



DEGREES DONE DIFFERENTLY

PROSPECTUS 2024

WELCOME

At University Centre Leeds, we're committed to guiding you through your learning journey and helping you realise your ambitions.

Whether you choose to study with us full-time, part-time or as part of an apprenticeship, we will equip you with everything you need to achieve your chosen qualification. We also understand the challenges people face when returning to study after a period of time and, if this is the case for you, we'll work hard to support you to overcome these.

All our degrees are designed in consultation with employers to ensure that we equip you with the skills needed to enter graduate employment. We aim to make sure every graduating student can progress to the next level of their chosen path, whether that be employment or further study.

We're dedicated to excellence, and our students commend us on the level of support they receive to become experts in their chosen fields. Indeed, our National Student Survey (NSS) results are consistently excellent. In 2022, we received the highest results for student satisfaction across all higher education (HE) providers in Leeds for the third year running.

I invite you to explore the pages of this prospectus and discover the exciting opportunities that await you at University Centre Leeds. I'm looking forward to seeing you on campus soon.

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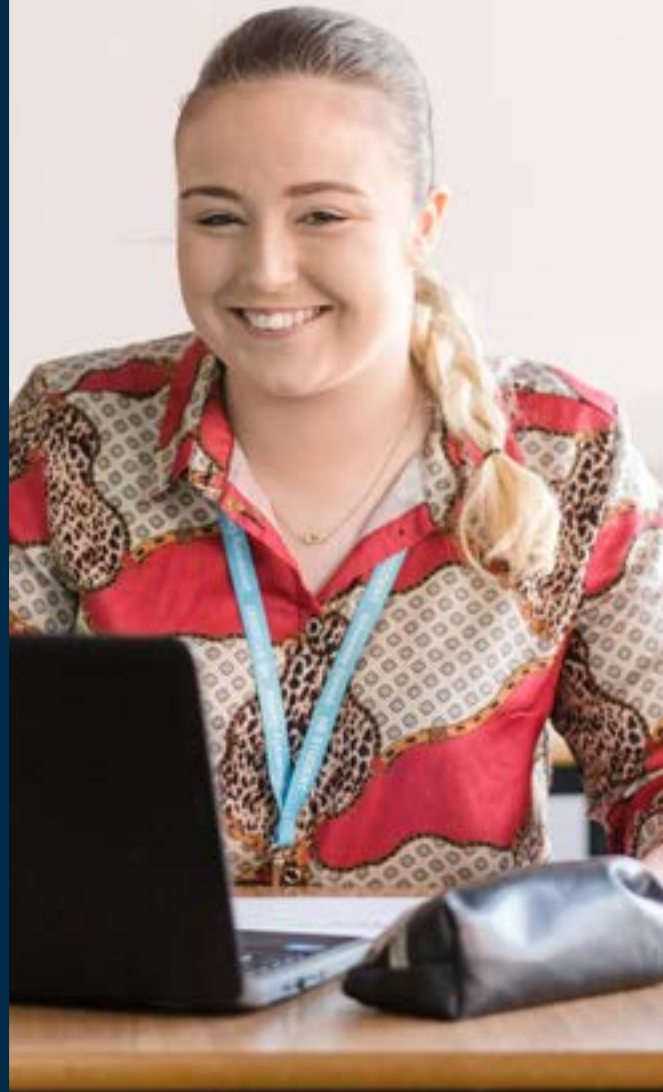
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WHY CHOOSE UNIVERSITY CENTRE LEEDS?

Studying at University Centre Leeds will provide a solid foundation in the subject area you're interested in, while also supporting you to gain the skills and knowledge you need to land your dream job after you graduate.

During your time with us, you'll develop a range of transferable skills, such as critical thinking, problem-solving, teamwork and communication – all of which are highly valued by employers across different industries. You'll also gain hands-on practice through work-related learning opportunities, giving you the experience you need to succeed in the workplace.

We recognise everyone's unique differences, and our flexible and accessible degrees are designed to enhance independent learning. A condensed timetable will allow you to study at your own pace and, if needed, balance your academic commitments with other responsibilities.

Our degrees are designed to build a strong academic foundation, with opportunities to progress directly on to a full honours degree, meaning you can continue your studies and further develop your skills and knowledge in your chosen subject area.

You'll also benefit from a supportive and inclusive academic community at University Centre Leeds. Our experienced and knowledgeable academic staff are committed to your success and will provide you with the guidance and personal support you'll need to achieve your academic and professional goals.

Our learning resources and support services are designed to help you achieve your full potential, and we offer a wide range of extracurricular activities to help you enhance your skills and connect with fellow students.

We'd love you to join our community of motivated and talented students and experience the transformative power of higher education at University Centre Leeds.



For more information, visit: ucl Leeds.ac.uk or scan the QR code

STUDENT SUPPORT



At University Centre Leeds, we believe in the concept of education for all. We strive to make higher education accessible to all students, regardless of background or circumstances, and we make it a priority to ensure University Centre Leeds is an inclusive place to study.

We understand that the transition to university can be a challenging one, whether you'll be joining us from school or college, or you're returning to education after a few years. We're committed to providing the support you need to help you succeed in your academic pursuits.

Our Student Support team provides comprehensive and confidential services for a wide range of personal, financial, learning and career-related concerns.

You'll have access to coaching tutors, study facilities and resources to improve learning skills, and you'll receive a free Chromebook or similar course-specific device to ensure all resources are easily accessible on campus and online.

Our counsellors can help with personal or emotional difficulties that impact studies through confidential support, and our learning support team works with students who have disabilities or health conditions to access our facilities and succeed academically.

You can also receive financial guidance to assist with Student Finance applications, access to bursaries and other funding, and advice on managing money.

And, whether you have a career goal or are unsure what your future will hold, our team can offer support and guidance with work experience, internships and voluntary roles, as well as one-to-one advice sessions and help with CV creation and job applications.

**UC LEEDS IS HIGHEST-RATED
IN LEEDS FOR STUDENT
SATISFACTION FOR THREE
YEARS RUNNING.**

National Student Survey 2020, 2021 and 2022



Care leavers

We recognise that young people leaving the care system may face challenges and have different concerns to other students, so we're here to help care leavers throughout the student journey, from application to enrolment to graduation.

Estranged students

We know it can be hard starting higher education without the support of a family network, but our team can help. We can advise on your application, accommodation options, financial support, mental health, wellbeing and more.

Mature students

Whether you're returning to study or retraining in a new field, we're here to help, from the application process and financial support to study skills, assignment planning and proofreading. And if you need help with childcare, full-time students can apply for a grant in addition to student finance.

Gypsy, Traveller, Roma Showmen and Boaters (GTRSB) communities

We're committed to working towards creating the most appropriate and welcoming environment and conditions in which GTRSB students can thrive personally and academically.

We commit to the GTRSB into HE Pledge to improve access and participation in higher education for students from these communities. We offer personalised support to help those from GTRSB communities make informed decisions about their future and higher education choices and any support needs.

For more information on all the support University Centre Leeds can offer you, visit ucleeds.ac.uk/student-support

OUR COMMUNITY

University Centre Leeds is a lively community where academic excellence meets diversity and inclusion in a supportive, welcoming environment. As part of this community, you'll be surrounded by students from different backgrounds and cultures, creating a dynamic and exciting learning setting.

Being part of our supportive student community will be a unique and rewarding experience, giving you the chance to connect with other students, develop lasting friendships and grow personally.

There will be plenty of opportunities to get involved in a range of activities through our Students' Union, from sports teams to cultural societies, where you'll have the chance to meet new people and develop skills and interests beyond your studies.

Another way to get involved is through volunteering. University Centre Leeds has a range of volunteering opportunities available through the Students' Union, from working with local charities to participating in community projects. Volunteering is a great way to develop your skills, gain valuable experience and give back to the wider Leeds community.

The city of Leeds itself is a bustling and thriving hub of cultural diversity, making it an exciting place to live and study. As a student at University Centre Leeds, you'll have the opportunity to explore the city and be part of a wider community of students and professionals from all walks of life.

We take pride in being an inclusive place to learn and we're committed to supporting our students academically, with a range of resources available to help you succeed – from academic advisers to online learning platforms. Whether you need help with coursework or research, or just want to improve your study skills, we're here to help you achieve your goals and reach your full potential.



STUDENTS' UNION

When you enrol at University Centre Leeds, you'll automatically become a member of the wider Leeds City College Students' Union (LCCSU) – run by our students for our students.

LCCSU provides all students with the best possible experience, representing the voices of the collective student population and ensuring all students are aware of the opportunities the Students' Union offer.

As a member of the Students' Union, you'll be entitled to benefits including:

- Student deals and discounts
- Work experience and volunteering opportunities
- Opportunities to develop social and employability skills through societies, events and activities
- A platform to have your say and implement change
- Support with any student issues
- Representation at senior college meetings and nationally from the National Union of Students (NUS)

Contact us

Website: lccsu.co.uk



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Express yourself, enrich your life

The Students' Union will help you express your views, debate issues, meet other students and have your voice represented through a range of activities and support, ensuring your time at University Centre Leeds is always a positive one.

Clubs, societies and activities

Your time at University Centre Leeds will be a social one. Join us on annual trips, social events and LCCSU summer ball, or if you have specific hobbies, our clubs and societies, including Game Culture Society, Law Society and the BUCS football team, cater for all. They are a great way to meet like-minded people who share similar interests.

Our student representatives and ambassadors are always adding more societies to the list, with Debating and LGBTQI+ in the pipeline. As each one is student-led, you'll have the opportunity to have your voice heard, and we always encourage fresh proposals for new ideas.

Have your say

LCCSU will stand up for your rights and campaign on your behalf, and will always listen to your opinions. Student representatives are active at conferences, focus groups and management meetings, and the dedicated HE Officer represents all university students within the wider student body.

Support and guidance

You'll never be without a helping hand with our extensive range of support and guidance. We represent your voice and provide wellbeing support, in addition to offering employment, community and voluntary work opportunities.

LIFE IN LEEDS

Leeds offers something for everyone. A bustling city that's rich in culture and heritage, Leeds ensures that whether you're into galleries or gastropubs, libraries or laser tag, museums or markets, you'll find yourself right at home in a place that often tops the polls for best student city. With thriving businesses and a creative ecosystem, Leeds is also a place of immense opportunity. Whatever industry you're interested in, you can find it in Leeds.



Entertainment

The music scene in Leeds is huge. If you want to see the biggest international names, then head to the First Direct Arena or the iconic O2 Academy. For independent venues and intimate settings, you've got The Wardrobe, Belgrave Music Hall and Brudenell Social Club.

Nightlife lovers also have much to enjoy in Leeds. There are independent clubs like underground speakeasy The Domino, quirky spots like arcade-themed bar Pixel, and numerous lively pubs that are part of the famed Otley Run.

For the creatives, Leeds is home to internationally renowned galleries such as Leeds Art Gallery and the Henry Moore Institute, or you can find contemporary wonderfulness in The Tetley. Relax in one of the UK's longest-running independent cinemas at Hyde Park Picture House or see the latest releases at one of its many multiplex cinemas. For the culture-lovers, you'll find yourself in Leeds City Museum or the national museum of armour and weaponry: The Royal Armouries.



Credit: Leeds City Council/Carl Milner

Shopping

Old meets new in Leeds' hugely walkable city centre. Beautiful arcades and Grade I-listed buildings sit side by side with modern shopping centres and contemporary architecture.

Iconic for its glass ceiling, Trinity Leeds features high street favourites, while the Corn Exchange has everything from vintage clothes and jewellery to arts, crafts and records. If you're a fan of high-end shopping, check out the stunning ornate arcades within Victoria Leeds, which are home to luxury boutiques and independent stores.

