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Saadat Shadieva (LLM International
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Akis Palianastasis (MA International
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Postgraduate Open Evenings

You are welcome to attend the following Postgraduate Open Evenings at City, ahead of 2017/18 entry:

- Wednesday 16th November 2016
- Wednesday 15th February 2017
- Wednesday 14th June 2017.

For more details, visit:
www.city.ac.uk/pg-open-evenings

Why choose City?

City, University of London is a special place. With skill and dedication we have, for over a century, used education, research and enterprise to transform the lives of our students, our community and the world.

City is now a leading global university (among the top five per cent of universities in the world) and the only one in London to be both committed to academic excellence and focused on business and the professions. We are among the top 20 universities in the UK according to *The Guardian University Guide 2017*. And we are one of the top 10 universities in the UK for starting salaries.

The most recent Research Excellence Framework (REF2014) results showed that 40 per cent of our total academic staff are producing research that is world-leading or internationally excellent.

We attract around 18,000 students from more than 150 countries and academic staff from over 75 countries. Forty-seven per cent of our students (one of the highest proportions in UK universities) are following taught or research postgraduate degrees and enriching City's intellectual culture.

We have a Vision to be positioned among the top universities in the world and we have made great progress towards our goal with significant investment in world-leading academic staff, our estate and our information systems.

Today, as a self-governing College of the University of London, we are ideally placed to build on our historic strengths, professional credibility and deep-rooted City of London heritage, while we strengthen our international profile and expand our research and education capabilities.

So, if you are looking for a cosmopolitan environment in which to expand your academic and professional horizons while studying in the heart of one of the world's most exciting cities, I invite you to choose City.



Professor Sir Paul Curran
President



To find out more about City's membership of the University of London federation, visit www.city.ac.uk/university-of-london

A reputation for excellence

Whether you want to broaden your employment options, advance in your chosen career or prepare for further study, a postgraduate degree from City will challenge, inspire and open doors.

City has a strong tradition of postgraduate education. Our close links to business and the professions, which developed from our establishment as the Northampton Institute in 1894, mean that postgraduate students have always played a central role in the City community. Today, 47 per cent of our student body is studying for a taught or research postgraduate degree.

Whether taught or research, a postgraduate degree from City has the potential to transform your life. You will develop a specialist understanding of your chosen subject, while honing critical transferable skills and advanced research techniques.

Joining a self-governing College of the University of London means that you will enjoy opportunities to share knowledge and resources across a well-connected and internationally respected academic community and bring the groundbreaking work taking place at City to a wide and influential audience.

You will study alongside peers who share a passion for your chosen discipline and academic staff who are leaders in their fields of expertise. These colleagues will form an essential part of your professional network during and after your time at City.

Crucially, a City postgraduate degree will allow you to take the next step in your career. City's reputation for postgraduate education and research, combined with our exceptional career and skills development resources, ensure that our graduates are highly employable in the UK and around the world.

Strong, flexible support for research and education

City's commitment to excellence in research and education ensures that there is a wealth of support available for research postgraduate students.

Providing a focus for City's research degree provision, the **City Graduate School** works in partnership with City's academic Schools and Professional Services to strengthen the research student community, support the provision of research skills education and meet the wider needs of our student body. In particular, the Graduate School provides opportunities for our research students to:

- interact with other students and academic staff across City through regular events and activities
- gain experience in communicating and promoting their work nationally and internationally
- build networks as part of the challenge and excitement of research.

For more information about the City Graduate School, go to:
www.city.ac.uk/city-graduate-school

All postgraduate students at City benefit from the work of **Learning Enhancement and Development (LEaD)**, which supports academic excellence and the student experience through a range of academic and professional development programmes (including the MA Academic Practice course), events and learning technologies available throughout City.

To find out more about LEaD, visit:
www.city.ac.uk/lead

Research that changes lives

Characterised by excellence, creativity, innovation and interdisciplinary collaboration, City's research pedigree spans more than a century.

During that time, the University has made notable contributions, through basic and applied research, to a wide range of fields.

Today, as part of the University of London federation, our research and enterprise activities are more exciting and diverse than ever and our staff are passionate about the vital role that research plays in exploring and disseminating new ideas.

Groundbreaking research takes place within City's Schools and Departments, in specialist Research Centres, with academics often collaborating in interdisciplinary research. Since 2011, City has invested in research-excellent academics whose work has a wider impact on society.

By choosing City, you are choosing to study at the heart of the action, in a place where world-changing research is taking place and where you will benefit from working with academics who are leaders in their fields.

Above: **Dr Erwin Gowree** (PhD Aeronautical Engineering, 2014) is now a Postdoctoral Research Fellow at City.

Recognition for research with impact

The December 2014 Research Excellence Framework (REF2014) results were exceptionally important for City. In less than three years, we made a greater improvement in research quality, per Funding Council research pound, than any other UK university.

This leap has taken City to a position where 40 per cent of our total academic staff are producing research that is world-leading or internationally excellent, up from 20 per cent in 2010.

The REF2014 results reflected a significant improvement in City's research standing. Some 75 per cent of City's submission was rated as being of world-leading (4*) or internationally excellent (3*) quality.

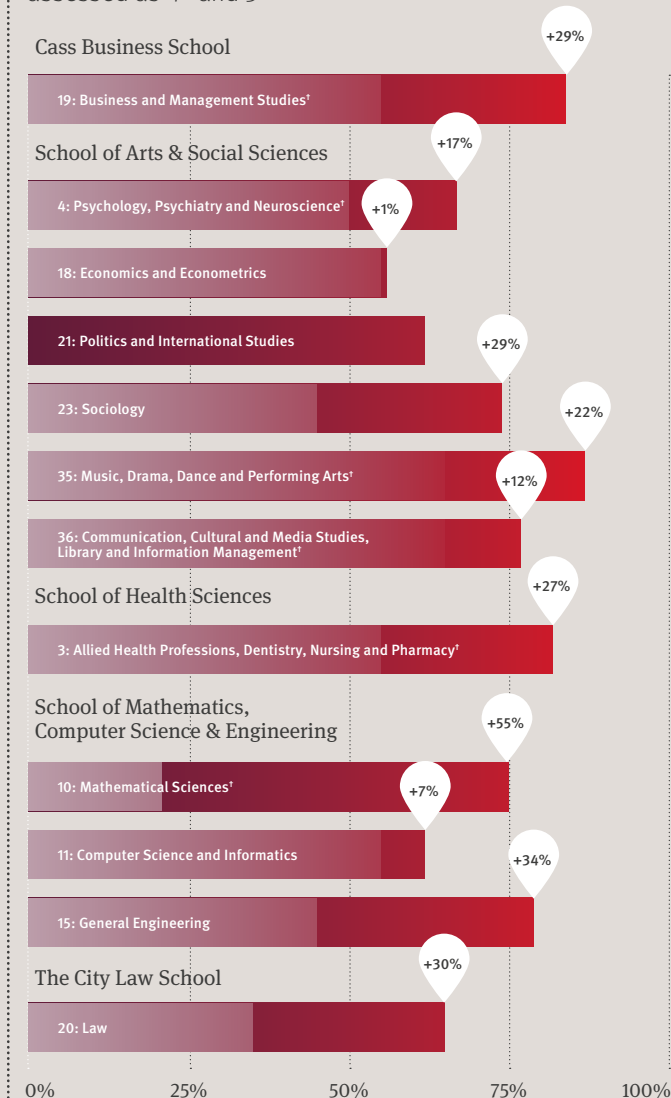
The REF2014 gave more weight to the impact of research than ever before. A large proportion of research at City seeks to have tangible effects beyond the institution, with the Higher Education Funding Council for England's focus on impact leading to greater recognition for City's output.

Our performance in REF2014 demonstrates that City's research has both strength and breadth. Many of our Schools and Departments are now in the top 20 or 30 in the UK.

The effects of our research are felt around the world and though there is still much work ahead to sustain and improve our performance, we now have a platform on which to build our research strength in the future.

You can be a part of this story.

Proportions of City's submitted research assessed as 4* and 3*



■ Increase from RAE2008 to REF2014

[†]REF2014 saw a change in methodology from its predecessor the Research Assessment Exercise (RAE2008), with the number of Units of Assessment (UoAs) reduced and therefore those UoAs indicated may not be directly comparable.

An investment in your future

City offers a wide range of taught and research postgraduate degrees, with every member of our postgraduate community benefiting from outstanding academic staff, comprehensive student support and tailored careers guidance.

A postgraduate degree, whether taught or research, will give you the opportunity to deepen your understanding of your chosen subject and explore particular areas of interest, while developing valuable transferable skills, including analytical thinking and research and presentation techniques.

Many students choose postgraduate study as a way of enhancing their employability in a particular industry or profession, as employers often look for the breadth of skills acquired through a postgraduate education. If you have already gained employment experience in your chosen field, a postgraduate degree can be an excellent way to accelerate your career development.

In keeping with City's close links with business and the professions, many of our postgraduate degrees are offered on a part-time and flexible basis, allowing you to manage your study around employment commitments.

Taught postgraduate degrees

City offers over 150 taught postgraduate courses, each developed by academic staff who are experts in their fields and who possess an in-depth understanding of the graduate employment marketplace.

94%

Ninety-four per cent of City graduates are in work or further study within six months of graduating (*Which? University, 2016*)

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(and counting)
Four former British Prime Ministers are City alumni



150

City's diverse student population includes students from over 150 countries around the world

Forty-four per cent of City students are studying on taught postgraduate courses

44%

Most taught postgraduate degrees at City are designed to be completed by full-time students over the course of one academic year, or by part-time students (where a part-time option is available) over two years.

Taught postgraduate degrees at City allow you to study a subject in depth and tailor your module choices to your area of interest and future plans.

Course directors work closely with potential employers to ensure the relevance of City's postgraduate courses are also shaped by feedback from former and current students. Many degrees are designed to meet particular industry standards, with over 40 per cent of City's courses accredited by professional bodies.

To find out more about taught postgraduate degrees at City, go to www.city.ac.uk

Research postgraduate degrees

Undertaking a research degree is both challenging and rewarding. At City, you will join a community of research students who share a desire to broaden their skills and push boundaries in their fields.

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Areas of academic activity where City's research was assessed as being of a quality comparable with the best in the world by the 2014 Research Excellence Framework (REF).



75%

Seventy-five per cent of City's REF 2014 submission was rated as 'world-leading' or 'internationally excellent'

585



There was a total of 585 research postgraduate students at City during 2014/15 (HESA Student Return 2014/15)

38%

Thirty-eight per cent of City students are aged 25 and above

Doctoral study, which can lead to a PhD or an alternative research degree such as a professional doctorate, generally involves between three and four years (for full-time students) of original research on a specific topic, working under expert academic supervision.

You will need to be organised, disciplined and above all, fascinated by your field of research. Success at doctoral level requires a significant investment of time and there is strong competition for places and funding.

The rewards can be significant and life-changing. A doctorate offers you the chance to dedicate yourself to research that inspires you, while contributing to the development of knowledge in your subject. Likewise, across virtually all sectors of employment, a doctoral degree is recognised as the pinnacle of academic achievement, demonstrating in-depth knowledge of a particular subject and a range of key transferable skills, including those relevant to research, enterprise and business.

For more information about research postgraduate degrees at City, including information about funding your research degree, go to www.city.ac.uk

London location, global connections

Based in the heart of London, close to the capital's leading financial, legal, media and healthcare institutions, you will have the opportunity to benefit from all that this remarkable city has to offer.

Much of the City campus is located on the cusp of several of London's most vibrant neighbourhoods: design-focused Clerkenwell, Islington's fashionable Upper Street and the high-tech creative communities of Old Street and Shoreditch. Tree-lined avenues and green spaces offer contrast to the vibrant street life, bars and restaurants of Exmouth Market and Hoxton Square, while the nearby Barbican Centre is a world-famous architectural and cultural landmark.

Further afield, Cass Business School occupies a prime location in the City of London's financial hub, making it the ideal postgraduate study base for professionals working in the Square Mile. And you may be surprised to learn that Senate House, which stands at the centre of the sprawling University of London campus, is just half an hour's walk (or a short trip by bus or Underground) from City's College Building, placing a host of resources within easy reach.

From shops, cafés and restaurants to museums, galleries and arts venues; from sports clubs to nightclubs; from cityscapes to public gardens, London is a city for everyone. Celebrated as a truly global destination, with a diverse cultural mix, iconic landmarks and a unique energy, it is an exuberant and exciting place to live.

But this is only half the story. Far-reaching connections and close ties with institutions around the world position City as a truly international university.

City's location in the centre of one of the most diverse and fast-paced cities in the world, combined with its highly international community of students and staff, mean the institution has developed close links with an extensive network of global academic partners.

With our reputation for academic excellence for business and the professions, we also have strong relationships with international industries and organisations. These ties ensure that our students enjoy exceptional global employment prospects once they graduate.

City is one of the most popular universities in the UK for international students and staff: our students come from over 150 countries, while our academic staff span more than 75 nationalities. This international community makes City a vibrant and cosmopolitan place for postgraduate study.

International partnerships

City's International Office works to support and strengthen our global profile by developing strategic links and activities relating to education and research. These strong links allow us to create opportunities for students to study abroad and take up international internships and enable us to welcome visiting academics and speakers. To find out more, go to: www.city.ac.uk/about/international-partnerships

Knowledge Quarter

City is a member of the Knowledge Quarter, an influential partnership of 73 academic, cultural, research, scientific and media organisations located within a one-mile radius of King's Cross station who have within their purpose the creation and dissemination of knowledge. To find out more, visit: www.knowledgequarter.london

An outstanding student experience

With central London as your campus and excellent support for postgraduate students, City offers everything that you need.

Above: **Kagowa Kuruneru** (PGDip Legal Practice Course; pictured left) and **Lydia Suprathivan** (MSc Actuarial Management).

City has a lively social and cultural scene, with clubs and societies, sporting facilities and opportunities for paid employment and volunteering. We also offer comprehensive support to all our students from day one, with staff on hand to provide help with learning, health and wellbeing, accommodation and careers.

Eating and socialising

There is a range of places to eat and meet friends at City, including coffee shops and sandwich bars, the student refectory and the University's social venue, CityBar. During the day, CityBar is a great place to eat or relax between lectures. In the evening it becomes a vibrant social space, hosting a range of events organised by the Students' Union and student clubs and societies.

Students' Union

City, University of London Students' Union (CULSU) works to improve the experience of City students by providing independent advice on academic issues, supporting student clubs and societies, organising events and ensuring that your voice is heard on key student issues.

To find out more about CULSU, visit: www.culsu.co.uk

Student Centre

If you are considering applying to City, have been accepted onto one of our courses or you are a current student, our award-winning Student Centre exists to answer your questions. From practical assistance with your finances, finding somewhere to live and travelling around London, to course advice, medical support and just about anything else, the Student Centre can help.

To find out more or contact us, go to: www.city.ac.uk/student-centre

CitySport

CitySport, our leading-edge sports centre, is the largest student sports facility in central London. With 100 stations of gym equipment spread over two floors, including the latest consoles with tablet-style screens, internet access and device connectivity are available at the touch of a finger. For those who prefer group exercise, there are purpose-built studios for mind and body classes, indoor studio cycling, martial arts and student team sports.

At the heart of the centre is the Saddlers Sports Hall, an elite, Olympic-standard competition space adapted to Sport England standards and able to accommodate several court sports.

With prices starting at just £26.50 per month for students, CitySport membership grants you free access to our fitness classes and state-of-the-art facilities*.

For more information and to take a virtual tour, go to: www.citysport.org.uk

Finding a place to live

City's Accommodation Team, based in the Student Centre, can help you to find suitable accommodation in halls of residence or the private sector for the duration of your postgraduate study.

At City, we offer accommodation specifically for postgraduate students in halls of residence, contracted for the University's use through independent housing providers. City's postgraduate halls of residence are self-catered facilities within easy travelling distance of the main University buildings. We have some accommodation suitable for students with mobility difficulties.

To find out more, go to: www.city.ac.uk/study/postgraduate/accommodation

* Does not include court hire or wellbeing and dance classes

Making the most of membership

Being part of the University of London means that, as a City student, you are entitled to free membership of Student Central (the former University of London Union). Student Central is a resource shared by more than 120,000 students across London and offers a wide range of services and facilities, from special events, student discounts and training schemes to bars, gig venues and a swimming pool. Whether you want to increase your social circle or compete against other Colleges in the sporting arena, you can find out more at:

www.studentcentral.london

To find out about competitive sport, the campus physical activity programme and how TeamCity can support you in whatever sport you are passionate about, visit: www.city.ac.uk/sport

Career connections

At City, you will find everything you need to plan your career, build your skills and take the next step in your chosen field.

When it comes to finding a job after university, postgraduate students at City benefit from exceptional support and advice. From applying for jobs and attending interviews, to gaining experience in your chosen field, our CityCareers service can be of benefit from the first day of your postgraduate studies.

With professionally accredited courses and close links with industry, our students enjoy excellent prospects when they leave City. Our reputation for producing highly employable graduates is well established. Ninety-four per cent of City graduates are in work or further study within six months of graduating (*Which? University*, 2016) and we are among the top 10 universities in the UK for graduate starting salaries.

Specialist careers advice

The friendly and helpful staff at CityCareers are on hand to help you evaluate your life and career goals and plan the steps you need to take to achieve your aims. Discuss your plans at one-to-one appointments and discover our extensive careers resources, which include computer-aided guidance packages and aptitude testing systems.

