This trip is available subject to numbers booking

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/hnanimal**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Animal Health and Welfare (15 credits)
- Business and the Business Environment (15 credits)
- Managing a Successful Project (15 credits)
- Animal Behaviour in Society (15 credits)
- Animal Husbandry (15 credits)
- Animal Anatomy and Physiology (15 credits)
- Animal Nutrition (15 credits)
- Management of Exotic Species (15 credits)

YEAR 2 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 5)

- Research Project (30 credits)
- Biological Principles (15 credits)
- Anthrozoology (15 credits)
- Evolution and Adaptations (15 credits)
- Animal Breeding and Genetics (15 credits)
- Wildlife Conservation (15 credits)
- Work Experience (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5
Coursework	95%	75%
Practical Exams	5%	-
Research Project	-	25%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

In the Work Experience module in the final year, all students will have the opportunity to complete at least 80 hours of work experience with an employer in the Animal Management sector. We have strong links with local vets, kennels, pet shops, animal shelters and zoos.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Wildlife Rehabilitation
- Canine Hydrotherapists
- Animal Technicians
- Aviculturists
- Kennels and Cattery Workers
- Zoo Keepers
- Conservationists
- Animal Welfare Assistant
- Pet Store Manager
- Animal Trainer / Behaviourist

BSc **ANIMAL MANAGEMENT & WELFARE** (TOP-UP)

UCAS code: **D302** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Stamford Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 1 year

Part-time 2 years

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

£4,000 per year when studied part-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should hold a relevant level 5 qualification **(240 credits**) in an animal related subject (animal studies, welfare, behaviour), such as a foundation degree or Higher National Diploma at Merit grade or above.

Applicants will also need a suitable academic reference.

GCSE grade C/4 in English Language.

Experience in the animal industry will be considered, however a bridging assessment will be issued to assess academic ability.

The Animal Management and Welfare top up degree is tailored for students who wish to develop skills in animal management acquired at level 5 and specialise in an area of the industry of their choosing.

The course encourages students to develop their analytical and critical evaluation skills through the application of behaviour, captive breeding and welfare assessments to enhance animal management for health, welfare, conservation and rehabilitation.

Students will also be able to enhance their practical skills of animal husbandry, behaviour modification, breeding for conservation, animal nursing and welfare improvement.

Students will learn about the essentials of experimental design and data analysis in preparation for their dissertation, in which students will undertake an independent research project to analyse a specific research question/hypothesis.

Students will have the opportunity to study in the on-site Animal Management Centre which is home to over a hundred species of exotic and domestic animals ranging from hamsters, rats and budgies to tenrecs, meerkats and pythons.

*This trip is available subject to numbers booking

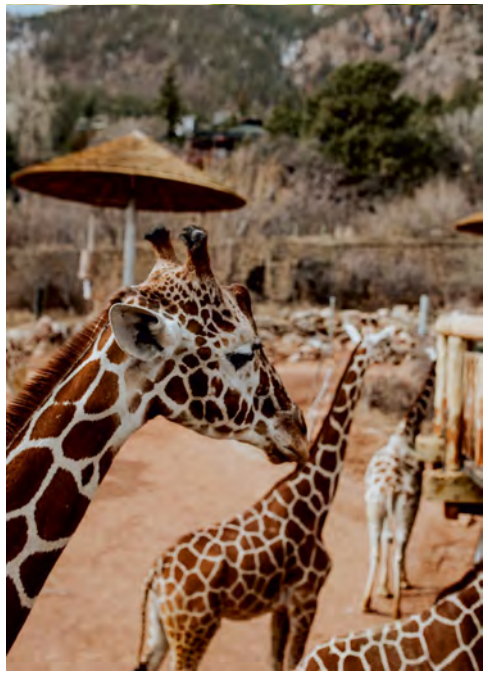
WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/hnanimal**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 6)

- Applied Animal Behaviour and Enrichment (15 credits)
- Animal Welfare and Ethics (15 credits)
- Dissertation (30 credits)
- Experimental Design and Analysis (15 credits)
- Captive Breeding and Husbandry (15 credits)
- Animal Nursing and Rehabilitation (15 credits)
- Human-Animal Conflict (15 credits)



HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 6
Coursework	75%
Dissertation	25%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Animal Behaviour and training
- Animal Welfare organisations and Charities
- Veterinary Practices
- Zoos and wildlife parks
- Field Conservation
- Animal Rehabilitation and Therapy
- Animal Science and Research
- Animal Lecturer/Tutor

Foundation Degree
BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

UCAS code: **72C8** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 2 years (2-3 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 3 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

64 UCAS points with at least one qualification in a science related subject:

A-levels	DDE or CC
BTEC	MPP
Cambridge Technicals	MPP
Access to HE	45 credits

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You must have GCSE English language, mathematics and a science (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

You will develop a detailed understanding of key biological processes and principles, together with the technical and scientific skills required to carry out investigations to interpret and report results.

We will introduce you to the specific techniques and applications used in a broad range of sectors, including pathology, biomedicine, toxicology and forensics, as well as environmental settings such as pollution monitoring and control.

Lectures will take place at University Centre Peterborough and practical sessions take place in labs at Peterborough College where you will learn how to select and apply various techniques to specific scientific requirements.

We will also give you a thorough introduction to the biological science sector and how it operates through work-based learning. The course has close links with Peterborough City Hospital and the modules were created in consultation with employers to give students the skills required for the workplace. Hinchingbrooke, Papworth and Addenbrookes hospitals are also close by with graduates having secured jobs and work placements in a variety of roles.

By the time you graduate you will have practical skills that allow you to design, plan, record and report on investigations; collect and analyse data in the lab or field; and understand how best to select, analyse, collate and report data.

When you graduate you will be able to demonstrate core knowledge and understanding of the scientific disciplines within biological sciences and sound knowledge in related fields. You will be able to apply skills of analysis, synthesis, evaluation and application in the context of biological sciences and appreciate the interdisciplinary and multi-disciplinary nature of this subject.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/biofdsc**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Maths and Data Analytics for Biological Sciences (15 credits)
- Fundamentals of Cell Biology (15 credits)
- Genetics and Evolution (15 credits)
- Principles for Biological Sciences (30 credits)
- Introduction to Microbiology (15 credits)
- Anatomy and Physiology (15 credits)
- Biochemistry and Organic Chemistry (15 credits)

YEAR 2 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 5)

- The Bioscience Work Sector (15 credits)
- Genetics and Bioinformatics (15 credits)
- Practice in Pathology (15 credits)
- Laboratory Techniques for Biological Sciences (30 credits)
- Principles of Immunology (15 credits)
- Research Methods (15 credits)
- Work Placements and Learning (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5
Coursework	40%	30%
Written Exams	60%	60%
Placement	-	10%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

In the Work Placements and Learning module in the final year, all students will have the opportunity to work with an employer on a project – this may take place inside or outside of the placement workplace.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

After successful completion of the FdSc Levels 4 and 5, you have the opportunity to complete the Level 6 of the BSc (Hons) Biological Sciences course to obtain a full honours degree with a further year of study.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Scientific Laboratory Technician
- Research Technician
- Technical Officer
- Trainee Biomedical Officer
- Research Assistant in Life Sciences
- Secondary School Science Technician
- Careers in Health Services
- Careers in Biology and Ecology

BSc (Hons)
BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

UCAS code: **C467** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2-3 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

88 UCAS points with at least one qualification in a science related subject:

A-levels	CCD or AB
BTEC	MMM
Cambridge Technicals	MMM
Access to HE	45 credits

If you have completed the FdSc Biological Sciences at UCP you can start Level 6 of the BSc (Hons) Biological Sciences to obtain a full honours degree.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language, mathematics and a science (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

There is a high demand for fully trained and skilled professionals within STEM sector and especially scientific and technological roles. There are nearly 6,000 jobs in Peterborough alone, which is part of a large cluster of life science employers throughout Cambridgeshire.

Lectures will take place at University Centre Peterborough and practical sessions take place in labs at Peterborough College. You will gain a detailed knowledge and understanding of key biological processes and principles, together with the technical and scientific skills needed to acquire, interpret and analyse data in health or laboratory settings.

We will introduce you to the specific techniques and applications used in a broad range of sectors, including pathology, biomedicine, toxicology and forensics, as well as environmental settings such as pollution monitoring and control.

We will also give you a thorough introduction to the bioscience sector and how it operates through work-based learning. This will give you a strong set of work-based skills, including the ability to confidently select and apply various techniques to specific scientific requirements. The course has close links with Peterborough City Hospital and the modules were created in consultation with employers to give students the skills required for the workplace. Hinchingbrooke, Papworth and Addenbrookes hospitals are also close by with graduates having secured jobs and work placements in a variety of roles.

When you graduate you will be able to design, plan, safely conduct, record and report on investigations using primary or secondary data. You will be able to obtain, record, collate, evaluate and analyse data using appropriate techniques in the field and/or laboratory, working individually or in a team. You will also understand sample selection, along with how to record and analyse data.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/biobsc**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Maths and Data Analytics for Biological Sciences (15 credits)
- Fundamentals of Cell Biology (15 credits)
- Genetics and Evolution (15 credits)
- Principles for Biological Sciences (30 credits)
- Introduction to Microbiology (15 credits)
- Anatomy and Physiology (15 credits)
- Biochemistry and Organic Chemistry (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- The Bioscience Work Sector (15 credits)
- Genetics and Bioinformatics (15 credits)
- Practice in Pathology (15 credits)
- Laboratory Techniques for Biological Sciences (30 credits)
- Principles of Immunology (15 credits)
- Research Methods (15 credits)
- Work Placements and Learning (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project (30 credits)
- Molecular Biology of Cells (15 credits)
- Special Topics in Molecular and Cellular Biology (15 credits)
- Advanced Immunology and Pathology (15 credits)
- Special Topics for Biological Scientists (15 credits)
- Medical Genetics (15 credits)
- Current Developments in Biological Sciences (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	40%	30%	40%
Written Exams	60%	60%	60%
Placement	-	10%	-

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

In the Work Placements and Learning module in the second year, all students will have the opportunity to work with an employer on a project – this may take place inside or outside of the placement workplace.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience in addition to their work placement to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Research Scientists in Life Sciences
- Scientists in Immunology and Pathology Laboratories
- Forensic Biologist
- Scientists in Biomedicine
- Careers in Biotechnology
- Careers in Health Services
- Careers in Biology and Ecology
- Secondary School Science Teacher

A degree in Biological Sciences could also provide you with a base for careers in the pharmaceutical industry, agriculture and environmental research and the food and drink sector.