Food

Leeds is known for its variety of restaurants, cafes and bars. The city's independent eateries are so prolific that they're celebrated by the annual Leeds Indie Food festival every spring. Quirky indie cafes are hidden around every corner, along with large food havens like Trinity Kitchen and Kirkgate Market (the largest covered market in Europe) which both host an array of ever-changing food vendors. If you fancy food with a view, there are rooftop spots like Belgrave Canteen or Sky Lounge. For international cuisines there's food from all over the world including French, Italian, Indian, Thai and Vietnamese.



Outdoors

With more than 4,000 hectares of green space, Leeds is proud to be one of Europe's greenest cities. Take a picnic to the sprawling Roundhay Park or discover the incredible ruins of Kirkstall Abbey, or head to unique outdoor gallery the Yorkshire Sculpture Park. Further afield, the Yorkshire Dales National Park is famed for its Yorkshire stone, picturesque landscapes and friendly community. Or for international getaways, Leeds Bradford Airport is practically on your doorstep.





Accommodation 

1 - The Foundary	6 - Hepworth Lodge
2 - Concept Place	7 - White Rose View
3 - The Priory	8 - One Mill Street
4 - Sycamore House	9 - Clarence Dock Village
5 - Ribbon Residence	

Leeds Train Station



Leeds Arena



John Lewis



Trinity Leeds



Leeds Bus Station



Mabgate
Campus



Quarry Hill
Campus





Credit: Unite Students

ACCOMMODATION

We understand how important it is for you to find the right accommodation to study, socialise and mix with other like-minded students. While we do not have our own accommodation, we can give you details of providers where many of our students choose to stay.

Unite

Offering multiple accommodation options in Leeds city centre, Unite follows the 'Home for Success' concept, creating supportive living spaces where everyone can feel at home, regardless of where they've come from. Options include:

Concept Place – 6 mins walk to UC Leeds, 27 mins to Quarry Hill Campus

The Priory – 11 mins walk to UC Leeds, 30 mins to Quarry Hill Campus

Hepworth Lodge – 3 mins walk to UC Leeds, 24 mins to Quarry Hill Campus

Clarence Dock Village – 18 mins walk to Quarry Hill Campus

White Rose View – 17 mins walk to UC Leeds, 19 mins to Quarry Hill Campus

Find out more: unitestudents.com

Abodus

An accommodation provider that is hassle-free with no hidden costs. Their accommodation is based in the city centre and features an on-site gym, in-house cinema and games area. Three room types are available with short-term let options on offer as well. Options include:

The Foundry – 5 mins walk to UC Leeds, 26 mins to Quarry Hill Campus

Find out more: abodusstudents.com

YPP

Luxury accommodation that is open to students and working professionals. The fully furnished apartments are based in a large, converted building on Clarendon Road, just steps away from UC Leeds. Options include:

Ribbon Residence – 7 mins to UC Leeds, 23 mins to Quarry Hill Campus

Find out more: ypp.co.uk

Prime Student Living

Private studios with shared spaces downstairs. All studios are en-suite and feature 100Mb broadband, a flat-screen TV, white goods and £10,000 contents insurance. A games common room and private dining kitchen make up the communal areas. Options include:

Sycamore House – 2 mins walk to UC Leeds

Find out more: primestudentliving.com

Unipol Housing

Sustainability and choice are at the heart of all Unipol Housing properties. One Mill Street is only 10 minutes' walk away from the city centre, allowing students to easily access the thriving nightlife. Options include:

One Mill Street – 8 mins walk to Quarry Hill Campus, 27 mins to UC Leeds

Find out more: unipol.org.uk



OUR COURSES EXPLAINED

We don't believe in a one-size-fits-all approach to education. That's why we offer a variety of employer-led degrees to support everyone's differences.

From Foundation Degrees and Higher Technical Qualifications to teacher training qualifications, we'll help you find learning that's right for you.

You'll benefit from a condensed timetable, which'll help balance your studies with other life commitments and get the most out of your learning.



Foundation Degrees

A Foundation Degree is a vocationally focused higher education qualification which combines academic study with work-related learning and workplace skills, designed to provide you with practical and theoretical knowledge relevant to your chosen profession.

Typically lasting two years, these degrees allow you to complete your studies and begin your career quickly, graduating with a nationally recognised Level 5 qualification.

Top-up Degrees

Top-up Degrees act as a third year of study, lasting 12 months and are the same level as the third and final year of a full honours degree. They allow you to deepen your knowledge and skills in your chosen field, which can open up a wider range of career opportunities.

A Top-up Degree is ideal for students who have completed a relevant Foundation Degree or HND and wish to top up their qualification to gain a full honours degree.

Higher Technical Qualifications

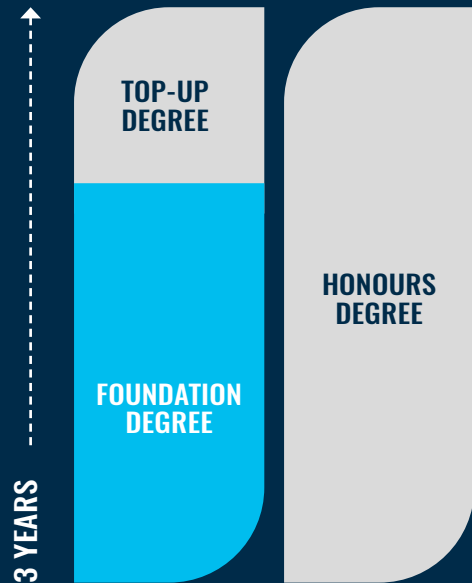
Some of our Foundation Degrees have been approved against occupational standards in their sector as Higher Technical Qualifications (HTQs).

Developed in collaboration with employers and businesses, they can provide you with specialised technical knowledge and skills that are relevant to various sectors including health, sport and digital.

HTQs have been designed to fill skills gaps in industries and meet the needs of employers by producing 'work-ready' graduates, making them a great option for those seeking to pursue a career in a technical or specialised vocational field.

For more information about HTQs, visit
ucl Leeds.ac.uk/htq

Different route, same qualification



Masters Degrees

Our Masters Degrees deliver personalised learning in a supportive environment which allows you to succeed in your specialist area.

You'll gain a recognised and respected high-level qualification with multiple progression pathways, including doctorates, academic research roles and senior roles within the workplace. You'll explore your specialist area of interest within your chosen discipline while building a network of industry connections and academics.

Teacher Training

Our Initial Teacher Training (ITT) courses offer flexible and practical routes to becoming a teacher or enhance career progression. Whether you love numbers, get excited by science or appreciate the arts, our training courses will give you the skills, knowledge and confidence to help empower and equip the next generation.

Our Foundation Degrees are validated by Luminate Education Group. Our LLB (Hons), ProfGCE, Top-ups and Masters Degrees are validated by The Open University.

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ANIMAL CARE AND LAND MANAGEMENT

Are you interested in the natural world and want to give back to the environment by supporting the complex needs of animals? The land-based sector is a rewarding industry to grow and develop in, and thanks to defining topics like climate change and the extinction crisis, it's an industry that's more relevant than ever.

Studying in picturesque locations, such as Home Farm at Temple Newsam, you'll build skills that are instrumental in a range of animal management and environmental careers. This is a fulfilling career path that'll allow you to shape the world in which we live.





Animal Management and Behaviour

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: D301

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Temple Newsam Estate

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Do you have a passion for working with animals? The land-based sector is set to grow over the next few years, making this course the perfect route into working with pets, exotic animals, livestock and wildlife.

About the course

On this course you'll study all aspects of animal management; from husbandry and exotic animal welfare to companion animal training and conservation. Many of the modules are practical-based, with the aim of developing the hands-on experience and skills desired by employers in the land-based sector.

This'll mean working with farm animals first-hand and observing wildlife across a variety of sites within the Temple Newsam Estate. On the estate, you'll have access to one of Europe's largest Rare Breed Survival Trust (RBST) farms; home to Tamworth pigs, Kerry Hill sheep and Golden Guernsey goats, as well as domestic and exotic species at the animal care centre.

After graduating

Successful graduates will be perfectly positioned to enter the land and animal sector in roles such as:

- Trainee keeper
- Animal welfare assistant
- Laboratory assistant
- Technician



Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.



BUSINESS AND LEADERSHIP

Develop your talents to become a highly successful part of the growing local economy. Business investment and expansion in the Leeds City Region is thriving, making it an ideal environment to study business, leadership, management and events.

Our expert tuition will help you to start your own business, step into senior roles or work towards professional recognition such as chartered management.

Maybe you want to learn about marketing tools that drive growth and improvement, or understand how to optimise work processes? Our business, leadership, management and events graduates are particularly good at solving tasks that are critical to daily operations, using their strong business acumen and communication skills to take the lead and find opportunities in a constantly evolving world.



COURSES

Business, Enterprise and Management

Higher Technical Qualification Foundation Degree and BA (Hons) Top-up Degree

Events Management Foundation Degree

Leadership and Management Foundation Degree and BA (Hons) Top-up Degree

Business, Enterprise and Management

Foundation Degree



UCAS Code: N200

Study mode: 2 years full-time, 2 years part-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Evolve as an entrepreneur, become a business expert or make your mark as a manager with our specialist two-year, HTQ-approved Foundation Degree. As well as developing your technical and interpersonal skills, we also encourage innovation and ideas, preparing you for a successful career in an ever-changing industry.

About the course

This course covers all aspects of business, from accounting to managing people. You'll gain the business acumen that'll allow you to effectively manage work processes, while exploring the stages of the consumer buying process, using insight and experience to influence customer decisions.

We'll equip you with core management, complex problem-solving and operational skills needed in successful business. Future business is shaped by the importance of sustainability, ethics, further globalisation and the increase in the introduction of disruptive technologies, all of which you'll learn about in this course.

After graduating

Successful graduates will be equipped with the skills and experience needed to become a successful entrepreneur in their chosen sector and/or management positions such as:

- Business adviser
- Business analyst
- Project manager
- Data analyst
- Management consultant
- Risk manager
- Supply chain manager

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Business, Enterprise and Management with our Top-up Degree (subject to validation by The Open University).



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Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.





Events Management

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: N820

Study mode: 2 years full-time, 2 years part-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Enter a thriving billion-pound industry and establish yourself as an events manager. Combining creativity with technical knowledge, you'll learn how to become a meticulous organiser who is able to plan and deliver spectacular live experiences.

About the course

This degree covers all aspects of events; from planning and funding management to marketing and promotions. You'll gain an in-depth understanding of all the logistical knowledge and core skills needed for a successful career in events.

The combination of specialist modules explores the fundamentals of live experiences, such as legislation and team collaboration. The course's practical experience and projects allow you to gain real-world experience while developing a specialist area of interest that will shape your future career.

After graduating

Graduates will be well-prepared to become experts in their fields. Job opportunities include:

- Events coordinator
- Events consultant
- Events manager
- Events and project facilitator
- Corporate manager
- Festival coordinator
- Wedding coordinator

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) qualification with one of our Top-up Degrees (validated by The Open University).



Get more information

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Leadership and Management

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: L1M1

Study mode: 2 years full-time, 2 years part-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Develop a range of skills across project management, finance, marketing and customer relations, and apply these to your intended specialism to become an inspirational leader in your field. With demand for this profession booming in the Leeds City Region alone, and an average wage over £46,000 per year (www.glassdoor.co.uk), there's never been a better time to train in leadership and management.

About the course

This degree introduces a range of essential concepts for operating as a manager or supervisor. You'll learn how to manage resources, situations, environments and people, while developing key strategic thinking and interpersonal skills.

