Postgraduate prospectus 2021-2022
University for the Common Good
Welcome to Glasgow Caledonian University

Join our postgraduate community, develop your skills, spark your curiosity and ensure you continue to thrive in your chosen career.

Greater expert knowledge opens up more opportunities and allows you to progress in your career. Having the confidence and skills to innovate and lead responsibly will expand your horizons.

With Glasgow Caledonian University (GCU), you’ll benefit from authentic input from industry leaders, accredited status from professional bodies, along with decades of experience in innovative methods of distance learning. With a postgraduate qualification, you’ll stand out when looking for employment and career progression.

Our postgraduate courses are grounded in academic excellence, developed in collaboration with employers and guided by our Common Good values. We aim to make a positive difference to society.

When you have the determination to go further, we’re here to help you to make an impact.

Employability
Join the 95% of our graduates in work or further study six months after graduation (HESA, 2018).

Support
Whether studying on campus or by distance learning, you’ll have a full range of services that will support you in gaining the skills you need to succeed.

Professional accreditation
You’ll stand out in the job market with industry-informed courses that offer professional accreditation.

Global
Get a global perspective by studying alongside students from over 100 different countries in our Glasgow, London and New York campuses.

Industry-driven
With a focus on careers throughout your course, you’ll be workplace ready as soon as you graduate.

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“Your education is a precious opportunity, not only for you, but for the world around you! Use your skills well. We want you to succeed and make this world a better place in whichever way you can. Go out there and be an influencer, a contributor, a change maker – become inspired and be inspirational in turn.”

Chancellor Dr Annie Lennox OBE
Your inside guide to GCU

What does your business school offer?
The Glasgow School for Business and Society is internationally recognised for creating innovative business models for global sectors including fashion and media. All of our business courses provide you with advanced, expert insight into what makes a responsible leader - a highly sought-after attribute for managers worldwide. Page 5

Do you have courses that cover engineering, technology and computing?
The School of Computing, Engineering and Built Environment can place you at the forefront of a new, sustainable future for all. You'll develop a thorough understanding of professional practices and the research that underpins advancements in your sector. Page 17

What courses do you have in the field of healthcare and science?
The School of Health and Life Sciences will give you practical experience as well as an in-depth understanding of the theories that support practice, while you gain a level of expert knowledge that will make a meaningful difference to people’s lives. Page 25

How will a postgraduate qualification impact my career?
Employability is at the heart of all of our courses. With input from industry, our courses provide professional accreditation, work experience and guest lectures from leaders in their field. With the help of our careers service, you’ll leave with significant professional advantage. Page 47

What research opportunities do you offer?
Whether undertaken as part of your masters, or the first step to a PhD, research allows you to engage in shaping the ideas that are changing the world. You’ll have access to our internationally respected Research Centres and support from our research community, where ideas can be analysed and developed. Our MRes, Professional Doctorate and PhD courses allow you to progress to a higher level of professional recognition. Page 49

What support do you have for international students?
With an award-winning welcome (ISB, 2019) and support throughout your time here, you’ll quickly feel part of our international community. There are students from over 100 countries studying with us and there are a range of services to suit, whether you choose to study on campus or by distance learning. Benefit from help with English language, academic support and careers assistance, as well as visa advice and help with accommodation. Page 51

If I don’t meet the academic requirements can I still apply?
If your career can benefit from a postgraduate qualification, we believe it should be possible. We’re committed to providing flexible routes into our courses and understand relevant knowledge and skills can be acquired from a variety of different learning experiences. Page 65

What makes Glasgow a good location for masters study?
Our main campus is in the centre of Glasgow, an affordable, accessible and welcoming city – in fact it was voted in the top 10 best cities in the world (TimeOut, 2019). Our modern, single-site, city centre campus is a great place to study, with all the facilities and support you’ll need to ensure your success. Page 67

Can I study at GCU’s New York campus?
Our Glasgow Caledonian New York College (GCNYC) campus is based in Manhattan, in the heart of New York City. Our masters degrees in fashion and business prepare you for a successful career, improving local and global communities. Page 69
Can I study in London?

Glasgow Caledonian University’s London campus, home to the British School of Fashion and British School of Leadership and Management, offers innovative courses in an ultra-modern learning environment. Choose London and learn how to take responsible leadership and an entrepreneurial outlook to a global level in one of the world’s most inspiring cities.

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How can I find out about funding and the application process?

Whether you’re applying from within the UK or from further afield, we aim to make the application process as straightforward as possible and consider every application individually. You could receive support in the form of our generous scholarship fund and we offer discounts and instalment plans to help with the cost of fees. We strive to offer postgraduate study options that are accessible and inclusive.

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When do your courses start?

In general, our courses commence in September. If any alternative start dates are available, such as January, these are noted in the individual course descriptions.
Help build inclusive societies with the Glasgow School for Business and Society

At the Glasgow School for Business and Society, we recognise the contribution a postgraduate qualification can make to your career prospects. As such, all of our degree courses are designed in consultation with global industry partners and the majority are accredited by professional bodies, which assures employers of the excellence of your qualification and skills. All of our courses have a work-related curriculum meaning you’ll experience real-world learning and have opportunities to engage with organisations and industry leaders in your field. You’ll be taught by experts with commercial and industry backgrounds who bring cutting-edge research to the classroom. You’ll study in a multicultural environment with students from across the globe and across industries, bringing an exciting dimension to the learning environment and helping to develop your leadership and networking skills, which will prove critical for the workplace.

As the Glasgow School for Business and Society, we prepare our graduates with the skills to be responsible leaders, culturally sensitive decision makers and positive contributors to the communities they impact. As a mark of our contribution to society and our international perspective, we’re an EFMD-accredited business school; a global benchmark of excellence and indication to future employers that you have studied at an institution internationally recognised for quality.

Whether undertaking a taught postgraduate course or research-led masters, we offer our students the opportunity to learn the skills they need to compete in the international employment market. A strong focus on vocational learning and respected research is combined with contemporary academic thinking to provide real-life learning experiences and the latest skills that international employers need – indeed, 95% of our students are in work or further education within six months of graduating (HESA, 2018). Our education and research reputation is global in many exciting and growing areas and sectors, from fashion to business, media to finance, economics to journalism.

While you study, you have access to our dedicated academic development team as well as multiple other student support services, allowing you to excel at the University. With our support, you can build the skills and confidence you need to reach a higher level of expertise and success.

“My course has provided me with key skills such as how to communicate effectively, problem solve and how to motivate myself to succeed in my career. Graduating with an industry recognised CIPD qualification has made my CV stand out from the crowd and will help advance my career as well as boost my earning potential for many years to come.”

Susan, GSBS graduate
“I wouldn’t have a career if it wasn’t for the MA TV course at Glasgow Caledonian University. The course gave me the contacts, the skills and essentially got me into the career.”
Mark, MA Television Fiction Writing Graduate

Employers including:
BBC | EY | Hilton | M&S | Morgan Stanley | PwC

Our courses are accredited by:

- CIPD Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development
- CISI Chartered Institute for Securities and Investment
- CII Chartered Insurance Institute
- EFMD European Foundation for Management Development
- CIM Chartered Institute of Marketing
- CILT Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport in the UK
- CIPS Chartered Institute of Procurement and Supply
- BJTC Broadcast Journalism Training Council
- NCTJ National Council for the Training of Journalists
- IRM Institute of Risk Management
- CMI Chartered Management Institute
- CBI Chartered Banker Institute
Two-year masters with professional practice

At GCU, we will equip you with a unique set of skills that make you ready for a challenging global workplace and attractive to employers all over the world. Study with us and undertake an extended masters course with industry placement to provide you with practical work experience alongside a high quality, internationally recognised UK education.

**Why study a two-year masters at GCU?**
The Glasgow School for Business and Society offers a wide range of two-year masters courses in our management and finance subject areas. These exciting new postgraduate opportunities give you the opportunity to undertake one of our traditional one-year masters courses with an additional element of professional practice taking place in year two. This will include a paid or unpaid placement over two trimesters which will give you the opportunity to develop your knowledge and professional skills through an extended work experience in the UK or elsewhere.

The school is vocationally-focused and with the many connections with industry, professional and third sectors, we will fully prepare you for and support you in finding your own placement.

**What will I study during my two-year masters?**
Year one – you’ll study one of our masters courses listed on this page, during which time you’ll learn the academic theory underpinning your subject, while also gaining practical experience though real-world applied teaching and assessment.

Year two – you’ll undertake the Professional Practice Placement which will include a portfolio assessment.

You can study any of the following GSBS masters courses over two years:

- MSc Accounting, Finance and Regulation with Professional Practice
- MSc International Business Management with Professional Practice
- MSc International Economic and Social Justice with Professional Practice
- MSc International Fashion Marketing with Professional Practice
- MSc International Operations and Supply Chain Management with Professional Practice
- MSc International Tourism and Events Management with Professional Practice
- MSc Marketing with Professional Practice
- MSc Risk Management with Professional Practice
- MSc Social Innovation with Professional Practice

**What are the benefits?**
We know that having meaningful exposure to the workplace during study ensures our graduates are well placed to gain highly skilled roles in the best organisations. We’re proud that 95% of our graduates enter work or further study within six months of graduation (HESA, 2018). The two-year masters allows you to gain real experience in a real workplace while remaining within the support network of the University.

Join one of our two-year masters courses to:
- build your confidence and professional skills in a structured and supported environment
- gain real-world experience from the workplace to enhance your CV
- build the skills necessary for a challenging, fast-moving global environment
- gain a valued qualification which gives you a competitive edge in the UK and international employment market

Come and study in one of the friendliest cities in the world (TimeOut, 2019)
MSc International Economic and Social Justice

Study topics related to inequality, migration, feminist economics and globalisation. Progress to a career in research, policy development, analysis and evaluation within national governments, international agencies or research organisations.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in economics, law, social sciences, politics, sociology, business, or a relevant discipline.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Global Political Economy; Human Rights, Gender and Development; Economics of Inequality; Ethics, Governance and Responsible Leadership; Feminist Economics; Migration, Governance and Globalisation; Public Policy Analysis; Applied Professional Practice; Masters Research Project.

Option to study as a two-year masters with professional practice, including a work placement in year two.

Intake: September and January start dates
Guest lectures
Mix of assessments and exams
Employer events on campus

MSc International Fashion Marketing

Study on this exciting course that blends fashion, marketing and business principles to equip you for a career in the global fashion industry. Your experience will open opportunities for a career in fashion buying, merchandising and marketing roles with employers such as Zalando and Coach.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Applied Professional Practice; Consumer Behaviour in Fashion; Contemporary Issues in International Fashion Marketing; Ethics, Governance and Responsible Leadership; Strategic Fashion Brand Management; Fashion Buying Merchandising and Logistics; International Fashion Marketing Planning and Strategy; Omnichannel Fashion Communication; Masters Research Project.

Option to study as a two-year masters with professional practice, including a work placement in year two.

Double accredited: EFMD CIM Graduate Gateway 2018
Intake: September and January start dates
Guest lectures
Assessment only
Industry-standard equipment: Adobe Creative Suite software and trend forecasting and market intelligence databases
Designed with industry input
Employer events on campus

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**MSc International Tourism and Events Management**

Develop critical management skills for decision-making in the tourism and events sectors, and progress to a career as a specialist with employers such as Historic Scotland, Hilton Worldwide and the Olympics.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Applied Professional Practice; Delivering Dynamic Destinations; Ethics, Governance and Responsible Leadership; Event Planning and Management; Finance and Economics for the Events and Tourism Industry; International Marketing Planning and Strategy; Strategic Event Tourism Management; Tourism and Events Experiences; Masters Research Project.

Option to study as a two-year masters with professional practice, including a work placement in year two.