Careers workshops and presentations

Find out about potential employers' recruitment arrangements and polish your job search techniques. Major employers visit City regularly to give presentations, attend careers fairs and run skills sessions, while careers consultants and employers frequently hold workshops on subjects such as successful interviews and presentation skills.

Graduate, internship and placement opportunities

With City CareersHub, our specialist online service, you can discover internship opportunities available during your studies and arrange graduate opportunities for life after City. All City students and graduates are registered on the site, along with more than 5,000 employers such as the BBC, Bloomberg, Deloitte, Goldman Sachs, HSBC, Macfarlanes LLP, PwC, Santander and *The Times*.

Industry insight panel events

CityCareers regularly hosts panel events, giving students the opportunity to investigate the career options available to them. Each event consists of a series of talks followed by a networking reception with employers and recent graduates, often featuring City *alumni*.

Student volunteering

Improve your employment chances by developing new skills through volunteering. Recent volunteers have worked with a broad range of organisations, both on and off campus. Once you have completed a placement, we will help you articulate your newly found skills through your cv and during interviews.

To find out more, go to:
www.city.ac.uk/pg-careers

We are located between the City of London and Tech City, Europe's largest cluster of digital and technology startups. Whether your ambitions are professional or entrepreneurial, we will encourage and support you every step of the way.

An appetite for enterprise

Drawing on its heritage as a university established to provide academic excellence to business and the professions, City is committed to developing the next generation of entrepreneurial talent within the student and graduate community.

Today, as part of the University of London, City students can explore opportunities not just to share knowledge and resources among a London-wide community of budding entrepreneurs, but to bring their expertise and ideas to a wider audience than ever before.

Our unique location enables us to offer wide-ranging support to enterprising students, during their studies and beyond. The benefits of being on the doorstep of Tech City include student employability, research relationships and business collaboration. EC1V, City's postcode, is the top UK postcode for starting a business (UHY Hacker Young research). Over 10,000 new businesses were started in 2015, three times as many as in any other postcode.

CityStarters

The CityStarters team runs a wide range of extracurricular Enterprise Education events, programmes and activities that are free of charge and accessible to all students and graduates studying at City, regardless of their course.

To find out more, go to:
www.citystarters.co.uk

CitySpark

This 'business design and doing' competition is an opportunity for City students to win up to £3,000 to develop a new business idea, test it with potential customers and then make it happen.

To find out more, go to:
www.citystarters.co.uk/cityspark

Made@City

An end-of-year celebration to showcase and reward final-year student project work that demonstrates creativity, technology and design excellence, Made@City brings together students, staff and *alumni* from City with members of the local Tech City community.

To find out more, go to:
www.citystarters.co.uk/made-at-city

Cass Entrepreneurship Fund

The Cass Entrepreneurship Fund is a £10 million venture capital fund, providing growth equity to startup and early-stage companies from across the Cass Business School network. Established with the generous support of Peter Cullum CBE, the Fund has financed several high-growth businesses since its 2010 inception.

Peter Cullum Centre of Entrepreneurship (PCCE)

The PCCE is a focal point for budding and established entrepreneurs across the Cass network. It brings together the skills, experience and networks of successful entrepreneurs, financiers and business leaders and offers a range of short courses and support services to entrepreneurs.

City Unrulyversity

This is a free pop-up university in the heart of Tech City with a mission to inform, inspire and empower the next generation of Tech City entrepreneurs. Delivered by some of the University's leading academics, City Unrulyversity combines professional relevance with academic rigour, theoretical underpinnings and the latest research.

To find out more, go to:
www.citystarters.co.uk/cityunruly

City Launch Lab

City Launch Lab is a specially designed incubation space that provides free desk space and business mentoring support for student and graduate entrepreneurs from City.

To find out more, go to:
www.citystarters.co.uk/hangout

Start-Ed

Run by law students of The City Law School and supervised by local legal professionals, Start-Ed is a free walk-in centre offering advice on a range of business and legal matters to businesses and technology startups.

To find out more, go to:
www.citystarters.co.uk/legal-advice

An international perspective

With a diverse student population drawn from over 150 countries, our vibrant, cosmopolitan atmosphere makes City a special place to live and study.

Above: **Sumaiyah Javid** (Bar Professional Training Course) and **Paul Lahat** (PGDip Legal Practice Course).

We understand that choosing a university and studying overseas is one of the biggest decisions you will make, so we offer all the advice and support you will need during your time here.

From first contact to graduation and beyond, you will enjoy access to essential information and practical assistance from City staff and fellow students, designed to help you make the most of your City experience. London is a major global hub for a wide range of business sectors, from technology and finance to the media and creative industries. We have close links with business and the professions, an outstanding Careers Service and some of our courses include work placements, making our graduates among the most employable in the UK and beyond.

Meet us and find out more

City's International Office works tirelessly to attract the most able students from around the world. Every year, we visit more than 50 countries to meet people interested in coming to study in the UK. We also have an extensive worldwide network of representatives to help you with your application.

Visa requirements

Students are responsible for obtaining any necessary visas and entry clearance into the UK, so we advise you to prepare well in advance by researching the requirements for students from your country. Information about applying for and extending visas to study is available on City's website. A team of dedicated immigration officers can help you with your visa application process.

Tier 4 (General) Student Visa

If you have a Tier 4 (General) Student Visa, which was issued for study at another university, college or school in the UK, you will need to make a new Tier 4 application to the UK Home Office using a Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies from City, before you will be allowed to enrol with us.

English language courses

As City's courses are taught in English, you will need to provide proof that you are competent in English before admission. We run full-time courses in English during the summer to help students improve their English before their course starts. See the course pages and our website for the English language requirements of specific courses.

Tuition fees

Detailed information on tuition fees will be available on our website in early 2017.

When you arrive

Studying overseas can be a daunting prospect, even for postgraduate students, so we provide a range of services designed to help you adjust to life at City. The International Students Welcome Reception at Mansion House in September is a celebration of our global community and an opportunity to get to know staff and fellow students. Our support services, media channels and student ambassadors will ensure you get the information and reassurance you need.

Living costs and accommodation

For more information on accommodation, see page 13. Remember that your tuition fee does not include the cost of accommodation, so you will need to budget for this, along with flights, food, travel, books and personal items.

Next steps

- For more information about the International Office and to find out when we might be visiting your country, visit: www.city.ac.uk/international
- Former City students are spread across the world and our network of *alumni* groups is an invaluable source of advice. To find out more, go to: www.city.ac.uk/alumni/international-groups
- The UK Council for International Student Affairs (UKCISA) provides information and advice for international students planning to study in the UK. Visit www.ukcisa.org.uk for more information and to find out how fee statuses are assessed in the UK.
- If you are in the UK on a student visa and wish to work during term time or holidays, City's internal temping agency can help you find work. For more information, visit: www.unitemps.com
- EU students who register at City in 2016/17 and 2017/18 (either as new or continuing students) will be liable for the same tuition fee as UK students for the duration of their course. Following the 2016 European Union Referendum in the UK, City has posted advice on its website for any students who might have concerns. To read the statement, visit: www.city.ac.uk/eu-statement

Funding your studies

Postgraduate study at City is an affordable option for students from a wide range of backgrounds.

Postgraduate loans

A new postgraduate loan is available from the government to help cover the cost of postgraduate study. Students can apply for up to £10,000 to help pay tuition fees or living expenses. The loan is non-means tested and paid directly to the student.

- To be eligible, you need to be under the age of 60, studying for your first Masters level degree and a UK national, or meet certain other criteria related to nationality.
- Nearly all subjects are eligible, provided they award a Masters degree, such as MA, MSc, MBA, LL.M, MRes or MPhil.

- Loans are worth a maximum of £10,000 and are paid directly to you. You are allowed to borrow the full amount, even if your course costs less. You can borrow less than £10,000.
- You are eligible to start repaying in the April after graduation, but if you start a Masters in 2016, you won't need to begin repayments until 2019.

- Repayments are set at 6% of your earnings above £21,000 and interest rates are expected to be RPI+3% – generally much lower than from a private lender.

For more information and a video introduction to the loan, go to: www.city.ac.uk/pg-loans

Above: **Nneka Crystal Ozoka**
(Masters in Public Health).

Although you will usually have to pay for postgraduate study yourself, many sources of funding exist, including scholarships, studentships and professional and career development loans. During your time at City, you can get financial advice and support from our award-winning Student Centre.

Postgraduate scholarships

City has a wide range of scholarship opportunities available for students in all five of its Schools. Visit www.city.ac.uk for more information.

Research Council studentships

Research Councils may be able to provide financial assistance for UK, EU and overseas postgraduate students. It is best to contact the Council relevant to your area of study directly to enquire about eligibility and application.

Charities and trusts

There may be funding for postgraduate study available from charities and trusts. The British Council has a scholarship search database that you might find useful. Visit www.educationuk.org or www.britishcouncil.org

US loans

City participates in the William D Ford Federal Direct Loan Program. For information, visit: www.city.ac.uk/study/postgraduate/funding-and-financial-support

Disabled Students' Allowances (DSAs)

DSAs are available to UK students who are studying a course that lasts for at least one year and leads to a Masters degree, Doctorate, Postgraduate Diploma or Postgraduate Certificate and who incur additional study-related costs as a direct result of a disability, mental health condition or specific learning difficulty. To find out more about DSAs, visit:

www.direct.gov.uk/studentfinance

Professional and career development loans

City is listed on the Professional Career and Development Loan Register to provide loans for tuition fees and living costs for UK postgraduates. For more information, visit:

www.direct.gov.uk/pcdl

Hardship fund

The City, University of London Hardship Fund provides discretionary financial assistance for students experiencing unexpected financial hardship to help them remain in higher education. The fund is administered by the Student Centre and is intended to act as a safety net for those in financial difficulty, rather than a main source of income.

You can find out more about the new postgraduate loan and other funding sources available at City by visiting: www.city.ac.uk/pg-funding

How to apply

Details of how to apply for a place on one of City, University of London's postgraduate courses

Above: Akis Palianastasis (MA International Journalism; pictured left) and Paul Lahat (PGDip Legal Practice Course).

How to apply

Applicants for all postgraduate degrees should normally hold a university Honours degree in an appropriate subject. If you don't hold an Honours degree (or an equivalent qualification) but you have suitable experience and/or professional qualifications, you may still be accepted for a Masters or Postgraduate Diploma at the discretion of the relevant department. In addition, we recognise several pre-Masters programmes, in particular those provided by Kaplan International College London.

Applications for the majority of postgraduate courses need to be made directly to City, University of London. To apply, please visit the webpage of your intended course of study and click on the 'How to Apply' button. A pop-up window will appear containing links to our online application system along with instructions and details of the supporting documentation required.

While some of our postgraduate courses have application deadlines as early as February, many do not have a fixed application deadline and operate on a rolling admission basis. Applications will close when the course is full, so you are encouraged to apply as early as possible because competition for places on many courses is extremely strong and they may be fully subscribed as offers are made or as applications come in.

Further information can be found in the 'How to Apply' section of the webpage of your intended course of study. Entry requirements vary for each course and are listed on the individual course webpages. Visit: www.city.ac.uk/courses

English language requirements

All applicants that require a Tier 4 visa must meet the minimum Home Office English Language ability requirements before City can issue the Certificate of Acceptance for Study (CAS) needed to apply for a Tier 4 visa.

Please note these are the minimum Home Office requirements and in addition there are course-specific English language requirements which are likely to be higher. Details can be found on the individual course pages on the website.

Postgraduate Open Evenings

At City, we offer a range of opportunities for you to visit and find out more about postgraduate study. During Postgraduate Open Evenings, you will learn more about our postgraduate courses and discover all the benefits of studying at City, University of London. You are welcome to attend the following Postgraduate Open Evenings at City, ahead of 2017/18 entry:

- **Wednesday 16th November 2016**
- **Wednesday 15th February 2017**
- **Wednesday 14th June 2017.**

For more details, visit: www.city.ac.uk/pg-open-evenings

School of Arts & Social Sciences

The School of Arts & Social Sciences has a world class reputation for dynamic, inspiring and rigorous postgraduate education. Academic staff at the School are highly regarded in their fields and the research they undertake regularly informs academic debate and political policy at a national, regional and international level.

The School's strengths in research and education lie in the following disciplines: Economics; English (including Creative Writing, Publishing and Translation); International Politics; Journalism; Music; Psychology; and Sociology (including Food Policy, Media, Criminology and Cultural and Creative Industries). Over a thousand postgraduate students from around the world join the School each year, creating a lively and stimulating environment for studying and socialising. Students undertaking both taught and research postgraduate degrees play a key role in the life of the School, through their participation in seminar series, their research activities, their contribution to student media and their involvement in student politics and representation.

Courses at the School of Arts & Social Sciences are renowned for their professional relevance. Academic staff enjoy close ties with industry and the professions, which means that when designing and updating courses, they ensure that the needs of graduating students and their potential employers are met. These links and City's location in central London ensure that students benefit from regular lectures, seminars and networking opportunities led by prominent speakers and visiting lecturers. The School's vibrant *alumni* network, which postgraduate students automatically join upon graduation, has among its members leading figures in the worlds of journalism, culture and creative practice and the social sciences.

City's location, its outstanding academic staff and the professional orientation of its postgraduate degrees mean that graduates of the School of Arts & Social Sciences are successful in securing employment once they graduate from City. Many of the School's graduates also move on to doctoral-level study, both within the School and at other leading institutions around the world.

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Business Economics/ International Business Economics MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

On the MSc Business Economics/International Business Economics course students won't be deriving equations. Instead, they use them to apply economics to current business issues. Sixty per cent of the course is practice based so students can apply their learning.

The course has been designed to equip students with a wealth of resources combining data banks from City's Cass Business School and School of Arts & Social Sciences. This means you have access to everything from Datastream, Bloomberg and Bankscope, to Morning Star and Orbis.

MSc Business Economics/International Business Economics maximises City's central London location. With high-profile guest lecturers such as Jim O'Neill, former Chief Economist from Goldman Sachs, students gain insight straight from the City studying in the heart of "the world's biggest financial centre" (*The Economist*, 2012).

Career opportunities

When it comes to employer recognition, City is well established. The University has become synonymous with quality and the Government Economic Service regularly recruits postgraduate students from this course. There is also a range of career service events across the School of Arts & Social Sciences and Cass Business School.

Our graduates include Yuliya Bashmakova, Senior Gas Control Scheduler for ExxonMobil and Youssef Intabli, who is now working as an Account Manager at Bloomberg.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/sbei

Development Economics MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This Masters course is designed to bridge the gap between economics and development, providing strong education in quantitative and policy analysis in development economics.

It provides students with an understanding of the key issues in economic development with rigorous economic theory and statistical tools to be able to analyse policies and assess their impact on economic and human development.

The course is led by a team of academic staff who are leading experts in their field of research.

All students must complete four core modules and either a literature survey or dissertation. Students who choose the literature survey can choose two electives. The dissertation option allows you a choice of two electives.

Career opportunities

Graduates of this course enjoy employment possibilities in both the public and private sectors, including consultancy and economic analysis.

In addition, this course provides students with the skills to work in consulting firms specialising in development, governmental bodies such as the Department for International Development (DFID) or in major international financial and development institutions. The MSc also provides a solid academic foundation for students wishing to pursue doctoral research in economics.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/sdec

Economic Evaluation in Healthcare MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This course is designed to meet the demand for health economics' quantitative and analytical skills for decision-making in the healthcare sector both in developed and developing countries.

The MSc offers education both in the conceptual bases for economic evaluation and in health economics advanced quantitative methods relevant to healthcare decision-making.

The course is designed for those who have a background in economics and are looking to specialise but we also offer provision to those who are new to economics.

This course will include modules in subjects such as economic evaluation, health economics, quantitative methods, economic evaluation workshops (modelling), welfare economics and epidemiology. Students are also required to write a dissertation.

Career opportunities

Students will be prepared for career opportunities in economic consultancies, think-tanks and the pharmaceutical industry; professional associations and governmental bodies; NGOs; and teaching and research positions.

Graduate destinations include: Abacus International; NICE; Optum; IMS Health; NHS; Kovis; Eli Lilly; OHE; United Nations; Fidelity; Johnson & Johnson; Novo Nordisk; Synovate and Tomtah.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/seeh

Economics MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This course is designed to give students a solid foundation in microeconomics, macroeconomics and econometrics while allowing them to undertake modules across different specialisations including finance, regulation, health economics, behavioural economics and development economics.

This combination creates a range of career options in industry, government and academia.

The course is led by a team of academic staff who are leading experts in their field of research.

All students must complete either an economics literature survey or an economics dissertation. Students who choose to complete the literature survey must take eight modules (four core modules and four elective modules); students who choose the dissertation must take six modules (four core modules and two elective modules).

Career opportunities

Graduates of this course enjoy a wide range of employment possibilities in both the public and private sectors, including consultancy and financial analysis. The course also serves as a stepping stone to an Economics PhD. Recent graduate destinations for this course include: Economic Analyst, BlackRock; Assistant Economist, Department for Transport; Cash Funding Analyst, Mizuho International; Researcher and Economist, Ipsos Mori (Policy and Evaluation).

Find out more

city.ac.uk/seco

Financial Economics MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

In a steadily globalising world, the demand for specialists in finance and economics continues to grow. This demand exists across a host of institutions, ranging from policy-making authorities such as central banks and international organisations to commercial banks and brokerages.