You'll build a thorough understanding of finance, marketing and customer relations, as well as business-related topics such as personal learning and development, innovation, enterprise and managing change. We encourage personal growth, so you can take advantage of professional development and work-related learning opportunities to put your skills into practice.

After graduating

Job opportunities include:

- Human resources manager
- Management consultant
- General manager and coordinator roles
- Team supervisor roles
- Business development manager
- Leadership or management roles in any sector

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Leadership and Management qualification with our Top-up Degree (subject to validation by The Open University).



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CREATIVE ARTS

Discover and refine your creative flair in an industry that continues to thrive and shine. The UK's creative sectors are booming, bringing together careers from design, film & TV, beauty and fashion, and more.

Our qualifications in the Creative Arts offer an immersive way to kick-start your own creative career. You might want to develop your practice as a prosthetic makeup artist or 2D animator, a versatile photographer or a dynamic dancer. At University Centre Leeds, you'll be able to finesse your medium in high-quality locations such as Prime Studios Leeds, while gaining specialist and real-world skills for your craft.

COURSES

Acting

Foundation Degree and BA (Hons) Top-up Degree

Animation Foundation Degree

Art Foundation Degree and BA (Hons) Top-up Degree

Beauty Communication and Promotion

Foundation Degree

Concept Art Foundation Degree

Dance Foundation Degree

Creative Hair and Media Makeup

Foundation Degree

**Creative Hair and Media Makeup –
Fashion and Editorial** Foundation Degree

**Creative Hair and Media Makeup –
Film & TV and Prosthetics** Foundation Degree

Film and Screen Media

Foundation Degree and BA (Hons) Top-up Degree

Fashion and Textiles Foundation Degree

Graphic Design and Illustration

Foundation Degree and BA (Hons) Top-up Degree

Photography

Foundation Degree and BA (Hons) Top-up Degree

**Production Arts – Design Realisation for
Events, Stage and Screen** Foundation Degree

**Production Arts – Technical Theatre &
Stage Management** Foundation Degree

MA Creative Practice Masters Degree





Acting

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: W410

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Quarry Hill Campus and Prime Studios

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

This is an intense, practical degree designed for anyone wanting to work as a professional actor in TV, film, theatre, radio or digital. Through industry insight from practitioners, you'll hone specialist skills such as voice work, script writing and stage combat.

About the course

You'll study multiple aspects of acting, including Shakespearean theatre, naturalism, postmodernism, circus and clowning. You'll explore contemporary acting, including voiceover for animation, virtual reality (VR), computer generated imagery (CGI), television and radio.

Alongside improving your voice, movement and acting, your creative and transferable skills will be developed, helping you become a motivated and reflective artist. You'll become physically and vocally flexible, ready to emerge into the industry.

Studying in the heart of the Cultural Quarter in Leeds, you'll connect with practitioners at organisations such as Leeds Playhouse, Northern Ballet, Phoenix Dance, Red Ladder and the BBC.

After graduating

With access to our exciting industry links and fantastic facilities, graduates will be perfectly positioned to break into this vibrant industry. Job opportunities include:

- Professional actor
- Director
- Producer
- Public speaker and facilitator
- Presenter
- Freelance artist

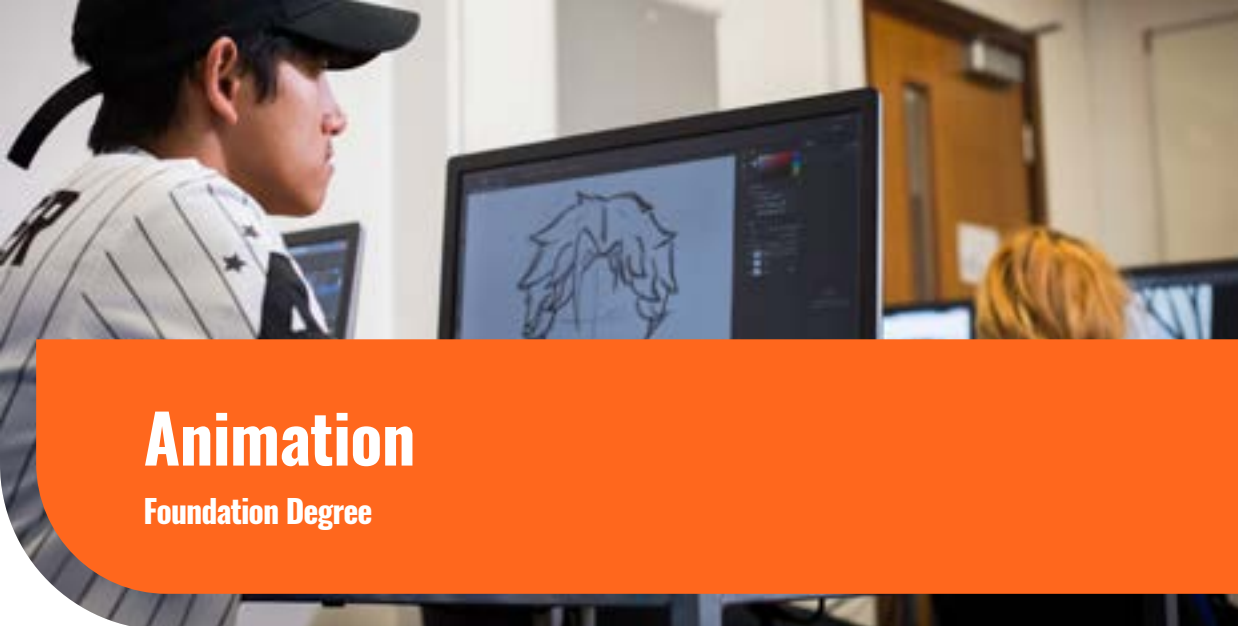
You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Acting Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).



Get more information

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Animation

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: W615

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Quarry Hill and Mabgate Campuses

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Bring your digital creations to life with this exciting Foundation Degree. You'll study traditional and digital methods to produce animation for computer games, screen media, film, TV and interactive applications, catapulting your creative career to success.

About the course

Master the illusion of movement and study at the impressive Quarry Hill and Mabgate Campuses, where cutting-edge computer suites and fantastic facilities will allow you to unleash your creativity.

The course explores 2D and 3D animation and modelling, developing concepts into tangible wire-frames, digital imagery, and character and prop models. You'll then produce a professional portfolio to showcase your work.

The course emphasises the practical aspects of animation, giving you opportunities to use industry-standard software to create your own film sequences. You'll also apply 3D animation techniques to different contexts such as video games, giving you an edge once you enter the industry.

After graduating

This course will prepare you for an exciting range of roles, dependent on your areas of interest, such as:

- Motion graphics specialist
- 3D modeller and animator
- 2D animator
- Graphic designer
- Illustrator



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Art

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: 8N64

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Quarry Hill and Mabgate Campuses

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Whether your medium is painting or sculpture, video, sound or installation, you'll maximise your creative ability and learn how to harness your skills in a professional environment with this Foundation Degree. We ensure your practice is contextualised within the reality of the contemporary art industry.

About the course

As you progress through our degree, you'll develop your skills in the studio and your understanding of art and commerce, and how they combine to create a successful career path. You'll learn about the changing art landscape, how to refine your professional practice, and how to tell stories using artwork as a visual communication channel.

You'll gain opportunities to sell your work, visit exhibitions, collaborate with fellow artists, develop media campaigns and work with the public. You'll exhibit your work from the very start, using our fantastic industry links to showcase pieces across three annual public exhibitions within the Leeds art scene. You can also access your own studio space at Quarry Hill Campus, located right in the heart of Leeds' Cultural Quarter.

After graduating

Successful graduates will possess all the necessary skills and practical experience to enter the thriving arts industry. Job opportunities include:

- Freelance artist
- Art entrepreneur
- Art collective
- Gallery owner
- Art academic

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Art Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).



Get more information

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Beauty Communication and Promotion

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: BCP1

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Quarry Hill Campus

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Take your first steps into the ever-evolving world of beauty with this Foundation Degree. Develop in-demand skills for a global industry, learn how to identify fashion and beauty trends, and create stunning visual content for a variety of platforms.

About the course

Our degree blends academic study with industry experience to give you a thorough understanding of the fashion and beauty industry. You'll learn specialist skills from our experienced lecturers, including copywriting, trend forecasting, visual communication, and the marketing and promotion of beauty brands and products. You'll also have opportunities to develop beauty campaigns, market and promote an event, and deliver live briefs set by employers within the industry. Expect demonstrations, lectures, digital skills development, discussions and presentations, while building your professional portfolio. As part of the Creative Arts department, there'll be opportunities to make contacts and collaborate with other creative students from media makeup, photography, performance, graphic design and film.

After graduating

Upon successful completion of this course, you'll be well-prepared to take on a variety of roles in the fast-paced fashion and beauty industries, including:

- Beauty communications officer
- Brand communications officer
- Public relations officer
- Influencer manager
- Content creator
- Brand strategist



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Concept Art

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: W211

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Quarry Hill Campus

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

If you have a flair for creating characters, creatures and environments, this Foundation Degree will take your career to the next level. Learn to visualise the ideas that modellers, animators and VFX teams bring to life in computer games, films, comics and animations.

About the course

You'll develop technical skills ranging from digital art techniques to traditional drawing, refine your artistic ability and bring your visions to life. Our specialist art studios and technical suites at our Quarry Hill Campus will help you unlock your ideas, sharpen your designs and explore approaches that take an initial spark to a fully formed idea. You'll also be studying in the heart of Leeds' Cultural Quarter.

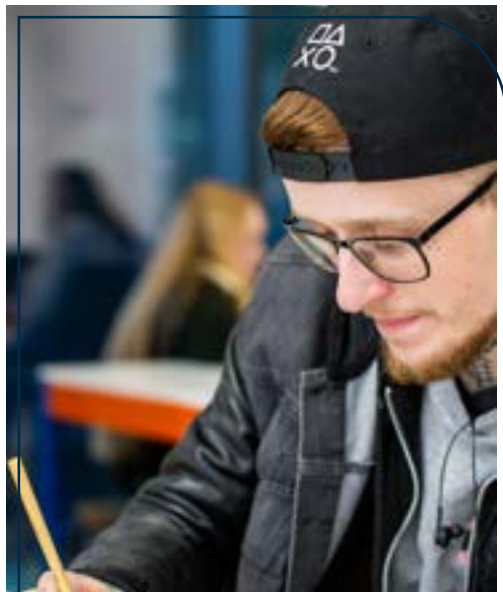
You'll work across multiple disciplines to understand how different roles work together to create final products. Our exciting industry links also prepare you for the working world, allowing you to gain valuable experience from guest lecturers and local practitioners, and shaping your future in this fast-paced industry.

After graduating

Graduates will be perfectly positioned to break into this vibrant industry. Job opportunities include:

- Concept artist
- 2D or 3D artist
- Illustrator
- Animator
- Penciller or inker
- Storyboarder
- Digital artist

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Concept Art Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University) (subject to validation).



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Creative Hair and Media Makeup (Fashion and Editorial)

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: 8F82

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Quarry Hill Campus and Prime Studios

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Immerse yourself in the creative world of image making and develop specialist skills demanded by the fast-paced fashion makeup industry, including companies such as Urban Decay and MAC Cosmetics, where some of our graduates have gained work.

About the course

This course enables you to learn a range of techniques from experienced lecturers, including fashion makeup application, wig styling and body makeup. You'll have opportunities to showcase your work, build your professional portfolio and work backstage on events, catwalks and fashion shoots. We regularly invite industry experts to deliver talks and run makeup masterclasses; previous guest speakers have included Dan Wood (Boohoo) and Illamasqua.