**MSc Marketing**

Learn about global issues in marketing and digital media, branding, consumer behaviour and communications. Develop an ethical approach to marketing decision-making. Choose to progress to careers such as social media, marketing or digital marketing.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Applied Professional Practice; Consumer Behaviour; Digital Analytics; Digital Marketing; Ethics, Governance and Responsible Leadership; Integrated Marketing Communications; International Marketing Planning and Strategy; Strategic Brand Management; Masters Research Project.

Option to study as a two-year masters with professional practice, including a work placement in year two.
MSc Accounting, Finance and Regulation

Strong financial management is vital to all organisations and the role of the accounting professional is complex and varied. You’ll develop a deeper academic and professional knowledge and understanding of the key challenges facing the accounting profession and the wider financial sector.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area. For the fast-track option, a full professional qualification from any accountancy body in the world that is recognised by the International Federation of Accountants (IFAC) is required and provides you with 90 credits towards the MSc.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: International Financial Reporting and Regulation; International Financial Management; Financial Services Regulation; Strategic Financial Management; Contemporary Issues in Management Accounting; Financial Risk Modelling; Ethics, Governance and Responsible Leadership; Applied Professional Practice; Masters Research Project.

Option to study as a two-year masters with professional practice, including a work placement in year two.

CPD Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA)

GCU is a gold-approved learning partner with ACCA. Study for this globally-recognised accountancy qualification to gain a badge of excellence and enhance your career in a wide range of fields.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in people or business-centred subjects or any business subject such as marketing or finance.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Taxation; Performance Management; Audit.

Accredited: ACCA

Flexible study: Part time

Intake: August and February start dates

Mix of assessments and exams

Designed with industry input

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MSc International Banking, Finance and Risk Management

Accelerate your professional career in commercial and corporate banking and the finance, insurance and investment industries. Learn from academic and industry experts how to apply financial theories to the real world.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

- Modules: Bank Management; Commercial Banking; Bank Operational Risk Management; Ethics, Governance and Responsible Leadership; Financial Risk Modelling; Financial Securities Analysis; Financial Services Regulation; Global Finance; Masters Research Project.
- Triple accredited: CII, CIB
- Mix of assessments and exams
- Designed with industry input
- Officer events on campus

MSc Risk Management

Join the increasingly important world of risk, studying data acquisition, organisational risk analysis and impact-assessing insight. Progress to a career in a wide range of industries with employers such as Turner and Townsend, Continuity2, Barclays, AIG Insurance and Vodaphone.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area. Fast-track option available with the Institute of Risk Management.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

- Modules: Applied Professional Practice; Business Continuity and Crisis Management; Contemporary Issues in Insurance; Ethics, Governance and Responsible Leadership; Financial Securities Analysis; Global Perspectives on Risk; Risk Analysis and Modelling; Risk and Organisational Resilience; Masters Research Project.
- Option to study as a two-year masters with professional practice, including a work placement in year two.
Management and Human Resources

**DBA Doctorate of Business Administration**

Choose a professionally-focused alternative to the PhD and develop industry-relevant research around your career commitments. The ideal qualification to enhance your career trajectory, allowing you to combine employment with studying for a flagship doctoral degree.

Minimum requirements: Normally, UK Honours degree 2:1 (or equivalent) in a relevant subject, plus three to five years’ work experience in a relevant field.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.5 (or equivalent) with no element less than 6.0.

Modules: Work-based Responsible Leadership; Contextualised Strategic Management; Creating Contextualised Organisational Value; Applied Operations and Analytics for Management Decision Making; Research Methods; Project Design; Development and Management.

Intake: September and January start dates  
Assessment only  
Available in London or by distance learning

**MBA Global Master of Business Administration**

This distinctive MBA course will set your trajectory for your leadership ambitions. It appeals to professional, enterprising and socially-minded individuals with an instinct for creating sustainable business in a socially responsible manner.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area. A postgraduate degree, diploma or professional qualification from a recognised institution.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Creating Organisational Value; Corporate Citizenship in a Global Age; Strategic Management; Responsible Leadership; Methods for Evidence Based Projects; Operations Management and Analytics for Management Decision-Making; MBA Project.  
Optional modules: Global Supply Chain Management; Resourcing and Talent Management; Consumer Behaviour; Risk and Organisational Resilience; Financial Management for Global Decision Makers; Procurement and Quality Management; Managing People in Global Organisations; Strategic Brand Management; Business Continuity and Crisis Management; Global Finance.

Flexible study: Full time Part time  
Intake: September and January start dates  
Guest lectures  
Mix of assessments and exams

Designed with industry input  
Employer events on campus  
Available in Glasgow, London or by distance learning

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**MSc/PgD Human Resource Management**

This Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development (CIPD) and Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM) aligned course will help you develop the people and leadership skills to manage ethical, cultural, legal and strategic challenges of human resource management. Skills gained will enable you to progress to a career as an HR generalist, business partner or consultant.

Minimum academic requirement: UK Honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in a people or business-centred subject. Non-standard entry is considered for applicants with CIPD certification and/or relevant experience. Advanced entry is considered for modules previously achieved at postgraduate level from CIPD or a CIPD accredited institution.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.5 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.0.

**Modules:**
- Employment Law for HR Practitioners
- Performance Management
- HRD Strategies in Practice
- HRM in International Contexts
- Managing Employment Relationships
- Organisational Change and Responsible Leadership
- Professional and Personal Competence Development for HR Managers
- Resourcing and Talent Management
- Research Design and Critical Inquiry

**Accredited:**
- CIPD

**Flexible study:**
- Full time
- Part time

**Intake:**
- September and January start dates

**Work placement**

**Guest lectures delivered by industry experts**

**Skills and development events**

**MSc International Human Resource Management**

This CIPD accredited and SHRM aligned course will develop your expertise in managing people in diverse, international and multicultural environments. With an international study trip, you’ll build the skills to progress to a career as an HR business partner or people manager with employers such as Ernst & Young Global Limited and the Red Cross.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in people or business-centred subjects or any business related subjects such as marketing or finance.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

**Modules:**
- Managing People in Global Organisations
- Managing Workforce and Workplace Diversity
- HRM in International Contexts
- HRD Strategies in Practice
- Organisational Change and Responsible Leadership
- Performance Management
- Resourcing and Talent Management
- Professional and Personal Competence Development for HR Managers
- Research Design and Critical Inquiry
- Human Resource Management Research Project

**Triple accredited:**
- CIPD
- SHRM
- AHRI

**Intake:**
- September and January start dates

**Overseas study trip**

**Industry expert guest lectures**

**Routes to chartered status:**
- CIPD and AHRI

**Mix of assessments, skills and exams**

**Designed with industry input**

**Employer events on campus:**
- CIPD Scotland Student Conference
- Annual careers and employability event
MSc International Business Management

This flagship business course will provide the knowledge and practical skills in a range of global business functions. Graduates acquire international business development skills with typical employment destinations including business consultancy and business development management among others.

Minimum academic requirement: UK Honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Applied Professional Practice; Ethics, Governance and Responsible Leadership; Financial Management for Global Decision Makers; Global Strategy: Challenges and Choices; International Marketing Management; International Operations Management; Managing People in Global Organisations; Risk and Organisational Resilience; Masters Research Project.

Option to study as a two-year masters with professional practice, including a work placement in year two.

MSc International Operations and Supply Chain Management

Study the increasingly important business of global operations, logistics and supply chain to open up a range of career opportunities, including supply chain analyst, logistician, procurement specialist or management trainee in organisations such as PepsiCo, Leonardo, NHS, local councils and Diageo.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Applied Professional Practice; Ethics, Governance and Responsible Leadership; Financial Management for Global Decision Makers; Global Supply Chain Management; International Logistics and Transport; Procurement and Quality Management; Project Management; Sustainable Operations Management; Masters Research Project.

Option to study as a two-year masters with professional practice, including a work placement in year two.

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**MSc Social Innovation**

Study this unique course which will build knowledge and expertise of social problems and develop your understanding of sustainable solutions. Progress to a career supporting social innovation in the UK or internationally.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in relevant subject (social sciences, economics, business management, development studies, geography, politics) and non-standard applicants are considered case-by-case.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Ethics, Governance and Responsible Leadership; Global Social Entrepreneurship; Social Innovation and Alternative Economic Forms; Human Rights, Gender and Development; Applied Professional Practice; Applied Social Marketing; Social Finance; Project Management; Masters Research Project.

Option to study as a two-year masters with professional practice, including a work placement in year two.

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**Media and Journalism**

**MA Multimedia Journalism**

Study with journalism experts in purpose-built newsroom, editing, radio and TV facilities. Our links with major news organisations will help you develop a career as a reporter, editor, producer or social media editor with the BBC, STV, Sky Sports, Bauer Media, and national and local newspapers.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area, plus interview and tests.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.5.

Modules: Scots Law for Journalists; Government and Public Affairs; Journalism in Context; Multimedia Journalism Project; Multimedia Newsdays; Multimedia Production and Presentation; Newswriting and Newsgathering; Digital Reporting; The News Business; Multimedia Journalism Project.

Double accredited: NCTJ BJTC

Course-specific scholarship: NCTJ Journalism Diversity Fund

Mix of assessments and exams

Employer events on campus

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Come and study in one of the friendliest cities in the world *(TimeOut, 2019)*
MA Television Fiction Writing

Study with experts in the field of scriptwriting and writing for TV and UK TV drama, and benefit from our close collaborations with BBC, ITV and independent professionals. Progress to a career in TV and film screenwriting and development with employers such as the BBC and Warner Bros.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area and evidence of creative writing experience.

English language: Academic IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.5.

Modules: Story and Script Techniques (two modules); Writing for Existing Long-Running TV Drama (two modules); Creating Original TV Drama (two modules); Researching TV Drama Markets; Independent Script Project.

Social Science

MSc/PgD/PgC Health History

Take skills in history, humanities, social science or health science and apply them at postgraduate level to history of health, medicine and healthcare study. Progress your career in health, government, or academia.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in history or related discipline.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.5 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.0.

Modules: Research Skills, Sources and Methods for Historians; Pharmaceuticals, Ethics and Health 1800 – 1980; Food and Health in the West during the Twentieth Century; Medicine and Warfare; Health and Healthcare in the Long Nineteenth Century; Advanced Oral History; Governing Highs and Health; History and the Control of Drugs c1800-1945; Medicine, Health and the Moving Image; Medicine and Madness: Psychiatry in the Nineteen and Twentieth Centuries; Work Placement in History; Fleshy Histories: Meat Eating and Meat Avoidance; 1500 to the Present.

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Learn to create sustainable environments with the School of Computing, Engineering and Built Environment

A postgraduate qualification from the School of Computing, Engineering and Built Environment will give you the knowledge and cutting-edge practice needed to excel in your chosen field. We’re proud of our links with industry and the partnerships we have developed with professional bodies, which together with the expertise of our academic staff, ensures that our courses provide you with the work-ready skills employers are looking for.

Our students have the opportunity to work with experts in the fields of engineering, cyber security and data science, as well as construction project management, surveying, environmental management and many more. With more than 200 academics in the school, including professors, readers, postdoctoral research fellows and research assistants, you’re choosing to immerse yourself in an environment surrounded by people who can help you succeed.

Industry-respected research underpins our courses (REF, 2014), providing a perfect mix of the theoretical and practical skills looked for in the workplace. We have research centres based within the school, collectively having an impact on the world around us. From academic Dr Gowaid, in our Smart Technology Research Centre, producing solar tiles that will bring eco-friendly energy to the 2022 FIFA World Cup, to the Centre for Climate Justice, which Scotland’s First Minister described as “world leading”, and the Research Centre for Built Environment Asset Management’s high-profile work in sustainable and economic development of communities, you’ll be exposed to relevant research and expertise throughout your studies. During your dissertation work you’ll carry out a research project, working alongside academic staff and professors, which can be aligned to the United Nations’ Sustainable Development Goals.

The school has an excellent reputation in providing postgraduate courses to suit the needs of industry, confirmed by our hugely successful alumni community. Recent Alumnus and Alumna of the Year are graduates of the school and are working globally to make a positive difference in their field.