The course is designed to meet increasing demand for specialists in finance and economics by combining solid education in economic theory with exposure to the field of finance through several specialised options. One of the most exciting aspects of the course is the unique opportunity to combine exposure to regulatory and policy aspects of finance with a thorough education in theory and quantitative methods.

All students must complete either a financial economics literature survey or a financial economics dissertation. Students who choose to complete the literature survey must take eight modules (four core modules and four elective modules); students who choose the dissertation must take six modules (four core modules and two elective modules).

Career opportunities

Graduates of this course enjoy a wide range of employment possibilities in both the public and private sectors, including consultancy and financial analysis. The course also serves as a stepping stone to an economics or finance PhD. Recent graduate destinations for this course include: Economic Analyst, BlackRock; Cash Funding Analyst, Mizuho International; Quantitative Analyst, BNP Paribas.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/sfec

Health Economics MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

The demand for specialists in health economics continues to increase as more advanced and expensive healthcare puts pressure on policy decision-makers and healthcare industry managers. Health economists' input is required to assess funding interventions and healthcare system expansions in developing countries.

The Health Economics MSc is designed to meet demand by introducing students to how microeconomics principles can be applied to the analysis of health and healthcare decisions by consumers, firms and governments.

There is a Research path and a Literature Review path. For the former, students need to take six modules and write a dissertation. For the latter, eight modules and produce a literature review. Core modules may include: economic evaluation, health economics, microeconomics and econometrics. Elective modules can be taken from across the department and include economic evaluation, epidemiology and regulation and competition.

Career opportunities

This MSc prepares students for career opportunities in areas such as economic consultancies and think-tanks; teaching and research positions; professional associations and governmental bodies; NGOs; and policy analysis for the pharma industry.

Recent graduation destinations include: Abacus International, NICE, Eli Lilly, Oxford Outcomes, Gallaher, IMS Health and OHE.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/shec

Audiovisual Translation and Popular Culture MA

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This unique course offers the opportunity to specialise as a translation expert in audiovisual translation and in the translation of popular culture: children's literature, crime fiction, science fiction and fantasy, comics and manga.

The course provides education in audiovisual translation techniques on industry-standard software and a thorough grounding in theoretical strategies underpinning the practice of translation, working with a wide range of source texts from different popular genres and media.

It develops awareness of professional standards, norms and translational ethics and works closely with professional translators and the translation industry, helping students develop a professional identity.

This MA is available in a wide range of languages in combination with English (as a native or foreign language) including Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Polish, Russian and Spanish.

Career opportunities

This MA is suitable for anyone wishing to have a career in translation. It is one of the most popular audiovisual translation courses in the UK and the only to specialise in popular literature.

Career options cover a wide range of jobs in the translation industry, with graduates working in video game translation (Sega, Testronics Labs), dubbing/subtitling (VSI, Deluxe) and translation (WHO, Translate Plus).

Find out more

city.ac.uk/aatp

Creative Writing (Non-Fiction) MA

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

The MA in Creative Writing (Non-Fiction) remains the only dedicated degree of its kind in the UK, exploiting the flourishing narrative non-fiction publishing market.

This highly focused, professionally orientated writing course appeals to journalists, academics, subject experts, those wanting to write a memoir or family history and others wishing to explore long form narrative non-fiction. The course encourages students to be ambitious and imaginative. The unifying factor for all writers accepted onto the course is their intention to deliver a detailed exploration of a subject through a narrative structure.

Students graduate having completed a full-length non-fiction book or work-in-progress and the course has a strong track record of publication. A publishing element in the final term of the course and an anthology of writing are vital ingredients in supporting graduates to win publishing contracts and agents.

Career opportunities

Alumni have gone on to win prizes and have work published. Some examples include: *The Weather Experiment* (published by Chatto and Windus), *Inspector Minahan Makes a Stand* (Picador), *Lady Bette and the Murder of Mr Thynn* (Weidenfeld & Nicolson) and *Navel Gazing* (Faber and Faber), a witty reflection on a young woman's gastric bypass surgery.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/acwf

Creative Writing (Novels) MA

Duration

Full-time: two years

This course is designed to provide a supportive and thought-provoking, yet challenging, environment for novelists to develop their skills, experiment with approaches to writing, learn about the industry and, most importantly, complete a polished novel ready to send to publishers and agents.

Students can specialise in one of two pathways: Literary Novels or Crime Thriller Novels.

All tutors are currently published authors who will provide both expert feedback and guidance on the industry. The course explores characterisation, style, dialogue, plotting, suspense, premise and story, sub-genres, setting and much more besides. Students are supported at every stage to write, edit and submit, making this a unique chance to not only start, but finish and polish the novel they always wanted to write.

Career opportunities

Towards the end of the course we invite agents, publishers and industry professionals for guest lectures and Q&As. Former students signed with agencies such as: Janklow & Nesbit, Aitken Alexander Associates, A M Heath and Greene & Heaton. Other *alumni* have been published by companies such as: HarperCollins, Bloomsbury, Chatto and Windus, Faber and Faber, Penguin, Constable and Random House.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/acwn

Creative Writing (Playwriting and Screenwriting) MA

Duration

Full-time: two years

Creatively stimulating, challenging and above all professionally orientated, this innovative two-year course provides a supportive and thought-provoking environment for playwrights and screenwriters to explore their ideas, develop their craft and finish a full-length work to a high standard. No single style or genre is prescribed; the ethos of the course is excellence and diversity. The course is suitable for writers with some experience who want to develop their practice and ideas. Classes are run in the evening to enable students to combine work and study. The course is accredited by Creative Skillset, the Creative Industries' Sector Skills Council. Students are eligible for the BAFTA Scholarship programme – successful applicants receive a bursary of up to £10,000, a BAFTA mentor, access to BAFTA events and a paid work placement at Warner Bros UK.

Career opportunities

Our graduates' work is being widely commissioned and produced in theatre, television, film and radio. Some have obtained development roles in the film, TV, theatre and related industries such as literary agencies. Several work for the BBC. Others have formed theatre or film companies. Some are also currently teaching writing and drama at sixth form colleges or overseas universities.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/acws

Creative Writing and Publishing MA

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This course enables students to move into professional roles that match their interests and draw upon their talents.

This course appeals to both experienced and aspiring writers who wish to gain the knowledge and skills relevant to professional practice in commercial settings which produce creative content for both print and digital formats. But the course also appeals to students who may wish to make a career as a published author, especially those who have chosen to explore genres such as fantasy, thriller, science fiction, young adult and crime.

Career opportunities

Aspiring writers on the course enjoy exposure to agents, editors and others within both traditional and electronic publishing. We help foster professional writers and recent graduate students have gone on to win publishing contracts. For those who are interested in publishing, the option of an industry placement provides invaluable work experience and professional contacts. Former MA Publishers are currently employed in companies as diverse as Faber, Penguin, Random House, HarperCollins and many others.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/acwp

Publishing/ International Publishing MA

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years
(publishing only)

City's Publishing MAs cover all types of publishing, from trade and specialist publications to novels and non-fiction. Students complete core modules in term one, with options in term two including commercial and creative publishing projects, an interactive media module, a libraries and publishing module and a digital culture option. The MAs provide a thorough grounding in the drivers of commercial success for print and digital media, with a focus on the evolving implications of digital content and e-delivery. Students are taught both by expert scholars with up-to-date industry knowledge and publishing practitioners, who together support students to develop confidence and skills in the critical analysis of current global publishing conditions.

MA Publishers are encouraged to complete a 15-credit professional placement option and all of the MA Internationals' case studies relate directly to current publishing practice projects.

Career opportunities

Current industry knowledge and industry-focused projects are an integral part of these courses, providing experience, contacts and enhanced publishing skills.

Recent graduate job destinations include: Head of Operations and Digital, Fleet Street Publications, USA; Associate Editor, Aleph Book Company, New Delhi; Editorial and Production Assistant, Thames River Press; Digital Publishing Executive, Blackwell's UK; Account Executive, Faber Factory.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/api

International Politics

Diplomacy and Foreign Policy MA

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

The degree explores issues and problems in the study of foreign policy through an engagement with the theoretical and real-world dimensions of foreign policy analysis, a salient strand of International Relations Theory. It focuses on traditions and techniques in the areas strategy, diplomacy and decision-making, in the context of foreign policy and economic diplomacy.

The course deals with a range of topics relating to the economic, political and professional dimensions of diplomacy and foreign policy with reference to key regions. This course will provide students with a research-led education in this dynamic field.

Students explore professional approaches to policy formulation, decision-making and negotiation within organisations and between competing parties.

Through exercises, debates and simulations students experiment with different ways of defining problems, reconciling competing agendas, facilitating dialogue and mitigating risk.

Career opportunities

The MA in Diplomacy and Foreign Policy is designed for those planning, or already engaged in, a career in the diplomatic service, journalism, international organisations (such as the UN or the EU) or NGOs (such as Amnesty International and Oxfam). It also prepares students for a career in political risk, international finance and think tanks.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/sdfp

Global Political Economy MA

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

City's MA in Global Political Economy (GPE) provides a cutting-edge perspective on global economic and financial relations, inter-state competition, mechanisms of global governance and processes of transformation and change.

The course consists of core modules on the history of global capitalism and contending approaches from across the political economy traditions. Students then develop specialist knowledge through elective modules, which cover issues such as economic and financial crises; international organisations and economic diplomacy; poverty and inequality; regionalisation and globalisation; states and sovereignty; and the rise of new economic powers.

Students benefit from our internationally renowned expertise in the field of global political economy, exemplified by the leading academic staff who deliver the course; the vibrant research culture centred around the City Political Economy Research Centre; and City's central London location.

Career opportunities

This is a specialised degree enabling graduates both with and without prior knowledge of economics to engage competently and confidently with economic and financial developments and pursue professional careers in the public and private sectors, international organisations or the media. The degree also provides a solid foundation for students wishing to pursue doctoral research in politics and political economy.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/sgpe

International Politics MA

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

At the heart of contemporary international politics are new challenges to enduring problems. Increasing concerns such as poverty, terrorism, conflict, human rights, economic development, displacement and the global environment, make the study of international politics a unique and exciting challenge. City's International Politics MA provides students with an opportunity to examine and critically evaluate issues of the contemporary world. It focuses on the study of global policy-making using theoretical and real-world approaches. In the core module students are introduced to the critical and theoretical study of international politics. Students are then able to choose elective modules covering their interests, including modules on development and inequality, security, foreign policy and diplomacy, religion, global economics and financial crises, migration, human rights and more.

Career opportunities

The skills, knowledge and expertise students develop during their time studying the International Politics MA open up several career opportunities for them. Whether students are looking to work at an NGO supporting the third world or work closer to home as part of the civil service or media, they will develop enviable skills allowing them to work in several industries.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/sinp

International Politics and Human Rights MA

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

This is a course where students challenge their own point of view. The course unpicks the idea of human rights and how it structures the way we understand the world, so that students can identify how those understandings shape global events. Students then focus on developing the critical intellectual skills to challenge conventional views of international politics and how those views may be ethically problematic. International Politics and Human Rights is an evolving subject so students explore unique specialisms backed by real-world research. The department's academics are actively shaping policy, sitting on the advisory board for the Corbyn shadow cabinet, hosting talks on the human right to housing in London and engaging in study groups around the Obama presidency. This keeps the content of the course effective and current.

Career opportunities

The skills students learn on this course – research, analysis and presentation – are highly valued by employers. From human rights organisations to NGOs and government agencies, the course gives students the perfect foundation for a career in a range of fields. Students graduate with the ability to undertake in-depth research, challenge received explanations of topics in social and political life and to critically evaluate the complex structure of contemporary international politics.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/siph

Journalism

Broadcast Journalism MA

Duration
Full-time: 10 months

The MA in Broadcast Journalism is the keystone broadcasting course at City and has a national and international reputation. It is highly rated by employers. Students benefit from a large and diverse cohort of 50 with great networking and peer support. However they make news-days in smaller groups of 15 covering news, sport and current affairs and they also make a Final Project short documentary for television or radio in individually or in pairs. Students have daily personal contact with tutors like Professor Lis Howell; former BBC TV reporter Colette Cooney; and the BBC World Service's Dr Abdullahi Tasiu Abubakar. Key visiting lecturers include Talksport's radio-journalism award winner Sandy Warr; former Reuter's producer Lloyd Watson; and ITN's Social Affairs Editor Penny Marshall. Basics are taught with the MA in Television Journalism.

Career opportunities

Our Broadcast *alumni* have some of the most important jobs in production and management in the UK. Placements during the course are vital and owe a lot to City's industry contacts: This is in the form of a 15-day period within the Christmas break. By learning to be an all-round broadcast news reporter with both TV and radio skills you will join an *alumni* that covers all parts of the broadcast industry from conventional TV news to Buzzfeed and Vice. On-air *alumni* include the BBC's Sophie Raworth and Chris Mason; Sky News' Dermot Murnaghan; Isabel Webster and Darren McCaffrey; ITN's Minnie Stephenson and many more.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/abjo

Erasmus Mundus MA: Journalism, Media and Globalisation MA

Duration
Full-time: two years

This is a unique two-year Masters course and part of the prestigious Erasmus Mundus programme (www.mundusjournalism.com). Students study as part of a diverse cohort of individuals from around the world.

Because this course brings together five leading European institutions in journalism and media education there is a wealth of international guest lecturers and academics. The first year is spent in the University of Aarhus, Denmark, the second at City, University of London or at the University of Swansea (Wales), Hamburg University (Germany) or University of Amsterdam (Netherlands).

The course also offers some exchange opportunities for students to travel to one of the following three institutions in the spring of the first year: University of California, Berkeley, USA; Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile; or University of Technology, Sydney, Australia.

Career opportunities

Students from the course have gone on to work for the *Wall Street Journal*/Dow Jones, the BBC, Reuters, *China Daily*, Danish Broadcasting Corporation, *Helsingin Sanomat*, TV 2 Norway, Xinhua News Agency, *Bangkok Post*, Associated Press and Platts. Other students are working for international organisations, including the Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Companies and the European Commission and for international corporations including Morgan Stanley.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/aemj

Financial Journalism MA

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

The MA in Financial Journalism is unique in its international reach and breadth of opportunity including possible overseas travel. Based on the key concepts and analytical skills needed for finance journalism and supported by the Marjorie Dean Foundation, the course aims to develop the professional skills and knowledge needed to work in a multimedia environment.

By the end of the course, students have had extensive education in the best professional practice of reporting business and financial news. Students develop professional skills such as interviewing, researching and writing news stories using state-of-the-art Bloomberg and Reuters terminals and produce their unique coverage of the UK Budget.

Career opportunities

Students from the course have gone on to work for Bloomberg, *Financial Times*, the BBC, *The Wall Street Journal*/Dow Jones, CNBC, *The New York Times* and *International Herald Tribune*. Other students have been employed by specialised business publications such as *Citywire* and *Interactive Investor*. Outside London, students are working as financial journalists in other major financial centres such as Hong Kong, Paris, New York, Tokyo, Dubai and Mumbai.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/afjo

Interactive Journalism MA

Duration

Full-time: 10 months

The MA in Interactive Journalism is an exciting new contemporary course responding to the rapidly changing environment of digital journalism, with a focus on social media, multimedia storytelling and data journalism. Multimedia work is geared to online publication. There are two work placements that form an integral part of the Interactive Journalism course and through these and the learning here at City, students develop these online specialisms. In addition, they learn the essential journalistic skills of writing, reporting, newsgathering, interviewing and feature writing: core elements of City's renowned MA in Journalism course.

The Data Journalism module is led by James Ball, Data Editor of *The Guardian*. Other modules offered involve expert input from organisations such as *The Daily Telegraph*, Reuters, the BBC, *The Guardian*, BreakingNews and Reed Business Information.

Career opportunities

Graduates work in data journalism, web analytics, content and community coordination, social media, subediting, social insight, coding, PR and agency work. Employers include *The Guardian*, *Daily Mail*, Bauer Media, *Manchester Evening News*, Wunderman, Transport for London, *CityAM*, BBC, BuzzFeed, Vice News and *The Economist*.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/ainj

International Journalism MA

Duration

Full-time: one year

The International Journalism course was started in 1982 and has built a worldwide reputation with well over 1,000 *alumni* working all over the planet. Students become adept at broadcast and online journalism in a global context. They study international news and obtain a profound understanding of international journalism from a UK perspective.

Students practise all platforms of journalism (broadcast, print and online) and also explore theory and reflect on their practice. Students come from all over the world and have the benefit of being in one of the world's most significant media cities with access to thousands of international journalists and sources.

On this course students benefit from using both traditional and contemporary journalism tools and acquire comprehensive skills.

Career opportunities

Typically, more than 97 per cent of graduates from this course are in employment six months after completing the course. Some go on to further study. Graduates work in both global and national media and in allied occupations around the world. Most recently, these have included roles from researchers to editors in media such as the BBC World Service, Al Jazeera, Deutsche Welle, CNN, France24, Bloomberg, Sky, Fox, Thomson Reuters, Associated Press and Dow Jones and major newspapers and magazines including *The New York Times*, *Financial Times*, *The Hindu*, *Politiken* and *GQ*.

Find out more

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Above: **Sophia Pathak**
(MA Magazine Journalism).