You'll train in our bespoke settings at Prime Studios and first-class facilities at our Quarry Hill Campus in Leeds' Cultural Quarter. You'll also collaborate with students from our photography, performance, graphics, film and art courses, giving you first-hand experience of working as part of a creative team.

After graduating

Graduates will be well-positioned to take on exciting roles within the fashion makeup industry, including:

- Freelance hair and makeup artist for fashion and editorial contexts including runway, print, publications and ad campaigns
- Fashion makeup content creator
- Cosmetic retail manager

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Creative Hair and Media Makeup (Fashion and Editorial) Top-up Degree (subject to validation).

“My time at UCL has given me the skills and confidence to be industry ready. The lecturers have enabled me to develop my skillset with their industry experience and support. With fantastic networking opportunities to gain work experience in fashion and TV this has led on to a position in a continuous drama in TV as a hair and makeup artist trainee.”

– Beth Lockley
Graduate

Get more information

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Creative Hair and Media Makeup (Film & TV and Prosthetics)

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: 8F92

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Quarry Hill Campus and Prime Studios

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Become a master of behind-the-scenes hair and makeup with this creative and practical course. The course is delivered in bespoke facilities to prepare you for the competitive and highly rewarding screen and performance industries.

About the course

This degree will give you a comprehensive understanding of the screen industries using demonstrations, practical skills development, lectures, sketchbook/research workshops, discussions and presentations. This course is based in Prime Studios, near ITV Studios, as well as in our Quarry Hill Campus in Leeds' Cultural Quarter.

You'll learn specialist skills such as special effects and prosthetics makeup, hair cutting and wig/facial hairpiece knotting. You'll showcase your work at events and work backstage on productions and shoots to develop your portfolio and CV. Industry experts will regularly deliver talks or run masterclasses; previous guest speakers have included Kate Benton (Hugo, Love Actually) and Stuart Bray (Game of Thrones, Doctor Who). You'll gain practical experience with companies such as Leeds Grand Theatre, Carriageworks Theatre, IMATS and the United Makeup Artists Expo.

After graduating

Graduates will be well-equipped to make their mark on the screen and performance industries through a variety of roles, including:

- Retail management
- Special effects makeup artist
- Prosthetic artist
- Makeup artist or wig specialist for performance environments
- Content creator

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Fashion, Theatrical and Media Hair and Makeup Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).



Get more information

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Creative Hair and Media Makeup

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: 8F72

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Quarry Hill Campus and Prime Studios

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Master your skills behind the scenes with our Creative Hair and Makeup Foundation Degree. This creative course, delivered in our bespoke makeup facilities within a working television studio, allows you to develop a wide range of experience demanded by the competitive media makeup industry.

About the course

You'll learn skills for different sectors, with modules ranging from special effects makeup to creative hair styling and wig knotting. You'll also build your portfolio by showcasing at events and working backstage on productions and shoots. We regularly invite industry experts to deliver talks and masterclasses; guest speakers have included Kate Benton (Hugo, Love Actually) and Dan Wood (Boohoo).

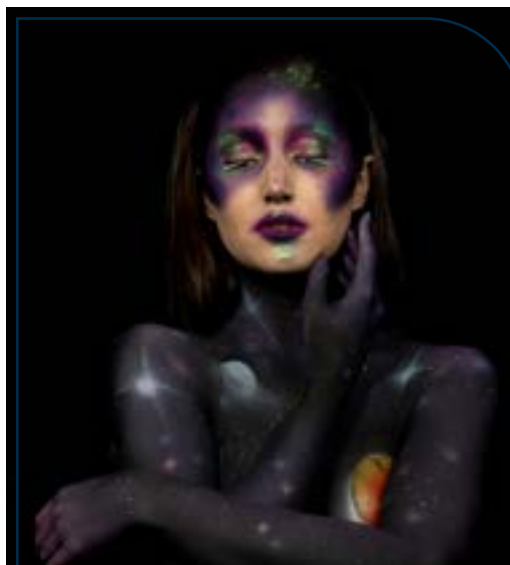
This degree blends academic study with industry insight. You'll train in our bespoke settings at Prime Studios, near ITV Studios, and in our Quarry Hill Campus in Leeds' Cultural Quarter. You'll gain experience with local companies, such as Leeds Grand Theatre and Carriageworks Theatre, and attend events such as the IMATS and United Makeup Artists Expo.

After graduating

Recent graduates have worked on productions such as Maleficent 2, Cruella, Peaky Blinders and Gentleman Jack; and for companies including Opera North, The Grand Theatre, Kat Von D and MAC Cosmetics. You'll be able to follow in their footsteps with roles such as:

- Cosmetic retail manager
- Special effects makeup artist
- Freelance hair and makeup artist
- Makeup artist or wig specialist for theatre environments
- Hair/wig stylist for film and TV

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Creative Hair and Media Makeup Top-up Degree (subject to validation).



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Dance

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: W500

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Quarry Hill Campus and Prime Studios

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Step up your technique with this dynamic Foundation Degree. You'll be trained by industry professionals and develop your technique in hip-hop, contemporary and commercial dance styles.

About the course

You'll develop strong techniques and perform to a high level, preparing you for work as a professional within the fast-paced arts industry. If you love dance and are passionate about a career as a dancer, then this course is for you.

You'll experience intensive training delivered over 20 hours per week, with daily technique classes in commercial, hip-hop, vogueing, house, grooves, litfeet, ballet and contemporary lyrical dance styles that'll enable you to audition and perform to industry standards.

Through our strong industry links, you'll learn how to find work as a professional dancer and graduate ready to start your professional career. You'll explore new ways to create your own choreography and have plenty of time to practise with a 70% practical and 30% academic course structure.

After graduating

Successful graduates will be perfectly positioned to break into this vibrant industry. Job opportunities include:

- Professional dancer
- Community dance artist
- Choreographer
- Freelance artist
- Dance facilitator



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Fashion and Textiles

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: 8N67

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Quarry Hill Campus

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Looking to craft a career in fashion? Our hands-on Fashion and Textiles Foundation Degree offers practical training in creative techniques such as pattern design, drawing, construction, printmaking, cutting and digital art.

About the course

Based in Leeds' Cultural Quarter, you'll be surrounded by creativity and inspiration, studying in one of the largest shopping destinations in the UK.

Through a selection of exciting projects, you'll develop your design skills and build a strong foundation in pattern and construction. You'll also gain industry insights from guest speakers and fashion events, as well as work experience opportunities.

But it's not just about technical skills – you'll also learn about responsible design processes and sustainability issues in fashion and textiles, making you an ethical and responsible practitioner upon graduation.

Our on-site fashion and textile workshops, photography studios and digital suites at Quarry Hill Campus provide the perfect environment to put theory into practice. Join us and turn your fashion dreams into a reality.

After graduating

Graduates will be well-equipped to make their mark on the fashion and textiles industries through a variety of roles including:

- Freelance artist/designer
- Textile artist/designer
- Retail merchandiser
- Visual merchandiser
- Stylist
- Clothing/textile technologist



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Film and Screen Media

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: F244

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Quarry Hill Campus

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Reframe your vision with our Film and Screen Media Foundation Degree. Through practice-based learning and a welcoming community passionate about film and screen production, explore new and interesting ways of telling stories.

About the course

Working within this filmmaker community, you'll take an active role in all stages of production. There's a strong commitment from a supportive academic team, who'll work with you to realise rewarding creative projects.

The course offers a wide variety of skills development required for the film and screen media industries. You'll develop core techniques required for film production and you'll also have the opportunity to work with industry professionals on live briefs.

Your developed knowledge and confidence will give you the tools to successfully navigate the film and screen industries by the end of the course.

After graduating

Graduates will be perfectly positioned to break into this vibrant industry. Job opportunities include:

- Film or TV producer
- Foley sound designer
- Camera operator
- Script or video editor
- Photography director
- Motion graphics designer
- Film director

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Film and Screen Media Top-up Degree (subject to validation by The Open University).



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Graphic Design and Illustration

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: 8N65

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Quarry Hill and Mabgate Campuses or Harrogate College

Validated by: Luminare Education Group

Turn your creative ideas into digital designs and illustrations with this vibrant course. You'll harness your creative talent, sharpen your entrepreneurial skills and take advantage of networking opportunities to shape your vision into a successful future career.

About the course

This Foundation Degree offers access to a wide range of creative industry contexts. From image making to typography, you'll practise a range of graphic techniques and learn how to visually communicate with an audience.

Our modules will develop your employability skills and provide you with plenty of opportunities to captivate a crowd. There's an emphasis on showcasing your work, and you'll have the opportunity to enter competitions and work on various client projects to promote yourself and develop clever media campaigns.

You'll also produce a sustained body of graphic design or illustration work which'll be displayed as part of an industry event.

After graduating

Graduates will be perfectly positioned to break into this vibrant industry. Job opportunities include:

- Brand designer
- Multimedia animator
- Publisher
- Freelance creative

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Graphic Design and Illustration Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).



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Photography

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: W640

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Quarry Hill Campus or Harrogate College

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Gain exposure to the world of photography with this practical degree. You'll learn multiple photographic techniques and benefit from practical projects and work-based learning to help you become a versatile photographer.

About the course

Practical learning is at the heart of the course, underpinned by historical and contextual understanding. You'll develop your creative vision by learning how to use cameras and studio lighting, and exploring a range of photographic disciplines, from documentary, fashion and portraiture to fine art and commercial.

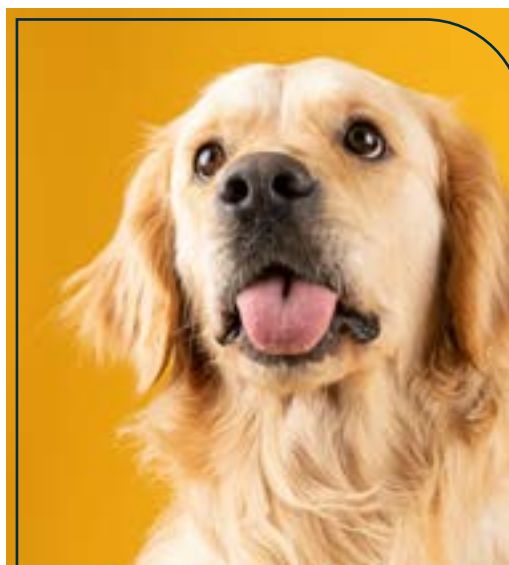
We emphasise work-related learning, so you'll experience guest lectures from well-known industry figures such as Tom Martin, Ian Beesley and Murat Özkasim. You'll also have opportunities to visit national and international events, including Liverpool Look Festival and Derby Format Festival, to develop your ideas. Throughout your studies you'll build a professional portfolio that captures your creative talent.

After graduating

Graduates will be perfectly positioned to break into this vibrant industry. Job opportunities include:

- Freelance photographer
- Picture editor
- Photographic assistant
- Curator

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Photography Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).



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Credit: Student – Ben Adams



Production Arts (Design Realisation for Events, Stage and Screen)

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: W454

Study mode: 2 years full-time, 4 years part-time

Location: Quarry Hill Campus

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Make magic behind the scenes with this exciting Foundation Degree. You'll cover practical modules in costume design, scenic arts and prop making, equipping you with invaluable real-world training and experience for the growing production arts sector.

About the course

On this course, you'll be exposed to a series of varied and demanding situations, working on everything from large-scale musicals with Leeds Conservatoire to commercial briefs. Through these practical and collaborative projects, you'll learn how to apply your skills and knowledge, building an exciting portfolio of work to showcase to future employers.

With access to first-class partnerships with the likes of industry-leading events design company, EPH Creative, plus our state-of-the-art facilities in Leeds' Cultural Quarter, you'll gain the experience and confidence to excel on set as a backstage creative.