Be part of our school community and you’ll join like-minded individuals from around the world, with SCEBE students scoring 91% for happiness in a recent survey (ISB 2019).

“The people I was with really came together as a team and helped each other learn. Because everyone came from different backgrounds, and studying a masters means everyone has a bit more experience already, it meant we were learning off each other on top of what we were learning on the course.”

Helen, MSc 3D Design for Virtual Environments graduate
“From day one, GCU has exceeded my expectations, from the people to the opportunities, everything has taken my professional development one step closer to where I want to be.” Carlos, International Project Management graduate

Employers including:
Amazon | Amey | Apple | Babcock | EDF Energy | GlaxoSmithKline
Hewlett Packard | IBM | Microsoft | Rolls-Royce | Shell

Our courses are accredited by:

- **InstMC** Institute of Measurement and Control
- **BCS** British Computer Society
- **CIBSE** Chartered Institution of Building Services Engineers
- **CIWEM** Chartered Institution of Water and Environmental Management
- **CIOB** Chartered Institute of Building
- **APM** Association for Project Management
- **RICS** Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors
- **IMechE** Institution of Mechanical Engineers
- **IET** Institution of Engineering and Technology
Applied Computer Games

**MSc 3D Design for Virtual Environments**

Progress to a career in 3D design, virtual environments, architectural visualisation, computer games or visual effects. Develop advanced postgraduate-level expertise in 3D modelling, lighting, rendering, animation and video production. Gain key skills in virtual reality development.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent).

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Digital Media Commercialisation; Digital Media Development; Digital Media Publishing; Digital Media Technology; 3D Production for Virtual Reality; Motion Graphics and Visual Effects; Project; Research Studies for Computing and Creative Technologies; Video Editing and Compositing.

**Assessment only**

**Designed with industry input**

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**Applied Science**

**MSc Applied Instrumentation and Control**

Go further with instrumentation, control systems, data analysis and system health management, using existing skills in engineering and physical science. Progress your career in the oil and gas, renewables, utilities or manufacturing sectors.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in a relevant engineering or physical science discipline with a strong electrical, electronic or physics element.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Control Systems; Data Acquisition and Analysis; Distributed Instrumentation; Industrial Case Studies; Industrial Process Systems; Measurement Systems; Measurement Theory and Devices; Professional Practice (Engineering); Project.

**Accredited:** InstMC

**Intake:** September and January start dates

**Guest lectures**

**Mix of exams and assessments**

**Available in Glasgow or by distance learning**

**Routes to chartered status**

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Civil Engineering and Environmental Management

MSc Climate Justice

Take existing skills in international development, environmental sciences and social and political science, and apply them to postgraduate study. Progress to a career as a programme manager, in climate change and climate justice, advisor or researcher.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in international development, development studies, environmental sciences, climate change, social sciences, agriculture, natural resource management, geography, political sciences, sustainable development or economics.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Climate Change and Carbon Management; Climate Change, Adaptation and Mitigation; Climate Justice; Environmental Ethics and Climate Change; GIS and Environmental Management; Human Rights, Gender and Development; Project (MSc); Renewable Energy Technologies; Resource Management and Circular Economy; Water, Justice and Health.

Flexible study: Full time
Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Guest lectures

Language option

MSc Environmental Management (Waste, Energy, Water, Oil and Gas)

Progress to a career in environmental consultancy or management and work with contractors, environmental regulators and NGOs. Take existing skills in environmental, earth sciences and engineering, and apply them to current environmental issues.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any science or engineering-related degree including environmental studies, engineering, planning, geology, geography and zoology. Other management-related and relevant experience will also be considered.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Climate Change and Carbon Management; Climate Justice; Contaminated Land and Landfill Engineering; Environmental Planning and Impact Assessment; Environmental Pollution Monitoring and Analysis; GIS and Environmental Management; Health, Safety and Environmental Management; Project (MSc). Other optional modules will depend on your pathway: Energy; Waste; Water or Oil and Gas.

Flexible study: Full time
Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Guest lectures

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### Computing

**MSc Big Data Technologies**

Take existing skills in computing, computer engineering or electronics and apply them to postgraduate-level study in data engineering, data-science/analytics and IoT. Progress as a data analyst, systems architect or IT/data engineer. This is an industry-focused course with exciting career prospects.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in computing with software development, for example, computing, computer science, software engineering, web technologies and computer engineering. We also welcome applicants with industry qualifications/experience through recognition of prior learning.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

- **Modules:** Big Data Landscape; Big Data Platforms; Cloud Computing and Web Services; Software Development for Data Science (Data Analytics); Dissertation; Internet of Things; IT Professional Issues and Project Methods.
- **Accredited:** BCS
- **Flexible study:** Full time, Part time
- **Intake:** September and January start dates
- **Routes to chartered status**
- **Course-specific scholarship:** Data Lab Scholarship
- **Industry-standard facilities:** IBM, Microsoft, Google, Apache, AWS, Weka, Databricks, MongoDB
- **Designed with industry input**

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### Construction and Surveying

**MSc International Construction Project Management**

Progress to a career as a project manager with employers such as Balfour Beatty, Sir Robert McAlpine and Morgan Sindall. Develop your leadership and planning skills at postgraduate level in the study of construction and the built environment.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in construction, surveying or civil engineering related subjects.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

- **Modules:** Construction Economics and Procurement; Management of Safety, Health and Project Management; Construction Project Management; Sustainable Design and Construction; Construction Contracts and Dispute Management; Construction Financial Management; Strategic Management in Construction and Property; Enterprises; Risk and Value Management; Dissertation.
- **Triple accredited:** CIoup, RICS, APM
- **Flexible study:** Full time, Part time
- **Intake:** September and January start dates
- **Routes to chartered status**
- **Designed with industry input**
- **Networking**
- **Available in Glasgow, London or by distance learning**
**MSc Quantity Surveying**

Take existing skills in numeracy, problem solving and communication and apply them to negotiation, dispute resolution, project management and international construction. Progress to a career as a quantity surveyor or commercial manager.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent).

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Design Economics and Cost Planning; Construction Economics and Procurement; Construction Technology (MSc); Construction Contracts and Dispute Management; Risk and Value Management; Construction Financial Management; Construction Project Management; Quantification and Costing of Works; Dissertation.

Double accredited: RICS CIQ8

Flexible study: Full time Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Routes to chartered status

Available in Glasgow or by distance learning

**Cyber Security and Networks**

**MSc/PgD/PgC Advanced Internetwork Engineering**

Choose to progress your career in network engineering and consultancy. Take existing skills in networking and computing science and apply them at expert level.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in a computing or network-related discipline with second-class networking modules at year three and above. Industry experience or certification (for example, CCNA) will be considered for those with non-relevant degrees.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Infrastructure Services; Integrating Network Technologies; Layer 2 Technologies; Layer 3 Technologies 1; Layer 3 Technologies 2; Masters Project; Multicast and WAN Technologies; Research and Project Methods; Security and VPN Technologies.

Assessment only

Industry-standard facilities

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MSc/PgD/PgC Cyber Security

Pursue a career in cyber security with a postgraduate degree that equips you with distinct specialist knowledge and analytical skills. You’ll be able to solve complex cyber security problems with expert-level ability.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) which contains a substantial computing or information and communications technology component.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

- **Modules:** Fundamentals of Routing and Switching; Cyber Defence and Penetration Testing; Network Security; Secure Operations; Secure Connectivity; Cyber Forensics and Incident Response; Information Security Management; Research and Project Methods; MSc Project.

- **Mix of exams and assessments**

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**Electrical and Electronic Engineering**

MSc Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Apply existing skills in electrical, electronic and computer engineering to develop further insight at postgraduate electronic engineering level. Progress your career and help address global challenges through study of sustainable energy, telecommunications and smart electronic sensing systems.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in electronic or electrical engineering, or related subject.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

- **Modules:** Advanced Telecommunications; Condition Monitoring; Energy Audit and Energy Asset Management; Measurement Systems; Measurement Theory and Devices; Power System Operation and Protection; Professional Practice (Engineering); Renewable Energy Technologies; MSc Project.

- **Accredited:** IET

- **Flexible study:** Full time Part time

- **Intake:** September and January start dates

- **Routes to chartered status:** CEng

- **Mix of exams and assessments**

- **Employer events on campus**

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MSc Electrical Power Engineering

Apply existing skills in electrical and electronics engineering to the structure and technologies of power system networks. Progress to a career as a project manager or design engineer with employers such as Scottish Power, SSE and GE.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in electrical or electronics discipline.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Advanced AC and DC Transmission Systems; Condition Monitoring; Control Systems; Energy Audit and Energy Asset Management; Power Electronics and Drive Systems; Power Systems Operation and Protection; Project; Project Planning and Management; Smart Grid and Sustainable Energy Systems.

Accredited: IET

Flexible study: Full time Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Top employer visit

Guest lectures

Routes to chartered status: Partial CEng FL

Mix of exams and assessments

Windfarm visit

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Mechanical Engineering

MSc Mechanical Engineering (Design) (Manufacturing)

Choose a career as a professional mechanical engineer specialising in either design or manufacture. Take existing skills in mechanical or manufacturing engineering and apply them to postgraduate-level study.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in a suitable mechanical or manufacturing engineering discipline.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Advanced Computer Aided Engineering; Advanced Engineering Mechanics - Dynamics; Advanced Engineering Mechanics - Structures; Applied Thermo Fluids and Computational Fluid Mechanics; Condition Monitoring; Ethics, Safety and Safety Management; Maintenance Management; Manufacturing Management; Project; Project (Mechanical Engineering); Project Planning and Management; Strategy and Innovation.

Double accredited: EC I MechE

Flexible study: Full time Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Routes to chartered status: CEng

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The School of Health and Life Sciences is one of the largest providers of health and life sciences education in Scotland and is committed to the pursuit of excellence in teaching, research and knowledge transfer across a range of disciplines: biological and biomedical sciences, nursing and community health, occupational therapy, physiotherapy, podiatry, radiography, psychology, social work and vision sciences.

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You’ll gain practical experience that will benefit your career – 95% of GCU’s graduates are in work or further education within six months of graduating (HESA, 2018). With this focus on careers throughout, you’ll attain specialist knowledge that can be applied to your field and across the wider health and social care sector. Our broad portfolio is also built on world-leading and respected research, with the majority of our courses accredited by the relevant discipline’s professional, statutory and regulatory body. This means that after graduation, you can apply for appropriate professional registration.

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“The teachers and the lecturers were very hands-on and watched over us. They always asked us after lessons and lectures if everything was OK, and if we needed anything. So it was very holistic.”
Laura, Nursing graduate
“I was really impressed by GCU staff. They wanted to help us pass, they wanted to give us all the resources available to us.” Andrew, DPsych graduate

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RSB Royal Society of Biology  
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CSP The Chartered Society of Physiotherapy  
BPS British Psychological Society  
NMC Nursing and Midwifery Council
MRes/PgD/PgC Biological Sciences

Take existing skills in biomolecular and biomedical science and apply them to the postgraduate-level study of data acquisition and analysis. Progress to a career in biomedical research and development within pharma industry or academia.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in a biological science.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.5 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.0.

Modules: Nature of Research Enquiry; Critical Review of Research; Introduction to Quantitative Research Methods; Introduction to Qualitative Research Methods; Quantitative Data Analysis; Applied Skills in Qualitative Research Methods; Research Design and Research Project Management; Research Project 1; Research Project 2.

Assessment only

MSc Biomedical Science

Designed for working scientists, the MSc Biomedical Science is the only one of its kind in the city of Glasgow.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in biomedical science or applied biomedical science, honours degree 2:2 or above in a biological science subject and additional study as determined on application to the Registration Unit of the IBMS, or professional qualification of equivalent status.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.5.