Investigative Journalism MA

Duration
Full-time: 10 months

City’s pioneering MA in Investigative Journalism provides students with essential basic skills, combined with innovative and in-depth research and investigation techniques. Students learn advanced research skills, including computer-assisted reporting to analyse data to find stories and the effective use of public records and databases. The course provides case studies of high-profile investigations and helps students develop the skills to investigate issues of public concern, miscarriages of justice and companies, organisations and individuals within an ethical framework. It also offers students the opportunity to complete an investigation and to learn professional multi-media skills including television and print. This course moves swiftly from basic journalism to fully-fledged investigative journalism provided by leading investigative journalists, including David Leigh, former Investigations Editor of *The Guardian* and award-winning Freedom of Information expert Heather Brooke.

Career opportunities
Graduates move into employment across the range of print, online and broadcast media, from *The Times*, *The Daily Telegraph* and *The Guardian* and quality regionals, trade and current affairs magazines including the *Spectator* and *New Statesman*, to Sky News, Bloomberg TV, regional BBC TV, CNN, independent television production companies and the Bureau of Investigative Journalism. Graduates also work for media organisations overseas and for charities.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/aivj

Magazine Journalism MA

Duration
Full-time: 10 months

This hugely successful well-established course prepares students for a broad range of magazine scenarios, from writing for a glossy men’s magazine; to researching a story for an online business-to-business publication; to reviewing a play for a national newspaper and much in between. It is accredited by the Periodicals Training Council. It gives students a thorough grounding in print and multimedia journalism. Students develop professional skills in reporting, interviewing, research, feature writing and production (print and online). They benefit from the experience of leading magazine and specialist journalists and around 30 visiting editors, commissioning editors and editorial directors from the UK’s leading publishing houses.

Graduates from the course have won the Professional Publishers Association’s Most Promising Postgraduate Student of the Year for the last eight years.

Career opportunities
Alumni occupy top positions in magazines and newspaper supplements including *Grazia*, *Harper’s Bazaar*, *The Sunday Times Magazine* and *Guardian Weekend*, *Marie Claire*, *FHM*, *Stylist*, *Esquire*, *The Debrief*, *Radio Times*, *New Statesman*, *Prospect*; B2B magazines (*Pulse*, *Architects’ Journal*, *Estates Gazette*, *Chemist & Druggist*, *Travel Weekly*); customer magazines (*IKEA Magazine*, *Waitrose Kitchen*, *BA High Life*); news agencies (Press Association); and national newspapers (*Daily Mail*, *The Daily Telegraph*, *The Sunday Times*, *The Observer*, *The Sun*, *Evening Standard*).

Find out more
city.ac.uk/amjo

Newspaper Journalism MA

Duration
Full-time: 10 months

City’s MA Newspaper Journalism course is a fast-paced, exciting degree designed to train the future reporters, correspondents and editors of the world’s leading media organisations. The course was established in 1982 and has an exceptional reputation for helping aspiring journalists get into employment. Students benefit from a central London location, unrivalled industry contacts and a thorough grounding in the best practices of professional journalism.

The course combines professional skills education in reporting, interviewing, writing, editing, research and newspaper production (in print and online) with a concern for professional standards and critical and ethical reflection. The department includes former Managing Editor of *The Times* Professor George Brock, Professor David Leigh of *The Guardian*, ITN’s chief lawyer John Battle and award-winning Freedom of Information expert Heather Brooke.

Career opportunities
Recent graduates have gone on to work on national newspapers (including *The Guardian*, *The Daily Telegraph*, *Daily Mail*, *The Times*, *The Sun*, *The Sunday Times*); regional press (*London Evening Standard*, *Manchester Evening News*); newspapers overseas (*The Daily Star* [Beirut], *China Daily* [Beijing]); news agencies (Press Association, Bloomberg); and magazines (*New Statesman*, *Prospect*). An increasing number are working in online roles, either as their main focus or alongside print journalism.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/anjo

Television Journalism MA

Duration
Full-time: 10 months

The MA in Television Journalism has unique contact with the television industry. It provides individual tailored placements for every student. Approximately 30 students are subdivided into groups of 15 to make news-days covering news, sport and current affairs; students also make a full-length, 30-minute television documentary in teams of three, for a Final Project. These have won awards including *The Guardian* Young Journalist of the Year and the BJTC documentary award. Students get personal attention and daily contact with tutors including Professor Lis Howell and award-winning film-maker Sally Webb. Documentary maker David Lloyd and current ABC news producer Mike Trew are visiting lecturers, as is ITV’s Social Affairs Editor, Penny Marshall. This course has an unparalleled employment record. Basics are taught with the MA Broadcast Journalism.

Career opportunities
Our employment rate is exceptionally high. Our *alumni* have gained great jobs on and off screen including: Alistair Bunkall, Reporter, Sky News; Osama Javaid, News Anchor, Dawn TV Pakistan and Al Jazeera; Claire Burton, News Presenter, BBC Channel Islands; Rose Gretton, Reporter, Sky News; Annabel Archer, Producer, CNN; Warren Nettleford, Reporter, ITN 5 News; and many more. Placements are undertaken each Wednesday in terms one and two and owe a lot to City’s industry contacts. Students go to one company or broadcaster for around ten consecutive weeks and build up relationships with employers. Tutors give personal help to students to find these placements and ultimately a job in broadcasting.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/atjo

Music

Composition MA

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

The MA Composition develops skills in the broad field of contemporary composition, encompassing notated and digital music, sound art, improvisation and interdisciplinary practices. The course also provides a critical context for exploring key topics and issues in contemporary composition.

Engagement with professional creative practice lies at the core of the course. There are opportunities to work with performers and other collaborators on innovative new projects and to present compositional work to an audience of peers. Students have the opportunity to receive individual tuition from world-renowned composers external to the department. As well as opportunities to work with City’s professional ensembles-in-residence, Plus Minus and Exaudi, the department regularly hosts visiting composers and sound artists.

The course provides ideal education for those wishing to enter the professional world of composition and/or proceed to a research degree.

Career opportunities
The MA Composition has excellent employment statistics. Students have gone on to teach, compose and perform in a wide variety of settings and are also employed in areas such as music publishing, broadcasting, music management, arts administration and further musical study at MPhil or PhD level. Our *alumni* include award-winning composer Nico Casal (Best Short Film at the 2016 Oscars), composer Javier Álvarez and film sound designer Chris Reading.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/amco

Ethnomusicology MA

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

The MA Ethnomusicology introduces students to new ways of thinking about music in its cultural contexts, with a particular focus on ethnographic work in urban settings. Students consider current issues and debates in ethnomusicology and explore the complex interrelationships between music and other subjects and between theory and creative practice.

We have a vibrant postgraduate community and there are plenty of opportunities for involvement in our many ensembles, including Javanese and Balinese gamelans, Middle Eastern ensemble and Latin ensemble. We host a regular concert series and an annual summer music festival. In addition, there are regular workshops, visiting speakers and research seminars and we also host occasional conferences.

The course provides exceptional support for students and outstanding learning opportunities, as reflected in the most recent national Postgraduate Taught Experience Survey. Education is through a combination of lectures, seminars and individual tutorials.

Career opportunities
Students have gone on to teach, compose and perform music in a wide variety of settings and are also employed in areas such as music publishing, broadcasting, music management, arts administration and further musical study at MPhil or PhD level. *Alumni* are working in high-profile roles, including in organisations such as the Southbank Centre and the Hallé Orchestra.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/amet

Music MA

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

The MA Music introduces students to a range of current issues and debates in music studies and provides opportunities to explore the complex interrelationships between music and other subjects and between theory and creative practice. The course develops critical and creative approaches to musical practice and study and provides exceptional education in research skills which may also be useful in later doctoral study.

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Find out more

city.ac.uk/amus

Psychology

Behavioural Economics MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

Behavioural economics applies psychological insights into human behaviour to investigate how people make economic decisions under various conditions of constraint (e.g., time and knowledge) and influence (e.g., social pressure). This is an important field in modern economics and the social sciences more generally.

Commercial organisations have long known the limitations of individual decision-making and they routinely use this knowledge in their commercial practices (e.g., anchoring effect of minimum payment on credit cards). The real-world implications of behavioural economics are varied and significant and acknowledged to provide a powerful and cost-effective approach to improving human welfare.

This MSc is the only one of its type in central London. Unlike other courses, Behavioural Economics at City is based in both the Economics and Psychology departments, offering students a good balance of both disciplines.

Career opportunities

While there is not yet a specific occupation of 'behavioural economist', the knowledge and skills acquired are highly valuable in a range of sectors. Job titles include: User Experience Design Consultant, Consumer Psychology and Marketing, Policy specialist or Financial Trading and Risk Assessment.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/sbec

Clinical, Social and Cognitive Neuroscience MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

The aim of this course is to provide students with a thorough grounding in Clinical, Social and Cognitive Neuroscience. Students will gain a deep understanding of how different brain functions contribute to cognition, mediate social interaction and determine mental health, well-being and psychiatric illness. Students will not only learn about the latest advances in clinical, social and cognitive neuroscience, but will also develop an appreciation of the reciprocal nature of research and practice in these domains.

The Department of Psychology strives to provide a supportive, vibrant research environment and excellent research-led education, delivered by internationally recognised experts.

The Centre for Psychological Wellbeing and Neuroscience has close links to the community mental health, like City & Hackney Mind and provides opportunities for some students to gain experience in clinical settings.

Career opportunities

This MSc provides a gateway to the clinical professions. Students will also be well-placed should they wish to undertake further professional training in clinical psychology, or a related discipline. For students wishing to continue their PhD studies this MSc is an ideal platform from which to progress particularly in Cognitive or Social Neuroscience.

The knowledge and skills students will acquire are sought after in many sectors (neuro-marketing, media and the arts, business and education).

Find out more

city.ac.uk/scsc

Counselling Psychology GradCert

Duration

Part-time: one year

The Graduate Certificate in Counselling Psychology provides an excellent foundation for students who wish to extend their knowledge and experience prior to undertaking more advanced professional training in counselling psychology or related disciplines. The course gives students the opportunity to learn about the interpersonal and therapeutic skills which are the foundation of the counselling process and also provides a range of theoretical frameworks, linking psychological theory and counselling technique and acting as a template for model-based counselling practice. Experiential learning and skills practise are central to this course. The course may also be of interest to healthcare professionals, teachers, social workers, managers and others who wish to enhance their psychological knowledge and counselling skills and apply them within their professional practice.

Career opportunities

The Graduate Certificate in Counselling Psychology has been an excellent pathway to future careers. Upon completion of the course, many of our graduates have been successful in gaining places on related Masters and doctoral-level courses in areas including counselling psychology, child and adolescent psychology, counselling and psychotherapy.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/scpg

Counselling Psychology DPsych

Duration

Full-time: three years

The Professional Doctorate in Counselling Psychology is a professional course, approved by the Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC) and accredited by the British Psychological Society (BPS).

Counselling Psychology at City has a long-established tradition and was one of the first courses to be accredited by the BPS in 1995. We have retained our accreditation since then, constantly keeping pace with developments both nationally and internationally and maintaining our reputation for innovation and excellence.

Students learn to work with a wide range of complex presenting issues; with individual adults and children; couples; families; groups and organisations; short and long-term; in single and multi-professional contexts; and through transferring psychological skills to others in multidisciplinary teams.

Career opportunities

This professional and academic course enables students to work in a broad range of settings including the NHS, forensic settings, third sector (voluntary), industry, government, private practice, academic and research settings. Recent graduate job titles include: Consultant Psychologist, Counselling Psychologist, High Intensity Therapist, Lecturer and Practitioner Psychologist.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/scpd

Organisational Psychology MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This course incorporates: organisational development and change; performance appraisal; employee motivation and engagement; group processes and dynamics; managing work-related stress and improving employees' well-being; human computer interaction and work design; recruitment and selection; and training and coaching. City's long-standing and award-winning MSc in Organisational Psychology provides students with in-depth theoretical and research knowledge in these and related areas. Students have opportunities to develop a range of organisational consulting skills such as managing client relationships, facilitating participative decision-making, negotiating access into organisations, facilitating employee focus groups and providing feedback.

The course covers the five knowledge areas for occupational psychology, as outlined by the British Psychological Society (BPS). The course is delivered by a dedicated team of research-active and chartered occupational psychologists.

Career opportunities

This course has high levels of employability, with many of our students securing roles within the field, within public and private sector organisations (including BIS, HSBC, KPMG and Ministry of Defence), large and small occupational/business psychology consultancies and human resources departments. The high-quality research focus means some graduates also go on to complete PhDs.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/sopy

Research Methods with Psychology MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year

This course provides education in psychological research methods, including research design, statistical methods and relevant software. It comprises seminars, lectures, computing and statistics classes and an individual research project/dissertation.

The course draws on our other MSc courses, especially the MSc in Behavioural Economics (particularly for generalised linear model training, undertaken using ‘R’ software), the MSc in Clinical, Social & Cognitive Neuroscience (particularly for programming and computational modelling training, undertaken using Matlab software) and our school-wide MSc Research Methods course (particularly for qualitative methods training).

Optional modules introduce psychological content with a less methodological focus in order to provide a broader context for the methods that are being taught.

Career opportunities
Possible career paths for graduates of this course include academic research (usually following a PhD) or work involving central and local government agencies, public health, the voluntary sector, market/media research, or management consultancy.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/srwp

Research Methods MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

The MSc in Research Methods offers theoretical and professional education in research methods and analysis for the social sciences. It is designed to provide students with an understanding and appreciation of qualitative and quantitative research methods over a range of disciplines. It is also designed to equip students with real-world skills in collecting and analysing empirical data and reporting research findings.

The course is a School-wide degree course, offered by the School of Arts & Social Sciences, whose staff cover a diverse range of substantive research interests. Staff are experts in a plethora of methodologies, from personal interviewing to large-scale survey research. The course consists of modules from interdisciplinary core subjects, department-specific elective modules and a dissertation comprising a piece of original empirical research.

Career opportunities
There is a high demand for Research Methods graduates and there are excellent employment opportunities to work in several sectors including academic research, central and local government agencies, public health, the voluntary sector, market and media research and management consultancy. The course is also an ideal foundation for students who wish to pursue doctoral research in social sciences.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/srme

Sociology Criminology and Criminal Justice MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

Understanding criminality and crime control in the 21st century requires researchers and professionals who are able to think globally and work across disciplines. This MSc enables students to develop the theoretical understandings and methodological skills to navigate this ever-changing policy field.

Developing an ability to use criminological knowledge to analyse the problem of crime and crime control strategies, the MSc in Criminology and Criminal Justice will equip students with the skills they require to become an expert in their field.

The course will be delivered by a group of internationally recognised academics who will work closely with students during the duration of their studies. We have particular expertise in the areas of policing and crime control, theoretical criminology, quantitative criminology, victimology, youth justice, penology, crime policy and the news media.

Career opportunities
Graduates from this course pursue careers in the criminal justice sector. These include careers in the police, the prison service, probation, or one of the many criminal justice charities based in London. Others wish to pursue a career in research, policy development, campaigning or advocacy work.

Whatever student’s career choice, the course team will work with them to develop the specialist skills that they require.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/sccj

Culture, Policy and Management MA

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

With an MA in Culture, Policy and Management, students can shape the cultural and creative sector and gain experience inside leading arts organisations.

We have 12 elective modules to choose from, meaning students can customise their learning so they can become a competent professional ready to start, continue or change their career. On completion of the course students will be able to evaluate and integrate the theories and practices of culture, policy and management.

The student experience runs through everything we do, within the course and its structure. The curriculum was developed with support from an advisory group that includes senior figures from Arts Council England, the Barbican, Shakespeare’s Globe and the V&A. This means student’s learning is attuned to the latest insights from the sector.

Career opportunities
Over the 43 years of running this course has 3000+ *alumni* including key figures such as Pim Baxter, Deputy Director of the National Portrait Gallery. Our graduates find employment in the global creative and cultural sector.

From orchestras to the art market and from marketing to management. Examples include: UNESCO (Paris), Ullens Contemporary Art Centre (Beijing), Royal Opera House (London), Dongdaemun Design Plaza (South Korea) and Christian Dior (Paris).

Find out more
city.ac.uk/scpm

Food Policy MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years
Part-time by distance learning: two years

Students gain in-depth knowledge of policies that affect activities related to producing, processing, distributing, marketing, preparing and consuming food. This holistic approach makes the course unique. Students gain a critical understanding of the social, nutrition, health and environmental implications of all these different elements of the food system, at local, national and international levels.

The course is interdisciplinary, drawing on disciplines including: sociology, politics, economics, geography, epidemiology and health sciences. The aim of the course is to enable students to consider how food policy could better address the totality of the challenges posed by modern food systems and to empower them to formulate solutions. It addresses the major food questions of our time: how can policy be used to feed people healthily, sustainably, equitably and affordably? Why is this not happening?

Career opportunities
This course has been running for 20 years and has a thriving community of *alumni* working in very diverse sectors. Some work for governmental departments in the UK and abroad, or international organisations such as the FAO. Many work for (and often lead) civil society organisations campaigning for change in the food system. Others have established their own companies as food entrepreneurs. Students may continue to a PhD.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/sfop

International Communications and Development MA

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years (weekdays, day time)

City is ranked fifth in the UK and 38th in the world for Communications and Media Studies (QS World University Rankings 2016).

Communication is integral to development programmes. At a time when ideas about freedom of expression, democracy, human rights and access to natural and material resources guide development projects across the world, the question about the role of media and communications for social change becomes ever more pertinent.