"Working at the same time as studying has definitely helped. I have gained so much knowledge through discussions with colleagues, that I have been able to apply the skills from the workplace to my degree work."

Foundation Degree
COMPUTER SCIENCE

UCAS code: **GG40** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATION
UCP Stamford Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY
Full-time 2 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 3 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATES
September 2022

TUITION FEES
£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
Applicants must already be working in a computing environment.

48 UCAS points with at least one qualification in a computing related subject:

A-levels	DD
BTEC	PPP
Cambridge Technicals	PPP
Access to HE	45 credits

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You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

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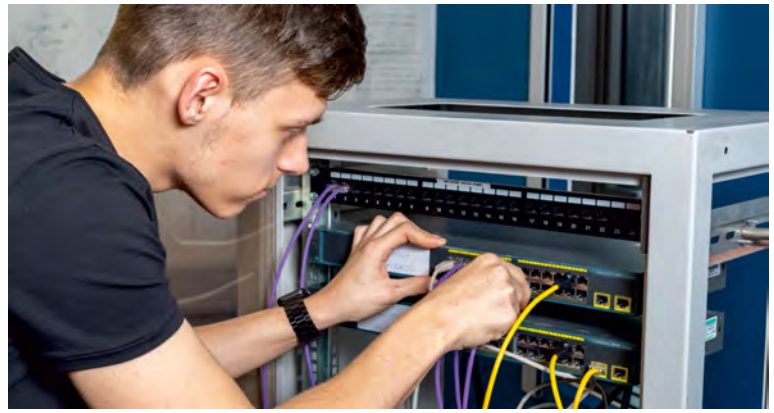

This course is based at our Stamford campus and suitable for those who wish to further develop their careers in the IT industry. Work based learning elements are key throughout your studies on the foundation degree and, therefore, it is ideal for either full-time or part-time study alongside an existing IT position.

The foundation degree was created by consulting with local employers such as BGL Group (Compare the Market) to ensure the course meets their needs and ensures graduates have the skills required for industry.

Computing is changing our world by the way we work and the way we live. To study computer science is to put you at the forefront not just of technological change, but of social change too. This course studies the principles and technologies underpinning the systems that are driving this change.

You will study a number of modules designed to promote your professional growth and personal development whilst providing an opportunity to build upon these directly through a combination of work- based learning projects and traditional classroom based study. During your studies you will be encouraged to acquire key practical skills to help you build specialist knowledge within computing.

The field of computing offers a wealth of opportunities across a range of specialist fields and the variety of course options on offer means that you can fine-tune your degree to focus on particular areas of interest or to meet the requirements of a favoured career.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY
You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/compfdsc**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)
- Programming Concepts (15 credits)
- System Design & Development (30 credits)
- Developing Professional Skills (15 credits)
- Network Essentials (15 credits)
- Web Design & Development (15 credits)
- Work Based Learning (15 credits)
- Understanding the Work Sector (15 credits)

YEAR 2 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 5)
- Developing Interactive Web (15 credits)
- Computing Research Project (30 credits)
- Advanced Database Design (15 credits)
- Principles of Digital Security (15 credits)
- Work-based Project (30 credits)

Plus choose 15 credits of optional modules
- Object-Oriented Programming (15 credits)
- Advanced Network Switching and Routing (15 credits)
- Emerging Technology (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED
Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5
Coursework	90%	85%
Written Exams	10%	15%

WORK PLACEMENT
Applicants must already be working in a computing environment to study the FdSc course. In level 4 and level 5 there will be Workplace Practice modules which are part of the degree programme.

HELLO FUTURE
After successful completion of the FdSc Levels 4 and 5, you have the opportunity to complete the Level 6 of the BSc (Hons) Computer Science course delivered at UCP Peterborough Campus to obtain a full honours degree with a further year of study.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:
- Software Engineer
- Data Analyst
- Web Developer
- Networking Engineer
- Research and Development Engineer
- Test Engineer
- IT Support Officer

"The teaching style and delivery of content is much more personal and engaging which suits my way of learning. You would struggle to find another higher education organisation that provides such a personal and unique experience."

BSc (Hons)
COMPUTER SCIENCE

UCAS code: **GGCS** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2-3 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATES

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

64 UCAS points with at least one qualification in a computing related subject:

A-levels	DDE or CC
BTEC	MPP
Cambridge Technicals	MPP
Access to HE	45 credits

If you have completed the FdSc Computer Science at UCP or HND Computing at Stamford you can start Level 6 of the BSc (Hons) Computer Science degree to obtain a full honours degree.

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You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

This new degree includes developments such as embedding Cisco CCNA networking qualifications into the course through specialist industry related modules. It will introduce a new Cloud Computing module where students will learn how to set up and manage Amazon AWS Cloud services. There are cyber security options, such as Ethical Hacking and Digital Forensics plus the software development provision meets the demands of employers by creating employer ready graduates.

This course offers flexibility with 20 optional modules to choose from. It is ideal if you are looking for a wide range of computing skills from web development with JavaScript, React and PHP, Python and C# programming and mobile app development with Kotlin. You will develop cyber security and database management skills and have the option to study specialised subjects such as Cisco network engineering, AI with Machine Learning and Big Data Mining.

Students undertaking the Networking options will have free access to NetAcad, which is Cisco's VLE, and will be eligible to receive 50% discount vouchers to optionally undertake the official Cisco examinations.

Employability is a key focus with guest speakers, case studies, vocational assignment scenarios and modules which have been developed alongside employers. Students will be able to take part in events such as the Global Day of Code and Agile Peterborough meet-ups, along with regular sessions for meeting professionals and build working relationships.

The Undergraduate Research Project is your chance to develop expertise in a subject of your choice, which can form the centre-piece for your portfolio ready for future interviews and will be demonstrated to industry professionals at our annual exhibition. Previous projects include AI driven computer vision apps, VR computer games, drone applications and Raspberry Pi based systems such as digital weather stations.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/compbsc**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Systems Design and Development (30 credits)
- Programming Concepts (15 credits)
- Network Essentials (15 credits)
- Introduction to Cloud Computing (15 credits)
- Web Design and Development (15 credits)
- Developing Professional Skills (15 credits)

Plus choose 15 credits of optional modules

- User Experience and Interaction Design (15 credits)
- Games Design (15 credits)
- Managing a Successful Computing Project (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Advanced Database Design (15 credits)
- Developing Interactive Web (15 credits)
- Computing Research Project (30 credits)
- Principles of Digital Security (15 credits)

Plus choose 45 credits of optional modules

- Advanced Network Switching and Routing (15 credits)
- Wireless Networking and IOT (15 credits)
- Object Oriented Programme (15 credits)
- Database Driven Websites (15 credits)
- Advanced Programming Techniques and Patterns (15 credits)
- E-Commerce and E-Crime (15 credits)
- Management of Information Technology (15 credits)
- Business Intelligence (15 credits)
- Emerging Technology (15 credits)
- Games Development (15 Credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Research Project (30 credits)
- Professional and Ethical Issues (15 credits)
- Agile Team Development (15 credits)
- Big Data and Data Mining (15 credits)

Plus choose 45 credits of optional modules

- Artificial Intelligence Programming (15 credits)
- Enterprise Networking (30 credits)
- Mobile Application Development (15 credits)
- Full Stack Application Development (15 credits)
- Ethical Hacking (15 credits)
- Cryptography (15 credits)
- Digital Forensics (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	90%	85%	85%
Online Exams	10%	15%	15%

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Software Engineer
- Network Engineer
- Web Developer
- Cyber Security Specialist
- IT Project Manager
- Test Engineer
- Service Desk Analyst
- DevOps Engineer
- Database Administrator
- Data Analyst

BSc (Hons) **COMPUTER SCIENCE (SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT)**

UCAS code: **COMS** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2-3 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATES

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

64 UCAS points with at least one qualification in a computing related subject:

A-levels	DDE or CC
BTEC	MPP
Cambridge Technicals	MPP
Access to HE	45 credits

If you have completed the FdSc Computer Science at UCP or HND Computing at Stamford you can start Level 6 of the BSc (Hons) Computer Science degree to obtain a full honours degree.

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You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

Our new Computer Science (Software Development) degree has been developed with advice from local employers to ensure you are gaining the skills and knowledge that they look for in graduates starting a career in the various fields within the software development industry. We have built upon a strong foundation, influenced by the software development modules of our previous Computing & Information Systems degree, by enhancing these and complimenting them with a range of new modules that ensure you will develop knowledge and experience in several of the latest technologies. This includes introducing a new Cloud Computing module at level 4 where students will learn how to set up and manage Amazon AWS Cloud services that are critical to modern software engineering.

This course follows a pre-determined pathway of modules, that ensure you initially gain a strong foundation in core computer science and programming skills before moving on to more complex topics. It is ideal if you are looking to develop a strong set of software engineering skills: from web development with JavaScript, React and PHP; programming in languages such as Python and C#; mobile app development with Kotlin and AI programming with Machine Learning algorithms. You will also develop skills in subjects that complement software development, such as Cyber Security, SQL Database Management, and Big Data Mining using technologies such as MongoDB. We will help you develop a systematic, creative and flexible approach to problem solving that computing professionals rely on.

The course is designed with modules to promote your professional growth and personal development. You will be encouraged to acquire key practical skills to help you build a broad base and deep knowledge of computing. This will allow you to make informed choices when developing specialist in-depth knowledge.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/compbsc**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Systems Design and Development (30 credits)
- Programming Concepts (15 credits)
- Networking Essentials (15 credits)
- Introduction to Cloud Computing (15 credits)
- Web Design & Development (15 credits)
- Developing Professional Skills (15 credits)
- User Experience and Interaction Design (15 credits)

Plus choose 15 credits of optional modules

- User Experience and Interaction Design (15 credits)
- Games Design (15 credits)
- Managing a Successful Computing Project (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Object Oriented Programming (15 credits)
- Developing Interactive Web Solutions (15 credits)
- Advanced Database Design (15 credits)
- Database Driven Websites (15 credits)
- Advanced Programming Techniques and Patterns (15 credits)
- Principles of Digital Security (15 credits)
- Computing Research Project (30 credits)

YEAR 3 (LEVEL 6)

- Mobile Application Development (15 credits)
- Artificial Intelligence (15 credits)
- Full Stack Application Development (15 credits)
- Agile Team Development (15 credits)
- Big Data & Data Mining (15 credits)
- Developing Ethical and Professional Skills (15 credits)
- Undergraduate Project (30 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	90%	100%	100%
Online Exams	10%	-	-

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Software Engineer
- Web Developer
- Game Developer
- SQL Developer
- Cloud Architect
- IT Project Manager
- Test Engineer
- DevOps Engineer
- Database Administrator
- Data Analyst

BSc (Hons) **COMPUTER SCIENCE (NETWORKING)**

UCAS code: **COMS** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2-3 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATES

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

64 UCAS points with at least one qualification in a computing related subject:

A-levels	DDE or CC
BTEC	MPP
Cambridge Technicals	MPP
Access to HE	45 credits

If you have completed the FdSc Computer Science at UCP or HND Computing at Stamford you can start Level 6 of the BSc (Hons) Computer Science degree to obtain a full honours degree.