Modules: Metabolic and Vascular Diseases; Infection and Immunity; Oncology; Quality and Laboratory Management; Research Methodology and Project Design; Specialist Portfolio and Research Project.

Accredited: IBMS
Flexible study: Part time
Intake: September and January start dates
Mix of exams and assessments
**MSc Diabetes Care and Management**

Enhance existing skills in the care and management of diabetes. Improve understanding, practices and skills in diabetes to improve patient outcomes. Progress your career as a healthcare professional with the NHS, other healthcare systems or private sector.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent). Applicants will normally be registered healthcare professionals.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

**Modules:** Diabetes Care: A Multi Professional Approach - Post experience Certificate CPD (20 credits); Pathophysiology and Therapeutics of Diabetes; The Lower Limb and Foot in Diabetes - Evaluation of Risk; Introduction to Qualitative Research Methods; Chronic Complications of Diabetes; Nutrition and Lifestyle Management of Diabetes; Supporting Anticipatory Care for Long Term Conditions Management (Diabetes) or Advancing Practice in Diabetes Care and Management; Reflective Work-based Practice; Project/Dissertation - Diabetes.

Flexible study: Full time

Intake: September and January start dates

Clinical attachments at local hospitals

Guest lectures

Mix of exams and assessments

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**MSc Medical Bioscience**

This course is designed to develop your theoretical and practical knowledge and apply this to understanding the causes and treatments of disease processes.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in a biological science.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

**Modules:** Biomolecular Studies; M Skills: Digital Literacies and Practical Skills; Infection and Immunity; Translational Medical Science; Oncology; Metabolic Vascular Disease; Research Skills in Medical Bioscience; Topics in Medical Bioscience; Tissue Regeneration and Therapeutics; Research Project.

Mix of exams and assessments

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**PgD Advancing District Nursing Practice with Specialist Practitioner Qualification**

Use your skills in nursing and apply them to district nursing with specialist practitioner status. Progress to a career as a charge nurse within the community.

Minimum academic requirement: BSc (Hons)/BSc. Requirement to complete an enhanced CV. One-year post RN community experience.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 7.0.

Modules: Advanced Research Methods; Advanced Clinical Assessment and Decision Making in Acute and Primary Care; Prescribing for Healthcare Practitioners; District Nurse Role in Supporting Anticipatory Care for Long Term Conditions; Leading District Nursing Practice.

**MSc Nursing Studies Adult (Pre-registration)**

Advance your career in nursing within the adult field in a diverse range of healthcare settings. Utilise existing graduate skills and attributes and apply them to nursing.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in a non-adult nursing discipline. English and Maths at Standard Grade, GCSE, National 5 (or equivalent). Two satisfactory references (one of which should be academic). Evidence of recent assessed study or relevant CPD activities within the last five years. Evidence of digital literacy. If successful, you’ll be shortlisted and invited for interview.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with 6.5 in writing and 7.0 in the other three components.

Modules: The Art and Science of Nursing; Developing Nursing Skills; Practice Learning Experience Part 1 (MSc); Inter-professional Working: Context, Organisations and Practice; Promoting Values-Based Nursing in Contemporary Practice; Person-Centred Adult Nursing; Global Health; Enhancing Nursing Skills; Practice Learning Experience Part 2 (MSc); Leading and Managing Complex Care in Adult Nursing; Dissertation; Practice Learning Experience Part 3 (MSc).
MSc Nursing: Advancing Professional Practice

This course offers registered nurses modules to advance their practice through a flexible programme for the award MSc/PgD Advancing Professional Practice or pathways for MSc/PgD Nursing: Advancing Professional Practice (Advanced Nurse Practitioner) (Home students) and MSc Nursing: Advancing Professional Practice (District Nursing) (Home students).

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent). Must be a registered nurse.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.5 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.0.

Modules: Advanced Clinical Assessment and Decision Making in Acute and Primary Care (home students only; criteria for entry); Advanced Leadership for Health and Social Care Practitioners; Advanced Research Methods; Applied Pathophysiology for Advancing Professional Practice; Applied Statistics and Data Analysis for Public Health; Challenges in Contemporary Global Health Care; Chronic Heart Failure: Optimising Health and Wellbeing (home students only; criteria for entry); Education in Health and Social Care; End of Life Care; Epidemiology: Principles; Application and Evaluation in Practice; Health Economics; Infection Prevention and Control in a Global Context; Masters Dissertation; Minor Surgical Practices (home students only; criteria for entry); Non-Medical Endoscopy (home students only; criteria for entry); Prescribing for Healthcare Practitioners (home students only; criteria for entry); Recognition and Management of the Acutely Unwell Adult (home students only; criteria for entry); Social Action Approaches in Public Health; Supporting Anticipatory Care for Long-Term Conditions; Supportive Palliative Care for Patients with Advancing Heart Failure (home students only; criteria for entry); The Principles and Theory of Public Health Practice; Work-Based Advanced Skills and Innovative Practices.

Accredited: NMC (Prescribing for Healthcare Practitioners module)

Flexible study: Full time Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Mix of exams and assessments

PgD Specialist Community Public Health Nursing (Health Visiting)

Apply existing skills in all fields of nursing and midwifery to the advanced study of critical appraisal, information gathering, leadership and autonomy. Advance your career as a health visitor with health boards throughout the UK.

Minimum academic requirement: Applicants must evidence current registration with the Nursing Midwifery Council (NMC) Adult, Child, Mental Health, Learning Disability and Midwifery and are normally expected to hold a prior degree. If you do not have a degree, please contact the course leader for additional information.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 7.0.

Modules: Advanced Research Methods; Introduction to Public Health and Application to Health Visiting Practice; Application of Leadership to Contemporary Health Visiting Practice; Advancing Public Health and Application to Health Visiting Practice and Consolidation of Health Visiting Practice. In addition, this course includes practice components that require supervision and assessment by practice assessors supported by a practice assessor and academic assessor.

Accredited: NMC

Flexible study: Full time Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Guest lectures

Mix of exams and assessments

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**MPH Master of Public Health**

Take existing skills in public health and apply them to theoretical insight, data analysis, research and practical application. Develop into roles such as public health advisor, researcher, epidemiologist or policy advisor.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in a relevant field, such as - but not limited to - medicine, nursing, dentistry, allied health professions, microbiology and chemistry.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.5 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.0.

**Modules:** Advanced Research Methods; The Principles and Theory of Public Health Practice; Epidemiology: Principles; Application and Evaluation in Practice; Social Action Approaches in Public Health; Health Economics; Applied Statistics and Data Analysis for Public Health; Masters Dissertation. Optional: One module per year based on the cohort preference: Navigating the Policy Context; Infection Prevention and Control in a Global Context; Evidence-Based Public Health.

**Flexible study:**
- Full time
- Part time

**Intake:** September and January start dates

**Guest lectures**

**Mix of exams and assessments**

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**Occupational Therapy and Human Nutrition and Dietetics**

**MSc Occupational Therapy (Pre-registration)**

Occupational therapists are health professionals who assist people of all ages who experience difficulties and challenges due to physical and/or mental ill health, disability or ageing. Choose from careers within the statutory health and social care sector, private practice and voluntary sectors.

Minimum academic requirement: A prior degree in any discipline. For direct entry, a recent (in the last five years) first class or upper second class honours degree or equivalent.

Applicants who do not meet the minimum academic requirement may undertake an online pre-entry module as an alternative route onto the course. Additional information is available on our website.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.5.

**Modules:** Occupational Performance: Body Structure, Function and Participation; Foundations of Occupational therapy and Occupational Science; Essential Practice Skills for Occupation Focused Practice; Practice-Based Learning 1 (Practice Education); Evidence-Informed Occupational Transformation; Inter-professional Working: Context, Organisations and Practice; Practice-Based Learning 2 (Practice Education); Practice-Based Learning 3 (Practice Education); Ethics and Reasoning for Occupation Focused Practice; Practice-Based Learning 4 (Practice Education); Occupational Justice; Policy and Societal Transformation; Dissertation.

**Double accredited:**
- RCOT
- WFOT

**Routes to chartered status:**
- HCPC

**Intake:** January start date

**Work placements**

**Guest lectures**

**Mix of exams and assessments**
Physiotherapy and Paramedicine

MSc/PgD/PgC Advanced Practice

Progress to advanced clinical, leadership, education and research-based roles with the NHS, public and independent sectors. Take existing skills in health and social care and apply them to research, clinical assessment, analysis and insight.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent). Minimum two-three years’ experience as a registered health or social care practitioner.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.5 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.0.

Modules: Advanced Leadership for Health and Social Care Practitioners; Work-Based Advanced Skills and Innovative Practices; Principles of Practice in Medical Ultrasound; Non-Medical Prescribing; Applied Pathophysiology for Advancing Professional Practice; Supporting Anticipatory Care for Long-Term Conditions; Foundations of Radiographic Image Interpretation; Magnetic Resonance Imaging Principles and Practice; Computed Tomography Principles and Practice; Advancing Practices in Imaging; Social Action Approaches in Public Health; Human Movement and MSK Rehabilitation; Advanced Assessment and Management of Illness and Injury; Advancing Physiotherapy Practice; Advanced Research Methods; Dissertation.

Flexible study: Full time, Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Guest lectures

Mix of exams and assessments

DPT Doctor of Physiotherapy (Pre-registration)

Apply your existing degree in kinesiology or sport science and develop clinical reasoning of assessment and rehabilitation. Progress your career as a physiotherapist with the NHS, private clinics or in other health and social care settings.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:1 (or equivalent) in a science discipline related to physiotherapy such as physiology, human biology, anatomy, kinesiology, sports science/medicine. Experience of the process of research is essential. The honours degree must have contained a substantial element of human physiology. A pre-entry negotiated learning module is available to applicants who have limited human physiology experience. Shortlisted applicants must attend interview. International applicants are offered a telephone/Skype interview. Applicants should have an understanding of the role of physiotherapy practice and research within the current health and well-being agenda. Relevant visits to clinical locations, voluntary work or part-time employment, in an area where the impact of disability is experienced, are desirable, but not essential. Students have to clearly articulate their motivations for applying to the DPT course.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.5.

Modules: Neuromusculoskeletal 1 and 2; Health Promotion; Practice Evaluation; Cardiovascular and Respiratory Therapeutics; Practice-Based Learning; Inter-Professional Working; Context, Organisation and Practice; Neurorehabilitation; Advanced Research Enquiry; Professional Development 1, 2 and 3; Project 1 and Project 2.

Double accredited: CSP
HCPC

Intake: January start date

Work placement and top employer visit

Guest lectures

Mix of exams and assessments

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MSc Physiotherapy

Progress your career as a physiotherapist with the NHS, private clinics and in other health and social care settings.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in physiotherapy. Alternatively an unclassified degree or professional diploma in physiotherapy with over two years’ professional experience.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Advancing Physiotherapy Practice; Advanced Research Methods; Advanced Assessment and Management of Illness and Injury; Human Movement and MSK Rehabilitation; Social Action Approaches in Public Health; Supporting Anticipatory Care for Long Term Conditions; Applied Pathophysiology for Advancing Professional Practice; Work Based Advanced Skills and Innovative Practices; Principles of Practice in Medical Ultrasound; Advanced Leadership for Health and Social Care Practitioners; Dissertation.

MSc Physiotherapy (Pre-registration)

Use your existing degree in kinesiology or sport science to develop clinical reasoning of assessment and rehabilitation, and progress your career as a physiotherapist in the NHS, private clinics and other health and social care settings.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:1 (or equivalent) in a discipline related to physiotherapy that contained a substantial element of human physiology within its programme of study. Experience of the process of research is essential. A diploma or degree in physiotherapy is not appropriate.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.5.