The International Communications and Development MA provides an interdisciplinary framework to understand and critically assess the role of communications for and in development projects.

Development is taken as a contested concept that translates into courses for advocating democratic forms of participation, policy initiatives and training activities in media and communications sectors in different geographical regions.

Career opportunities
In 2016, City was the Best Graduate University for Media and Communications Professionals in the UK (LinkedIn).

Graduates have entered a wide variety of careers in broadcasting, press and telecommunications networks, NGOs, the development sector and consultancies, advertising, marketing, politics, journalism, PR, media management and regulatory agencies.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/sicd

Media and Communications MA

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years
(weekdays, day time)

This course provides a thorough grounding in the social and political context of communications sociology and an advanced understanding of recent developments and current debates in media and communications. The methodological approaches and research tools learned can be professionally applied to working in the field. These are applied in students' individual research projects.

The extensive range of elective modules allows students to specialise their degree to their own area of interest and view broader social issues through the lens of communications.

Students receive a top-class education and our research-led learning in communications and sociology keeps students' degrees contemporary.

We have been ranked fifth in the UK for Communications and Media Studies (QS World University Rankings 2016).

Career opportunities

The MA in Media and Communications and MA International Communications and Development have an outstanding record for graduate employability.

Graduates have entered a wide variety of careers, recent job titles include: marketing manager, business development and relationship manager, communication and advocacy officer, HR advisor and communications consultant.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/smco

Research degrees

Research degrees MPhil/PhD/DPsych

Duration

Full-time: four years

Part-time: seven years

The School of Arts & Social Sciences offers expert research degree supervision across the School's core disciplines. These include:

- **Culture and Creative Industries**
- **Economics** (health, regulation, finance, monetary, fiscal and macroprudential policy)
- **Food Policy**
- **International Politics** (development and globalisation, civil society, history and religion, global political economy, governance)
- **Journalism** (history, ethics, law and regulation, digital practice, representation and democratisation and business and leadership)
- **Music** (ethnomusicology, musicology, composition, technology)
- **Psychology** (cognitive neuroscience, counselling, decision-making, behavioural economics and developmental economics)
- **Sociology** (media and communications, employment, crime and victimology, gender and youth studies)
- **Translation Studies**

Students should generally enrol for an MPhil research degree and transfer to the PhD after one year of satisfactory academic progress. Students might be required to complete specialist taught modules during the MPhil year.

Find out more

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Below: Vincent Morris
(MA Ethnomusicology).



Cass Business School

Sir John Cass Business School has been at the forefront of business education for 50 years. Located in the heart of one of the world's leading financial centres, Cass is part of an elite group of business schools to have been awarded triple accreditation by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB); the Association of MBAs (AMBA); and the European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS).

Academic staff at Cass are world-leading experts in their fields of academic and applied research: they are highly sought-after by companies, governments and international bodies for their specialist knowledge and their work shapes policy, debate and business practice at the highest levels. The Faculty of Finance at Cass is one of the largest and most respected in the world and is renowned for its expertise in accounting, asset pricing, corporate finance, financial markets and regulation, international finance and shipping finance. Academic staff in the Faculty of Management specialise in all areas of management studies, including strategy, entrepreneurship, corporate social responsibility, marketing, information management, organisational behaviour and human resource management. The Faculty of Actuarial Science and Insurance, one

of the leading departments of its kind, undertakes theoretical and applied research into pensions, life and general insurance and healthcare.

The Research Excellence Framework (REF) 2014 rated 84 per cent of the research submitted by Cass as within the top two categories of 'world-leading' (4*) or 'internationally excellent' (3*).

This places Cass in the top six in the UK. The outcome of this independent review highlights the world class quality of Cass research and recognises the impact it has on business, the professions and policy-makers. Postgraduate students at Cass benefit from the instruction and supervision by these pre-eminent academics, who make great contributions in advancing their specialist fields.

The specialist Masters, MBA and PhD courses offered at Cass are consistently judged to be among the best in the world in UK and international rankings. Courses are academically rigorous and characterised by a real-world approach that ensures graduates are prepared for top-flight careers in their chosen fields, whether business, finance, entrepreneurship or academia. Each year, around 2,000 students from all over the world choose Cass for their postgraduate courses, creating a uniquely international environment in which to study, socialise and build networks that remain in place beyond graduation.

Cass blends academic excellence, extraordinary experiences and career progression to foster lifelong learning.

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Masters courses

Actuarial Management MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This course is aimed at those who wish to study material relevant to the examinations of the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries.

Cass aims to produce highly skilled actuarial professionals and this course has been designed to meet the needs of actuarial employers and employers from other sectors requiring financial risk managers. Emphasis is placed on skills in the areas of life and non-life insurance, pensions, finance and investment.

The course is accredited by the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries, enabling students to study the key areas of actuarial practice and gain exemptions from some subjects of the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries.

Career opportunities

There is a strong demand for graduates educated to a postgraduate degree level in Actuarial Management and members of the actuarial profession are among the highest paid in the UK. They work in fields including insurance, consulting, government, banking and investment and academia.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Actuarial Officer, Retirement Benefits Authority; Senior Associate, KPMG; Management Trainee, Citibank; Associate Consultant, Aon Hewitt.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cacm

Actuarial Science MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

An actuary is a professional who applies mathematical and statistical techniques to financial problems. This course is aimed at highly numerate students who wish to pursue actuarial careers in insurance, finance, consultancy and related areas. This fast-track study route allows students to gain professional qualifications before embarking upon their career.

The course is also aimed at actuarial trainees and associates. Up to eight exemptions from core technical subjects can be gained from the current system of professional examinations of the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries, which is just over half of the examinations required for Fellowship, thereby saving several years of study.

Career opportunities

The actuarial profession is a small but highly respected body whose members are among the highest paid in the UK. Cass graduates work for a range of employers, including insurance companies, investment and retail banks, actuarial consultancies and government and non-government organisations.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Actuarial Analyst, Generali; Researcher, Mirae Asset; Graduate Actuarial Analyst, Willis; Consultant, Towers Watson.

Find out more

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Banking and International Finance MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

This course reflects the wide and sophisticated range of activities within banking, a sector which has experienced dramatic development and change in recent years.

The MSc in Banking and International Finance is designed to equip students for a wide range of careers in the banking and international finance sector.

Around 35 nationalities are represented in a typical intake, with the international dimension of the course further enhanced through the backgrounds of the permanent and visiting academic faculty. This international perspective adds range and depth to the student experience, while generating worldwide networking opportunities after graduation.

The course is a Chartered Financial Analyst Institute (CFA) Partner Programme.

Career opportunities

Graduates from this course move into a very wide range of careers in banks, as portfolio managers, in finance departments of industrial and service companies, as consultants, in central banks and as auditors in multinational financial organisations.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Consultant, EY; Credit Risk Analyst, Morgan Stanley; Associate Analyst, FitchRatings; Trading Assistant, Barclays.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cbif

Corporate Finance MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

This exciting course will develop students' financial expertise to the highest level, giving them the opportunity to specialise in corporate finance (one of the most popular sectors of financial services) and equipping them with the knowledge to successfully navigate the rapidly changing global landscape of corporate finance.

The course is a Chartered Financial Analyst Institute (CFA) Partner Programme and is also accredited by Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA).

Career opportunities

Graduates from the MSc in Corporate Finance move into a diverse range of financial sector careers including: investment banking, securities sales and trading, foreign exchange, hedge funds, private banking, asset management, credit products, financial and credit risk management and consultancy.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Auditor, RBS; Associate, Kumpulan Wang Persaraan (KWP).

Find out more

city.ac.uk/ccof

Energy, Trade and Finance MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

This course offers a unique approach to global business. Students are equipped with key skills in the areas of commodity finance, logistics and supply chain management.

The MSc in Energy, Trade and Finance was launched in September 2003 and was the culmination of talks between Charles Daly, Chairman and CEO at Channoil Consulting and Cass Business School about the need to provide postgraduate education to top quality recent graduates who are interested in a career in the energy and commodities sector, or young professionals who wanted to consolidate their industry experience with a focused and professional Masters qualification.

The MSc in Energy, Trade and Finance is validated by the Energy Institute and students can become members after graduating.

Career opportunities

Graduates from the MSc in Energy, Trade and Finance hold key positions and have eminent careers in over 70 countries in fields such as commercial banking, commodity trading, government, investment banking, law, logistics management, management consultancy, manufacturing, shipping, finance, shipping operations, stockbroking and university research and teaching.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: European Finance Team Intern, General Electric; Risk Analyst, Total; Commercial Trainee, Koch Supply & Trading; Associate, Kumpulan Wang Persaraan (KWP).

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cetf

Entrepreneurship MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Created and delivered by leading academics and entrepreneurs, this degree equips aspiring entrepreneurs with the toolkit and experience necessary to successfully launch new ventures and make a significant impact in their sector.

The course is equally valuable for professionals who wish to take their career to the next level by learning how to be more entrepreneurial and creative within a large corporation.

Can entrepreneurship be taught? Yes. Just as we can educate people to become doctors, engineers and lawyers, we can train people to become entrepreneurs.

Throughout the course you will be encouraged to develop an attitude towards learning from failure and taking calculated risks. We will cover challenges and risks that entrepreneurs face and ways to recover from failure.

Career opportunities

Depending on the students' sphere of interest and expertise, potential opportunities after graduation include continuing as the founder or CEO of the venture created during your studies. This may be in a range of sectors including IT and e-commerce, banking and finance, consulting, professional services, engineering, manufacturing and retail.

If students are not planning to start their own business, hiring organisations are always on the lookout for candidates with entrepreneurial spirit and knowhow.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cent

Finance MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Highly ranked by the *Financial Times*, an MSc in Finance from Cass has the potential to open up global career opportunities for flexible, high-calibre students. This is because Cass is among the world's most respected business schools, meeting the needs of employers with a unique blend of theory and practice.

The course is designed to fit students' career aspirations, with module content regularly modified and refined to reflect the most up-to-date industry practices.

The MSc in Finance equips students with a broad portfolio of skills relevant to the investment and risk management business and corporate finance. Students will be exposed to material on hedge fund strategies and performance and taught to understand corporations' capital structure and dividend payment decisions.

Career opportunities

Our graduates move into roles including financial analysis, risk management and consultancy, within fields such as corporate finance, fund management and banking.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Corporate Trainee, DNB Bank ASA; Auditor, PwC; Graduate Trainee, KPMG; Analyst, JP Morgan.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cfin

Finance and Investment MSc

Duration

Part-time: two years

This course is designed specifically for professionals working within the financial services sector.

An innovative curriculum allows students to choose from several elective modules, ensuring that the course is tailored to career aspirations and equips students with the tools required for success.

This course appeals to those who wish to extend the scope of current responsibilities or make a career change into an area such as portfolio management, security analysis, risk management, mergers and acquisitions or financial consultancy.

The course comprises core modules and either a Business Research Project with two electives, or five electives and Research Methods for Finance Professionals.

There is also a wide range of elective modules. A Business Research Project provides students with an opportunity to specialise in a contemporary finance topic related to their future careers.

Career opportunities

Many of our part-time students use their MSc to enhance their prospects with their current employer, or see it as an opportunity to change their career direction.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Quantitative Analyst, AIG; Investment Analyst, Dimensional Fund Advisors; Company Secretary, JP Morgan Asset Management; Satellite Frequency Coordination Manager, Ofcom.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cfii

Financial Mathematics MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

This course concentrates on the mathematical theory required to develop new products for hedging and risk management. It provides the tools necessary to undertake high-quality research in financial and academic institutions.

Students acquire an in-depth knowledge and understanding of financial mathematics. This includes financial theory and mathematical modelling, along with probability theory and programming. These are then applied for asset pricing, interest rates modelling and risk management.

Graduates are suited for jobs in investment houses involved in derivatives valuation and portfolio management, research departments within banks and consultancy firms. They are also equipped for careers involving the development of pricing and risk management models and their testing, or as risk analysts or quantitative analysts.

Career opportunities

Alumni are typically working in one of two fields: derivatives valuation and portfolio management within investment houses and research departments within banks and consultancy firms.

Recent graduate destinations for this course include: Algorithmics, an IBM company; Orient Futures, China; PT Sukajadi Sawit Mekar, Indonesia; and Deutsche Bank Asset and Wealth Management, Geneva.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cfma



Above: **Ashutosh Vod** (MSc Project Management, Finance and Risk)

Global Finance MSc

Duration

Online, part-time: two years

At Cass, we are committed to offering high-quality MSc courses to the widest possible audience, including students who prefer not to relocate to London to continue their studies. Choosing the new online MSc in Global Finance will allow students to continue working and experience the benefits of a Cass Masters degree, combined with the convenience and flexibility of studying online from home or on the move anywhere in the world, without having to take a career break or pay London living costs.

Developing students' financial expertise to the highest level, the course provides a comprehensive grasp of the principles and theories of finance and their application to real-life corporate situations. It is set in the context of the wider global economic environment and encourages students to critically analyse contemporary theories and real-world case studies.

Career opportunities

The world of international finance, with its many career opportunities and continuous demand for sharper, brighter and more adaptable employees, is an attractive choice for many top-calibre graduates with numerical skills.

The Cass MSc in Global Finance has the potential to open up global career opportunities for students equipped with a combination of high-level interpersonal skills, in-depth knowledge and analytical skills in a rapidly changing and ever more complex business environment.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cgfi

Global Supply Chain Management MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Combining a deep understanding of core theories and concepts in international supply chain and operations management, with an emphasis on analytical and decision-making frameworks, this course is designed to create knowledgeable and confident supply chain professionals, whose skill-sets are attractive across industry sectors.

The MSc in Global Supply Chain Management covers topics such as strategic supply chain management and procurement, supply chain analysis and finance and the management of operations. Applying theory through various learning tools and live cases enables students to understand the complexity of managing global supply chains and develop the critical thinking skills needed to operate effectively at specialist level.

Career opportunities

The aim of this course is to develop graduates with strong strategic supply chain knowledge and advanced analytical and consulting skills. These characteristics are highly valued across industry sectors.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Buyer's Assistant, John Lewis Partnership; Business Analyst, EDF Energy; Global Procurement Graduate, Novo Nordisk.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cgsc

Innovation, Creativity and Leadership MA/MSc/MInnov

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This dynamic course focuses on developing professional skills that will enable students to lead change and deliver innovation within their organisation. It is about more than learning how to be creative, as graduates emerge with the entrepreneurial skills needed to turn ideas into action.

The course equips students with the tools and leadership skills to successfully manage innovation projects while fast-tracking their career. They will develop a wide range of skills in the fields of creativity and innovation, acquiring techniques that they can use in their professional and personal life to deliver truly original solutions. Students also gain entrepreneurial knowledge and skills, so that they can harness the creativity of their colleagues, stakeholders and clients within and outside their organisation.

Career opportunities

Innovation is key to companies competing in today's unpredictable economic climate. The Masters in Innovation, Creativity and Leadership has been designed for professionals who are keen to learn how to manage innovation and explore the potential unlocked by enabling a creative climate within their organisation. Our current students come from a range of backgrounds including IT, marketing, hotel management, the public sector and consultancy.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cicl

Insurance and Risk Management MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This course explores the world of risk and the growing relationship between insurance, risk management and financial services.

The strong professional orientation of the course is enhanced by contributions from leading practitioners within London's financial district. Students graduate with a rounded skill base, solidly positioned to build a successful career in an exciting and complex business world. For applicants with a Chartered Insurance Institute (CII) Advanced Diploma, there is a fast-track January start.

The course equips students with the skills necessary to succeed as risk managers, financial advisors, consultants, underwriters, financial analysts and insurance analysts.

This course comprises induction, core modules, a Business Research Project and three electives.

Career opportunities

Graduates from this course enjoy senior positions across the world in businesses, including international insurance, reinsurance and insurance broking firms, Lloyd's of London, leading investment and retail banks, leading accountancy firms, management consultancies, risk management departments of major corporations and regulatory authorities.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Supervisor, Centre Bank of Malaysia; Consultant, EY; Legal Officer (Kenya Pipeline), Financial Services Risk Advisory.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cirm

International Accounting and Finance MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

This course, which meets the international accounting standards, prepares students for leading roles in the global investment community and within commercial entities. It provides students with combined expertise in accounting and corporate finance.

Starting with basic principles of accounting and finance, students learn how to assess performance and conduct valuations of firms using complex financial accounting information. In addition, the course provides insights into company strategies and how to manage cost systems. Students also acquire the research skills necessary to undertake valuation.

This course comprises induction, core modules and either a Business Research Project with one elective, or five electives.

There is a wide range of elective modules, including the option of studying for a Certificate in International Financial Reporting Standards issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales.

Career opportunities

Graduates move into a diverse range of careers in the financial sector, particularly roles as analysts in accounting firms, corporate finance, auditing, regulatory bodies and consultancies.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Business Analyst, Pernod Ricard; Intern, PwC; Junior Consultant, Deloitte; Corporate Accounting Associate, Gold Coin Capital.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/ciaf

Investment Management MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

The MSc in Investment Management is founded on three principles: academic rigour, relevant knowledge and an international orientation. Students will acquire a sound knowledge of the theoretical foundations that underpin modern investment and risk management techniques.

These principles are applied in practice through case studies and the use of online databases such as Bloomberg and simulators. The professionally orientated aspect of the course is delivered by lecturers with significant industry experience and by leading industry practitioners, providing a vital link between theory and practice.