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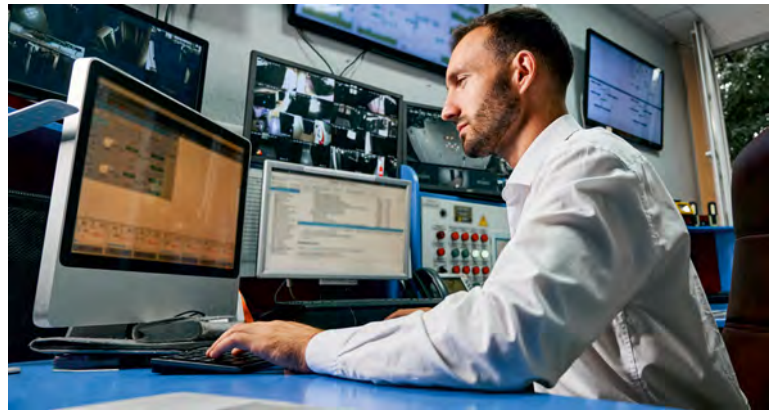

Our new Computer Science (Networking) degree has been developed with advice from local employers to ensure you are gaining the skills and knowledge that they look for in graduates starting a career in the various fields within the Network Engineering industry.

We have built upon a strong foundation, influenced by the Networking modules of our previous Computing & Information Systems degree, by enhancing these and complementing them with a range of new modules that ensure you will develop knowledge and experience in several of the latest technologies. This includes introducing a new Cloud Computing module at level 4 where students will learn how to set up and manage Amazon AWS Cloud services, and students will be provided with free access to NetAcad, which is Cisco's VLE for studying the latest Cisco CCNA networking qualifications, which are highly sought after by employers. Students on the course will be eligible to receive 50% discount vouchers to optionally undertake the official Cisco examinations.

This course follows a pre-determined pathway of modules, that ensure you initially gain a strong foundation in core computer science subjects, including an introduction to programming and the essentials of networking, before moving on to more complex topics. It is ideal if you are looking to develop a strong set of network engineering skills, including knowledge of the role and function of network components, network topology architectures, IPv4 and IPv6 addressing and routing, virtualisation, wireless networking and network security fundamentals. You will also develop skills in subjects that compliment network engineering development, such as Cyber Security, IOT, and Management of IT. We will help you develop a systematic, creative and flexible approach to problem solving that computing professionals rely on.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/compbsc**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Systems Design and Development (30 credits)
- Programming Concepts (15 credits)
- Networking Essentials (15 credits)
- Introduction to Cloud Computing (15 credits)
- Web Design & Development (15 credits)
- Developing Professional Skills (15 credits)
- User Experience and Interaction Design (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Advanced Database Design (15 credits)
- Developing Interactive Web Solutions (15 credits)
- Computing Research Project (30 credits)
- Principles of Digital Security (15 credits)
- Advanced Network Switching and Routing (15 credits)
- Wireless Networking and IOT (15 credits)
- Management of Information Technology (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Enterprise Networking (30 credits)
- Big Data & Data Mining (15 credits)
- Agile Team Development (15 credits)
- Ethical Hacking (15 credits)
- Developing Ethical and Professional Skills (15 credits)
- Undergraduate Project (30 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	90%	85%	85%
Online Exams	10%	15%	15%

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Software Engineer
- Network Engineer
- Web Developer
- Cyber Security Specialist
- IT Project Manager
- Test Engineer
- Service Desk Analyst
- DevOps Engineer
- Database Administrator
- Data Analyst

BSc (Hons) **COMPUTER SCIENCE (CYBER SECURITY)**

UCAS code: **COMS** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2-3 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATES

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

64 UCAS points with at least one qualification in a computing related subject:

A-levels	DDE or CC
BTEC	MPP
Cambridge Technicals	MPP
Access to HE	45 credits

If you have completed the FdSc Computer Science at UCP or HND Computing at Stamford you can start Level 6 of the BSc (Hons) Computer Science degree to obtain a full honours degree.

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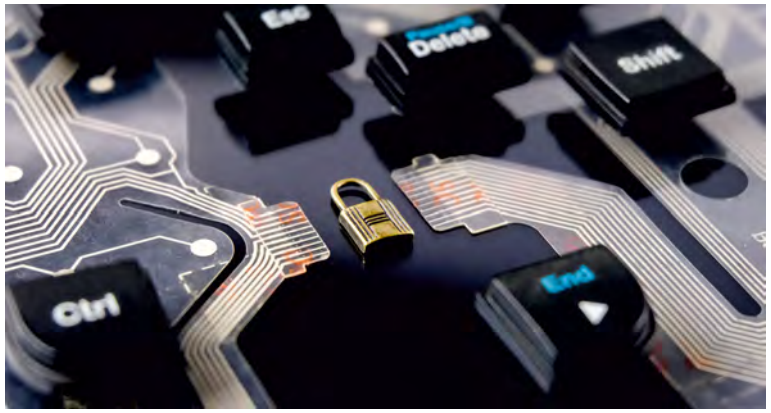


Our new Computer Science (Cyber Security) degree has been developed with advice from local employers to ensure you are gaining the skills and knowledge that they look for in graduates starting a career in the various fields within the Cyber Security industry.

We have built upon a strong foundation, influenced by the digital security modules of our previous Computing & Information Systems degree, by enhancing these and complimenting them with a range of new modules that ensure you will develop knowledge and experience in several of the latest technologies. This includes introducing a new Cloud Computing module at level 4 where students will learn how to set up and manage Secure Amazon AWS Cloud services, and students will be provided with free access to NetAcad, which is Cisco's VLE for studying the latest Cisco Cyber Security qualifications, which are highly sought after by employers. Students on the course will be eligible to receive 50% discount vouchers to optionally undertake the official Cisco examinations.

This course follows a pre-determined pathway of modules, that ensure you initially gain a strong foundation in core computer science subjects, including an introduction to programming and the essentials of networking, before moving on to more complex topics. It is ideal if you are looking to develop a strong set of cyber security skills, including modules in the Principles of Digital Security, e-commerce & e-crime, Cryptography, Digital Forensics and Ethical Hacking.

You will also develop skills in subjects that complement cyber security, such as Management of IT, SQL Database Development and you can choose to study either Object Oriented Programming or Advanced Network Routing and Switching at level 5, depending on if you intend to pursue a career in either the software or hardware security fields. We will help you develop a systematic, creative and flexible approach to problem solving that computing professionals rely on.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/compbsc**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Systems Design and Development (30 credits)
- Programming Concepts (15 credits)
- Networking Essentials (15 credits)
- Introduction to Cloud Computing (15 credits)
- Web Design & Development (15 credits)
- Developing Professional Skills (15 credits)
- User Experience and Interaction Design (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Principles of Digital Security (15 credits)
- Advanced Database Design (15 credits)
- E-commerce & E-crime (15 credits)
- Developing Interactive Web Solutions (15 credits)
- Computing Research Project (30 credits)
- Management of Information Technology (15 credits)

Plus 15 credits of optional modules:

- Object Oriented Programming (15 credits)
- Advanced Network Switching and Routing (15 credits)

YEAR 3 (LEVEL 6)

- Digital Forensics (15 credits)
- Ethical Hacking (15 credits)
- Cryptography (15 credits)
- Big Data & Data Mining (15 credits)
- Agile Team Development (15 credits)
- Developing Ethical and Professional Skills (15 credits)
- Undergraduate Project (30 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	90%	100%	85%
Online Exams	10%	-	15%

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Cyber Engineer
- Cyber Security Analyst
- Vulnerability Analyst
- Technology Risk & Compliance Manager
- Penetration Tester
- Cyber Security Administrator
- 3rd Line Support Engineer
- IT Project Manager

HNC/HND **CONSTRUCTION (CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT)**

UCAS code: **N/A** Awarded by: **Pearson Edexcel**

LOCATION

Peterborough College

DURATION & DELIVERY

HNC 2 years (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)
HND additional 2 years (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£3,250 per year when studied part-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

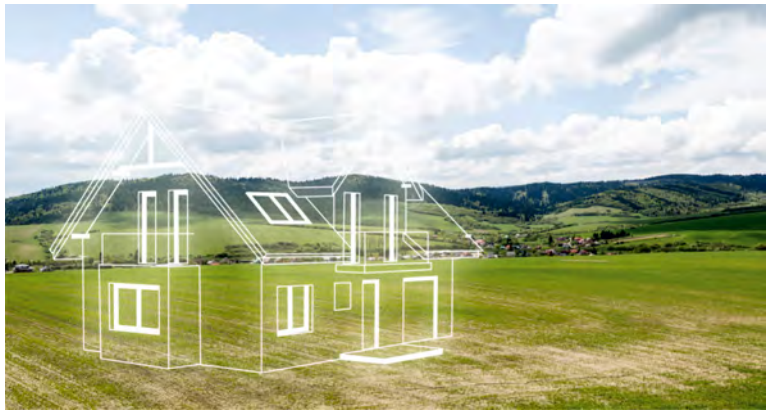
48 UCAS points with qualifications in construction related subjects:

- A-levels (Mathematics and Physics) DD
- BTEC PPP
- Cambridge Technicals PPP
- Access to HE 45 credits

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language, mathematics and a science (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 5.5 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.



The continued development and regeneration of towns and cities in the UK is expected to lead to a continuous demand for suitably qualified professionals across all construction disciplines.

This course offers a broad base of traditional construction subjects allowing you to specialise in your particular career ambitions.

The course is substantially coursework / project based and designed to equip you with the knowledge, understanding and skills required for the construction sector.

If you are working within the civil engineering or construction field or have ambitions of working in this area in a professional, managerial, or technical capacity, then this course is for you.

HNC's provide a nationally recognised 120 credit qualification offering career progression and professional development for those already in employment and opportunities to progress on to an honours degree programme.