Modules: Neuromusculoskeletal 1 and 2; Cardiovascular and Respiratory Therapeutics; Neurorehabilitation; Health Promotion; Practice Evaluation; Inter-Professional Working: Context, Organisations and Practice; Dissertation; Practice-Based Learning.
MSc Advanced Paramedic Practice

This course recognises that advanced paramedic practitioners must demonstrate high-level decision-making and problem-solving skills in challenging complex clinical situations as part of caring for the population, requiring advanced scholarship to underpin safe and effective practice.

Minimum academic entry requirements: UK honours degree (or equivalent). Current registration as a paramedic and a minimum of three years’ post-registration experience. Current registration status on the Paramedic Register will be verified with the HCPC or other relevant body.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.


Flexible study: Part time
Intake: September and January start dates
Work placement
Guest lectures
Mix of exams and assessments
Industry-standard facilities: Clinical Simulation Centre
Designed with industry input

Podiatry and Radiography

MSc Diagnostic Imaging

Progress to a career as a researcher, lecturer or in advanced practice. Take existing skills in radiography and diagnostic imaging and apply them to radiographic image interpretation, magnetic resonance imaging (MRI), computed tomography (CT) or medical ultrasound.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in Diagnostic Radiography/Imaging with relevant practical experience. Subject to PVG and/or occupational health checks. Applicants must be a radiographer or sonographer in their home country.

English language requirement: IELTS overall score of 6.5 (or equivalent) with reading and listening at 6.5 and no other element below 6.0.

Modules: Advancing Practices in Imaging; Advanced Research Methods; Masters Dissertation; Advanced Leadership for Health and Social Care Practitioners; Principles of Practice in Medical Ultrasound; Magnetic Resonance Imaging Principles and Practice; Computed Tomography Principles and Practice; Foundations of Radiographic Image Interpretation; Applications of Radiographic Image Interpretation; Work-Based Skills and Innovative Practices 1 and 2.

Accredited: College of Radiographers
Flexible study: Full time
Part time
Intake: January or September start dates
Work placement
Guest lectures
Mix of exams and assessments

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MSc Medical Ultrasound

Build on existing skills in radiography, midwifery or other health-related professions and specialisms to become a safe, competent ultrasound practitioner. Progress to a career in sonography or advanced practice within the NHS or independent practice.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2.2 (or equivalent) in Radiography, Nursing, Midwifery, Medicine, Podiatry, Physiotherapy or any other relevant allied health science subject. Applicants must have ongoing access to an appropriate clinical placement and mentorship.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.5.

Modules: Principles of Practice in Medical Ultrasound; General Medical Ultrasound; Obstetrics and Gynaecological Ultrasound; Defined Area of Ultrasound Practice 1; Defined Area of Ultrasound Practice 2; Advanced Research Methods; Masters Dissertation. Core Modules: Principles of Practice in Medical Ultrasound (level 1); Advanced Research Methods (level 2).

Accredited: CASE

Flexible study: Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Guest lectures

Mix of exams and assessments

Industry-standard facilities

MSc Theory of Podiatric Surgery

Apply skills in podiatric assessment, diagnosis and management planning at postgraduate degree level. Progress to a career in podiatric surgery or advanced practice within the NHS or independent practice.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in podiatry.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.5 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.0.

Modules: Anatomy for Surgical Practice; Principles of Diagnostic Investigations; Podiatric Mechanics; Pharmacology for Podiatry; Medicine and Pathology; Diagnostic Imaging - Interpretive; Research Methods; Masters Dissertation. Please note: not all modules will be offered every academic year.

Flexible study: Part time

Intake: January start date

Guest lectures

Double accredited: COP ACPS

Mix of exams and assessments
**DPsyCh Counselling Psychology**

Take existing skills in psychology and apply them to advanced clinical practice and postgraduate research. Choose a career pathway in professional practice and academia.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:1 (or equivalent) that meets British Psychological Society (BPS) standards for the Graduate Basis for Chartership (GBC). Personal maturity and demonstrable experience in a helping role.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 7.0.

Modules: Critical Enquiry in Counselling Psychology; Applied Psychology Practice 1 (Theory); Applied Psychology Practice 1 (Skills); Analytical Methods; Advanced Research in Applied Psychology 1D; Professional Development in Applied Psychology 1; Critical Enquiry in Applied Psychology 2; Applied Psychology Practice 2 (Counselling Psychology); Advanced Research in Applied Psychology 2; Professional Development in Applied Psychology 2; Critical Enquiry in Applied Psychology 3; Applied Psychology Practice 3 (Counselling Psychology); Advanced Research in Applied Psychology 3; Professional Development in Applied Psychology 3A; Professional Development in Applied Psychology 3B.

**MSc Forensic Psychology**

Apply existing analytical and evaluation skills to forensic psychology. Progress to a career in the public/private and third sectors, working in the courts, law enforcement, prisons, hospitals, mental health or social work. The course is accredited by the British Psychological Society.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:1 (or equivalent) in psychology that meets British Psychological Society (BPS) standards for the Graduate Basis for Chartership (GBC) plus a minimum six months’ relevant work experience in a forensic setting. Shortlisted applicants will be invited for interview.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.5.

Modules: Psychology of Criminal Behaviour; Psychology and the Legal Process; Analytical Methods; Working in Forensic Settings; Psychological Assessment; Psychological Intervention; Vulnerable Groups in Forensic Settings; Principals of Forensic Practice; Advanced Research in Applied Psychology.

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DPsych Health Psychology

This three-year taught Professional Doctorate in Health Psychology offers training in psychotherapeutic skills, research and behaviour change. It is accredited by the BPS and HCPC.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:1 (or equivalent) in psychology that meets British Psychological Society (BPS) standards for the Graduate Basis for Chartership (GBC), plus relevant work experience. Subject to DBS, PVG and/or occupational health checks. Shortlisted applicants will be invited for interview. Entry with an existing MSc in Health Psychology (BPS accredited) will make you eligible for Recognition of Prior Learning for up to 50% of year one.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 7.0.

Modules: Professional Development in Applied Psychology 1; Applied Psychology Practice 1 (Skills); Applied Psychology Practice 1 (Theory); Consultancy and Training in Applied Psychology 1: Health; Analytical Methods; Interventions in Applied Psychology 1; Advanced Research in Applied Psychology 1M/0; Professional Development in Applied Psychology 2; Critical Enquiry in Applied Psychology 2; Interventions in Applied Psychology 2; Advanced Research in Applied Psychology 2; Professional Development in Applied Psychology 3a; Professional Development in Applied Psychology 3b; Critical Enquiry in Applied Psychology 3; Interventions in Applied Psychology; Advanced Research in Applied Psychology 3.

DPsych Sports and Exercise Psychology

Choose to progress to a career as a sport and exercise psychologist. Apply existing skills in psychology and sport sciences to the understanding, predicting and explaining of changes in mental processes relating to sport and exercise.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:1 (or equivalent) in Psychology that meets British Psychological Society (BPS) standards for the Graduate Basis for Chartership (GBC) plus relevant work experience. Subject to DBS, PVG and/or occupational health checks. Shortlisted applicants will be invited for interview. Direct access to year two with an MSc in Sport and Exercise Psychology (BPS accredited) will be considered in line with GCU’s Recognition of Prior Learning policy.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 7.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 7.0.

Modules: Consultancy and Training in Applied Psychology 1: Sport and Exercise; Interventions in Applied Psychology 1; Professional Development in Applied Psychology 1; Advanced Research in Applied Psychology 1; Applied Psychology practice 1 (Skills); Applied Psychology Practice 1 (Theory); Analytical Methods; Advanced Research in Applied Psychology 1; Critical Enquiry in Applied Psychology 2; Interventions in Applied Psychology.
MSc Investigative Ophthalmology and Vision Research

Take existing skills in eye care/optometry and apply them to postgraduate study. Progress to a career in senior roles in hospital optometry, teaching or PhD study. The course is suited to applicants with a first degree in optometry/eye care. Junior medical doctor’s degree/ophthalmology welcome.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in optometry, or other vision-related subject. Alternatively, UK General Optical Council (GOC) registration (MCOptom).

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Advanced Binocular Vision; Advanced Research Methods for Vision Sciences (awaiting approval); Research Project; Advanced Clinical Investigation. Optional: Master-level skills for Vision Sciences (awaiting approval); Clinical Ophthalmology; Ocular Therapeutics; Diabetes Care; Chronic Complications of Diabetes; Health Economics; Public Health. UK students only: Practical and Theoretical Prescribing; Independent Prescribing.
Live the GCU experience in the heart of London

Take your career to new global heights with a postgraduate qualification from Glasgow Caledonian University London. Immersed in a vibrant, intellectually and culturally stimulating city, you’ll be inspired by the people you meet, the intimate learning environment and the busy backdrop of London’s fashion and financial sectors.

Our London campus attracts world-leading academics and professionals in your field. With all the facilities of an ultra-modern and forward-looking university campus and courses with employability at their core, your masters qualification will give you the confidence to move into a leadership role.

London is home to our flagship British School of Fashion and the British School of Leadership and Management. Working alongside the global luxury sector and at the forefront of advanced sustainability practices, the British School of Fashion is educating the next generation of business entrepreneurs and innovators who will transform this dynamic sector. In alignment, the British School of Leadership and Management stems from our longstanding commitment to education in responsible business leadership and management, through pioneering research and industry-relevant expertise, to develop the conscious leaders of tomorrow.

We can offer you links to international leaders and academic expertise, reflective of your ambitions, and an authentic experience that will inspire you to go further.

“Life at GCU London as a student is generally very rich in variety, very inspiring and it is challenging in the right proportions. You feel very alive in the multicultural environment and the city is just very vibrant.

I’m amazed by the passion of the lecturers. It is very easy to learn from professors who are enthusiastic about their fields and are very committed to their subjects.”

Franziska, MBA Luxury Brand Management graduate
“The highlight of my course was the opportunity to gain work experience as part of the programme. It helped me to learn how my knowledge applies to real situations and strengthened my resume.”
Amy, MSc International Management and Business Development graduate

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Civil Engineering and Environmental Management

**MSc Environmental Management (Waste, Energy, Water, Oil and Gas)**

Progress to a career in environmental consultancy or management and work with contractors, environmental regulators and NGOs. Take existing skills in environmental, earth sciences and engineering, and apply them to current environmental issues.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any science or engineering-related degree including environmental studies, engineering, planning, geology, geography and zoology. Other management-related and relevant experience will also be considered.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Climate Change and Carbon Management; Climate Justice; Contaminated Land and Landfill Engineering; Environmental Planning and Impact Assessment; Environmental Pollution Monitoring and Analysis; GIS and Environmental Management; Health, Safety and Environmental Management; Project (MSc). Other optional modules will depend on your pathway: Energy; Waste; Water or Oil and Gas.

- **Triple accredited:** CIWEM  CIBSE  CIWM
- **Flexible study:** Full time  Part time
- **Intake:** September and January start dates
- **Mix of exams and assessments**

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Construction and Surveying

**MSc International Construction Project Management**

Progress to a career as a project manager with employers such as Balfour Beatty, Sir Robert McAlpine and Morgan Sindall. Develop your leadership and planning skills at postgraduate level in the study of construction and the built environment.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in construction, surveying or civil engineering related subjects.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Construction Economics and Procurement; Management of Safety, Health and Project Management; Construction Project Management; Sustainable Design and Construction; Construction Contracts and Dispute Management; Construction Financial Management; Strategic Management in Construction and Property; Enterprises; Risk and Value Management; Dissertation.

- **Triple accredited:** CIOM  RICS  APM
- **Flexible study:** Full time  Part time
- **Intake:** September and January start dates
- **Routes to chartered status**
- **Assessment only**
- **Designed with industry input**
- **Networking**
- **Available in London, Glasgow or by distance learning**
MSc Quantity Surveying

Take existing skills in numeracy, problem-solving and communication, and apply them to negotiation, dispute resolution, project management and international construction. Progress to a career as a quantity surveyor or commercial manager.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Design Economics and Cost Planning; Construction Economics and Procurement; Construction Technology (MSc); Construction Contracts and Dispute Management; Risk and Value Management; Construction Financial Management; Construction Project Management; Quantification and Costing of Works and Dissertation.