The course is a Chartered Financial Analyst Institute (CFA) Programme Partner and is accredited by the Chartered Institute of Securities & Investment (CISI), the Chartered Insurance Institute (CII) and the Chartered Alternative Investment Analysts Association (CAIA).

Career opportunities

Graduates work as traders, fund managers, risk managers, security analysts, brokers and corporate treasurers.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Analyst, HSBC; Graduate Analyst, Moody's Investors Service; Credit Risk Analyst, Lloyds Banking Group.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cinm

Management MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year

This course is academically rigorous and professionally orientated, giving graduates from different backgrounds the opportunity to develop knowledge and skills in key areas of modern management.

The course is based on an MBA style curriculum and is academically demanding without neglecting the applied, real-world aspects of management education. Students come from a range of backgrounds to experience the unique Cass environment of learning, teamwork and collaboration.

The MSc in Management equips students with the foundations of business management and the most advanced tools and theories. These often come directly from the research carried out by Cass's world renowned faculty.

This course comprises core modules, a Business Research Project and two electives.

Student have the option of an international trip/business plan competition and a range of international electives.

Career opportunities
Graduates move into a diverse range of careers, including consulting, marketing, advertising, luxury goods, wealth management, working for a family business or setting up their own business.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Investigation Specialist, Amazon; Intern, Infront Consulting & Management; Analyst, Applied Value; Research Analyst, CI Radar.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/cman

Marketing Strategy and Innovation MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year

This course equips students with the analytical capabilities needed to deal with complex marketing issues.

The MSc in Marketing Strategy and Innovation also instils essential 'soft' skills – including creativity, initiative, persistence, team working, communication and leadership – required to influence people and organisations.

Providing an academically rigorous and professionally relevant education, this course combines sound theoretical foundations in marketing and innovation with a deeper examination of key topics such as brand management, digital marketing and consumer behaviour.

Crucially, the course enables students to harness the latest digital technology in the pursuit of effective solutions. A strong professional dimension includes opportunities to tackle real-world marketing problems, enter competitions and undertake an international trip.

This course comprises core modules, a Business Research Project and one elective in term three.

Career opportunities
Examples of where recent Cass graduates are now working in the field of marketing are: Online Advertising Operations Associate, Google Ireland; Marketing Trainee, Nestlé Germany.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/cmsi

Mathematical Trading and Finance MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year

This course offers students who already have excellent mathematical skills a solid foundation in financial mathematical theory and practice.

The degree combines academic rigour with strong professional application. This enables students to participate fully in the ever-changing derivatives markets, where financial innovation and globalisation have created new investment opportunities, risks and instruments.

Students acquire a sound knowledge of mathematical finance, stochastic calculus, derivatives valuation, financial engineering, quantitative risk modelling, numerical methods and econometric techniques.

Leading practitioners from quantitative and trading departments of financial institutions deliver the course, complementing theory with current market practice. Our unique Bloomberg and Thomson Reuters dealing rooms provide the best possible facilities for hands-on learning.

This course comprises core modules and a Business Research Project with one elective, or five electives.

Career opportunities
Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Management Consultant, Accenture; Business Analyst, Wipro; Economic Consultant, Regione Lombardia; Junior Risk Analyst, Ice Clear Europe.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/cmtf

Quantitative Finance MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year

This course is designed to give students a sound understanding of the quantitative aspects of finance used both by practitioners and academics.

It focuses on topics such as econometrics, forecasting and risk modelling and covers the financial instruments and the financial theory from a mathematical and professional point of view. It also provides students with knowledge of computer software and programming languages such as Matlab.

Career opportunities
Students from this MSc are suitable for many roles in the financial industry requiring extensive and in-depth market analysis, or for a career in asset management. Graduates from the MSc in Quantitative Finance are also equipped to continue their postgraduate studies with a PhD in any area of quantitative finance.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Analyst, Capita Asset Services; Graduate Risk Analyst, RBS; Project Assistant, Dong McKong Construction Manufacture and Trading Service; Quant Risk Analyst, nPower.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/cquf

Real Estate MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year

Allowing entry into a wide variety of career paths, this course is ideal for students who wish to develop a career in the real estate industry but may be unsure of the direction they wish to take.

It is designed to provide a broad background in real estate investment, appraisal and development, with the core modules encompassing a wide variety of areas in real estate, including real estate finance, valuation, development, market analysis and economics.

Career opportunities
The MSc in Real Estate is accredited by the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS) and enables graduates to begin the RICS Assessment of Professional Competence (APC) qualification. *Alumni* have gone on to senior roles in a range of property management and consultancy businesses, as well as financial institutions.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Graduate Surveyor, Knight Frank; Analyst, Colliers International; Property Intern, HassConsult Real Estate; Consultant, EY.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/cres

Real Estate Investment MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year

Aimed at students wishing to enter or advance their careers in the fields of real estate investment management, real estate finance and the securitised real estate markets, the MSc in Real Estate Investment combines the rigour of a mainstream finance course with the direct application of financial theory and techniques in a real estate context.

It deals extensively with the growth in the securitised real estate markets of Real Estate Investment Trusts and Mortgage Backed Securities. It also examines the growing real estate derivatives market and is designed for students with relevant undergraduate degrees or work experience and strong quantitative skills.

This course is accredited by the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS) and enables graduates to begin the RICS Assessment of Professional Competence (APC) qualification.

Career opportunities
Alumni have gone on to senior roles in a range of property management and consultancy businesses, as well as financial institutions. The MSc in Real Estate Investment offers a clear route for entry to the Investment Property Forum in the UK.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Investment Analyst, CS Hotel Solutions; Transaction and Asset Management Analyst, AXA Real Estate; Analyst, BNP Paribas; Assistant Surveyor, Lambert Smith Hampton.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/crei

Shipping, Trade and Finance MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year

This course offers a unique approach to global business. Students are equipped with key skills in the areas of shipping finance, commodity finance, logistics and supply chain management, commodity trade, financial and commodity risk modelling and management.

The International Centre for Shipping, Trade and Finance at Cass (which provides academic staff to this degree) was established in 1983, introducing a unique, integrated approach to global business.

Recognised internationally for its educational excellence, the Centre demonstrates its commitment to the global business community and to its students by organising conferences, symposia and seminars featuring leading figures in commerce, finance, industry, government and international organisations.

The course is validated by the Institute of Chartered Shipbrokers. Students successful in certain modules on the MSc may apply for exemption from examinations of the Institute.

Career opportunities
Graduates from this degree go on to work within the shipping industry and are employed in a range of different roles including Ship Broking, Chartering and Operation and Marine Insurance. Many also work in financial services.

Some examples of where recent graduates are working: Financial Analyst, EY; Trainee Tanker Broker, E A Gibson Shipbrokers; Product Consultant, McGraw Hill Financial.

Find out more
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Summer School

Cass London Summer School Module credit

Duration
Three weeks

The Cass London Summer School offers insights into the key business disciplines of Finance, Accounting or Shipping, all based in our modern postgraduate facility located at the crossroads of the City of London and Tech City. It is enriched by a social programme and networking events, giving you the chance to explore this great city.

For ambitious students, enrolling in summer school is becoming an increasingly popular way to expand their experience, enhance their qualifications or test out life at a business school.

The Cass Summer School is your chance to study, while making the most of what London has to offer to students from around the globe.

The Cass Summer School is open to current undergraduates, recent graduates and postgraduates of any discipline who want to gain an introduction to business or financial concepts.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/clss

Charities courses

Charity Accounting and Financial Management PGDip/MSc

Duration
Postgraduate Diploma (exemption route) Part-time: nine months
Postgraduate Diploma Part-time: one year
MSc conversion Part-time: eight to nine months

One of five postgraduate courses offered in the Charities Masters programme, which cover a unique breadth of specialist areas primarily for those working within the sector. This postgraduate qualification aims to equip students with knowledge of specialist charity finance issues including tax, SORP and distinctive financial management practice.

The part-time structure allows students the flexibility of choosing the level of qualification and whether they want to cover one subject area in greater depth (dissertation) or a second subject area (taught option) in the second year.

Attendance is required for learning on a set Friday and Saturday per month and additional time for action learning and the assessments completed by exam. On successful completion of the relevant modules students are eligible for the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales' Diploma in Charity Accounting (DChA).

Career opportunities
Students who apply are already working in the sector or in a related role in the commercial sector. Others have gained experience as volunteers, e.g., honorary treasurer or trustee, over several years. They undertake this course to gain a recognised, sector-specific qualification, formalise their experience or prepare for a more senior role in their organisation.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/ccaf

Charity Marketing and Fundraising PGDip/MSc

Duration
Postgraduate Diploma Part-time: one year
MSc conversion Part-time: eight to nine months

Marketing and fundraising within nonprofit organisations are particularly complex especially as there is an increasing demand for more resources.

This course aims to develop a broad, informed and critical understanding of the complex issues surrounding fundraising, the use of marketing as a strategic tool and its importance to an organisation's long-term planning and sustainable future.

The course covers a unique breadth of specialist areas primarily for those working within the sector. The course structure allows students the flexibility of choosing the focus and level of qualification.

Attendance is required for learning on a set Friday and Saturday per month and additional time for action learning and the assessments completed by exam.

Career opportunities
Students who apply for the courses in the Charities Masters programme are already working in the sector or in a related role in the commercial sector. Others have gained significant experience as volunteers, e.g., honorary treasurer or trustee, over several years. They undertake this postgraduate degree in order to gain a recognised, sector-specific qualification, formalise their experience or prepare for a more senior role in their organisation or the sector.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/ccmf

Grantmaking, Philanthropy and Social Investment PGCert/PGDip/MSc

Duration
Postgraduate Certificate Part-time: six months
Postgraduate Diploma Part-time: one year
MSc conversion Part-time: eight to nine months

This course is designed for those with established careers in grantmaking and other forms of social funding, as well as students looking to formalise and develop their knowledge and skills in this area.

Focusing on all types of 'giving and funding' where the objective is social benefit, the course covers not only grants, but also loans, endowments, contracts and service level agreements.

The course covers a unique breadth of specialist areas primarily for those working within the sector. The course structure allows students the flexibility of choosing the focus and level of qualification. Attendance is required for learning on a set Friday and Saturday per month and additional time for action learning and assessments completed by exam.

Career opportunities
Students who apply for the courses in the Charities Masters programme are already working in the sector or in a related role in the commercial sector. Others have gained significant experience as volunteers, e.g., honorary treasurer or trustee, over several years. They undertake this postgraduate degree in order to gain a recognised, sector-specific qualification, formalise their experience or prepare for a more senior role in their organisation or the sector.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/ccgp

NGO Management PGDip/MSc

Duration
Postgraduate Diploma Part-time: one year
MSc conversion Part-time: eight to nine months

Students learn to recognise the strategic challenges and dilemmas facing NGO managers, identify appropriate strategies in order to address them and gain an appreciation of the issues in managing change in NGOs. The course is accredited by AACBS and EQUIS and was developed in conjunction with Bond, the UK membership body for nongovernmental organisations working in international development.

The programme covers a unique breadth of specialist areas for those working within the sector. The part-time structure allows students the flexibility of choosing the focus and level of qualification.

Attendance is required for learning on a set Friday and Saturday per month and additional time for action learning and the assessments completed by exam.

Career opportunities
Students who apply for the courses in the Charities Masters programme are already working in the sector or in a related role in the commercial sector. Others have gained significant experience as volunteers, e.g., honorary treasurer or trustee, over several years. They undertake this postgraduate degree in order to gain a recognised, sector-specific qualification, formalise their experience or prepare for a more senior role in their organisation or the sector.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/cngo

MBA

Voluntary Sector Management PGDip/MSc

Duration

Postgraduate Diploma

Part-time: one year

MSc conversion

Part-time: eight to nine months

This well-established course was originally developed in partnership with nine leading charities and is based on research into nonprofit sector managers' needs.

This course has been designed as a complete development course for managers who want to gain a sound understanding of the management of people and finances in the sector. Theory and practice are interwoven around subjects such as strategy, marketing, fundraising, diversity, finance and leadership.

The part-time structure allows students the flexibility of choosing the focus and level of qualification.

Attendance is required for learning on a set Friday and Saturday per month and additional time for action learning and the assessments completed by examination.

Career opportunities

Students who apply for the courses in the Charities Masters programme are already working in the sector or in a related role in the commercial sector. Others have gained significant experience as volunteers, e.g., honorary treasurer or trustee, over several years. They undertake this postgraduate degree in order to gain a recognised, sector-specific qualification, formalise their experience or prepare for a more senior role in their organisation or the sector.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cvsm

Full-Time MBA MBA

Duration

Full-time: one year

The Full-time MBA is an intensive 12-month journey transforming the way students approach business, preparing them for organisational leadership and effective decision-making.

Delivered by a leading international faculty, the course provides an immersive real-world learning experience designed to develop business knowledge. The course is a shared journey, where students learn from and collaborate alongside a talented international cohort of business professionals.

Throughout the year students encounter challenges and unique learning experiences through core modules, electives and projects. International electives provide the opportunity to make powerful networks and connections, while putting the theory learnt in the lecture theatre into practice.

Our Full-time MBA is ranked eighth in the world for corporate strategy and best value for money in London by the *Financial Times* in 2016.

Career opportunities

Cass's employability experts help Cass MBA students to pursue and achieve their individual career goals based on their desired career direction. Graduates of the MBA go on to career success across many different industries, as well as gaining tools to start their own businesses. MBA graduates have gone on to senior roles within Amazon, Accenture, Google and BNY Mellon.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cftm

Executive MBA MBA

Duration

Part-time: two years

The Executive MBA is one of the top ranked courses in Europe. It offers academic excellence and outstanding connections with international businesses.

Delivered by a leading faculty, the Executive MBA is offered over two years with twice-weekly classes during the evening. The structure delivers core business skills with the flexibility to concentrate on electives in a specialised area or pursue a broad set of business interests.

The first year comprises core modules which provide students with the fundamentals of business and management. During the second year, students will select elective modules in a range of options and undertake a business mastery project.

Designed for ambitious working professionals, the course focuses on real-world business. From day one, students will encounter stimulating challenges and unique learning experiences. What students learn in the lecture theatre can be applied into their work environment almost immediately.

Career opportunities

Our careers team offers professional training and guidance in employability skills, enabling students to make the most of their Executive MBA. Executive MBA graduates have gone on to secure senior roles in Nomura, EY, British Airways and TripAdvisor.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/ceem

Modular Executive MBA MBA

Duration

Part-time: two years

The Modular Executive MBA is a flexible course for busy professionals seeking to maximise their leadership potential and accelerate their careers. Taking place over one long weekend each month (Fri-Mon), students undergo a personal transition in the way they approach and think about business while studying alongside a group of talented international peers.

The first year consists of core modules in the different business functions. The second year, MEMBA students will be able to concentrate on electives in a specialised area or pursue a broad set of business interests.

The course allows students to collaborate, problem-solve and present solutions to real organisational issues. The relationships built over the course of the MBA are significant, with peers going on to form an important part of a professional network.

Professional development is an important part of the course with coaching and workshop sessions organised by our Careers team.

Career opportunities

Modular Executive MBA graduates have gone on work in senior executive roles at BlackRock, Deutsche Bank, Thomson Reuters and Disney.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cmcm

Executive MBA in Dubai MBA

Duration

Part-time: two years

The Cass Executive MBA in Dubai is designed to meet the needs of business executives in the Middle East and surrounding regions.

It is a two-year course delivered in a monthly block weekend format (Thu-Sun) to accommodate busy working professionals from the region. As such, it has the advantage of enabling students to work and study at the same time, allowing them to add to their qualifications without stepping back from the business world. The Cass EMBA in Dubai offers the choice of building a general management MBA with concentration in Islamic Finance, Energy or Entrepreneurship.

Our world leading EMBA course is ideal for anyone wishing to develop a career in the MENA region.

Career opportunities

Throughout your time in Dubai as an Executive MBA student, you will have access to several Professional Development and Career Service Workshops and continued support from the Cass Careers team.

Our Careers team offers professional training and guidance in employability skills, enabling students to make the most of their Executive MBA. Executive MBA graduates have gone on to secure senior roles in Dell, EY, Daman Investments and Lloyds Banking Group.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cemd

Research degrees

Executive PhD*

Duration

Part-time: four years

The Cass Executive PhD focuses on research that makes an impact on professional practice and broader business and society issues.

This course combines expertise in a range of business topics including management, finance, accounting and actuarial science.

Candidates explore a wide range of subjects, including the latest scientific insights, theoretical frameworks and professional applications, all set in an international context.

The course comprises ten 40-hour residential weeks, held at Cass Business School in London, with additional private study. It includes a thesis presentation in year four.

Students graduate with a doctorate from City, University of London. Cass Business School is accredited by the AACSB, AMBA and EQUIS.

Career opportunities

The Executive PhD supports the career development of high-profile, research-orientated business professionals who use research to enhance the understanding of the organisations and processes they manage.

The course is for individuals who are at a critical point in their career, by helping them to change course or secure more senior positions.

**At the time of printing (August 2016) this course was subject to approval. Please visit our website to ensure it is available for 2017/18.*

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cerd

PhD MPhil

Duration

Full-time: four years

The Cass PhD is designed for students who want to conduct their research in a world class business school and an intellectually stimulating environment.

In year one, students attend a PhD-level education programme assessed by coursework, examinations and a thesis.

On completion of the first year of education and successful pass of their transfer panel at the end of the second year, students are admitted to PhD status.