The qualification is taught at Peterborough College and is offered part-time so you can study the course alongside your work.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each unit is available on **ucp.ac.uk/hncconst**

HNC CONSTRUCTION (LEVEL 4)

- Individual Project (Pearson Set) (15 credits)
- Construction Technology (15 credits)
- Construction Practice and Management (15 credits)
- Legal and Statutory Responsibilities in Construction (15 credits)
- Construction Information (Drawing, Detailing, Specification) (15 credits)
- Surveying, Measuring and Setting Out (15 credits)
- Building Information Modelling (15 credits)
- Principles of Refurbishment (15 credits)

To progress onto the HND Construction (Construction Management) to must have completed HNC Construction at University Centre Peterborough beforehand. The HND will then run depending on numbers progressing from the HNC.

Further information about each unit is available on **ucp.ac.uk/hndconst**

HND CONSTRUCTION (CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT) (LEVEL 5)

- Group Project (Pearson Set) (30 credits)
- Contracts and Management (15 credits)
- Project Management (15 credits)
- Management for Complex Buildings Projects (15 credits)
- Alternative Methods of Construction (15 credits)
- Environment Assessment and Monitoring (15 credits)
- Advanced Surveying and Measurement (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4
Coursework	100%

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is studied part-time, many of the students are already employed in a construction role in Peterborough or the surrounding area and can share their industry experience and knowledge in lectures and seminars.

Students who are not working in the industry are encouraged to identify a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Construction Technician
- Architectural Technician
- Structural Design Engineer
- Transport / Works Design Engineer
- Construction Site Supervisor
- Site Manager
- Quantity Surveyor
- Building Surveyor
- Housing Project Manager
- BIM Technician
- Planning Officer
- Building Control Officer

HNC/HND **ENGINEERING (ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONIC)**

UCAS code: **N/A** Awarded by: **Pearson Edexcel**

LOCATION

Peterborough College

DURATION & DELIVERY

HNC Part-time 2 years (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)

HND additional 2 years (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£3,250 per year when studied part-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

48 UCAS points with qualifications in engineering related subjects:

A-levels (Mathematics and Physics)	DD
BTEC	PPP
Cambridge Technicals	PPP
Access to HE	45 credits

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If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 5.5 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

This engineering qualification provides a specialist work-related programme of study that covers the key knowledge, understanding and practical skills required in the engineering sector.

During the course you will study mandatory units in engineering design, engineering maths and engineering science. You will develop knowledge and undertake a range of projects mixed with academic theory, creating highly skilled and motivated individuals that have the opportunity to progress into a broad range of engineering careers.

If you are working within the engineering field or have ambitions of working in this area in a professional, managerial, or technical capacity, then these courses are for you.

HNC / HND's provide a nationally recognised qualification (HNC 120 credits / HND 240 credits) offering career progression and professional development for those already in employment and opportunities to progress on to an honours degree programme.

The courses at University Centre Peterborough are studied in smaller class sizes compared with other universities.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/hnengele**

HNC ENGINEERING (ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC) (LEVEL 4)

- Engineering Design (15 credits)
- Engineering Maths (15 credits)
- Engineering Science (15 credits)
- Managing a Professional Engineering Project (15 credits)
- Electrical and Electronic Principles (15 credits)
- Automation, Robotics and PLCs (15 credits)
- Digital Principles (15 credits)
- Electronic Circuits and Devices (15 credits)

HND ENGINEERING (ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC) (LEVEL 5)

- Further Engineering Maths (15 credits)
- Lean Manufacturing (15 credits)
- Professional Engineering Management (15 credits)
- Further Control Systems (15 credits)
- Research Project (30 credits)
- Industrial Power, Electronics and Storage (15 credits)
- Industrial Systems (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5
Coursework	100%	100%

WORK EXPERIENCE

Many of the students on this degree study part-time as they are already employed in an engineering role in Peterborough or the surrounding area and can share their industry experience and knowledge in lectures and seminars.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Design Engineer
- Project Engineer
- Manufacturing Engineer
- Process Engineer
- Maintenance Engineer
- Production Engineer
- Development Engineer
- Quality Engineer

HNC/HND **ENGINEERING (MECHANICAL)**

UCAS code: **N/A** Awarded by: **Pearson Edexcel**

LOCATION

Peterborough College

DURATION & DELIVERY

HNC Part-time 2 years (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)
HND additional 2 years (1 full day a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£3,250 per year when studied part-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

48 UCAS points with qualifications in engineering related subjects:

- A-levels (Mathematics and Physics) DD
- BTEC PPP
- Cambridge Technicals PPP
- Access to HE 45 credits

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You must have GCSE English language, mathematics and a science (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 5.5 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

This engineering qualification provides a specialist work-related programme of study that covers the key knowledge, understanding and practical skills required in the engineering sector.

During the course you will study mandatory units in engineering design, engineering maths and engineering science. You will develop knowledge and undertake a range of projects mixed with academic theory, creating highly skilled and motivated individuals that have the opportunity to progress into a broad range of engineering careers.

If you are working within the engineering field or have ambitions of working in this area in a professional, managerial, or technical capacity, then these courses are for you.

HNC / HND's provide a nationally recognised qualification (HNC 120 credits / HND 240 credits) offering career progression and professional development for those already in employment and opportunities to progress on to an honours degree programme.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/hnengmec**

HNC ENGINEERING (MECHANICAL) (LEVEL 4)

- Engineering Design (15 credits)
- Engineering Maths (15 credits)
- Engineering Science (15 credits)
- Managing a Professional Engineering Project (15 credits)
- Mechanical Principles (15 credits)
- Fundamentals of Thermodynamics and Heat Engines (15 credits)
- Materials, Properties and Testing (15 credits)
- Computer Aided Design and Manufacture (CAD/CAM) (15 credits)

HND ENGINEERING (MECHANICAL) (LEVEL 5)

- Research Project (30 credits)
- Professional Engineering Management (15 credits)
- Advanced Mechanical Principals (15 credits)
- Virtual Engineering (15 credits)
- Further Mathematics (15 credits)
- Lean Manufacturing (15 credits)
- Further Control Systems (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5
Coursework	100%	100%

WORK EXPERIENCE

Many of the students on this degree study part-time as they are already employed in an engineering role in Peterborough or the surrounding area and can share their industry experience and knowledge in lectures and seminars.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Design Engineer
- Project Engineer
- Manufacturing Engineer
- Process Engineer
- Maintenance Engineer
- Production Engineer
- Development Engineer
- Quality Engineer

"The best thing about studying at UCP was the supportive lecturers and tutors. I was also able to make lifelong friends and realise the potential I have within myself to gain qualifications and improve my careers prospects."

Foundation Degree
FORENSIC INVESTIGATION

UCAS code: **F411** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATION
UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY
Full-time 2 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 3 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE
September 2022

TUITION FEES
£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
64 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDE or BC
BTEC	MPP
Cambridge Technicals	MPP
Access to HE	45 credits

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You must have GCSE English language, mathematics and a science (or equivalent)at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

Are you interested in crime, forensic science and policing, but unsure which subject to study? If so, you will cover them all on our course. We combine the crime scene examination part of forensic science with other crime-related subjects, such as policing and criminal justice.

We will help you to understand both the theoretical and practical aspects of forensic and criminal investigations. We will look at the impact of various crime types on victims and how the police deal with the investigation to bring about justice.

Lectures will take place at University Centre Peterborough and practical sessions take place in science labs at Peterborough College or on the grounds of UCP. You will participate in approximately 16 crime scene investigations which are also assessed as part of your course. In the classroom, you will explore the investigative techniques used by police services, alongside contemporary issues including evidence based policing and crime prevention. You will also gain experience in dealing with a wide range of crime scenes, from burglaries to murders, including scenes of mass disaster and skeletal remains.

Learning about the criminal justice system in the UK, you will find out how your investigation of different crimes can have a significant impact, and how you would need to present your investigative findings within a court of law.

Our lecturers have first-hand experience of crime scene analysis, policing and criminal justice. As well as benefiting from their knowledge, you will have guest lectures from visiting professionals and get an understanding of the workplace through visits to places such as the Crown Court, and other field trips. The course has close links with Cambridgeshire Constabulary and we ensure that you learn from industry experts.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY
You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/forfdsc**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)
- Introduction to Forensic Techniques (15 credits)
- Academic Skills (15 credits)
- Introduction to Criminal Justice (30 credits)
- Introduction to Policing (15 credits)
- Introduction to Fingerprint Techniques (15 credits)
- Introduction to Body Fluids and DNA Techniques (15 credits)
- Crime Scene Recording (15 credits)

YEAR 2 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 5)
- Evidence Based Policing and Crime Prevention (15 credits)
- Crime Scene Investigation (15 credits)
- Major Crime Investigations (15 credits)
- Cyber Crime Investigations (15 credits)
- Research Methods (15 credits)
- Working in the Criminal Justice Sector (15 credits)
- Police Investigations (30 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED
Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5
Coursework	50%	50%
Written Exams	20%	20%
Practical Exams	30%	30%

WORK EXPERIENCE
As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE
After successful completion of the FdSc Levels 4 and 5, you have the opportunity to complete the Level 6 of the BSc (Hons) Forensic Investigation course to obtain a full honours degree with a further year of study.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Police Community Support Officer
- Prison Officer
- Border Force Officer
- Immigration Officer
- Scenes of Crime Officer (CSI)
- Intelligence Development Officer (MoD)
- Traffic Examiner (DVSA)
- Forensic Vehicle Examiner

BSc (Hons)
FORENSIC INVESTIGATION

UCAS code: **5N28** Awarded by: **Subject to Validation by The Open University**

LOCATION
UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY
Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE
September 2022

TUITION FEES
£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
88 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CCC or AA
BTEC	MMM
Cambridge Technicals	MMM
Access to HE	45 credits

If you have completed the FdSc Forensic Investigation at UCP you can start Level 6 of the BSc (Hons) Forensic Investigation to obtain a full honours degree.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language, mathematics and a science (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

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Lectures will take place at University Centre Peterborough and practical sessions take place in science labs at Peterborough College or on the grounds of UCP. You will participate in approximately 16 crime scene investigations which are also assessed as part of your course. In the classroom, you will explore the investigative techniques used by police services, alongside contemporary issues including evidence based policing and crime prevention. You will also gain experience in dealing with a wide range of crime scenes, from burglaries to murders, including scenes of mass disaster and skeletal remains.

Learning about the criminal justice system in the UK, you will find out how your investigation of different crimes can have a significant impact, and how to report your investigative findings to other professional colleagues.