Double accredited: RICS CIOB

Flexible study: Full time Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Assessment only

Guest lectures: Laboni Saha, L Saha Pigalle Tavakkoli, Guerilla Science

Professional engagement

Fashion, Marketing, Tourism and Events

MSc Fashion and Lifestyle Marketing

You’ll be equipped with a critical understanding of traditional, digital and experiential marketing relevant to creating solutions to real world fashion marketing. You’ll develop creative, commercial and analytical skills, all vital for working in fashion.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Fashion and Lifestyle Marketing: Theories and Concepts; Trend and Design Decisions; Consumer Insights; Fashion and Lifestyle Retail Experiences; Fashion and Lifestyle Brand Lab; Fair and Sustainable Fashion; Career Planning and Professional Development; Introduction to Research Methods; Research Project

Flexible study: Full time Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Guest lectures: Laboni Saha, L Saha Pigalle Tavakkoli, Guerilla Science

Professional engagement

MSc Fashion Business Creation

Develop your business strategy and brand management skills to be a creative/responsible entrepreneur. Progress to a career as a business owner or brand strategist, ready to succeed in a digitally-focused and globally-linked fashion market.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.


Flexible study: Full time Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Guest lectures

Employer events on campus

Mix of exams and assessments
**MSc International Marketing**

Develop your skills and creativity to master level and engage in hands-on study of sustainable marketing practices relevant to the digital age. You’ll cover aspects of marketing from branding to communications, innovation to logistics, as well as strategy and analytics to secure a career in international marketing.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

**Modules:** Consumer Insights; Brand Lab and International Communications; Innovation and Global Marketing Logistics; International Marketing Strategy; International Marketing Concepts for Sustainable Practice; Digital Marketing; Analytics and Storytelling with Data; Career Planning and Professional Development; Introduction to Research Methods.

**Flexible study:**
- Full time
- Part time

**Intake:** September and January start dates

**Guest lectures**

**Professional engagement**
- Available in London or by distance learning

**MBA Luxury Brand Management**

Progress to a career as an experienced manager in the global luxury market. Combine your current experience with the latest industry thinking, theory at the forefront of luxury, marketing and brand management disciplines and direct input into classes from industry speakers.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent), with two-years’ appropriate management experience if applicant has a non-business degree. If successful, you’ll be shortlisted and invited for interview.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.0.

**Modules:** Luxury Concepts and Practice; Strategic Finance for Luxury Management; Omnichannel Distribution Strategies for Luxury; Leadership and Social Responsibility; Global Luxury Brand Strategy; Legal Aspects of Brand Management; Sustainable Luxury; Introduction to Research Methods; MBA Project.

**Flexible study:**
- Full time
- Part time

**Intake:** September and January start dates

**Visit to a top employer**
- Internships available

**Guest lectures**

**Visit to luxury brands,**
- luxury networking
MSc Luxury Marketing

The MSc Luxury Marketing course aims to provide you with the opportunity to study luxury marketing within a global context while also being cognisant of the wider responsibilities of businesses including responsible leadership.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Developing Personal and Professional Competence; Introduction to Research Methods; Luxury Consumer Behavior; Luxury Branding and Sustainable Marketing; Integrated Marketing Communications; Strategic Marketing of Luxury Goods; Legal Aspects of Brand Management; Digital and Social Media Marketing; Research Project.

Flexible study: Full time Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Visit to a top employer

Guest lectures

Assessment only

Finance, Accounting and Risk

MSc International Banking, Finance and Risk Management

Accelerate your professional career in commercial and corporate banking and the finance, insurance and investment industries. Learn from academic and industry experts how to apply financial theories to the real world.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language requirement: IELTS score of 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Commercial Banking; Strategic Bank Management; Bank Operational Risk Management; Ethics, Governance and Responsible Leadership; Financial Risk Modelling; Financial Securities Analysis; Financial Services Regulation; Global Finance; Masters Research Project.

Flexible study: Full time Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Routes to chartered status: CII Associate Chartered Banker

Triple accredited: CBI CISI CII

Assessment only

Available in London, Glasgow or by distance learning

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**MBA Global Masters of Business Administration (with additional pathways in Public Health or Insurance)**

Apply existing skills in innovation and creative thinking to this unique international management qualification which can be tailored to you. Choose to progress as a professional manager in roles across all sectors.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: MBA Skills and Toolbox (Core): Responsible Leadership; Methods for Evidence Based Projects; MBA Project; Operations Management and Analytics for Management Decision-Making; Creating Organisational Value; Corporate Citizenship in a Global Age; Strategic Management. Electives (choose one): Product and Service Innovation and Global Logistics; Managing Change; The Principals and Theory of Public Health Practice*; Insurance Automation; Analytics; Digitalisation and Cyber Security**. Electives (choose one): Innovation and Entrepreneurship; Social Action Approaches to Public Health*; Business Continuity and Crisis Management; Global Marketing Strategy; Insurance Solutions for Risk in Emerging Markets**.

*To graduate with Global MBA (Public Health) you’ll need to choose both of these modules.

**To graduate with Global MBA (Insurance) you’ll need to choose both of these modules.

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**MSc Insurance and Sustainable Risk Management**

Take existing skills in business disciplines and apply them to insurance management, risk management, risk modelling and insurance underwriting. Progress your career as an underwriter, risk analyst, claims manager, insurance manager or risk modeller.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in a relevant subject, for example, risk management, insurance, banking, financial services, actuarial studies, business management, business administration, computing, natural disaster management, marketing, economics, finance, accounting, mathematics, health science, engineering, law or any other insurance and risk management related subject.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

**MSc International Business, Trade and Diplomacy**

Become a leader in international diplomacy with an understanding of how governments and the business community can work together to promote business, trade and attract foreign direct investment in a globally responsible manner.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in any subject area.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Diplomacy; Diplomacy, Practice, Procedures and Dynamics I; Diplomacy, Practice, Procedures and Dynamics II; Cross-Cultural Communication; Project and Perception; Digital Nation State: Strategies and Implementation; International Business and Trade; Introduction to Research Methods; Research Project. Optional modules in: Ethics, Governance and Responsible Leadership; Global Perspectives on Risk; International Management; Strategy and Finance; Leadership and People Management.

Flexible study: Full time
Part time

Intake: January, May and September start dates

Guest lectures
Assessment only

**MSc International Management and Business Development**

Be at the forefront of the skills and thinking that are needed to lead organisations in an increasingly international and interconnected world. Manage change and innovation, people, finances and marketing towards more sustainable business practices and establish your career in digital-age international business development.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent).

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.0 (or equivalent) with no element below 5.5.

Modules: Leadership and People Management; Managing Change; Innovation and Entrepreneurship; Strategic Planning and Finance for Managers; International Management; Governance and Sustainability; Digital Marketing; Analytics and Storytelling with Data; Career Planning and Professional Development; Introduction to Research Methods; Research Project.

Flexible study: Full time
Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

Mix of exams and assessments
Available in London or by distance learning

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**Social Science**

**MPH Master of Public Health**

Inequalities continue to challenge quality of life and life expectancy globally. An ageing population, rising disease burden, migration and climate change continue to highlight the need to take forward the public health agenda. Progress to a career in public health. Be part of the positive change.

Minimum academic requirement: UK honours degree 2:2 (or equivalent) in a relevant subject such as but not limited to medicine, nursing, dentistry, allied health professions, microbiology or chemistry.

English language requirement: IELTS score 6.5 (or equivalent) with no element below 6.0.

Modules: Advanced Research Methods; The Principles and Theory of Public Health Practice; Epidemiology; Principles, Application and Evaluation in Practice; Social Action Approaches in Public Health; Health Economics; Applied Statistics and Data Analysis for Public Health; Masters Dissertation. One optional module: Infection Prevention and Control in a Global Context; Evidence-Based Public Health or Navigating the Policy Context.

Flexible study: Full time
Part time

Intake: September and January start dates

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Employability is at the heart of all of our courses. They are designed with input from industry to ensure a range of features that enable our graduates to stand out in the employment market.

**Industry links**
Your learning experience will be an authentic one, informed by practices established in the workplace as well as the research that underpins them.

Leading employers in your sector work with us in partnership, to ensure that the course you study remains relevant to their needs. This, along with world-leading research and live practical problem-solving, is what sets your postgraduate experience apart from others.

**Placements**
A work placement introduces you to potential employers and lets you learn in a real-life situation. Work experience builds your confidence, your professional reputation and network.

**UHatch**
Everyone may ignite their entrepreneurial spark with UHatch - the University’s social enterprise incubator. By accessing expert business knowledge, increasing your network of contacts and receiving expert start-up support, you can achieve more during your time here.

I can’t thank the University enough for all the support they have given me both during my studies and beyond. I would never have progressed in this industry if it wasn’t for the practical skills, experience and knowledge I gained while at GCU.”  Amy, 2019 Alumni of the year
Careers support
With a focus firmly on employability, you’ll get the opportunity to develop your career opportunities and progression with the support of the University’s Careers Service.

You’ll prepare for local and international job markets, access a range of services to help you showcase your professional skills, as well as activities to build your professional profile.

Employer events enable you to meet companies offering jobs and work experience. You can meet with professional careers advisers for advice and guidance about your career. Careers advisers offer help with career related topics such as CV writing, interview techniques and developing a job search strategy.

The Careers Service website has detailed careers information and online interactive tools to enhance your career skills. Students and graduates can also sign up for a vacancy board offering graduate jobs, part time work and work experience opportunities.

Graduate success
Once you’ve completed your postgraduate degree you can follow in the footsteps of previous graduates who have gone on to enjoy international careers with employers including NATO, BBC, Morgan Stanley, Rolls-Royce, the NHS, the Scottish Government, Health Canada and Hewlett Packard.

Work Experience Hub
The Work Experience Hub provides opportunities to take part in work experience at the University. You can acquire skills that employers value by working for us in areas such as mentoring, helping during open days or as a student ambassador.

Learning Development Centres
We’re committed to ensuring you flourish academically. Each school within the University has a learning development centre, which gives professional support to all students, including those with disabilities or those with specific learning or teaching needs.

Search and join: GCU postgraduate students
Developing your research

Undertaking research gives you a unique opportunity to focus on developing your own ideas in your chosen field. Whether undertaken as part of your masters or taken further to a PhD or beyond, research allows you to form part of the ongoing development of the ideas shaping our world.

You’ll have access to our innovative Research Centres. With well-established international reputations, their pioneering work is influencing and informing policy decisions and technological advancements.

You’ll be supported by a community of academic staff and over 500 research students from more than 50 countries. At GCU, ideas, expertise and experiences can be shared, challenged and developed.

Whether it is a PhD, a Professional Doctorate or a Masters of Research, you can choose to progress to the next level of research that can lead to further academia or more demanding leadership roles.

The Masters of Research provides you with solid transferable skills that can boost your career or support a move into doctoral study. With the PhD you can progress towards a career in academia or become an international expert in your field, while the Professional Doctorate allows you to combine doctoral-level research with your professional career, equipping you for senior decision-making positions.

Research demonstrates your personal, vocational and academic development. It provides a major contribution to society and the wider global community – enabling you to make a real impact on the global challenges of our time.

Find out more about research degree opportunities at GCU: gcu.ac.uk/research

“Being involved in education at such a high level is a first for me. So I learned that if you want to do something for society you need to look at what is missing and what people need. Then you create something to address their needs.

“This has helped me as a research assistant, but it also helps with social change, something I’m really passionate about.” Fatma, PhD student
At GCU, we take great pride in ensuring all of our research contributes to the Sustainable Development Goals issued by the United Nations in 2015.
Whether you choose to study in Glasgow, London or New York, you’ll benefit from all of the advantages of an international education and stand out in the employment market. Joining students from over 100 countries, you’ll find Glasgow Caledonian University to be a welcoming and accessible community.