During years three and four, students deepen their research, finish research articles and present them at workshops and conferences. Studies conclude with submission of the thesis and attendance at a *viva voce* examination.

Career opportunities

A common route into academic research is a postdoctoral research post or fellowship after completing the doctorate. While some PhD recipients go on to permanent academic positions, others pursue a career in industry research.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/crds



Above: **Nimisha Sodha**
(MSc Actuarial Science).

School of Health Sciences

The School of Health Sciences is a leading provider of postgraduate education in healthcare and health and social care policy and practice. Postgraduate students learn with academic staff who are clinical practitioners and engaged in interdisciplinary research across the fields of nursing, midwifery, health policy, psychology, management and research, optometry, public health, radiography and language and communication science. Their work is transforming the provision of healthcare services in the UK and internationally.

The School of Health Sciences is a world-leading centre for healthcare education and applied healthcare research. The School offers a comprehensive range of academic and professional courses for postgraduate students working (or planning to work) in the healthcare sector or researching (or planning to conduct research) in healthcare. Courses are designed for students with appropriate first degrees and for those at pre-registration, post-registration or Continuing Personal and Professional Development (CPPD) levels.

The range of MSc degrees in Advanced Practice in Health and Social Care allow healthcare professionals to develop their research skills, evidence-based practice and leadership alongside healthcare practitioners from different professional backgrounds. Specialist MSc degrees provide an opportunity for graduates and practitioners to develop their specialist skills and advance their careers. The School of Health Sciences is committed to offering research degrees at Masters and PhD levels which enable graduates to have a direct impact on healthcare policy, services and practice.

Graduate entry courses offer a 'fast-track' route to a Postgraduate Diploma or MSc for students who have previously gained an undergraduate degree, while the Midwifery and Public Health (School Nursing, Health Visiting and District Nursing) courses allow registered nurses to gain a second registration.

Scholarships for both home and international students are available for many School of Health Sciences courses and will be advertised on City's website from October 2016: www.city.ac.uk/health

The School delivers world-leading healthcare research that impacts policy, service delivery, practice and education in the UK and overseas. In the 2014 Research Excellence Framework (REF) 82% of its submitted research activity, 100% of its research environment and 100% of research impact was rated as either 'world-leading' or 'internationally excellent'.

Research is often interdisciplinary involving partnership with service users, NHS Trusts, local authorities, government bodies, non-governmental and third-sector organisations. Examples of the School's research include: nursing and midwifery investigations into clinical leadership; service change and reform in maternity and women's health; and service user involvement in mental healthcare. In health services research, academic staff are engaged in studies that examine health psychology, telehealth and self-management, care of the elderly and dementia and long-term conditions. Research within the area of optometry and visual science includes the early detection of glaucoma, development of retinal imaging and ophthalmic public health. Within language and communication sciences we have conducted groundbreaking research into new forms of therapy for people with aphasia, innovative collaborative work in education with adolescents with language and communication difficulties and the development of language and communication skills among deaf and hearing-impaired children.

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Graduate entry courses

Adult Nursing RN/PGDip

Duration

Full-time: two years, or two years and 14 weeks depending upon previous clinical experience

Students combine theoretical study with clinical experience working with diverse populations in hospitals and community settings.

The course focuses on relationship-centred care and the psychological, social and biological factors influencing health. These themes are explored in the context of acute and long-term care and later in the course there is an emphasis on leading and managing in professional practice.

Students learn through lectures, facilitated group work and enquiry based learning opportunities.

Facilities at the School include an innovative Clinical Skills Centre where students prepare for their practice experience.

Half of the students' time is spent gaining experience through clinical placements and in simulated practice.

Career opportunities

Career prospects are excellent with graduates securing employment with Trusts including Barts Health NHS Trust, Homerton University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust and University College London Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust. Nursing is a lifelong career where postgraduate adult nurses can develop their skills and interests in a range of specialisms.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/hanu

Adult and Mental Health Nursing (Pre-Registration) MSc

Duration

Full-time: three years

Mental illness has a huge impact on the physical health of an individual. People with a mental health condition are at a higher risk of experiencing physical health problems, such as diabetes and heart conditions. In addition, people with long-term physical health conditions are more likely to suffer from mental health issues, particularly depression.

This is a combined course, where on successful completion students will be eligible to register with the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) as a registered nurse in the mental health and adult field of nursing. Students will graduate with the skills and knowledge needed to equip them to support the delivery of quality healthcare in a contemporary health service.

Career opportunities

This course accelerates student career progression and opens up a range of fascinating career opportunities across both adult and mental health fields of practice.

It ideally positions students to pursue an accelerated career pathway and to become a future leader, clinical expert or researcher within the nursing profession.

Students will also be given opportunities to prepare for interviews and develop Personal Development Plans during the course.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/hamn

Child Nursing RN/PGDip

Duration

Full-time: two years, or two years and 14 weeks depending upon previous clinical experience

Students combine theoretical study with clinical experience, working with diverse populations in hospitals and community settings.

The course focuses on relationship-centred care and the psychological, social and biological factors influencing health. These themes are explored in the context of acute and long-term care and later in the course there is an emphasis on leading and managing in professional practice.

Students learn through lectures, facilitated group work and enquiry-based learning opportunities. Assessments include coursework, group presentations and scenario-based examinations. Practice is assessed by the students' mentor and by a Clinical Examination (OSCE) in a simulated environment.

The School's facilities include an innovative Clinical Skills Centre where students prepare for their practice experience.

Half of the students' time is spent gaining experience through clinical placements and in simulated practice.

Career opportunities

Career prospects are excellent with postgraduates securing employment with Trusts including Barts Health NHS Trust, Homerton University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust and North Middlesex University Hospital NHS Trust. Nursing is a lifelong career where postgraduate children's nurses can develop their skills and interests in a range of specialisms.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/hcnu

Mental Health Nursing RN/PGDip

Duration

Full-time: two years, or two years and 14 weeks depending upon previous clinical experience

The Postgraduate Diploma is a fast-track route for graduates through the standard three-year BSc Nursing course.

The Postgraduate Diploma offers a fast-track route to a career in mental health nursing for students who wish to make a real difference to the lives of people of all ages who experience mental health problems.

Mental health nursing focuses on the provision of holistic care that enables people with mental health problems to be physically safe and emotionally secure. Students need to be compassionate, caring, resilient and capable of empowering individuals of all ages.

Our staff are at the forefront of the latest healthcare developments through their academic, clinical and research activity. Students prepare for the clinical environment in City's state-of-the-art simulated ward, while clinical placements take place within the East London NHS Foundation Trust. Graduates enjoy excellent career prospects and are eligible to apply for registration with the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC).

Career opportunities

Over 90 per cent of nursing graduates go on to employment or further study after graduation, with our nursing graduates starting their careers with an annual average salary of £25,000. Nursing is a lifelong career where students can develop their skills and interests within a range of specialisms.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/hmhn

Midwifery Midwifery RM/PGDip

Duration

Full-time: 90 weeks

The Postgraduate Diploma in Midwifery offers a fast-track route to a rewarding and challenging career as a midwife. The course prepares qualified adult nurses who have at least six months' practice experience to become qualified midwives.

Our staff are at the forefront of the latest healthcare developments through their academic, clinical and research activity. Students prepare for the clinical environment in City's state-of-the-art simulated ward, while clinical placements take place in some of the busiest and most diverse maternity units in the country.

Students are allocated to a clinical area, where they take on a small caseload of women, supported by mentors and midwife supervisors. Clinical placements are based in all areas of maternity services including community clinics, birthing centres, antenatal clinics, delivery suites, antenatal/postnatal wards and women's homes.

Career opportunities

Midwives enjoy excellent career opportunities within the NHS and private organisations both in the UK and overseas.

Graduates can work in the community, birth centres or hospitals or independently.

Students can upgrade the Postgraduate Diploma to an MSc following their final year.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/hmid

Primary Care (Practice Nursing) PGDip

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

The Postgraduate Diploma (PGDip) Primary Care (Practice Nursing) has been developed for registered nurses who are currently on the Nursing and Midwifery Council register, are currently employed as practice nurses and who have a degree at either a first or 2:1. This course equips students with contemporary theoretical and evidence-based skills and knowledge to enhance and develop their professional practice within the general practice setting.

A unique feature of this course is the option for students to exit with a Postgraduate Certificate (PGCert) Primary Care (Practice Nursing).

Students can if they wish undertake a dissertation module to obtain their MSc Primary Care (Practice Nursing), after completion of the PGDip Primary Care (Practice Nursing) course.

Career opportunities

Completion of this course enables practice nurses to begin to develop higher order critical and enhanced clinical skills, which will enhance their clinical practice underpinned by a strong contemporary evidence base. Furthermore, this will enable those practice nurses who have completed the PGDip to negotiate a higher salary in their current post by extending their leadership and clinical skills.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/hpcp

Public Health (School Nursing, Health Visiting and District Nursing)

PGDip/MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

The course enables registered nurses and midwives to enhance their knowledge and broaden their skills to improve health within communities.

School and district nurses and health visitors all need the skills and knowledge to effectively lead, manage, plan and evaluate care. They lead a team and develop effective, enduring relationships with groups, communities and individuals, work in partnership with many agencies and deal with conflicting priorities and complex situations.

The course meets these requirements through practice and campus-based learning. Students undertake a public health trajectory which considers health attainment, promotion and illness prevention in the context of local, national and international public health and primary care policy and practice.

Career opportunities

Completion of school nursing and health visiting routes lead to eligibility to apply for second registration on the Specialist Community Public Health Nurse part of the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) register. Completion of the district nursing route leads to eligibility to apply for a record of a specialist practice – district nursing qualification with the NMC. Successful students work for various healthcare providers; many later move into education, management and research.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/hphm

Speech and Language Therapy MSc

Duration

Full-time: two years

This intensive course is suited to students who are committed to a career in speech and language therapy and who have already completed an undergraduate degree. Students learn a range of subjects that inform their understanding of typical speech, language, communication and swallowing and of pathologies in these areas. Students integrate theoretical and real-world knowledge in considering approaches to the assessment and management of clients with communication and swallowing problems and in taking a holistic approach to clients' needs. Clinical placements within a range of settings constitute an integral part of the course.

The MSc in Speech and Language Therapy is accredited by the Royal College of Speech and Language Therapists (RCSLT) and the Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC), which is the UK-wide regulatory body for healthcare professions.

Career opportunities

On successfully completing the MSc in Speech and Language Therapy graduates are eligible to register with the Health and Care Professions Council and practise their profession within the NHS or in a range of other settings including schools, hospitals, community clinics and charities. Increasingly many graduates also work in the private sector as independent speech and language therapists.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/hslt

Below: **Maggie Miller**
(MSc Health Management).



Health Management, Policy, Psychology, Research and Public Health

Clinical Research MRes

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

Knowledge and critical understanding of clinical research methods is becoming increasingly important for all professionals in the health and social care sector, where an evidence-based approach, supported by academic rigour, is crucial to decision-making, clinical practice and guidance.

The course provides students with education in quantitative and qualitative research methods and applied data analysis from basic to advanced levels.

It aims to enable students to independently design, develop and conduct research relevant to clinical practice, appraise current research, apply findings to the delivery of health services in clinical practice and develop a collaborative, interdisciplinary and ethical approach to research and practice.

The course is suitable for healthcare professionals from primary care or allied health disciplines working in clinical research and students aspiring to work in this field.

Career opportunities

The course gives students the research and academic education to become a clinical academic researcher across all health and social care settings. Graduates gain vital transferable skills which are applicable to all health and medical-related careers.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hcre

Health Management MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

The MSc Health Management has a three-decade track record developing leaders in management and consulting roles, in healthcare and pharmaceutical companies.

Learning emphasises enterprise, innovation, consultancy and builds on the opportunities London offers as a leading global health centre. The approach is international in outlook. Lecturers include leaders from health industries and scientific communities to share experiences of change and innovation and insights on future trends.

Collaborative projects develop organisational leadership and influencing skills to create value in a range of health sectors. These include a management consultancy project with business clients.

The course develops inspirational leaders who can ensure decisions are translated quickly into action and achieve the exceptional from the everyday.

Career opportunities

Healthcare and pharmaceutical companies value skills in strategy, innovation and change leadership, management consultancy and economic evaluation. The median salary of graduates is £50,000.

The MSc Health Management health sector Intern Development Programme and enterprise projects, offer opportunities for gaining experience, building students' cvs and initiating the next career move.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hman

Health Policy MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

Health and healthcare have risen to the top of the political agenda around the world. People are living longer and expecting more from their health services. Medical technology is advancing rapidly, creating ever-increasing demand for the latest treatments. Health policy affects (and is affected by) all of these factors.

This course gives students the knowledge and tools they need to understand and influence the health policy process and to operate within an increasingly complex policy environment. They will analyse the social, political and economic factors that affect policy, how policy is made and who the key players are.

The course combines an international focus and academic rigour with the development of skills which can be applied in a wide range of health policy, planning and management settings.

Career opportunities

With health and healthcare recognised as such high priorities around the world, health policy specialists continue to be in high demand.

Graduates have gone on to a range of policy, campaigning/advocacy and research roles within the public sector (such as the NHS), NGOs and third-sector organisations and the private sector.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hpol

Health Psychology DPsych (Health)

Duration
Full-time: two years
Part-time: four years

The Professional Doctorate in Health Psychology provides students with the competencies of the health psychologist and the development of individual skills and experience.

Trainees develop professional skills and the ability to integrate theory into practise, to become capable of supporting the learning of others. They lead and work effectively in groups, using a range of resources, undertaking innovative research tasks, communicating complex information clearly and effectively and acting as an effective consultant.

At the end of the training, the trainee is able to work independently and ethically in all registered health psychologist core competencies and continue with their own professional development.

The course is currently accredited by the British Psychological Society (BPS) and is approved by the Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC). We will be renewing our accreditation in 2016 as part of standard BPS requirements.

Career opportunities

The course provides professional and academic education that enables trainees to work as a Chartered Health Psychologist in a broad range of settings, including the NHS, charities, industry, government, private practice and academic and research settings. The course gives students doctoral level skills in health psychology, while developing the individual competencies within a professional context.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hpdp

Health Psychology/ Psychology and Health MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

The MSc Health Psychology is a British Psychological Society-accredited course and the first stage in becoming a chartered health psychologist.

Health psychology is the study of psychological and behavioural processes in health, illness and healthcare. It is concerned with understanding how psychological, behavioural and cultural factors contribute to physical health and illness. Chartered health psychologists use their knowledge of theory and practice to promote wellbeing and understand physical illness, while promoting healthier lifestyles.

The MSc Health Psychology course aims to provide students with in-depth knowledge and understanding of health psychology, informed by current scholarship and research, including a critical awareness of current issues and developments in the field.

Career opportunities

This MSc constitutes the first stage in becoming a Chartered Health Psychologist. Upon successful completion of the course, graduates are eligible to apply for stage two training in health psychology.

Graduates have gone on to complete PhDs in Health Psychology and take positions as academic research assistants, assistant psychologists in an applied setting, smoking cessation officers, public health and health promotion practitioners in the NHS and third-sector organisations.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hpsy

Health Services Research MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

The MSc in Health Services Research offers advanced research education to enable graduates to conduct and evaluate research to understand and improve service delivery, quality of care and patient outcomes.

Health Services Research explores the multifactorial causes of healthcare outcomes to develop and evaluate complex interventions to improve these outcomes. The course addresses questions such as: Why are there still quality gaps in care? How can we speed up the translation of evidence into healthcare practice? How can we apply evidence to improve patients' self-management of long-term conditions?

The MSc in Health Services Research equips students with the research knowledge, skills and experience to consume and generate primary and secondary research which addresses these questions.