Our lecturers have first-hand experience of crime scene analysis, policing and criminal justice. As well as benefiting from their knowledge, you will have guest lectures from visiting professionals and get an understanding of the workplace through visits to places such as the Crown Court, and other field trips. The course has close links with Cambridgeshire Constabulary and we ensure that you learn from industry experts.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/forbsc**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)
- Introduction to Forensic Techniques (15 credits)
- Academic Skills (15 credits)
- Introduction to Criminal Justice (30 credits)
- Introduction to Policing (15 credits)
- Introduction to Fingerprint Techniques (15 credits)
- Introduction to Body Fluids and DNA Techniques (15 credits)
- Crime Scene Recording (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)
- Evidence Based Policing and Crime Prevention (15 credits)
- Crime Scene Investigation (15 credits)
- Major Crime Investigations (15 credits)
- Cyber Crime Investigations (15 credits)
- Research Methods (15 credits)
- Working in the Criminal Justice Sector (15 credits)
- Police Investigations (30 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)
- Undergraduate Research Project (30 credits)
- Advanced Crime Scene Techniques (30 credits)
- Disaster Victim Identification (15 credits)
- Emerging Investigative Practice (15 credits)
- Forensic Anthropology and Pathology (30 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	50%	50%	45%
Written Exams	20%	20%	10%
Practical Exams	30%	30%	45%

WORK EXPERIENCE

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate. All students are encouraged to identify work experience to aid their career development.

HELLO FUTURE

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Crime Scene Investigator
- Fingerprint Laboratory and Identification Officers
- Disaster Victim Identification Practitioner
- Evidence Recovery Specialists in Forensic Laboratories
- Border Force Officer
- Scenes of Crime Officer (CSI)
- Intelligence Development Officer (MoD)
- Forensic Vehicle Examiner

"University Centre Peterborough has been amazing! It's not a party university, but a university where you'll get all the help you need from the best teachers. I recommend UCP for anyone who is looking to study Forensic Investigation as there has been so many fun moments which I will remember forever!"

BSc (Hons)
SPORT & EXERCISE SCIENCE

UCAS code: **N870** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

72 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDE or BC
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

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You must have GCSE English language, mathematics and a science (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

The BSc (Hons) Sport and Exercise Science degree will provide you with the skills and knowledge to prepare you for a career in sport, leisure or the health industry. This course follows a multi-disciplinary approach where you will study core modules such as physiology, psychology and biomechanics, and learn about the interaction between these core disciplines as experienced in real life settings. You will also have the opportunity to study applied modules and tailor your degree to your preference through modules such as performance analysis, strength & conditioning and injuries & rehabilitation. You will develop a theoretical understanding of sport and exercise science and be able to apply it within practice.

These scientific methods are explored with a specialised laboratory environment utilising the latest technology and analytical equipment in a small, friendly and supportive setting. As well as lectures at our Peterborough campus, students will use a state-of-the-art sports laboratory, gym facilities and sports hall at Peterborough College.

Employability is a key theme and will be embedded into your modules. Throughout your studies you will gain significant experience in the sports industry working with sports teams and organisations such as Peterborough United Football Club, Peterborough Rowing Club and a variety of educational institutions. Previous students have worked in local schools as teaching assistants in PE lessons gaining valuable experience in teaching (an enhanced DBS check is required), whereas others have obtained internships working with sports academies.

In addition to your degree you will have opportunities to undertake additional qualifications as part of your degree to equip you with the skills and knowledge to be successful in your subject area.

We regularly invite guest speakers to deliver sessions and engage with students about their experiences and emerging themes within the industry. Previous guest speakers include Mike Phelan (Manchester United Assistant Manager), Steve Gunn (GB Rowing Coach), Matt Divall (Commonwealth Games Sport Manager) and Calum MacMaster (Rangers FC Academy Sport Scientist).

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Introduction to Academic Skills for Sport and Exercise (15 credits)
- Human Anatomy (15 credits)
- Psychological Basis of Sport and Exercise (15 credits)
- Research in Sport and Exercise Science (15 credits)
- Foundations of Kinesiology and Human Movement (15 credits)
- Foundations of Exercise Physiology and Nutrition (15 credits)
- Introduction to Performance Analysis (15 credits)
- Foundations of Skill Acquisition (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Applied Research Skills (15 credits)
- Applied Principles of Sports Training (15 credits)
- Exercise Testing and Prescription for Health (15 credits)
- Project Preparation and Employability (15 credits)
- Fitness Testing and Training (15 credits)
- Assessment in Applied Sport Psychology (15 credits)

Plus choose 30 credits of optional modules

- Motor Learning and Performance (15 credits)
- Injuries and Rehabilitation (15 credits)
- Applied Performance Analysis (15 credits)
- Introduction to Strength and Conditioning (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project or Undergraduate Placement Project (30 credits)
- Multidisciplinary Approaches to Training and Assessment (30 credits)
- Applications in Sport and Exercise Psychology (15 credits)
- Applied Exercise Referral and Prescription for Health (15 credits)

Plus choose 30 credits of optional modules

- Contemporary Issues in Sport and Exercise Science (15 credits)
- Strength and Conditioning for Human Performance (15 credits)
- The Developing Athlete (15 credits)
- Applied Human Movement in Sport (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	60%	65%	70%
Written Exams	40%	35%	30%
Placement	-	-	10%

** if you choose an Undergraduate Placement Project*

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

From the very first year of the course, you will be encouraged to work on employability skills and will be assisted to undertake voluntary work experience alongside your degree. We have a dedicated Employability Hub who can assist in obtaining placements and paid employment opportunities.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate.

In your final year, you will have the choice of undertaking an Undergraduate Major Project or Undergraduate Placement Project. The placement can be with an employer in the sports, exercise or school sector.

HELLO FUTURE

Each year, there are many students who complete the BSc (Hons) Sport and Exercise Science course who go on to study at postgraduate level. This includes the Postgraduate Certificate in Education (PGCE) to teach in primary or secondary schools and Masters in Sport Psychology, Strength and Conditioning or Sport and Exercise Physiology.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Sports Coach
- Performance Analyst
- Sports Development Officer
- Sports Scientist
- Sports Psychologist
- Fitness Instructor / Personal Trainer
- Strength and Conditioning Coach
- Exercise Referral Specialist
- PE Teacher

Foundation Degree

SPORT & EXERCISE SCIENCE (COACHING)

UCAS code: **N872** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

Borderville Sports Centre (Stamford)

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 2 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

72 UCAS points in any subjects:

A-levels	CDE or BC
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

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You must have GCSE English language, mathematics and a science (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

The Sport and Exercise Science (Coaching) Foundation Degree will provide you with the skills and knowledge to prepare you for a career in sport, leisure or the health industry as well as top up to the full BSc (Hons) in Sport & Exercise Science (Coaching) at UCP (Peterborough Campus). This course follows a multi-disciplinary approach where you will study core modules such as physiology, psychology and coaching, and learn about the interaction between these core disciplines as experienced in real life settings. You will also have the opportunity to study applied modules and tailor your degree to your preference through modules such as performance analysis, strength & conditioning and the developing athlete. You will develop a theoretical understanding of sport, exercise and coaching sciences and be able to apply it within practice.

These scientific methods are explored with a specialised laboratory environment utilising the latest technology and analytical equipment in a small, friendly and supportive setting. As well as lectures and seminars, students will use the state-of-the-art sports laboratory, gym facilities at Stamford Fitness and sports hall at Borderville Sports Centre.

Employability is a key theme and will be embedded into your modules. Throughout your studies you will gain significant experience in the sports industry working with sports teams and organisations such as Peterborough United Football Club/Stamford AFC, Peterborough Rowing Club and a variety of educational institutions in the locality of Stamford and the surrounding area. Previous students have worked in local schools as teaching assistants in PE lessons gaining valuable experience in teaching (an enhanced DBS check is required), whereas others have obtained internships working with sports academies.

In addition to your foundation degree you will have opportunities to undertake additional qualifications to equip you with the skills and knowledge to be successful in your subject area. We regularly invite guest speakers to deliver sessions and engage with students about their experiences and emerging themes within the industry. Previous guest speakers include Mike Phelan (Manchester United Assistant Manager), Steve Gunn (GB Rowing Coach), Matt Divall (Commonwealth Games Sport Manager) and Calum MacMaster (Rangers FC Academy Sport Scientist).

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/sportex**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Introduction to Academic Skills for Sport and Exercise (15 credits)
- Human Anatomy (15 credits)
- Psychological Basis of Sport and Exercise (15 credits)
- Introduction to Sports Development (15 credits)
- Foundations of Sports Coaching (15 credits)
- Introduction to Performance Analysis (15 credits)
- Work Based Practice (30 Credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Applied Research Skills (15 credits)
- Applied Principles of Sports Training (15 credits)
- Developing Effective Teaching and Coaching (15 credits)
- Applied Performance Analysis (15 Credits)
- Practical Coaching Skills (15 Credits)
- Fitness Testing and Training (15 credits)
- Work Based Project (30 Credits)

If you choose to top up at UCP (Peterborough Campus) after your foundation degree you will complete the following: Final year for full-time students (Level 6):

- Undergraduate Major Project or Undergraduate Placement Project (30 credits)
- Multidisciplinary Approaches to Training and Assessment (30 credits)
- Applications in Sport and Exercise Psychology (15 credits)
- Leadership, Management and Mentoring (15 credits)

Plus choose 30 credits of optional modules

- Contemporary Issues in Sport and Exercise Science (15 credits)
- Strength and Conditioning for Human Performance (15 credits)
- The Developing Athlete (15 credits)
- Coaching Placement (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	60%	65%	70%
Practical	40%	35%	30%
Placement	-	-	(10%*)

** if you choose an Undergraduate Placement Project*

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

From the very first year of the course, you will be encouraged to work on employability skills and will be assisted to undertake voluntary work experience alongside your foundation degree. We have a dedicated Employability Hub who can assist in obtaining placements and paid employment opportunities.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate.

Two modules at foundation degree level focus upon the necessary skills gained through employment in Work Based Practice (Lv 4) and Work Based Project (Lv 5).

In your final year if you choose to top up at Lv 6, you will have the choice of undertaking an Undergraduate Major Project or Undergraduate Placement Project. The placement can be with an employer in the sports, exercise or school sector.