After graduating

The course prepares you for a range of roles in the creative industries, dependent on your areas of interest, such as:

- Costume maker
- Scenic artist
- Wardrobe manager
- Set builder
- Prop maker

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Production Arts (Technical Theatre & Stage Management)

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: W453

Study mode: 2 years full-time, 4 years part-time

Location: Quarry Hill Campus

Subject to validation by: Luminate Education Group

Lights, camera, action! Prepare to enter the booming backstage and production arts industries with this practical Foundation Degree. You'll train in all aspects of lighting, sound, video and stage management on the latest industry equipment and software.

About the course

This course is designed for enthusiastic and creative individuals looking to embark on a career in technical theatre, events and stage management. Working alongside professionals and students from the School of Creative Arts and Leeds Conservatoire, you'll collaborate on a huge variety of events and productions to build a varied work portfolio.

You'll be taught by a team of industry tutors with full access to our high-spec, sponsored facilities and incredible industry partnerships with AC Entertainment Technologies. With practical opportunities to apply your skills and knowledge, you'll be well-equipped to become a successful backstage practitioner.

After graduating

The course prepares you for a range of roles in the creative industries, dependent on your areas of interest, such as:

- Venue technician
- Freelance creative
- Touring technician
- Creative project management
- ASM/DSM

Delivered in partnership with



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MA Creative Practice

Masters Degree

How to apply: Direct with us

Study mode: 1 year full-time, 2 years part-time

Location: Quarry Hill Campus or Harrogate College

Validated by: The Open University

The UK's creative sector shows no signs of slowing, adding new jobs at twice the rate of the national economy. Level up your creative skills and become a part of this booming sector with our MA Creative Practice. We welcome graduates with strong technical skills from a range of creative disciplines including art, graphic design, film, makeup and photography.

About the course

On this course, you'll be supported to critically engage with your work as a creative, helping you to interpret your practice through a whole new lens. This'll be explored through modules in exploratory research practices, contemporary cultural studies and collaborative practice.

You'll also have the chance to apply your skills in practice, working on live briefs as part of a creative team, through a series of practical and ambitious industry projects. These collaborative opportunities will allow you to build an invaluable network of creative contacts, ready to support your move into the creative industry.

After graduating

The course prepares you to enter employment via a number of different routes, including freelancing and agency work.

Possible job opportunities include:

- Artist
- Media makeup artist
- Filmmaker
- Photographer
- Graphic designer
- Illustrator
- Editor
- Fashion designer



“This MA Creative Practice at Harrogate College has been life-changing. It has enabled me to research topics of interest and made me think deeply about contemporary cultural issues associated with my practice. The MA Creative Practice has opened up opportunities to further my research on to a PhD.”

– Hannah Alderson
MA Creative Practice

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DIGITAL

Do you see yourself as the next tech tycoon, renowned games designer or senior software developer? Dive into the heart of digital technology and IT with our range of Foundation Degrees that are designed to make you work-ready in an ever-evolving industry.

From mobile phones to open-world games, enthusiasm for all things digital means careers in this sector are always in demand. Whether your interest lies in esports or cyber security, becoming a digital graduate will equip you with the confidence, ingenuity and technical know-how to start your career at the top of your game.



COURSES

Computer Science Higher Technical Qualification Foundation Degree and BSc (Hons) Top-up Degree

Cyber Security Higher Technical Qualification Foundation Degree and BSc (Hons) Top-up Degree

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Game Development Foundation Degree and BSc (Hons) Top-up Degree

Game Programming Foundation Degree and BSc (Hons) Top-up Degree

Software Development Higher Technical Qualification Foundation Degree and BSc (Hons) Top-up Degree



Computer Science

Foundation Degree



UCAS Code: G400

Study mode: 2 years full-time, 4 years part-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Want to carve a career in the multi-billion-pound digital sector? With tech vacancies at a 10-year high across the world, there's no better time to enter this exciting and thriving sector. Develop all the skills you need to excel as a computer science specialist with this two-year, HTQ-approved Foundation Degree.

About the course

Strengthen your programming prowess while exploring the digital world with modules in artificial intelligence, cyber security, app development and more. You'll gain the specialist skills to develop large- and small-scale software applications, and understand the science behind computing and emerging technologies.

We'll also teach you how to collect, store, extract and analyse data for machine learning and artificial intelligence. Through this course, you'll develop highly sought-after transferable skills in communication, problem-solving and budget management, ready to impress future employers.

After graduating

Successful graduates can expect to land one of a number of lucrative roles in the digital sector, such as:

- Computer scientist
- Web developer
- Computer programmer
- Database specialist
- Software developer

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BSc (Hons) Computer Science Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).

“The computer science course has amazing facilities and software, and the support from the teachers on the course is really good.”

– Mustafa Gulam
Level 4 Computer Science

Get more information

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Cyber Security

Foundation Degree



UCAS Code: G420

Study mode: 2 years full-time, 4 years part-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Every year, cybercrime alone costs the UK economy £27 billion, sending demand for cyber security specialists soaring to an all-time high. Help fight the rise in international cybercrime and reduce the threat to individuals, organisations and governments with this two-year, HTQ-approved Foundation Degree.

About the course

On this course you'll develop the vital knowledge and hands-on skills to detect, deter and defend against cybercrime. Delving deep into computer forensics and data security, you'll explore all aspects of scripting, ethical hacking, plus attacking and defending infrastructures and operating systems.

As you progress through this course, you'll build your understanding of cryptography, how to identify and fix system vulnerabilities and implement secure networks. Armed with an arsenal of specialist and technical skills, you'll be ready to join the fight against online crime.

After graduating

Successful graduates will possess all the attributes needed to take on lucrative roles in the cyber security sector, such as:

- Computer network administrator
- Cyber security analyst
- Cyber security officer
- Cyber security consultant
- Cryptographer

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BSc (Hons) Cyber Security Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).



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Esports Coaching and Management

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: 1750

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminare Education Group

With over 495 million viewers across the world and high-stake prize pools in the top tournaments, the esports industry is growing fast. Immerse yourself in this exhilarating world of competitive gaming with our practical Foundation Degree. You'll sharpen your understanding of game analysis, esports APIs, marketing principles and more.

About the course

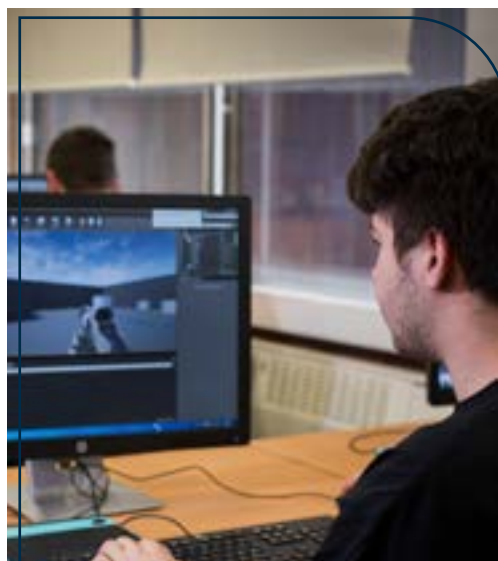
This course is tailored to prepare you for entry into the ever-changing esports arena. Exploring the esports ecosystem, you'll understand how the industry works in its various forms of shoutcasting, coaching, management, analyst roles and marketing.

You'll keep your finger on the pulse, combining a grounding in essential esports skills and knowledge, with an exploration of the latest industry trends, developments and technological updates. Through fundamental modules in marketing principles, you'll also discover how to build a strong online and industry presence, ready to forge a successful esports career.

After graduating

Successful graduates will leave with the skills and understanding to take on exciting positions within the esports industry, such as:

- Shoutcaster
- Esports journalist
- Coach
- Esports marketer
- Analyst
- Brand manager



Get more information

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Game Art

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: I710

Study mode: 2 years full-time, 4 years part-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Delve into the exciting world of video games with this practical Foundation Degree. You'll explore prop creation, modular assets and character art, as you learn to create assets in a variety of styles. Working alongside peers, you'll design first-class games that reflect industry best practice.

About the course

Designed to keep up with an ever-evolving industry, this course explores current game art practices and technological advances. You'll get to grips with our industry-standard software and tools, learning how to render high-quality images and create a captivating portfolio of game art.

As you design environments, props and realistic game characters, we'll support you to critically analyse and refine your creations. With a strong emphasis on employability, you'll also learn to adopt agile workflows when building game-ready assets and attend invaluable industry events such as game jams.

After graduating

Successful graduates will be perfectly positioned to take on exciting roles in the game arts industry, such as:

- Character artist
- Environment artist
- Weapons artist
- Prop artist
- 3D artist
- 3D generalist

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Game Art Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).

“I began the Level 5 Game Art course with no prior experience and now feel very confident in myself. The tutors are friendly, supportive and very helpful.”

– Harry Creaser
Level 5 Game Art

Get more information

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Game Development

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: I6MO

Study mode: 2 years full-time, 4 years part-time

Location: University Centre or Harrogate College

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Covering game design, 3D effects and more, this degree will help you turn your passion for games into a rewarding career. You'll gain the specialist skills demanded by the fast-paced gaming industry and learn how to develop games that excite users around the world.

About the course

This course allows you to work on a variety of projects, developing multiple design skills and underpinning your creations with practical 3D and programming knowledge. You'll create high-quality assets and environments, and compose scripts on game engines to deliver real, playable games.

Industry standards are at the core of this programme, which is why we promote the use of agile workflows and industry events such as game jams and societies. By the end of the course, you'll have all the creative and logical skills at your disposal to produce games from scratch.

After graduating

Successful graduates will be well-equipped to take on exciting positions within the game arts industry, such as:

- Freelance game developer
- Independent game developer
- Quality assurance
- Computer games entrepreneur
- Technical artist

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BSc (Hons) Game Development and Production Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).

“The course content is fantastic; I'm learning skills I never even thought about when looking to go into games. The staff team are incredibly helpful and work extremely hard to make sure everyone is accommodated and can achieve their fullest potential.”

– Adam Heaton
Level 5 Game Development

Get more information

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Game Programming

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: I620

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Want a prosperous career in gaming? Learn how to program and publish your very own computer games with this challenging yet rewarding Foundation Degree. You'll get to grips with industry-standard software and become well-versed in a range of programming languages, such as core C++ and C# principles.

About the course

On this course, you'll be taught how to program using the latest software and tools, then put your creations into context using game engines. With modules in the principles of game play, you'll explore and analyse existing games to understand what makes an engaging gaming experience.

As your learning progresses, you'll grow as a creative individual, appreciating and applying techniques to form the core of contemporary games development. You'll also be taught to adopt agile workflows and attend industry events, such as game jams, to stay up to speed with industry practices.

After graduating

This course equips you with all the necessary skills and practical experience to enter the thriving world of game programming.

Possible roles may include:

- Programmer
- IT technician
- Web developer
- App developer

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BSc (Hons) Game Programming Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).



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Software Development

Foundation Degree



UCAS Code: I300

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Software impacts all aspects of modern life, from GPS tracking to online banking, and as technology advances, the demand for skilled software developers increases. Step into an agile and growing sector with this practical two-year, HTQ-approved Foundation Degree.

About the course

You'll learn how to design systems, develop analytical and programming skills, and devise practical software solutions to solve real-world problems. You'll be introduced to multiple programming languages and learn to manage software development based on Agile and DevOpSec.

Working across a range of development platforms and using practices such as automation and continuous integration, you'll develop software products and apps for web and mobile. By the end of the course, you'll understand all aspects of agile software development, ready to confidently enter the industry.