Studying a postgraduate degree in the UK will give you a significant professional advantage and our campuses in Glasgow, London and New York give you the opportunity to do so in an inspiring and supportive environment.

We offer study destinations that are easy to reach. Our main campus in Glasgow is at the centre of the largest city in Scotland, the fourth-largest in the UK, with close links to national and international transport options.

London is a world-leading city and UK capital. It is a global hub, with direct flights from almost every country in the world. Transport links in the UK make travelling between Glasgow and London quick and easy.

Our New York campus is in the heart of downtown Manhattan, offering you the opportunity to study in one of the world’s most iconic locations.

When you come from overseas to study at any of our campuses, you can expect a life-changing learning experience. We offer a world-class education at an affordable price.

Help with your move
We know it’s a big step to move to another country to study, but we’ll make it an easy one. We can help you with your English language, make your visa application as straightforward as possible and help you find accommodation. We’ll help you settle in and feel at home while you take your learning to the next level.

We offer our students an internationally-recognised first-rate experience, with international students awarding GCU a 97% satisfaction rating. (ISB, 2019).
Support with your visa
While you study here, you and your family can get support from our Visa Immigration Support and Advice (VISA) team. Throughout the year, this professional service arranges drop-in sessions and events on campus. You can find them on Facebook at GCU Visa Team.

International scholarships and discounts
We aim to be an institution that’s accessible to all students and there are a wide range of generous scholarships available. There are also funds available for support with tuition costs, living expenses and travel.

There is a generous scholarship package of £2 million every year to ensure that our courses are accessible. We provide various funded scholarships, bursaries towards study costs, tuition fee reductions and discounts, and loyalty discounts to help keep the cost of studying within reach.

We have some country-specific and some course-specific scholarships available. Others are open to all applicants regardless of domicile or course.

You’ll find details on our website, along with advice and tips on how to apply successfully gcu.ac.uk/scholarships.

Finding accommodation
We’re here to help if you need to find somewhere to stay. Our Caledonian Court student accommodation is a safe and convenient location right beside our Glasgow campus. Our student housing office can help you find somewhere to live in a city that offers value for money and a wide range of options.

London has all the accommodation options of a major global city and our campus has links with local accommodation providers and trained advisers who can give information and support so you can find somewhere that’s right for you.

Find out more about the benefits of living in Glasgow on page 67 and London and New York on page 69.

Making new friends in your student community
You’ll quickly belong to a vibrant social network with a choice of student societies. There are groups for international students and faith groups where you’ll get the opportunity to meet, study and work with fellow students from around the world.

You’ll have the opportunity to take part in events that are organised for international and home students alike throughout the year so you can socialise, explore and experience the country and culture.

For a personal insight into Scotland, our global buddies programme offers you the opportunity to meet a student volunteer from GCU who shares your interests. They’ll quickly help you settle into life in the UK.
When you join GCU you’ll become part of a community of more than 20,000 students from over 100 different countries and in excess of 1,500 staff.

Your postgraduate studies are an opportunity to forge lifelong friendships, to raise your educational and professional aspirations and reach your personal and academic goals.

At our modern, city-centre campus you can immerse yourself in a wide range of activities and student societies with support and facilities to ensure your success.

A great place to study
The University provides a welcoming and supportive place to study and 97% of our international students rate their experience here as satisfying (ISB, 2019). Throughout the year, we organise regular events, including drop-in advice sessions, volunteering opportunities and career clinics.

Student support services provide all the assistance you’ll need in one easy to access on-campus location. A centrally-located Campus Life lounge provides a one-stop shop where you can access information on all the details that make student life easier.

Whether it’s IT help or assistance with visas, financial advice and careers help, any support you need can be accessed from within the University.

All students have access to the Sir Alex Ferguson Library, providing a study environment that can accommodate quiet and group study, and social meeting spaces.

This landmark building was designed to provide the best possible study environment and hosts a variety of spaces for group and individual study over five floors.
Specialist librarians are available to help you access the information you’ll need for coursework and dissertations and to ensure you get the most from the digital education assets that are available.

A dedicated postgraduate study space has been set up on level four, designed and equipped to help you study and relax.

Open seven days a week, facilities in the Sir Alex Ferguson Library range from books and journals to laptop hire, free Wi-Fi, a café and the University’s archives and special collections.

As a postgraduate student, you’ll also have a personal tutor to help you further develop personal, academic and professional skills. Your personal tutor will be a member of academic staff from your department or your research supervisor. They can help improve your academic performance and shape your professional and personal growth.

Join our Students’ Association
When you start at GCU you’ll automatically become a member of the Students’ Association. We primarily exist to represent GCU students and are the student voice to ensure a high quality student experience. Recent successes include No Graduation Fees from Summer 2020 and the creation of the Postgraduate Study Space, Mature Student Room and the Library Rooftop Garden reopening.

We support the academic representatives on each course and the postgraduate representatives within your academic school to ensure high-quality learning and teaching, and our Advice Centre can confidentially support any of your personal or academic issues that arise.

There are many ways to get involved such as joining a sports club, society, student magazine or radio station, liberation or representation groups, our student Nightline service or our sector-leading Student Leaders Programme. You’ll soon find like-minded people who share your interests and make friends.

The Students’ Association Building has a popular bar and grill, bookable group study rooms and a 24-hour computer lab. Find out more about the Students’ Association: GCUstudents.co.uk

- Winner of the 2019 Student Engagement Awards for recognising cultural diversity and embedding intercultural skills in the curriculum (Sparqs, 2019).

- 97% satisfaction score from international students (ISB, 2019).
Committed to your health and wellbeing
Good health and wellbeing ensures you can make the most of your studies. You can access our student wellbeing team for free, confidential advice during your time at University.

Our disability team provides advice, information and services for disabled students and we have resources available to support mental health.

We can give you advice on registering with a doctor and a dentist, and provide confidential professional counselling, physiotherapy and eye care on campus.

We’re here to support your health and wellbeing throughout your studies and to ensure you can have the most fulfilling student experience.

The Arc health and fitness centre
Keep your fitness on track in GCU’s bright and modern health and fitness centre. There are affordable classes and activities that you can get involved with, as well as, University sports clubs, a hair and beauty salon, beauty therapist and physiotherapy clinic. Find out more at gcu.ac.uk/arc

TimeOut rated Glasgow among the top ten cities in the world (2019) for its friendliness and its affordability, and you won’t have to spend a fortune to find out why.
Ensuring your safety
With its accessible location in the heart of the city, our Glasgow campus provides a safe environment for you to study. If you’re relocating for study, you’ll quickly feel at home in this friendly city.

Providing value for money
You’ll have all the opportunities of a large international city during your time in Glasgow, but without the expense. You’ll find essentials like accommodation and food, travel and entertainment without the same price tag of other big cities.

There are world-class attractions and facilities across the city, from music and sports venues, to art and cultural attractions. You’ll find your money goes further without having to compromise on your lifestyle.

Campus nursery
The campus-based nursery provides a safe and secure place for children aged from six weeks to five years old. You can apply for a place here or ask for help finding an alternative local childcare provider. Visit: gcu.ac.uk/student/childcare

Average monthly student expenses in Glasgow

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Average monthly student expenses in London

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Source: Which?, 2020
Scholarships, money and funding

Postgraduate study at Glasgow Caledonian University is accessible and inclusive. We’re committed to keeping our tuition fees affordable and provide a scholarship package of £2 million every year, with high-quality education and life-changing opportunities, open to everyone.

Cost of study
There are generous discounts and postgraduate funding opportunities available to help with the cost of course fees and to provide additional support. For full, up-to-date details of postgraduate course fees visit page 59.

Applying for funding

- Scottish funding
  If you start a full-time or part-time postgraduate course in the UK and live in Scotland, you can apply for a postgraduate loan of up to £10,000 to pay your fees and help with living costs from the Student Awards Agency Scotland (eligible courses only). To find out more, including full details of all eligible courses, visit: saas.gov.uk/full_time/pg

- England, Wales and Northern Ireland funding
  If you start a full-time or part-time postgraduate course in the UK and you’re from England, Wales or Northern Ireland, you could be eligible for a postgraduate loan of up to £10,906 to help with course fees and living costs. To find out more, including details on how to apply, visit: gov.uk/funding-for-postgraduate-study

- European Union funding
  Due to the decision by the UK to leave the European Union, there is uncertainty at the time of printing about what funding support might be available for non-UK EU students. The SAAS website will have the latest information, visit: saas.gov.uk

- International funding
  Fees for international students vary by course. These include tuition fees, examination costs and library membership. For full details of available scholarships and funding, visit: gcu.ac.uk/scholarships

Apply prior to your course start date.
Scholarships
Scholarships can contribute to the cost of tuition fees and travel, and provide you with the support you need to complete your postgraduate qualification. They also provide fantastic opportunities in terms of networking, gaining work experience and inspiring you to do more with your time.

We have a number of scholarships on offer, which include course and country specific scholarships, and joint funded scholarships such as the Chevening Scholarship.

For full details and application deadlines, as well as to hear from some of our current students who have benefited, visit: gcu.ac.uk/scholarships

Loyalty discount
If you previously studied here and you’re from Scotland, the UK or the EU, you could be eligible for a loyalty discount off your postgraduate tuition fees. The discount is available to students who have received their undergraduate or postgraduate or research degree qualification from GCU or one of our founding institutions.

If you’re an international student from outside the EU and have successfully completed a degree, foundation or programme of study at GCU, your postgraduate course is eligible for up to a £5,000 discount towards fees.

Early payment discount
If you’re self-funding your postgraduate study and your annual tuition fees are £5,000 or more, then you may be eligible for an early payment discount of five per cent off your tuition fees. Find out more at gcu.ac.uk/fees

Payment plans
Payment plans help spread the cost of tuition fees over eight easy instalments and are available to all self-funded students.
Postgraduate fees

We’re committed to affordable course tuition fees. To help you plan your journey here, we have listed the course tuition fees for academic year 2021-22 below.

Taught postgraduate standard fee

The following fees are standard to all courses unless noted as an exemption in the tables below.

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Our flexible payment options allow you to pay for each module as you work towards completing your course or to pay the fees in full in one payment.

* Fee for Distance Learning DBA is the total fee for four years.

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<td>MSc with Professional Practice</td>
<td>£8,000</td>
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If you start a two-year masters course but graduate after one year, total fees are: Home/EU/RUK - £6,000; International - £13,500.
**Glasgow School for Business and Society**

Taught postgraduate exceptions/non-standard annual fee

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<td>MSc International Human Resource Management</td>
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<td>DBA Doctor of Business Administration (Full time)</td>
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<td>£3,320</td>
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*DBA full time course fees are total fees for three years.

Please note that the fees for ACCA are as follows: £620 per paper for five Fundamental Level papers, £670 per paper for three Professional Level papers and £930 per paper for one Professional Level paper.

**School of Health and Life Sciences**

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The following courses have a non-standard rate, however students are likely to be fully-funded through specific agreements with the Scottish Government.

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**Glasgow Caledonian University: London campus**

Taught postgraduate exceptions/non-standard annual fee

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The fee status of students from the Republic of Ireland remains subject to government agreement at time of printing.
Apply online
The easiest way to apply for a postgraduate course is online. The online application form is simple to complete and you’ll find an apply button next to the course of your choice on the GCU website. It’s easy to upload all the documents needed to support your application and submit everything together.

For a small number of postgraduate courses, applications must be submitted via the Universities and Colleges Admissions Service (UCAS). Please note that some courses have application deadlines - full details of these may be found on our website.

Additional documents
Some additional documents may be needed to support your application:
- Personal statement
- Letter of reference
- Academic or professional certificates
- Academic transcripts

Write your personal statement
Your personal statement is your opportunity to tell us why you want to apply for your chosen course. You should use it to explain why you have chosen to study a particular postgraduate degree and to demonstrate your motivation and experience.
International applications
We visit a wide range of countries and hold information events for prospective students. You can find full details of our upcoming visits and events on our website.