HELLO FUTURE

Each year, there are many students who complete the FD in Sport and Exercise Science (Coaching) course who go on to Top Up and then study at postgraduate level. This includes the Postgraduate Certificate in Education (PGCE) to teach in primary or secondary schools and Masters in Sport Psychology, Strength and Conditioning or Exercise Physiology.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Sports Coach
- PE Teacher
- Performance Analyst
- Sports Development Officer

BSc (Hons)
SPORT & EXERCISE SCIENCE (COACHING)

UCAS code: **N871** Awarded by: **The Open University**

LOCATION

UCP Peterborough Campus

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 3 years (2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

Part-time 4 years (1-2 full days a week over two semesters per year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£8,000 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

72 UCAS points in any subjects:

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BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP
Access to HE	45 credits

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You must have GCSE English language, mathematics and a science (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

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The BSc (Hons) Sport and Exercise Science (Coaching) degree will provide you with the skills and knowledge to prepare you for a career in sport, leisure or the health industry. This course follows a multi-disciplinary approach where you will study core modules such as physiology, psychology and coaching, and learn about the interaction between these core disciplines as experienced in real life settings. You will also have the opportunity to study applied modules and tailor your degree to your preference through modules such as performance analysis, strength & conditioning and the developing athlete. You will develop a theoretical understanding of sport, exercise and coaching sciences and be able to apply it within practice.

These scientific methods are explored with a specialised laboratory environment utilising the latest technology and analytical equipment in a small, friendly and supportive setting. As well as lectures at our Peterborough campus, students will use a state-of-the-art sports laboratory, gym facilities and sports hall at Peterborough College.

Employability is a key theme and will be embedded into your modules. Throughout your studies you will gain significant experience in the sports industry working with sports teams and organisations such as Peterborough United Football Club, Peterborough Rowing Club and a variety of educational institutions. Previous students have worked in local schools as teaching assistants in PE lessons gaining valuable experience in teaching (an enhanced DBS check is required), whereas others have obtained internships working with sports academies.

In addition to your degree you will have opportunities to undertake additional qualifications as part of your degree to equip you with the skills and knowledge to be successful in your subject area. We regularly invite guest speakers to deliver sessions and engage with students about their experiences and emerging themes within the industry. Previous guest speakers include Mike Phelan (Manchester United Assistant Manager), Steve Gunn (GB Rowing Coach), Matt Divall (Commonwealth Games Sport Manager) and Calum MacMaster (Rangers FC Academy Sport Scientist).

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Introduction to Academic Skills for Sport and Exercise (15 credits)
- Human Anatomy (15 credits)
- Psychological Basis of Sport and Exercise (15 credits)
- Introduction to Sports Development (15 credits)
- Foundations of Sports Coaching (15 credits)
- Foundations of Exercise Physiology and Nutrition (15 credits)
- Introduction to Performance Analysis (15 credits)
- Foundations of Skill Acquisition (15 credits)

YEAR 2 (LEVEL 5)

- Applied Research Skills (15 credits)
- Applied Principles of Sports Training (15 credits)
- Developing Effective Teaching and Coaching (15 credits)
- Project Preparation and Employability (15 credits)
- Fitness Testing and Training (15 credits)
- Assessment in Applied Sport Psychology (15 credits)

Plus choose 30 credits of optional modules

- Anticipation and Decision Making in Sport (15 credits)
- Practical Coaching Skills (15 credits)
- Applied Performance Analysis (15 credits)
- Introduction to Strength and Conditioning (15 credits)

YEAR 3 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 6)

- Undergraduate Major Project or Undergraduate Placement Project (30 credits)
- Multidisciplinary Approaches to Training and Assessment (30 credits)
- Applications in Sport and Exercise Psychology (15 credits)
- Leadership, Management and Mentoring (15 credits)

Plus choose 30 credits of optional modules

- Contemporary Issues in Sport and Exercise Science (15 credits)
- Strength and Conditioning for Human Performance (15 credits)
- The Developing Athlete (15 credits)
- Coaching Placement (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
Coursework	60%	65%	70%
Written Exams	40%	35%	30%
Placement	-	-	10%

** if you choose an Undergraduate Placement Project*

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

From the very first year of the course, you will be encouraged to work on employability skills and will be assisted to undertake voluntary work experience alongside your degree. We have a dedicated Employability Hub who can assist in obtaining placements and paid employment opportunities.

As the course is timetabled as full days during the week when studied full-time, this also gives you the flexibility to find a work placement, internship or volunteering opportunity which will improve your employability after you graduate.

In your final year, you will have the choice of undertaking an Undergraduate Major Project or Undergraduate Placement Project. The placement can be with an employer in the sports, exercise or school sector.

HELLO FUTURE

Each year, there are many students who complete the BSc (Hons) Sport and Exercise Science course who go on to study at postgraduate level. This includes the Postgraduate Certificate in Education (PGCE) to teach in primary or secondary schools and Masters in Sport Psychology, Strength and Conditioning or Sport and Exercise Science.

Just some of the future careers for graduates after completing the course include:

- Sports Coach
- Performance Analyst
- Sports Development Officer
- Sports Scientist
- Sports Psychologist
- Fitness Instructor / Personal Trainer
- Strength and Conditioning Coach
- Exercise Referral Specialist
- PE Teacher

PARTNER COURSES

University Centre Peterborough have a number of collaborative partners ensuring professional industry experience and expertise.

HND **Performing Arts (Dance)** 136-137
with Addict Dance Academy

HNC/HND **Performing Arts (Musical Theatre)** 138-139
with Eastern School of Performing Arts (ESPA)

HND **PERFORMING ARTS (DANCE)**

UCAS code: **N/A** Awarded by: **Pearson Edexcel**

LOCATION

Addict Dance Studios, Leicester

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 2 years

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£6,500 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

80 UCAS points with prior knowledge and skills in performing arts:

- A-levels CDD or BB
- BTEC MMP
- Cambridge Technicals MMP

For more information about this course and to apply, please contact Addict Dance Studios on **0116 319 2490**, **info@addictdanceacademy.co.uk** or visit **addictdanceacademy.co.uk**.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact Addict Dance Studios to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 5.5 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

An interview and audition will also be required, which will include a commercial, jazz and ballet class, a singing demonstration and a physical assessment.

The aim of this course is to give you the dance technique you will require to sustain a professional career in the performing arts industry. There is an intensive mix of studio practice, supported by research, professional dance workshops, external lectures, guest speakers, dance agency workshops and performances. The course places the industry at its core, giving you regular opportunities to work alongside artists for dance videos, national competitions, TV work and community dance, all of which will give you a real-life insight into the demands and reality of the dance industry.

This course is ran by our partners Addict Dance Studios based in Leicester. **Addict Dance Academy** has ten professional standard dance studios, two classrooms, changing facilities and a student common room. There are also strong links with local theatres for external practice.

Your technique classes will be taught by professional dancers and choreographers with extensive experience of the industry and who are currently active working with Rita Ora, Cheryl Cole, Mariah Carey, as well as on The Voice, X Factor and extensively in the West End. You will develop yourself outside of the studio by creating a professional profile and dance reel ready for your auditions and for networking with agencies. You will prepare your body, mind and thinking for your auditions and chosen career paths and refine your skills in all dance genres.

Assessments will be conducted through real-life experiences with professional choreographers and employers, as well as performances, workshops, mixed media portfolios, presentations and reflective writing. Your technique and background knowledge of each dance style will be rigorously examined by your teachers and together you will refine your skills and knowledge in commercial, ballet, tap, musical theatre, jazz, contemporary, cabaret and singing, contemporary, lyrical, cabaret, point work and singing.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/hndance**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- The Performing Arts Industry (Pearson Set) (15 credits)
- Professional Development (15 credits)
- Jazz Dance 1 (15 credits)
- Ballet 1 (15 credits)
- Contemporary Dance 1 (15 credits)
- Commercial Dance 1 (15 credits)
- Tap 1 (15 credits)
- Dance for Camera (15 credits)

YEAR 2 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 5)

- Creative Research (Pearson-Set) (30 credits)
- Working in the Performing Arts Industry (15 credits)
- Jazz Dance 2 (15 credits)
- Ballet 2 (15 credits)
- Contemporary Dance 2 (15 credits)
- Commercial Dance 2 (15 credits)
- Dance for Musical Theatre (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5
Coursework (this will consist of performances, workshops, mixed media portfolios, presentations and reflective writing)	100%	100%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

You will work on exhibition performance with industry professionals, experience a real-life studio environment, where communication, production working and deadline mirror industry practice. You will develop soft skills in team management and production, whilst gaining a professional outlook to your career.

You will perform in the showcase at the end of the year, where by you will have the opportunity to demonstrate your physical skills to potential agents, as well as having the opportunity to network with them after your show. Throughout the year, you will be required to audition for external projects with potential employers.

HELLO FUTURE

Former graduates have successfully gained employment in the dance industry on the West End, on cruise ships, at Disneyland Paris, on European tours with artists such as Stefflon Don, and as freelance dancers and teachers and professional singers in LA.

You could also top-up to a full degree at university with a further one year of study.

HNC/HND **PERFORMING ARTS (MUSICAL THEATRE)**

UCAS code: **1A69** Awarded by: **Pearson Edexcel**

LOCATION

Eastern School of Performing Arts (ESPA), Stamford

DURATION & DELIVERY

HNC Full-time 1 year

HND Full-time 2 years

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

£6,500 per year when studied full-time

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

80 UCAS points with prior knowledge and skills in performing arts:

A-levels	CDD or BB
BTEC	MMP
Cambridge Technicals	MMP

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications can contact our admissions team on **01733 214466** or **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

If English is not your first language you will require an IELTS score of 5.5 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English Language qualification.

An interview and audition will also be required.

This course is delivered at the **Eastern School of Performing Arts (ESPA)** in Stamford and encompasses all aspects of Musical Theatre. It provides an excellent grounding in singing, dancing and acting, alongside developing individuality and performance skills. Working in a vocational manner, in a private theatre school setting allows students to focus and commit to their craft.

Students learn through a balanced programme of core training in acting, singing and dance technique along with developing artistic and creative individuality. The course comprises of modules which include Jazz, Singing, Vocal Repertoire, Acting and a Creative Research Project.

There are 15 contact hours per week and the course also allows students to take additional classes alongside the qualification to develop a five day a week schedule.

ESPA students will have their own study area on non-taught days for independent study and rehearsal. Throughout the course ESPA students will also be offered guest workshops with industry professionals.

ESPA provide a supportive environment that fosters not only the artistic development but also intellectual and personal development within all its students. The training is based around practical sessions and performance experience, where the three skills are brought together. Students will also study the historical, stylistic and professional aspects of the industry culminating in a solid understanding of the performing world.