After graduating

Successful graduates will be well-equipped to make their mark in the thriving digital sector in roles such as:

- Computer programmer
- Computer games programmer
- Software developer
- Software engineer
- Web developer

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BSc (Hons) Software Development Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).

“The course curriculum has been very interesting, and the teachers, incredibly helpful. They’re always checking in, are very easy to contact and usually respond quickly, which helps when I’m doing my assignments. We have a wide range of equipment, software and resources at our disposal too, which allows for more variety in terms of what we can do and achieve.”

– Abul Khayar
Level 6 Software Development

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Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.



ENGINEERING

The skills you'll bring to the table as an engineering graduate will open up a range of stimulating careers and industries. Graduates are highly valued around the world for their numerical, design, planning and management skills, which is why our qualifications provide you with hands-on experience in each.

You may choose to specialise in consumer electronics or take your expertise gained from a Higher National in manufacturing to the booming engineering industry. Either way, by studying one of our multifunctional qualifications, you can accelerate your success and become the engineer of your own career.



COURSES

Electrical and Electronic Engineering Higher National Certificate – Level 4

Electrical and Electronic Engineering Higher National Diploma – Level 5

Manufacturing Engineering Higher National Certificate – Level 4

Manufacturing Engineering Higher National Diploma – Level 5





Electrical and Electronic Engineering

BTEC Higher National Certificate (HNC) Level 4

Course Code: 72626-01

Study mode: 2 years part-time

Location: University Centre

Awarded by: Pearson

Engineer a successful career with our industry-focused HNC. Whether you plan on designing electronic circuits or want to help with automation, this hands-on course has all the components to prepare you for employment or further study.

About the course

This Electrical and Electronic Engineering HNC explores multiple aspects of engineering through a range of practical and specialist modules. You'll learn how to design and assemble electronic circuits and devices with confidence, covering everything from electrical and electronic principles to working with Programmable Logic Controllers (PLCs).

In your second year, you'll be supported to manage your own professional engineering project, exploring automation and how it streamlines processes. This'll allow you to put your engineering theory into practice and expand your industry knowledge, ready to excel at a career in engineering.

After graduating

Successful graduates will become a multifaceted engineer capable of stepping into senior or management roles, such as:

- Electronic engineer
- Instrumentation and control engineer
- Quality engineer
- Engineering designer

You can also progress to complete a Higher National Diploma (HND) in Electrical and Electronic Engineering (validated by Pearson).

“Throughout this course I have developed my independent learning skills, like researching and referencing, along with my presentation skills. These are both important for future learning opportunities and in the workplace. I have also extended my knowledge on different parts of engineering such as the maths and science involved, and how robotics can be used to aid production in many different ways.”

– George Astbury

Level 4 HNC Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.





Electrical and Electronic Engineering

BTEC Higher National Diploma (HND) Level 5

Course Code: H600

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: University Centre

Awarded by: Pearson

This exciting HND allows you to become anything but another cog in the machine. With the dual aim of preparing you for direct entry into employment and offering the opportunity to study further, this programme gives you everything you need to accelerate your engineering career.

About the course

This industry-focused Electrical and Electronic Engineering HND covers a range of technical and specialist modules, from lean manufacturing and electronic circuits to working with Programmable Logic Controllers (PLCs). With employability at the heart of this programme, you'll have plenty of opportunities to gain practical experience and deepen your industry insight, undertaking your own research project in your second year.

You'll also widen your understanding of current topics, such as renewable energy and efficiency measures. By the end of the course, you'll possess the core engineering knowledge and technical skills to meet employer demands and secure a successful career.

After graduating

Successful graduates will become a multifaceted engineer capable of stepping into senior or management roles, such as:

- Electronic engineer
- Quality engineer
- Engineering designer
- Instrumentation and control engineer



Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.





Manufacturing Engineering

BTEC Higher National Certificate (HNC) Level 4

UCAS Code: 72625-01

Study mode: 2 years part-time

Location: University Centre

Awarded by: Pearson

Gear up for a career beyond the assembly line. This industry-focused HNC provides you with all the components for a successful career in manufacturing engineering. Plus, with our flexible, part-time study options, you can develop your engineering skills and experience around employment.

About the course

On this Manufacturing Engineering HNC, you'll be introduced to a range of engineering and business fundamentals, allowing you to improve existing manufacturing processes. Undertaking modules in production and manufacturing, you'll develop a strong understanding of engineering in different contexts, while learning about different materials and how to safely test them.

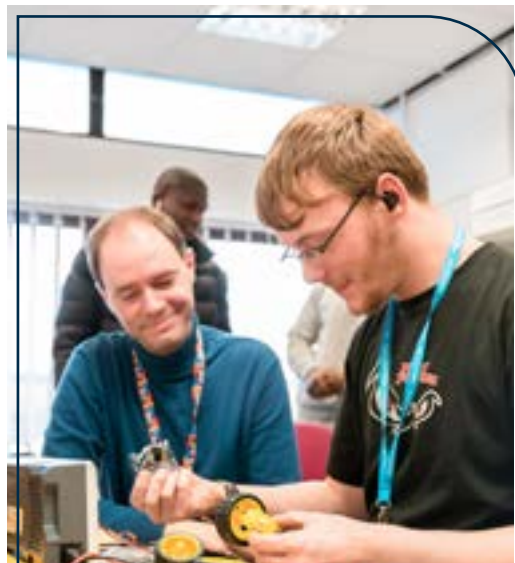
You'll also broaden your knowledge of design, maths and science, and how these fields work together to deliver successful engineering projects. With opportunities to manage a professional engineering project in your second year, you'll learn how to become a multifaceted production manager.

After graduating

Successful graduates will possess all the attributes needed to take on lucrative senior or management roles in the engineering sector, such as:

- Product development engineer
- Production manager
- Manufacturing engineer
- Production supervisor


You can also progress to complete a Higher National Diploma (HND) in Manufacturing Engineering (validated by Pearson) or study this HNC as a Level 4 apprenticeship.



Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.





Manufacturing Engineering

BTEC Higher National Diploma (HND) Level 5

UCAS Code: H710

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: University Centre

Awarded by: Pearson

Turn your career up to full throttle and join a rapidly growing industry on this challenging yet rewarding HND. The programme combines business acumen and engineering fundamentals to build your technical knowledge, while the practical experience and work placements guide you into employment.

About the course

This industry-focused HND covers traditional and contemporary areas of knowledge, allowing you to meet employer needs regardless of your career aims.

Our selection of modules goes beyond the basics; you'll develop a well-rounded understanding of engineering and manufacturing processes, conduct your own research study and explore emerging practices such as lean manufacturing.

You'll also put your theory into practice through multiple research and engineering projects. We'll support you with finding a work placement with the end goal of moving you into relevant employment once you graduate.

After graduating

Successful graduates will possess all the attributes needed to take on lucrative senior or management roles in the engineering sector, such as:

- Product development engineer
- Manufacturing engineer
- Production manager
- Production supervisor

“I continued on from the HNC to HND as I thought University Centre Leeds was a great environment to work in and the tutors were extremely helpful.”

– James Saville
Level 5 HND Engineering

Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.



HEALTH

Providing help and care to those in need makes working in healthcare one of the most rewarding careers available. Through our practical, industry-standard qualifications, you can join the health and social care sector and make a difference in the lives of adults, children, families and communities nationwide.

You'll delve into the latest issues and topics in the fields of health, wellbeing and social care, and gain hands-on experience with organisations such as NHS, Skills for Health and Health Education England. Our contemporary learning environment also features a state-of-the-art sensory room and sector standard clinical suite that'll enhance your study experience with us.



COURSES

Healthcare Assistant Practitioner Higher Technical Qualification Foundation Degree

Health and Wellbeing Foundation Degree

Health Play Specialism Higher Technical Qualification Foundation Degree



Healthcare Assistant Practitioner

Foundation Degree



UCAS Code: APH1

Study mode: 2 years full-time, 2 years part-time

Location: University Centre or Keighley College

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Is a career in healthcare calling your name? Start your journey towards becoming an assistant practitioner in one of West Yorkshire's largest growing sectors. You'll join a like-minded workforce of conscientious healthcare professionals, aspiring to deliver the highest standards of patient-centred care.

About the course

Designed for students with previous healthcare experience and qualifications, this two-year, HTQ-approved Foundation Degree qualifies you to become a healthcare assistant practitioner (AP). Through class-based learning and an extensive 460-hour work placement, you'll become familiar with the day-to-day responsibilities of an AP role.

These may include assisting patient assessments, coordinating care, and undertaking clinical and therapeutic interventions for the local population and care services. You'll be expected to follow complex instructions while providing high-quality care, making this course ideal for kind and empathetic individuals with great observational skills.

After graduating

On completion of this Higher Technical Qualification, you may choose to seek employment directly as a healthcare assistant practitioner in the NHS.

You can also study this as a Level 5 apprenticeship or progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Health and Social Care Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).

“Excellent support and guidance from all course tutors. I’m looking forward to using the hospital suite and continuing to build on skills I need to carry out my role in the workplace.”

– Lindsey Smith
Level 4 Healthcare Assistant Practitioner

Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.





Health and Wellbeing

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: L5T3

Study mode: 2 years full-time, 2 years part-time

Location: University Centre or Keighley College

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Are you passionate about promoting good health and wellbeing? Embark on this exciting Foundation Degree and prepare to join a rapidly growing workforce, helping individuals and communities to improve their health outcomes and tackle inequalities.

About the course

Designed in consultation with health and wellbeing specialists, this course will teach you the interpersonal skills and theoretical knowledge to forge your career in health and wellbeing. You'll cover modules in anatomy and physiology, mental and emotional wellbeing, plus the legal aspects of healthcare.

Alongside these topics, you'll explore complementary therapies as an alternative approach to conventional medicine. By the end of the course, you'll understand how to empower individuals and groups to make positive changes to their health and wellbeing, and be able to design support plans around their needs.

After graduating

Successful graduates will be well-positioned to progress into rewarding roles in the health and wellbeing sector, such as:

- Health and wellbeing coach
- Health and wellbeing coordinator
- Community wellbeing practitioner
- Health and wellbeing project officer

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Health and Social Care Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).

“I chose this course because it has many career opportunities. My experience of it so far is that I enjoy the course; I have learned and experienced so many new things.”

– Cynthia Camara
Level 4 Health and Wellbeing

Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.





Health Play Specialism

Foundation Degree



UCAS Code: 72678-10

Study mode: 2 years part-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Ready for a rewarding career supporting seriously ill children in a hospital setting? On this two-year, HTQ-approved Foundation Degree, you'll develop a deep understanding of play as a therapeutic tool to support child development, promote positive wellbeing and minimise trauma.

About the course

This Foundation Degree combines theoretical learning with practical experience and reflective practice. You'll work closely with children, their families and other professionals, learning how to use play as a therapeutic tool across a range of hospital, hospice and community healthcare settings.

Through a variety of specialist modules, you'll learn how to support children to build their resilience as they cope with illness. You'll also receive extensive support and specialist mentoring from a Healthcare Play Specialist Education Trust (HPSET) registered specialist, helping you to become a confident and caring communicator with a robust understanding of play.

To undertake this course, students will need to hold a live DBS, which may incur costs.

After graduating

On successful completion of the course, you'll gain professional registration with the HPSET (additional fees associated). Graduates will be able to seek employment as a registered health play specialist.

You can also study this as a Level 5 apprenticeship or progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Health and Social Care Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).

“The Health Play Specialist course is a great way to learn and train for a very rewarding job supporting children to have a positive experience in hospital.”

– Naomi Winard
Level 4 Health Play Specialism

Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.