You can apply for your postgraduate degree using our online application form. As well as the additional supporting documents, please also provide a copy of your passport identification pages.

Visas
You can get help with your visa application from our Visa Immigration Support and Advice (VISA) team, a professional service dedicated to supporting international students and their families while they study at GCU.

If you’re from a country outside the European Economic Area (EEA), you’ll need a PBS Tier 4 visa. To study a full-time course as a postgraduate or research student, you’ll need to apply for a Tier 4 (General) visa. As from January 1st 2021 it is also likely that applicants from inside the EEA will similarly require a PBS visa to enter the UK. For the latest information, go to the Home Office website: homeoffice.gov.uk.

         For a Tier 4 (General) visa, you’ll need a Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS) document.

Once you’re given an unconditional offer, you need to pay the deposit for your fees to ensure your CAS is issued. If your course starts in September, we recommend you pay your deposit by 1 August to leave enough time for visa processing. If your course starts in January, pay your deposit before 1 December.

You’ll be eligible for an early payment discount of five per cent off your tuition fees if you meet these deadlines and pay the remaining tuition fees in full before the first day of teaching.

When you’ve paid the deposit, your CAS will be sent by email. You’ll then need to fill in a visa application form, pay the application fee and prepare your supporting documents. Submit these documents to your local Visa Application Centre.

You may be asked to undertake a credibility interview with an Entry Clearance Officer as part of your visa application. Credibility interviews assess your genuine desire to study in the UK and you will be expected to demonstrate your English Language ability, and reasons as to why you wish to study in the UK, at this University and on your chosen course.

The earliest you can apply for a visa is three months before the start of your course. You’ll normally get a decision on your visa within three weeks, and you can travel one month prior to your course commencing.

When you get your visa, it will be granted with conditions relating to your studies and life in the UK.

Please go to the VISA pages on the GCU website for more detailed support, advice and guidance.
Here are some of the questions international applicants like you have asked us. We’re online and ready to help, so if you think of anything else why not connect with us today?
1. What is the welcome for international students like?
   International students gave GCU a 97% satisfaction score (ISB, 2019). With events and social activities throughout the year you’ll meet new people and get to know Scotland.

2. Will there be other students from my country?
   You’ll be among students from over 100 different countries here. You’ll be part of an international and welcoming community of students from a wide range of backgrounds.

3. Will I meet local students?
   With our global buddies programme you’ll be matched with a student volunteer who shares your interests. They’ll help you settle into life in Scotland.

4. Are there facilities for my faith and beliefs?
   The on-campus Faith and Belief Centre is there to support you whatever your faith and is a venue for prayers, meetings and services throughout the year.

5. Can I get help finding accommodation?
   You can either apply for a place in Caledonian Court – the on-campus residences - or you can rent accommodation in Glasgow from a private landlord. The student accommodation office can help you find the perfect home from home.

6. How far will my money go in Glasgow?
   Compared with other international cities, the cost of living in Glasgow is relatively low. It’s been ranked eighth best city in the world according to TimeOut (2019), but without the big city price ticket.

7. Can I get help with my visa and immigration advice?
   Yes. We have a network of representatives around the world who can help you with your application and the visa process - as well as a dedicated Visa Immigration Support and Advice (VISA) Team here on campus.

8. What do other international students think about GCU?
   You’ll be at a university that was awarded a 97% satisfaction score by international students (ISB, 2019). The same survey also asked international students to rate their happiness at GCU, with 96% saying they were happy here.

9. Is Glasgow easy to get to?
   Yes. You can fly to Glasgow from almost anywhere. There is a major international airport within easy reach of the city campus. Rail services and the motorway network make it easily accessible from the rest of the UK.

Find out more: Join the GCU Postgraduate Facebook group.
Study options

We believe that everyone’s journey through education is unique and that there are lots of different routes you can take. Have a look at the following options to find a path that suits you best. Whatever your reason, we’re committed to providing flexible routes into courses and to support you during your studies.

You may have recently completed an undergraduate course, you may be working in another field and want to change career or you may want to progress your career by further developing your expertise. Whatever your goal, if your career will benefit from a qualification, we believe it should be possible.

Every application to study here is considered individually. If you want to take a positive step in your studies, we will consider where you are in your journey and help you take the next step.

Recognition of prior learning (RPL)
You may not meet the minimum academic requirements but we understand that knowledge and skills can be acquired from a wide range of learning experiences, both formal and informal.

Our RPL scheme takes into account the wider picture. If you can demonstrate relevant work experience or have credits from recognised professional bodies, you may be qualified to enter the course you want. You may also be eligible for credits within your course.

RPL allows you to transfer credit gained from one course or institution to another. It also means you can use credit from a previously uncompleted course towards another.

The knowledge and skills you’ve gained through life and work experience, as well as through non-certified learning, development and training, can go towards your RPL.

Mature students
As a mature student, you’ll be able to bring a lot of valuable life and work experience to your studies. Adding a qualification to your experience can help you advance in your current career or help you move confidently into a new field.

We also understand that as a mature student you may have more responsibilities and commitments. With support available in the form of our mature and part-time students’ group, we’re here to help.

English language
It’s important that you’re fluent in written and spoken English to get the best out of your UK study experience. We’ve got a range of facilities in place to develop your skills while you’re here.
Study in the heart of Glasgow, a friendly, international city that is home to more than 130,000 students. It's a vibrant destination, ranked one of the top 10 cities in the world by TimeOut (2019) ahead of Barcelona, Paris and Tokyo - and it is a city that also regularly tops international polls for friendliness. Also ranked a top five UK city and amongst the top 20% globally, Glasgow provides a very high quality of life (Numbeo Quality of Life Index 2020).

You’ll find all of the opportunities and attractions that a modern international city has to offer. Glasgow has all of the assets you would expect from one of the world’s leading destinations, but with a compact size and real value for money. It’s ranked highly in the UK and in the top third globally for low cost of living (Mercer, 2019).

The city’s attractions are right on your doorstep, with cafés, restaurants, music venues and bars, as well as theatres, cinemas, museums and arts venues – not to mention some of the best shopping you could wish for – all within easy walking distance. A recent host of the Commonwealth Games, the city is home to international sports facilities.

An international business hub, companies are attracted to Glasgow for its affordability, green spaces, and – of course – its graduates! Glasgow is Scotland’s largest city and an ideal location, with some of the finest scenery in the world on its doorstep. From wild coastlines to mountains and lochs, castles and beaches, heritage and history; Scotland is an incredible base for your postgraduate experience.

**Flight time to Glasgow**

- Bangladesh 10h
- Brazil 11h 40 mins
- Canada 6h 45 mins
- China 10h
- France 1h 45 mins
- Ghana 6h 45 mins
- Indonesia 14h 30 mins
- India 9h 30 mins
- Japan 11h 30 mins
- Kenya 9h
- Nigeria 7h
- Pakistan 7h 50 mins
- Russia 3h 30 mins
- Saudi Arabia 6h 45 mins
- Singapore 13h 30 mins
- South Africa 12h 15 mins
- Taiwan 12h
- Turkey 4h 30 mins
- UAE 7h 30 mins
- USA 8h 30 mins
GCU in the heart of Glasgow city centre

- Loch Lomond (45 mins by road)
  Iconic Scottish location
- Riverside Museum
- Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum (20 mins by road)
- University of Glasgow
- Edinburgh (45 mins by road)
  Scotland’s historic capital city
- Buchanan Bus Station (Two mins by foot)
  Bus links to central Scotland and UK destinations
- Cowcaddens Subway Station (Five mins by foot)
  Underground service around Glasgow
- Buchanan Street (10 mins by foot)
  Centre of ‘Style Mile’ shopping area
- Kelvingrove Park
- George Square (10 mins by foot)
  Gallery of Modern Art
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Explore London
One of the world’s most famous, visited and influential cities, London is also recognised as the top student city in the world.*

Glasgow Caledonian University’s London campus is located in an ultra-modern environment in the heart of the city. Situated in Spitalfields, one of London’s most attractive locations, Glasgow Caledonian University London is at the heart of the capital’s globally-recognised financial and fashion industries, ensuring we have close relationships with key graduate employers and industry partners.

London is home to more than 400,000 students - 100,000 of whom are international students from across the globe (Eluceo, 2019). The city is easily accessed by many public transport routes, airports, main line rail services, bus services and the underground railway (which reaches across the wider London area).

Commuting is easy, but for our London students, local high quality and modern student accommodation is also an option. With two properties located in the most desirable parts of the capital and within walking distance of the London campus, our accommodation partners, urbanest, offer the perfect place to live whilst you study at GCU in London.

Urbanest Hoxton is a stone’s throw away from the art galleries, restaurants, nightlife and culture of East London, whereas urbanest Tower Bridge is based in the heart of the city, situated next to the iconic Tower Bridge and Tower of London.

*QS Best Student Cities.
Explore New York
Glasgow Caledonian New York College (GCNYC) is located in a newly renovated, inspiring space in historic Downtown Manhattan. The campus serves as a hub for individuals in the business, fashion and NGO communities in New York. As the largest city in the United States, New York has something to offer everyone; architectural attractions including magnificent buildings and dazzling skyscrapers, numerous museums, parks, trendy neighbourhoods and shopping streets.

As well as immersing yourself in one of the world’s most visited destinations, you’ll benefit from the University’s growing global network and close ties with academic and student communities in Glasgow and London. The launch of GCNYC leverages nearly 150 years of academic excellence and brings a distinctly global perspective to Master of Science degree courses located in the heart of Downtown Manhattan.

GCNYC’s distinctive Master of Science degree courses include Impact-Focused Business and Investing, International Fashion Marketing, and Risk, Resilience and Integrity Management. These are tailored for students entering as accomplished professionals in their sectors. The courses are practical, relevant, research-based and purpose-driven. Focusing on the intersection of profitability and sustainability, students explore the use of business and industry as forces for good, learning strategies for balancing environmental, social and governance priorities while continuing to deliver financial success.
Sir Alex Ferguson Library
The University’s library offers group and solo study spaces as well as café and social facilities. You can access the University’s archive and special collections here and benefit from PC and laptop hire.

Hamish Wood
The Hamish Wood building is home to the Glasgow School for Business and Society, its lecture theatre and exhibition and conference space.

Campus nursery
Safe and secure campus-based nursery, for the children of staff and students, from six weeks to five years old.

William Harley
The William Harley building is home to the Graduate School, UHatch entrepreneurial hub and the starting point for campus tours and admissions enquiries.
Accommodation
Campus-based student housing, Caledonian Court, offers spacious living accommodation for up to 600 students. Benefits include 24-7 on-campus security, convenience, communal spaces, launderette and Wi-Fi facilities.

Charles Oakley
Home to the Charles Oakley science and technology labs.

Govan Mbeki
The Govan Mbeki building is home to the School of Health and Life Sciences, its Vision Centre and inter-professional simulation centre.

George Moore
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Students’ Association
GCU Students’ Association - winner of a 97% satisfaction score from international students (ISB, 2019) - represents you, the student. It also provides you with a variety of social spaces including a bar, grill, range of societies and groups, and an advice centre.

Centre for Executive Education
Learning facilities and classrooms for executive level education.

Health and fitness centre
The Arc health and fitness centre provides an on-campus gym, sports halls, hair salon, beautician and physiotherapist.

Platinum EcoCampus
(NQA, 2019)

Scotland’s first cycle-friendly campus
(Cycling Scotland, 2016)

Wi-Fi and laptop hire
You can access a free laptop vending machine service that allows students to study remotely around our Wi-Fi enabled campus.

Six on-campus cafés
Including Scotland’s largest single student refectory, our learning cyber café, potato station, student bistro, on-site Starbucks and vegan café.

Caledonian Court
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