You will have the opportunity to perform in both a showcase and full scale show during both the first and second year of the course along with some smaller community based and in house projects.

WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

You must take modules worth 120 credits at each level of the course. Each module is worth a specified number of credits.

Further information about each module is available on **ucp.ac.uk/hnmusical**

YEAR 1 (LEVEL 4)

- Performing Arts Industry (15 credits)
- Professional Development (15 credits)
- Jazz Dance 1 (15 credits)
- Commercial Dance 1 (15 credits)
- Singing 1 (15 credits)
- Acting 1 (15 credits)
- Devising Theatre (15 credits)

Plus choose 15 credits of optional modules

- Vocal Repertoire (15 credits)
- Dance for Camera (15 credits)

YEAR 2 / FINAL YEAR (LEVEL 5)

- Creative Research Project (30 credits)
- Working in the Performing Arts Industry (15 credits)
- Jazz Dance 2 (15 credits)
- Dance for Musical Theatre (15 credits)
- Singing 2 (15 credits)
- Acting 2 (15 credits)
- Performance Project (15 credits)

HOW YOU'LL BE ASSESSED

Throughout the duration of your course you will be assessed by the following methods:

	Level 4	Level 5
Coursework (this will consist of practical demonstrations and performances, essays, journals, portfolios, rehearsal evidence and presentations)	100%	100%

WORK PLACEMENT AND EXPERIENCE

You will be required to advance your performance technique in various regional and local theatres. During your shows you will have access to professionals from the musical theatre industry to guide your professional development such as, Directors, Stage Crew, Lighting and Sound Engineering during our full scale shows to give you an all round unique insight in to the world of the performing arts.

HELLO FUTURE

You will have the opportunity to apply to Theatre/Dance Colleges for further professional training. Students completing this course will also be prepared to go out into the world of work – into local or regional theatres as performers, or to develop their own Performing Arts businesses, teaching either privately or in schools and educational establishments.

You could also top-up to a full degree at university with a further one year of study.

ESPA
EASTERN SCHOOL OF PERFORMING ARTS

ACCESS TO HE COURSES

The Access to Higher Education courses at Peterborough College and Stamford College can help you achieve the qualifications required to study a higher education course at University Centre Peterborough.

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ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Accredited by: **CAVA**

LOCATIONS

Peterborough College
or Stamford College

DURATION & DELIVERY

Full-time 1 year (16 hours a week for 38 weeks a year)

START DATE

September 2022

TUITION FEES

For Access to Higher Education tuition fees please see the courses section on **peterborough.ac.uk** or **stamford.ac.uk**.

Note that the tuition fees for the Access to HE courses are different to undergraduate courses.

If you progress to University Centre Peterborough after completing the Access to Higher Education course and successfully complete an undergraduate degree, the tuition fees for the Access to Higher Education course will be waived.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

You must be aged 19 or over and have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4.

For Access to HE Science and Health or Access to HE Health Professionals, a GCSE in a science at a minimum of grade C or grade 4 is also required.

Mature students or students who do not have the above qualifications should Peterborough College or Stamford College to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

If you have the ambition to go to university but lack the qualifications to get you there, or have taken a break in education, the Access to HE course is a fantastic solution. The course provides a qualification equivalent to A-levels and prepares you for studying a degree.

We would advise students to look at the Access to HE programmes rather than Level 0 programmes offered by some universities as this will save you up to £9,250 in tuition fees.

The Access to HE course is available at Peterborough College and Stamford College and specifically designed for motivated individuals aged 19 and over who wish to progress in their career, go on to study at degree level or simply extend their knowledge after being out of formal education for some time.

The course will develop your writing and presentation skills, research and referencing skills, time management skills and personal skills to prepare you for higher level study. We will help you with your career investigation and preparation to apply to university.

There are three different Access to HE routes at **Peterborough College** to choose from:

- Access to HE Business
- Access to HE Humanities and Social Sciences
- Access to HE Science and Health

There are two different Access to HE routes at **Stamford College** to choose from:

- Access to HE Humanities and Social Sciences
- Access to HE Health Professionals

For more information about these specific courses please see the courses section on **peterborough.ac.uk** or **stamford.ac.uk**.

PROGRESSION TO UNIVERSITY CENTRE PETERBOROUGH

If you wish to progress to university to study an undergraduate degree, we have illustrated which Access to HE courses can lead to degrees available at University Centre Peterborough.

Every year, UCP has students who have successfully gained a first class honours degree after completing an Access to HE qualification beforehand as the course focuses on preparing students before embarking on a higher education course.

ACCESS TO HE BUSINESS

After completing this Access to HE course you can progress to the following courses at University Centre Peterborough:

- BSc (Hons) **Accounting and Finance**
- Foundation Degree in **Business Management**
- BSc (Hons) **Business Management in pathways in HR, Marketing and Management Accounting**
- Foundation Degree **Digital Marketing and Communications**
- BA (Hons) **Digital Marketing and Communications**

ACCESS TO HE SCIENCE AND HEALTH / HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

After completing this Access to HE course you can progress to the following courses at University Centre Peterborough:

- Foundation Degree in **Biological Sciences**
- BSc (Hons) **Biological Sciences**
- Foundation Degree in **Forensic Investigation**
- BSc (Hons) **Forensic Investigation**
- BSc (Hons) **Sport and Exercise Science**
- Foundation Degree in **Sport and Exercise Science (Coaching)**

ACCESS TO HE HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

After completing this Access to HE course you can progress to the following courses at University Centre Peterborough:

- BA (Hons) **Criminology**
- BA (Hons) **English Literature**
- BA (Hons) **English Literature with Creative Writing**
- BA (Hons) **History and Archaeology**
- BA (Hons) **Media Production**
- BA (Hons) **Journalism**
- BA (Hons) **Performing Arts**
- BA (Hons) **Psychosocial Studies**
- BA (Hons) **Sociology**

If you have completed the Access to HE course, University Centre Peterborough may also accept your application for other courses listed in this prospectus, but this will depend on other qualifications and previous work experience.

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MAKING AN APPLICATION

CONGRATULATIONS ON CHOOSING A COURSE TO STUDY AT UNIVERSITY CENTRE PETERBOROUGH. NOW YOUR NEXT STEP IS TO MAKE AN APPLICATION.

FULL-TIME STUDENTS

All full-time applications must be made to UCAS via a web-based tracker system - **ucas.com**. This is where all full-time students applying to university must make their application.

The institution code for University Centre Peterborough is P56 and you will find all course codes on the course pages in this prospectus.

The application process is straightforward but it's best to have all the necessary documents (such as your previous qualifications with awarding body) and personal statement prepared in advance.

Before you apply, please check that you meet the entry requirements which are listed on the course information pages. Further information about entry requirements are also on pages 148 and 149.

Our Admissions team will be pleased to help by offering advice or guiding you through the application process so never be afraid to ask us a question. You can contact the Admissions Office on **01733 214466** or email **admissions@ucp.ac.uk**.

PART-TIME STUDENTS

Many of the courses at University Centre Peterborough have the option of part-time study.

All part-time applications can be made directly to University Centre Peterborough. Contact the Admissions Office on **01733 214466** or email **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to start your application.

Before you apply, please check that you meet the entry requirements which are listed on the course information pages. Further information about entry requirements are also on pages 148 and 149.

WHEN TO APPLY

We advise you to make an application for your chosen course as soon as possible to secure your place. We will process your application within 1 to 5 working days so you know if you have been successful and received an offer.

FIRST UCAS DEADLINE

Applications for the majority of courses will be made by 6pm on **Wednesday 26th January 2022**.

If you have not made your application by this date you can still apply to University Centre Peterborough at any time afterwards.

UCAS EXTRA

If you missed the first UCAS deadline, you can still apply through UCAS Extra from **Friday 25th February to Monday 4th July 2022**. This also gives you the opportunity to add UCP as an additional choice if you have used all five choices and not holding any offers.

UCAS CLEARING

From **Tuesday 5th July 2022** you can apply via UCAS through Clearing.

Clearing is for those who have not yet applied or students who have waited until they have received their grades. However, you do not need to wait until you receive your grades before applying through Clearing.

If you have applied and been accepted at another university, you still have the opportunity to change to study at University Centre Peterborough.

If you don't get the grades you expected, don't panic. Just contact us during Clearing and we can usually confirm your place very quickly. We are used to helping students at this time of year.

TYPES OF OFFER

When you make an application, you will receive one of the following offers:

CONDITIONAL OFFER

You will have to meet certain conditions before the start of the course (such as achieving your exams with a certain grade). We will specify these conditions when making you an offer. When you achieve these grades your place will then be confirmed.

UNCONDITIONAL OFFER

You already meet the entry requirements for the course (i.e. you have achieved the grades already) and we are happy to offer you a place without conditions.

DECLINE

Unfortunately, we are not able to offer you a place at this time. We will advise you why you were unsuccessful on this occasion and we can give you advice on alternative courses for progression.

APPLICANT DAY

We will be holding an Applicant Day for new students on **Saturday 19th March 2022**.

This invitation only event is available to students who are holding a Conditional Offer or Unconditional Offer. It will give you the opportunity to meet other students, academic staff and participate in subject sessions to help prepare you before starting in September 2022.

If you are still deciding on where to study then this day can be a great chance to see if studying with us is right for you.

ADVICE SESSIONS AND OPEN DAYS

If you would like help with your application, more information about student finances or have any questions, then you are welcome to book onto one of our regular Advice Sessions where you can speak to a member of staff for help and advice.

During our Open Days we run a series of talks on a variety of topics including applications and student finance.

For dates and times of the latest Advice Sessions and Open Days visit **ucp.ac.uk/events**.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Our Terms and Conditions are available from **ucp.ac.uk/policies** and it is important you read this information prior to applying.

The Terms and Conditions relating to your start date will be sent to you with your offer letter. We will advise applicants of any substantive changes and policy revisions.

The information in the Terms and Conditions relate to:

- Acceptance of your offer and cancellation
- Course changes or closures
- Changes to services
- Discontinuing courses
- Fee liability
- Additional costs
- Policy updates
- Enrolment and registration
- Complaints procedures and policies
- Academic regulations and progression specific to the awarding body
- Data Protection

Please note that there are separate Terms and Conditions for undergraduate courses and the HNC / HND courses. This is due to the differences in awarding bodies, academic regulations and complaints' processes.