LAW

Step into a fascinating industry steeped in history, tradition and reform. Studying Law puts you at the heart of many political and sociological debates, and acts as a useful gateway to many careers.

Maybe you're looking to join the nation's frontline response or advise others on their legal rights? Our Policing Foundation Degree offers the first step in entry to the police, while our LLB (Hons) Undergraduate Degree develops your academic specialism. You'll find that your job options are endless.



COURSES

LLB (Hons) Bachelor of Law

Policing Foundation Degree





LLB (Hons)

Bachelor of Law

UCAS Code: 2R11 (1R11 with Foundation Year)

Location: University Centre

Study mode: 3 years full-time (4 years with Foundation Year)

Validated by: Luminate Education Group and The Open University

Prepare to enter the fast-paced legal world with our Bachelor of Law LLB (Hons) Degree. The perfect qualification to begin your journey in law, this degree introduces you to core legal principles while strengthening your academic skills. You'll be given extensive training and support ready to take on a new career in the courtroom.

About the course

This course is designed to provide a thorough grounding in the UK's legal system. Through a series of compulsory modules, you'll get to grips with a vast range of laws, including criminal, public, contract and land law. You'll also choose from a range of optional modules, allowing you to tailor your degree to suit your legal career ambitions.

As you progress through the course, you'll develop an understanding of how laws are created, interpreted, applied and developed, and be assessed through a variety of methods. These may include essays, case studies and presentations. All of this will prepare you for employment in the competitive legal sector or further study.

After graduating

Successful graduates may choose to progress on to further study or move into relevant employment in the thrilling world of law. With further training and qualifications, possible roles include:

- Solicitor
- Barrister CILEX lawyer
- Probation
- Policing
- Other criminal justice agencies



“The tutors here are fantastic. They get to know you personally and can give you that one-to-one support that you need.”

– Cameron Lee
LLB (Hons) Bachelor of Law

Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.





Policing

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: PL99

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Do you dream of a career in the force? This Foundation Degree is crafted in line with the College of Policing recruitment requirements, equipping you for employment in the police force or other criminal agencies.

About the course

You'll study academic and technical modules broadening your understanding of policing, psychology, crime, criminal law and the justice system. Our range of modules allows you to forge your own career path within the force or other criminal agencies.

Our exceptional support, emphasis on personal development and consideration of the Policing Education Qualifications Framework will provide you with essential skills and enhance your employability. You'll also be encouraged to engage in voluntary schemes available through West Yorkshire Police to gain practical skills.

After graduating

Successful graduates will be well-positioned to take on exciting roles in the police sector, including:

- Constable
- Probation officer
- Prison service officer
- Criminal lawyer
- Other criminal justice agencies



Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.



LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT

If there's one thing you can say about teaching, it's that the need for teachers and educators never goes out of demand. Why? Because good teachers are instrumental to the development of their students, from early years through to adult learning. Teachers shape the lives of their students, and in doing so, they shape our society.

If you're looking to empower and equip the next generation, our qualifications will help you do so with the right skills and knowledge.



COURSES

Early Years Care and Education Higher Technical Qualification Foundation Degree

Support Teaching and Learning Foundation Degree





Early Years Care and Education

Foundation Degree



UCAS Code: L524

Study mode: 2 years full-time, 2 years part-time

Location: Teacher Development Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Inspire future generations on this two-year HTQ-approved Foundation Degree. Develop your understanding of safeguarding and build on your language development knowledge, while learning how to create an inclusive and engaging environment for all.

About the course

Written in consultation with childcare sector specialists, this course will equip you with the necessary knowledge and skills to thrive in any early years role. You'll learn how to become instrumental in supporting children and young people's development by studying a range of practical childcare and education modules.

We'll teach you how to create an appropriate learning environment and adopt best practice when planning, preparing and delivering learning opportunities for children and young people. You'll also have opportunities to put theory into practice by undertaking a relevant work placement, helping you to gain essential experience for your future childcare career.

After graduating

Successful graduates will be well-equipped to take on rewarding roles in the early years and childcare sector, such as:

- Learning support assistant
- Early years practitioner
- Nursery lead
- Nursery manager
- Childcare/early years assistant

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Children and Young People's Care and Education Top-up Degree (subject to validation by The Open University).



Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.



Support Teaching and Learning

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: L522

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: Teacher Development Centre or Keighley College

Validated by: Luminare Education Group

Encourage education and shape minds with this comprehensive degree course. Whether you're currently employed in the sector or looking to make a career change, our Foundation Degree will prepare you to support the learning of everyone from children to adults.

About the course

Become a teaching assistant, study coach or progress mentor with this rewarding Foundation Degree. You'll gain the academic knowledge and practical experience demanded by employers and develop independent thinking as you explore multiple learning methods.

As you progress, you'll build on your knowledge through a range of study modules and formulate your own teaching style. You'll learn the concepts of supporting technology-enhanced learning and improve your academic skills by completing subject-specific learning modules.

Experience of working with children and young people is essential to succeed in this sector. That's why we embed practical work placements into this programme. Students will need to hold a live enhanced DBS for this, which may incur costs.

After graduating

Successful graduates will be well-positioned to take on exciting roles in the education sector, such as:

- Learning mentor
- Personalised support worker
- Teaching assistant
- Educational and behavioural support worker
- Special educational needs & disabilities coordinator

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Learning and Teaching Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).



Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.



SCIENCE

Start your stimulating career in one of the UK's specialist science industries. Prepare for a range of job roles with extensive training and support kept current by employer input.

The perfect way to begin your journey in science, you'll study modules that introduce you to core scientific theory and academic knowledge. The role of science in modern society makes this one of the most exciting choices of study.



COURSES

Biomedical and Pharmaceutical Sciences Foundation Degree and BSc (Hons) Top-up Degree

MSc Biosciences Masters Degree





Biomedical and Pharmaceutical Sciences

Foundation Degree (validated by Luminate Education Group)

With Foundation Year (validated by Luminate Education Group)

UCAS Code: CF13 (CF12 with Foundation Year)

Location: University Centre

Study mode: 2 years full-time (3 years with Foundation Year)

If you're seeking a career in science, this course is for you. Featuring both biotechnical and pharmaceutical sciences, this course allows you to explore multiple disciplines of science. Study specialities such as pharmacology, microbiology, immunology, genetics, biomaterials, and medicinal and organic chemistry, then find your future focus. This course is also available with an additional Foundation Year.

About the course

This course combines chemical sciences and biological sciences to offer a broad experience of scientific specialities. You'll develop laboratory skills and benchcraft, analyse data, and learn to design and perform practical experiments, all while strengthening your academic and transferable skills.

You'll work with microbes, synthesise and analyse chemicals, and perhaps discover something new as you study in our cutting-edge laboratories. The course offers the skills and knowledge desired by industry, and features a curriculum designed around employability.

The Foundation Year option is for students who may not meet the entry requirements for the full Foundation Degree. It's made up of modules to help you enhance your scientific knowledge and academic skills by studying biology and chemistry alongside mathematics.

After graduating

Successful graduates will be able to progress on to our full BSc (Hons) Biomedical and Pharmaceutical Sciences Top-up Degree or move into employment. Typical areas that our graduates move into include:

- NHS (laboratory and non-laboratory-based work)
- Laboratory research and technical posts
- Paramedicine
- Commercial laboratory-based companies
- Teaching (after completion of additional qualifications)

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BSc (Hons) Biomedical and Pharmaceutical Sciences with our Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).

Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.





MSc Biosciences

Masters Degree (subject to validation by The Open University)

UCAS Code: 77305-10 (full-time) 77306-10 (part-time)

Entry requirements: BSc (Hons) degree – 2:2 or better

Study mode: 1 year full-time, 2 years part-time

Location: University Centre

Take your scientific knowledge to the highest level. This Masters Degree allows you to further your academic understanding by exploring a range of complex bioscience-focused subjects. You'll also have the opportunity to investigate an area of interest by choosing optional modules and formulating your own dissertation.

About the course

This course will help you develop your knowledge by mastering the subject of biosciences. Optional modules help you shape your studies around your career aspirations, while the choice of analytical science or diagnostic techniques modules tailor your learning.

You'll study advanced pharmacology and toxicology, data analysis, bioinformatics and cellular pathology, and learn how to apply biomedical techniques within the laboratory. You'll also prepare your own investigation-led research projects to sharpen your research and academic skills.

After graduating

Successful graduates may progress on to further study, such as a PhD, or move into employment. Job opportunities may include:

- Research and development laboratory roles
- Consultancy roles
- Management roles

“Continuing my education on the Bioscience Masters has given me increased confidence in my scientific capabilities and allowed me to achieve a greater understanding of a subject I love.”

– Dan
MSc in Biosciences



Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.



SPORT

Is your career goal to become a sports coach, PE teacher, personal trainer or work within a sports performance support role? Our degrees give you the skills required to work within a wide variety of settings, whether that's with young people in education, adults in the community or professional athletes within a club.

Our courses help you to understand, assess and tackle some of the biggest challenges we face when it comes to activity, and how our bodies respond. If you're looking to push yourself and others, then we can help you to get the ball rolling.



COURSES

Physical Education and Sports Coaching

Higher Technical Qualification Foundation Degree and BA (Hons) Top-up Degree

Sport Performance and Exercise Foundation Degree and BSc (Hons) Top-up Degree





Physical Education and Sports Coaching

Foundation Degree



UCAS Code: C6T9

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Do you aspire to become a sports coach at an elite or community level, or an inspirational role model within a physical education setting? This degree will provide you with the fundamentals of coaching groups and show you how to develop physical literacy in school children. You will also learn to develop a progressive and holistic PE curriculum, as well as high-quality teaching and learning.

About the course

This two-year, HTQ-approved Foundation Degree will provide you with the platform to develop transferable skills, applicable to multiple sporting settings, that ensure you are employment ready.

Throughout this course, you'll explore topics such as learning and teaching through outdoor adventure activities, developing physical literacy through dance and gymnastics, and the psychology of teaching, learning and assessment. You'll develop your coaching ability and employability skills through learning and teaching, team and individual sports, and professional practice via a 50-hour work experience placement.

For aspiring rugby league players, you can also combine our PE and Sports Coaching Degree with an elite rugby programme delivered by Castleford Tigers to support your rugby development. The programme consists of three training sessions a week, one game day and 12 hours of education set over three days.

After graduating

Successful graduates will be well-positioned to take on rewarding positions in the sports industry such as:

- Primary education teaching assistant
- Self-employed sports coach
- Sports programming officer
- Secondary education teaching assistant
- Cover supervisors
- Sports development officer

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Physical Education and Sport Coaching Top-up Degree or BA (Hons) Learning and Teaching Top-up Degree for those who wish to progress into teaching (validated by The Open University).

Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.





Sport Performance and Exercise

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: 2C44

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminare Education Group

Are you looking for a role which is an integral part of performance development? Whether it's working in a commercial gym or alongside athletes, our Sport Performance and Exercise Foundation Degree will provide you with all the skills and capabilities for a variety of settings.

About the course

This course combines academic study with practical learning to deliver well-rounded sports knowledge. From sports psychology, strength and nutrition to training and fitness, injury rehabilitation and body conditioning, you'll learn about all the different elements of good health and exercise.

You'll also have access to performance analysis software. This'll provide you with key data analysis skills and give you an insight into how software can be used to support a multidisciplinary approach to performance enhancement.

After graduating

Successful graduates will have the skills, knowledge and experience to enter the thrilling sports sector. Possible roles include:

- Fitness instructor
- Sports analyst
- Cover supervisor in secondary education
- Self-employed sports coach

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BSc (Hons) Sport Performance and Exercise Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).



Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.



TEACHER TRAINING

Our Initial Teacher Training (ITT) courses offer a flexible and practical way of developing your knowledge and skills to become a competent and confident teacher. Alongside our traditional CertEd (Level 5) and ProfGCE (Level 6) routes, we also offer non-traditional routes to school teaching, including apprenticeships and top-up options.



COURSES

Post-14 Education and Training Certificate in Education

Post-16 Education and Training Professional Graduate Certificate in Education

PGCE Primary and Secondary courses are currently under development. Please see our website or contact us for further information: engage@ucl.ac.uk.





Post-14 Education and Training

Certificate in Education

Course Code: 77309-10 (full time) 77308-10 (part-time)

Study mode: 1 year full-time, 2 years part-time

Location: Teacher Development Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Level up your teaching skills with our Certificate in Education (CertEd). This course will help you further your skills and knowledge in the post-14 sector. You'll gain a qualification that enables you to teach in further, higher or adult education and training.

About the course

This course provides a conceptual and practical understanding of how to influence teaching, learning and assessment across multiple contexts in the post-14 sector. The course is available as a full-time route for those not yet employed as teachers, and part-time for those already teaching.

From the psychology of teaching to designing an inclusive curriculum, you'll discover an array of learning models and how to apply them to your personal subject. You'll also analyse national and international learning perspectives and research practices for your own classroom.

By gaining a broad understanding of different teaching methods and practices, you'll be able to apply your newly acquired skills and experience to your professional context.

After graduating

Upon completing this course, you'll be able to progress on to further study routes such as PGCE study. There's also the potential to progress into paid employment in the further education sector alongside which you could attain Qualified Teacher Learning and Skills Status (QTLS).



Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.





Post-14 Education and Training

Professional Graduate Certificate in Education (subject to validation)

Course Code: 72647-10

Study mode: 1 year full-time, 2 years part-time

Location: Teacher Development Centre

Validated by: The Open University

Take the next steps towards your teaching career with a degree-level teaching qualification. Study current education and training practices, develop your teaching skills and pursue a general qualification or specialise in English, mathematics or SEN.

About the course

This course delivers a theoretical and practical understanding of how to influence teaching, learning and assessment in the post-14 sector. It's available as a full-time route for those not yet employed as teachers, and part-time for those already teaching.

From the psychology of teaching to designing an inclusive curriculum, our modules cover multiple aspects of the post-14 sector. You'll cover various learning and teaching models, before applying them to your own personal context, and will research and recommend practices for use in your own classroom.

The course is delivered part-time for employed teachers and full-time for those wanting to work in the sector.

After graduating

Upon completing this course you'll be able to progress into paid employment in the further education sector or progress on to Masters level study.



Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.



TRAVEL AND TOURISM

Working in travel and tourism widens your perspective of the world and allows you to encounter a range of people, places, cultures and languages. Whatever path you choose to travel, our degree in travel and tourism will build on your sector-specific knowledge while enhancing your industry skills.

Our employer-led Degree is designed to help you go further, with knowledgeable staff dedicated to helping you achieve your goals. With industry connections to employers, you can propel your career to the highest heights.





Travel and Tourism Management

Foundation Degree

UCAS Code: 8G18

Study mode: 2 years full-time

Location: University Centre

Validated by: Luminate Education Group

Soar towards success by entering the exciting travel industry. This course will enhance your employability skills and introduce you to an array of industry trends and developments. With strong links to local employers, we are perfectly positioned to take your career to new heights.

About the course

This degree covers all aspects of the travel and tourism sectors, helping you develop a well-rounded understanding of the wider industry. You'll familiarise yourself with all aspects of travel and tourism, and grow to appreciate the importance of customer service.

You'll explore customer service, marketing, management and tourism development. You'll also learn about key industry processes from the ground up, allowing you to build your practical skills and apply them to multiple travel and tourism roles. Our strong industry connections will provide employment opportunities to ensure you achieve your career goals within the exciting travel industry.

After graduating

Successful graduates will be well-equipped to enter the thriving travel and tourism industry in roles such as:

- Tourism supervisor/junior manager
- Retail travel agent
- Business travel agent
- Passenger service supervisor
- Hospitality coordinators
- Tour operations supervisor

You can also progress to study for a third year and gain a full BA (Hons) Travel and Tourism Management Top-up Degree (validated by The Open University).



Get more information

Scan the QR code to get more details about this course, including full entry requirements and module information.





APPRENTICESHIPS

Make it possible with an apprenticeship at University Centre Leeds.

In today's competitive global market, UK industries are prioritising the development of a highly skilled workforce. We responded to this demand by developing several apprenticeships.

We've been successfully recruiting to these apprenticeships since September 2016 and our aim is to expand our offer to include more sectors in the future.

Our current apprenticeships combine full-time employment with academic study, giving you practical, hands-on experience while gaining a nationally recognised qualification. They are often government or employer-funded, so you'll earn an income while you learn – and there are no student fees.

Upskill at any point in your career and gain professional accreditation and memberships for further recognition in your industry.

For more information about our range of higher apprenticeships, visit leedscitycollege.ac.uk/apprenticeships



PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Advance your career with a professional qualification.

Accredited by professional bodies, our courses are designed to provide you with the latest industry skills and knowledge required for you to succeed in your chosen field.

With a range of courses available, from certificates to diplomas, our programmes are tailored to meet the specific needs of employers and to support your advancement in the workplace.

For more information about our range of professional qualifications, visit leedscitycollege.ac.uk/professional



KEIGHLEY COLLEGE

Stay local and go so much further with higher education at Keighley College.

Keighley College boasts a close-knit community and collaborative learning environment. This makes it the ideal place to receive high-quality education that gets you into employment.

It's also home to the Industrial Centre of Excellence (ICE) for advanced manufacturing and engineering, and the Institution of Mechanical Engineers (iMechE) accredited Advanced Apprenticeship scheme, providing students with access to a range of industry support.

The college also boasts a spacious lecture theatre, research and computer labs, and modern classrooms, delivering a higher education experience right on your doorstep.

Opportunities on offer at Keighley College include:

- Health and Wellbeing Foundation Degree
- Supporting Teaching and Learning Foundation Degree



Life in Keighley

Keighley isn't just proud of being the birthplace of the late Captain Sir Tom Moore. It's also proud of its strong community spirit, something you'll feel as soon as you begin studying here.

The town is home to the Keighley and Worth Valley Railway, which operates steam trains on a five-mile track through beautiful countryside. With Haworth on the doorstep, the Brontë Parsonage Museum, which is dedicated to the life and work of the famous Brontë sisters, is a must-see.

Keighley's Cliffe Castle Museum and Park is another great destination for culture enthusiasts, with its amazing exhibitions and stunning gardens. Winding paths and tall trees make Devonshire Park the ideal place for a walk between classes.

The Airedale Shopping Centre offers a variety of shops and restaurants, and further down the road, you'll find Lund Park, the perfect spot for a picnic in the summer.

For more information about the courses offered by Keighley College, visit keighleycollege.ac.uk/higher-education

HARROGATE COLLEGE

Study higher education at a college for students who want more.

Harrogate College is a hub of creativity and enterprise with an enriched learning experience through state-of-the-art facilities, including kiln and throwing rooms for ceramics, photography studios and dark rooms, a Mac lab and fashion studio.

With courses influenced by employers and the Harrogate community, the college will give you the chance to truly take control of your future and build a professional creative network to support your career in the creative industries.

Life in Harrogate

Harrogate's reputation as a fashionable spa resort is still in evidence today, thanks to its prime location and abundance of shops, cafes, restaurants and bars, with its elegant architecture, beautiful gardens and stunning countryside close by.

It's a small town with a strong sense of community and provides a peaceful environment in the heart of Yorkshire. Harrogate is well connected to the thriving cultural hubs of York and Leeds, making it an ideal location for students who want to experience the best of both worlds.

One of the town's highlights is the Turkish Baths, which date back to Victorian times and offer a unique spa experience. Harrogate is also home to the famous Betty's Tea Room where you can enjoy a traditional afternoon tea.

The town is surrounded by the stunning Yorkshire Dales National Park, which offers picturesque walks and cycling routes, and the Valley Gardens is a beautiful park located in the heart of the town.

The town is home to a variety of cultural attractions, including the Royal Pump Room Museum, which tells the story of Harrogate's history as a spa town, and the Harrogate Theatre, which hosts a range of performances throughout the year.

For more information about the courses offered by Harrogate College, visit harrogate-college.ac.uk/higher-education



HOW TO APPLY

There are different application processes depending on whether you are applying for a full-time, part-time, apprenticeship or teacher training course.

Full-time applications

All full-time applicants for University Centre Leeds should apply online through UCAS. You can submit your application independently or via your school, college or education centre. You can find comprehensive information on the full application process at ucas.com.

Once you have registered and applied, you can keep track on your application status and offers in your UCAS Hub. UCAS also features support for Student Finance applications, as well as tips and advice about higher education.

Please note: a small processing fee is required for UCAS applications. Please see ucas.com for full details.

Part-time applications

All part-time applicants for University Centre Leeds should apply directly with us via our website. Visit ucleeds.ac.uk/our-courses/how-to-apply or scan the QR code below for more information.

Teacher training applications

For teaching qualifications such as PGCEs and CertEds, applicants should apply via our website. Visit ucleeds.ac.uk/our-courses/how-to-apply or scan the QR code below for more information.

Apprenticeships

Apprenticeships are evaluated on an individual basis and take the type of course and your individual circumstances into account. For more information, contact our Apprenticeships team by emailing apprenticeships@leedscitycollege.ac.uk or call 0113 284 6464.

These application processes ask for personal information, qualifications, work experience and references. We'll communicate with you via email to keep you updated on your application, including once you have applied, when we are processing your application, at the interview stage and once your application status has been decided.







FEES AND FUNDING

We understand there's become a greater focus on the cost of living for students and your families recently, and that funding your studies can be a daunting and challenging prospect. There is, however, plenty of financial help available to you, including sources of funding as well as financial support and advice.

Tuition fees

If you are eligible, you can apply for a tuition fee loan to cover the cost of your higher education from the government, which you repay gradually through pre-tax repayments once you earn a certain amount.

Tuition fees are mandatory and, depending on the course you choose to study, would cover course costs for aspects such as seminars and tutorials, visiting speakers and guest lecturers, learning facilities, equipment loans, course administration and assessment, support and wellbeing services, and more. The loans are available regardless of household income and are paid to us by the Student Loans Company.



Up-to-date details of tuition fees for courses starting in 2024 and more financial information can be found at our website at ucl Leeds.ac.uk/fees-finance or scan the QR code.



Maintenance loans

Whether you plan to live at home or in student accommodation, you'll be able to apply for a maintenance loan from Student Finance to contribute towards your living costs such as rent, food and bills. The amount you'll receive will depend on household income and where you live.

Disabled Students' Allowance (DSA)

This provides extra financial help to UK higher education students. This is to meet any extra study costs, which may arise from a learning difficulty, disability and/or ongoing health condition. It is a non-repayable grant based on need, rather than income.

You can apply via your Student Finance account.

Bursaries

We offer a number of bursaries of up to £500 to support eligible full-time students during studies.

Additional funding

Other non-repayable support, such as Parents' Learning Allowance and childcare funding, is available.

Financial advice

If you need any help understanding how Student Finance works, or what funding you may be eligible for, or if you need help managing your money, we can help. Our Student Finance team can offer advice and guidance with:

- Applying for Student Finance
- Working out what you're eligible for, and that you receive your full entitlements
- Looking at possible emergency help if you are in financial difficulty or struggling with cash flow
- Working out a budget and understanding your income and expenditure
- Contacting Student Finance on your behalf, with your permission

Contact us on hestudentsupport@ucleeds.ac.uk.



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