If you have any questions about making an application contact the Admissions Office on 01733 214466 or email admissions@ucp.ac.uk

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

WHILST MANY STUDENTS COME STRAIGHT FROM SIXTH FORM OR COLLEGE WITH TRADITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS, WE ALSO WELCOME APPLICATIONS FROM MATURE STUDENTS WITH OTHER QUALIFICATIONS OR RELEVANT EXPERIENCE.

The entry requirements for all courses are listed on each course page in this prospectus.

MATURE STUDENTS

Mature students or students who do not qualify by any of these qualifications should call the Admissions Office on **01733 214466** or email **admissions@ucp.ac.uk** to discuss equivalent qualifications or relevant work experience.

UCAS TARIFF

If the course requires a specified number of UCAS points you can use the tables on this page as a guide. The tariff points for qualifications can be added and combined together (e.g. A-levels plus BTECs). The UCAS points for A-level General Studies, AS-levels and the EQP (Extended Project Qualification) are accepted when combined with other full qualifications.

We accept a wide range of qualifications such as A-levels, BTEC, Cambridge Technicals, International Baccalaureate (IB), NVQ Level 3, Access to Higher Education and Scottish Advanced Highers.

To find out more about UCAS tariff points and how they work, visit **ucas.com/tariff-calculator**.

A-LEVELS

You must have grades for at least two A-levels. Note that some courses may require you to have a related subject at A-level to apply for the course (see course information page for clarification).

BTEC NATIONALS

Note that some courses may require you to have a related subject at BTEC to apply for the course (see course information page for clarification).

A-levels	
A*	56
A	48
B	40
C	32
D	24
E	16

AS-levels	
A	20
B	16
C	12
D	10
E	6

BTEC National Extended Diploma	
D*D*D*	168
D*D*D	160
D*DD	152
DDD	144
DDM	128
DMM	112
MMM	96
MMP	80
MPP	64
PPP	48

BTEC National Diploma	
D*D*	112
D*D	104
DD	96
DM	80
MM	64
MP	48
PP	32

BTEC National Foundation Diploma	
D*D*	84
D*D	78
DD	72
DM	60
MM	48
MP	36
PP	24

BTEC National Extended Certificate	
D*	56
D	48
M	32
P	16

BTEC National Certificate	
D*	28
D	24
M	16
P	8

D = Distinction
M = Merit
P = Pass

ACCESS TO HE

We accept Access to HE qualifications for all of our undergraduate courses as we recognise that this course prepares you for studying a degree. For more information about which progression pathway to choose please see pages 142 and 143.

GCSEs

You must have GCSE English language and mathematics (or equivalent) at a minimum of grade C or grade 4. Some courses will require you to have a science subject.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

If English is not your first language then you must possess a recognised Level 2 English language qualification or:

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

You will require an IELTS score of 6.0 (with 5.5 minimum in each skill) or an equivalent English language qualification. The BA (Hons) English Literature courses will require an IELTS score of 6.5 (with a 5.5 minimum in each skill).

HNC / HND COURSES

You will require an IELTS score of 5.5 or an equivalent English Language qualification.

OVERSEAS QUALIFICATIONS

We can accept a wide range of overseas qualifications and use UK NARIC to compare qualifications. For help and advice about conversion call the Admissions Office on **01733 214466** or email **admissions@ucp.ac.uk**.

ACCREDITATION OF PRIOR CERTIFICATED LEARNING (APCL) FOR ENTRY

APCL relates to learning completed through an earlier course of study. If you have previously completed a course which is relevant to your proposed course you should make this clear when you apply. For this to be eligible for consideration you must be able to provide certification, which shows your success in a final assessment for that course. Learning must be completed in the last five years or further evidence of updating will be required. Simple participation in a course or an attendance certificate is not sufficient.

EXEMPTIONS BASED ON ACCREDITATION OF PRIOR LEARNING (APL)

We offer students flexibility in their studies, by recognising learning they may have completed elsewhere before they apply. The Accreditation of Prior Learning process ensures that we can take this into account when determining the modules you must study. It is important that you identify any relevant prior learning when you apply. If your previous study specifically relates to modules on the course you wish to undertake we may approve a reduced programme of study, thus shortening the time it takes to obtain your award. Where this relates to learning completed through an earlier course of study, this is called Prior Certificated Learning, and where learning has been achieved through relevant work or experience, this is referred to as Prior Experiential Learning. Claims must be approved before you commence a course.

EXEMPTIONS BASED ON ACCREDITATION OF PRIOR EXPERIENTIAL CERTIFICATED LEARNING (APEL)

It is important to understand that the APEL process does not award academic credit for experience alone, but for learning which can be shown to have been achieved through that experience. Students are required to prepare an individual case for the credit arising from their learning experiences. This normally means that a student receives support in the preparation of a portfolio, which evidences their claimed exemptions for entry. This portfolio of evidence is then submitted for assessment and the possible award of academic credit. Alternative methods of assessment of evidence may be available but needs to be discussed with the Admissions team or Course Leader.

If you have any questions about entry requirements contact the Admissions Office on 01733 214466 or email admissions@ucp.ac.uk

FEES, FUNDING AND BURSARIES

THE COSTS OF STUDYING CAN BE AN IMPORTANT FACTOR IN CHOOSING WHERE TO STUDY. WE OFFER LOWER TUITION FEES COMPARED TO MANY OTHER UNIVERSITIES AND BURSARY SCHEMES FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS.

TUITION FEES

The tuition fees for UK full-time undergraduate students starting in the 2022/23 academic year will be **£8,000 per year** which is lower compared to many other universities.

Fees for part-time study are pro rata depending on the number of credits you are studying (i.e. 90 credits per year is 75% of the tuition fee).

For HNC / HND and other qualification fees please see the course pages in this prospectus.

- All tuition fees may be subject to an annual inflationary increase.
- Please note that if you fail a unit, you may incur re-sit costs.
- There may be additional costs for the course which are not covered by your tuition fee. For more details you can refer to the course information section on **ucp.ac.uk**.

If you do not wish to take a tuition fee loan and prefer to pay fees upfront or you are being sponsored by an employer, please contact us on **01733 214466** or email **studentfinance@ucp.ac.uk** for payment details.

TUITION FEE LOAN

You can apply for a tuition fee loan to cover the full cost of the tuition fees. Tuition fees are not means-tested so your household income does not affect your entitlement and you will be entitled to the full amount. The Student Loans Company pay the fees directly to University Centre Peterborough and you do not need to pay any fees upfront.

MAINTENANCE LOAN

Full-time and part-time students can apply for a maintenance loan to help with living costs such as accommodation, food, bills, transport, study resources and books. The Student Loans Company will pay the maintenance loan directly into your bank account over three instalments.

The amount of maintenance loan you are entitled to will depend on your personal circumstances, including your household income, your age, what year of study you are in, and whether you are living at home or away from home. These levels are determined by government and not set by UCP.

As a guide, the table below shows what you could be entitled to if you are under the age of 25 and if you are living at home or away from home (based on 2021/22 figures).

Household Income	Living away from home	Living at home
up to £25,000	£9,488 per year	£7,987 per year
£35,000	£8,130 per year	£6,642 per year
£45,000	£6,771 per year	£5,296 per year
£55,000	£5,412 per year	£3,950 per year
£58,220	£4,975 per year	£3,516 per year
£62,286	£4,422 per year	£3,516 per year

FURTHER INFORMATION

For more information about tuition fees and maintenance loans including how much you may be entitled to, visit **gov.uk/student-finance**. On this website you can easily check what you are entitled to without starting an application.

APPLYING FOR STUDENT FINANCE

The easiest way to apply for student finance is online at **gov.uk/student-finance**. You can start your application from the end of February 2022.

It can take a minimum of six to eight weeks to process your application, so you should apply for student finance as soon as possible.

When you apply for student finance funding, please use institution code **FFCH** and institution name **University Centre Peterborough**.

REPAYING YOUR STUDENT FINANCE

Both the tuition fee loan and maintenance loan are combined together and you do not start to pay back any of your student finance until the April after you have graduated.

The amount you pay back is linked to your earnings and you must be in work and earning over the set threshold of £27,295 (based on 2021/22 figures) before you start to pay anything. The amount usually comes out of your wages.

If you have not paid back all the student finances after 30 years this is then written off.

EU STUDENTS

EU students will have continued access to student finance for the duration of the course if they start in the 2022/23 academic year. EU students must provide evidence of their Settled or Pre-Settled status when applying for a course. For the latest information, we advise EU students to check gov.uk/student-finance/eu-students or you can speak to our Student Support team for guidance.

University Centre Peterborough does not accept international students.

DISABLED STUDENTS ALLOWANCE (DSA)

On your UCAS application, when entering your personal details you will be asked if you have a disability / special need (which could include a long-term health condition, mental health condition or specific learning difficulty).

Please ensure you state this on your application as it will not affect your application to study with us, but ensures that we put into place the support you require and there may be funding available to ensure this happens.

HELP FOR PARENTS

The **Childcare Grant** and **Parents' Learning Allowance** can help parents to balance the cost of childcare and study. Students with an adult who depends on them financially may also be eligible for an **Adult Dependants' Grant**. Our Student Support team can help advise you on an individual basis so you receive what you are entitled to.

UCP LOW INCOME BURSARY

If you are from a low income household (under £25,000 per year) and studying a full-time course you will receive a **£500 cash bursary** after the end of the first semester for each academic year.

The UCP low income bursary does not need to be repaid after graduating and is not added to your student loan. Part-time students will receive a pro rata payment depending on the number of credits you are studying. You must be in receipt of tuition fee funding from Student Finance England to be entitled to the Low Income Bursary.

CARE LEAVER BURSARY

The Care Leaver Bursary is to enable students who live in or have lived in care to pursue their studies at UCP. If you are a Care Leaver and studying a full-time undergraduate course you will receive a **£500 cash bursary** for each academic year.

The Care Leaver bursary does not need to be repaid after graduating and is not added to your student loan. There is no separate application to be assessed if eligible for the Care Leaver bursary. All students will be considered for the bursary based on the information supplied in their course application. Applicants will additionally be required to submit evidence of Care Leaver status.

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We will continue to create and nurture long-term, strategic partnerships that support us in responding to the needs of our different communities, contributing to the social and economic prosperity, growth and aspiration of our locales, and building the resilience of our Group.

People are at the heart of our Group, whether that is our students and trainees, our partners in industry and local services, or our staff who deliver outstanding education and training and shape our culture, ethos and values.

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Drift Road
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PE9 1XA

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OPENING TIMES & ACADEMIC CALENDAR

For the latest opening times and the academic calendar please visit **ucp.ac.uk/key-dates**

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ALTERNATIVE FORMATS

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