Career opportunities

The course gives students a thorough grounding in professionally orientated research and statistical skills enabling them to work in management, service provision and practice roles. Students can go on to develop their careers across a range of health service settings including the NHS, charities, industry, government, private practice and academic and research environments.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hsre

Masters in Public Health MPH

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years
The Masters in Public Health (MPH) provides cutting edge knowledge on evidence-based practice and research methods for leading public health initiatives.
This unique course combines study in public health research methods, applied epidemiology and the identification and assessment of the challenges in public health from a global perspective. It also provides students with an understanding of the processes through which the social environment influences health.
The course provides a thorough professional and theoretical grounding in public health sciences, enabling students to further the protection and improvement of population health at the local, national and international level.
Students gain the skills and confidence to independently lead public health projects and investigations in public or private sector settings.
Career opportunities MPH is the most widely recognised professional qualification for leadership in public health. Our graduates work globally in both private and public sectors including the NHS, international agencies, charities, government and academic environments.
Students gain vital transferable skills which are applicable to all health-related careers where attention to detail, conducting research and evaluation for evidence-based practice and report writing are an advantage.
Find out more
city.ac.uk/hpuh

Interprofessional courses

Advanced Practice Health and Social Care MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year plus dissertation, up to a total of three years
Part-time: two years plus dissertation, up to a total of five years
This course is flexible and professionally orientated for all health and social care professionals. It seeks to prepare a research-focused workforce that will help revolutionise health and social care to meet society's changing health needs by using new technologies and more innovative and creative working practices.
The course prepares students for new, efficient and ethical ways of working that will offer better quality management by placing service users and carers at the centre of the service. Compulsory modules are kept to a minimum, enabling students to tailor the course to meet their professional goals.
The course offers education in the latest theoretical developments and develops research and critical thinking skills; it provides the opportunity to conduct research under expert supervision, laying the foundations for independent practice and research in the future.
Career opportunities This course enhances professional skills in practice, research and teaching. It is particularly suitable for those professionals who have specific, specialist requirements. Successful completion of the course will enhance students' prospects when applying for posts in management, teaching and social support, in a range of public and private settings.
Find out more
city.ac.uk/haph

Advanced Practice Health and Social Care (Adult Mental Health) MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years
The course provides the skills, knowledge and awareness in the assessment and formulation of mental health problems, evidence-based psychosocial interventions and of contemporary issues in mental health.
The course is for all healthcare professionals working in mental health services including nurses, social workers, psychologists and practitioners from a range of allied statutory and voluntary agencies.
Compulsory modules are kept to a minimum, enabling students to tailor the course to meet their individual professional goals.
Career opportunities Graduates gain an understanding and knowledge of adult mental health and the ability to work effectively and collaboratively across professional agencies. Graduates have gone on to secure roles in mental health, social care, the voluntary sector and health policy and management. Graduates can also apply for research posts and undertake research.
Find out more
city.ac.uk/haam

Advanced Practice Health and Social Care (Child and Adolescent Mental Health) MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years
This MSc has been developed in consultation with the national charity YoungMinds. It provides the skills, knowledge and awareness in promoting child and adolescent psychological development, managing risk and resilience, early identification, assessment and formulation of child and adolescent mental health problems, evidence-based psychosocial interventions and contemporary issues in child and adolescent mental health.
The course uses a sound evidence base to prepare students to participate in a specialist workforce where the development of ethical and culturally sensitive practice and the placement of the service user and carer at the centre of decision-making and service re-design are core values. Students enhance their ability to critically evaluate their work or the work of others who care for individuals and families where there are significant concerns and vulnerability.
Career opportunities Graduates can go on to influence the mental health of children and young people at a direct and indirect level through the development of services and the application of interprofessional practice and research.
Find out more
city.ac.uk/haca

Language and Communication Science

Advanced Practice Health and Social Care (Speech, Language and Communication) MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year taught course plus one year for the dissertation
Part-time: two years taught course plus one year for the dissertation
This MSc offers a flexible, professionally orientated course for speech and language therapists and other graduates from related fields.
Students gain specialist knowledge about disorders of communication and swallowing and develop skills in research methods, critical appraisal and advanced practice. Optional modules integrate learning from allied disciplines such as mental health and health management.
All learning draws on the latest research and makes strong connections with clinical practice. Students learn from clinical and research leaders and service users. Students can study for the full MSc, a Postgraduate Diploma (omitting the dissertation) or a Postgraduate Certificate (four modules).
Career opportunities This course is for qualified speech and language therapists who wish to enhance their careers. The MSc qualifies students for posts in the UK and abroad that require a Masters degree and for specialist clinical positions. The course is ideal for other graduates seeking a research career in the field of communication disorders. <i>Alumni</i> have progressed into senior clinical roles, doctoral study and research posts.
Find out more
city.ac.uk/hasp

Speech, Language and Communication Needs in Schools: Advanced Practice MSc

Duration
Full-time: One year taught course, plus up to one year to complete the research dissertation
Part-time: Two years taught course, plus up to one year to complete the research dissertation
This MSc is run jointly by City, University of London and University College London Institute of Education. It brings together speech and language therapists, teachers, academics and other graduate school-based practitioners for collaborative study. Taught modules cover educational contexts, children's language, social, emotional and behavioural development and needs, as well as research methods, preparing students to undertake a research project in their chosen area.
Learning is through lectures, workshops and seminars, led by international researchers and senior clinical/academic professionals. As well as advancing students' knowledge and skills, this course is a springboard for fresh stimulation and reflection, in a community of fellow students, practitioners and research experts.
Career opportunities This MSc qualification raises a graduate's profile as a specialist and leader in speech, language and communication needs in the school setting. It is an advantage for teachers and clinicians seeking higher grade specialist and managerial posts.
Please note this MSc does not lead to professional qualification as a speech and language therapist or teacher.
Find out more
city.ac.uk/hsls

Midwifery

Advanced Practice Health and Social Care (Midwifery) MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year taught course, plus up to one year to complete dissertation
Part-time: two years

Students on this course learn about the latest theoretical policy and clinical developments relating to midwifery. They also develop research, applied data analysis and critical thinking skills and have the opportunity to conduct a research project under expert supervision. Graduates are well prepared for leading roles as evidence-based practitioners.

The course is designed for qualified midwives who have at least one year of experience in clinical midwifery practice.

The MSc provides the opportunity to create a challenging and rewarding course of study tailored to students' personal development needs. Compulsory modules are kept to a minimum, so that the wide range of optional modules allow students to personalise their learning.

Career opportunities
This course allows practitioners flexibility in developing specialist skills and knowledge at a highly demanding academic and professional level. The course prepares students for a range of roles, including midwife consultant and jobs in clinical leadership.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hami

Nursing

Advanced Practice Health and Social Care (Advanced Nurse Practitioner – Adult; Child) MSc

Duration
Part-time: two years (one-year dissertation)

This Royal College of Nursing (RCN) accredited course is designed to provide a cohesive educational framework to support nurse practitioners wishing to develop advanced practice skills.

Students will gain the skills and knowledge in the areas of: clinical and direct care practice; leadership and collaborative practice; improving quality, developing practice and developing self and others.

The course will equip students with contemporary theoretical skills, knowledge and awareness of professional skills for advanced practice. Students will develop research and applied data analysis skills, acquire deeper understanding of health and social care settings and the role of an advanced nurse practitioner.

Career opportunities
Graduates will be able to influence nursing practice at both direct and indirect levels through the development of services and the application of research to clinical practice. Successful completion of the course will equip students with the skill set to take on a more strategic leadership role within primary, secondary and tertiary healthcare settings. Students can also apply for research posts and conduct independent research.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hnpa

Advanced Practice Health and Social Care (Advanced Nurse Practitioner – Neonatal) MSc

Duration
Full-time: 15 months
Part-time: 24 months

This MSc is a medically led training course designed for senior neonatal nurses who want to advance their careers to become advanced neonatal nurse practitioners.

Students develop a clear understanding of the underpinning principles of applied anatomy and physiology, decision-making and diagnostic reasoning and advance physical examination of the newborn. Students also gain exposure to the principles of applied pharmacotherapy and emerge as safe prescribing practitioners with the ability to stand within the modern NHS, bridging the gap between the nursing and medical practice. The course equips students with the contemporary theoretical skills, knowledge and professional skills for advanced practice; developing advance practice skills in research, its application and applied data analysis. The Advance Practice module deepens students understanding of health and social care settings.

Career opportunities
Graduates from this route can pursue a career as a junior neonatal doctor's equivalent, neonatal clinical educator or a neonatal researcher. All our graduates are currently employed in clinical posts as junior doctor equivalents within the first year of completing this course.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hnnpn

Advanced Practice Health and Social Care (Advanced Ophthalmic Nurse Practitioner) MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year taught course, plus one year for the dissertation
Part-time: five years

This MSc is flexible and professionally orientated course for nurses working in ophthalmic health and eye care.

Changes in healthcare needs have led to the use of new technologies and more innovative and creative working practices. This course prepares a specialist research-focused workforce to help revolutionise health and social care provision.

The course gives new, efficient and ethical ways of working that will offer better quality of life and quality of care by placing service users and carers at the centre of decision-making and service redesign. It enables students to respond better to the increasing pressures within the current healthcare system.

Learning concentrates on the latest theoretical and clinical developments relating to ophthalmic nursing; as well as developing students' research skills and critical thinking and provides the opportunity to conduct a research project under expert supervision.

Career opportunities
This course enhances skills in practice, teaching and research leading to roles in nurse management and as advanced nurse practitioners in ophthalmology in a range of public and private settings. The course is also suitable for ophthalmic nurses considering a post in research.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hanp

Advanced Practice Health and Social Care (Nursing) MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year plus dissertation, up to a total of three years
Part-time: two years plus dissertation, up to a total of five years

This is a flexible, professionally orientated course for all nurses. It prepares a research-focused profession that will help revolutionise health provision to better meet society's changing health needs by using new technologies and innovative, creative practices. Students can choose from a range of optional modules which match their professional goals.

Students will explore new, efficient and ethical ways of working that offer better quality nursing by placing service users and carers at the centre of decision-making and enable students to respond to the increasing pressures on the current healthcare system.

Education is offered in the latest theoretical and clinical developments relating to nursing. Students also develop research skills and critical thinking, providing the opportunity to conduct research under expert supervision.

Career opportunities
This course will enhance students' skills in practice, teaching and research and can lead to posts in nurse management, health research, student support and as clinical nurse specialists in a range of different settings (public and private). The flexible nature of the course makes it particularly suitable for nurses with highly specific requirements in professional development. Advice will be available on the course options, so that students can maximise the opportunities open to them.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hanu

Advanced Practice Health and Social Care (Ophthalmic Nursing) MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year plus dissertation, up to a total of three years
Part-time: two years plus dissertation, up to a total of five years

This course is flexible and professionally orientated, designed for nurses working in ophthalmic health and eye care. It prepares a specialist, research-focused workforce that will help revolutionise health and social care provision to better meet society's changing demographic health needs.

Students will be prepared for new, efficient and ethical ways of working, offering a better quality of life and care by placing service users and carers at the centre of decision-making and service. It enables students to respond better to the increasing pressures on the current healthcare system.

Education is offered in the latest theoretical and clinical developments relating to ophthalmic nursing and develop students' research and critical thinking skills and provide the opportunity to conduct research under expert supervision, laying the foundations for independent practice and research in future.

Career opportunities
This course will enhance students' professional skills in practice, research and teaching. Successful completion of the course enhances students' prospects in applying for posts in nurse management, student support and as ophthalmic nurse specialists, in a range of public and private settings.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/haon

Optometry

Advanced Practice Health and Social Care (Clinical Optometry) MSc

Duration
Full-time: one year taught course, plus one year for the dissertation
Part-time: five years

The MSc prepares optometrists working in specialist practice (in the hospital or community setting) to provide advanced level primary eye care.

Emphasis is placed on modules accredited as part of the College of Optometrists' Professional Certificate (i.e., Glaucoma, Medical Retina and Low Vision) and the Independent Prescribing Programme accredited by the General Optical Council (i.e., Principles of Therapeutics, Principles of Prescribing, Independent Prescribing and Learning in Practice via APEL), the content of which forms the theory for the College of Optometrists' Independent Prescribing Common Final Assessment.

The course focuses on management of patients and the expansion of the optometrist's role in ocular therapeutics. Students develop theoretical, methodological and research skills to enhance the ability to critically evaluate research and the clinical evidence base.

Students conduct a piece of rigorous research, which can form the basis for the development of effective service delivery in healthcare organisations.

Career opportunities

The course is for hospital or community optometrists working in specialist practice who wish to enhance their career prospects through gaining both an academic and a professional qualification.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/haco

Clinical Optometry MSc

Duration
Full-time: minimum two years
Part-time: five years

Preparing optometrists to provide enhanced clinical care to patients, the MSc emphasises the co-management of patients and the expansion of the optometrist's role in ocular therapeutics.

The MSc has an international reputation for quality and is at the forefront of professional clinical optometry education. Students acquire skills and knowledge from leading UK experts in a dynamic learning environment.

The course is accredited for the General Optical Council's Continuing Education and Training (CET) points and includes the Professional Certificates in Glaucoma and Low Vision accredited by the College of Optometrists. Prescribing modules are accredited by the General Optical Council with content forming the theory for the College of Optometrists' Independent Prescribing Common Final Assessment.

Career opportunities

Optometrists are equipped to provide enhanced clinical care to patients, particularly in the field of ocular therapeutics – they can choose to become an additional supply or an independent prescribing optometrist as part of the MSc training. Students opt to complete the College of Optometrists' Professional Certificate in Glaucoma, Medical Retina and Low Vision or the College of Optometrists' Higher Professional Certificate in Contact Lenses all of which enhance career opportunities whether within the Hospital Eye Service or in practice.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hcop

Radiography

Medical Ultrasound PGCert/PGDip/MSc

Duration
Postgraduate Certificate Part-time: one year
Postgraduate Diploma Part-time: 18 months to two years
MSc Part-time: maximum five years

The MSc in Medical Ultrasound offers flexible study for professionals undertaking obstetrics, gynaecology and abdominal ultrasound training.

Students learn a range of subjects to enable them to explore the underpinning knowledge of safe, effective and evidence-based ultrasound practice, with which to help them develop clinical skills in their own department.

Our expert staff provide a supportive environment for students to develop their academic abilities and advanced practice skills. City's Clinical Skills Suite is equipped with a real-time ultrasound machine and simulators.

The course is for practitioners working in radiography, nursing, midwifery or other related professions, who want to gain a professional qualification to practice ultrasound. This course is accredited by the Consortium for the Accreditation of Sonographic Education (CASE).

Career opportunities

Graduates can pursue a career in ultrasound working in a range of healthcare settings within the NHS or private practice. Others chose to enhance their skills to help them work towards advanced and consultant-level practice. Recent graduates have developed their careers as superintendent sonographers, managers, clinical application specialists and lecturers.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hmul

Radiography (Computed Tomography) PGCert/PGDip/MSc

Duration
Postgraduate Certificate Part-time: up to one year
Postgraduate Diploma Part-time: up to two years
MSc Part-time: up to three years

The Computed Tomography courses enable students to apply scientific, research, professional and technical knowledge to their role within this cross-sectional modality. The courses will allow the student to build on the knowledge and clinical experience gained from their professional work complementing the experiences they already have and allowing them to enhance their professional development and make a greater contribution to the investigatory healthcare process.

The course covers subjects including clinical applications of computed tomography and the science and instrumentation involved in this form of radiography.

Career opportunities

The postgraduate courses in Computed Tomography will enable the student to work towards advancing their practice and support a rationale for more senior roles in the profession including specialist clinical practice, management and research.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hrct

Radiography (Medical Magnetic Resonance) PGCert/PGDip/MSc

Duration
Postgraduate Certificate Part-time: up to one year
Postgraduate Diploma Part-time: up to two years
MSc Part-time: up to three years

The Medical Magnetic Resonance courses enable students to apply scientific, research, professional and technical knowledge to their role within this cross-sectional modality. The courses allow the student to build on the knowledge and clinical experience gained from their professional work complementing the experiences they already have and allowing them to enhance their professional development and make a greater contribution to the investigatory healthcare process.

The course covers subjects including clinical applications of medical magnetic resonance and the physics and instrumentation involved in this form of radiography.

Career opportunities

The postgraduate courses in Medical Magnetic Resonance enable students to work towards advancing their practice and support a rationale for more senior roles in the profession including specialist clinical practice, management and research.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hrmm

Research degrees

Research degrees MPhil/PhD/DPsych

Duration
Full-time: three years
Part-time: six years

The School of Health Sciences provides a supportive and well-resourced environment for individuals wishing to pursue a postgraduate research degree (MPhil/PhD/DPsych), linked with one of our six Research Centres.

There are three routes to an MPhil/PhD degree within the School:

- Traditional MPhil/PhD: students undertake a significant piece of original research and write a thesis based on that research.
- MPhil/PhD by prospective publication: students base their submission on a series of peer-reviewed research papers which they publish during the course of their MPhil/PhD and incorporate this into an overarching thesis that reflects the work.
- MPhil/PhD by prior publication: students who have published several significant peer-reviewed research papers spend between one and two years writing an extended treatise which draws this research together with analysis of previously published work by others into the context of a single overarching thesis.

The School also offers a Professional Doctorate in Health Psychology (DPsych), which has a separate prospectus entry. Please consult the relevant page for details.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/hrds

The City Law School

The City Law School is one of London's major law schools and offers an impressive range of academic and professional courses. Located in the heart of legal London, the School was the first in London to educate students and practitioners at all stages of legal education. At the postgraduate level, the School's high-quality courses for law and non-law graduates are highly regarded by the profession.

Academic staff at the School are engaged in research in all major areas of law, including: criminal law and criminal justice; commercial law and contract law; European law; public international law; media law; maritime law and transport; and professional practice. In addition, Research Centres, groups and institutes within the School provide a space for interdisciplinary collaboration and cutting-edge research into some of the most pressing contemporary legal issues. Academic staff affiliated with the Centre for Law, Justice and Journalism, for example, work with colleagues from City's Departments of Journalism and Sociology to explore themes including legal restraints on the media, journalistic objectivity and impartiality

in international war crimes trials and legal safeguards against violence directed at journalists. The School's Centre for the Study of Legal Professional Practice (CSLPP) supports the strong development of the legal professions and legal professional practice through research and writing. The Centre includes various specialist forums focusing on advocacy, alternative dispute resolution, civil litigation, criminal litigation, evidence and proof and legal ethics.

Postgraduate students at all levels benefit from the research expertise and practice experience of the School's academic staff, many of whom are leading experts in their fields. The Graduate Diploma in Law

and the Graduate Entry LLB allow graduates who have completed a non-law degree to begin studying for a career in law, by completing the seven core foundation subjects required for professional examinations in either one or two years. The Bar Professional Training Course and Legal Practice Course, offered at City's Gray's Inn campus, have a worldwide reputation for excellence and equip students with the skills and knowledge required for legal practice. Finally, LLM, MPhil and PhD courses at The City Law School allow students to deepen their understanding of particular areas of law while retaining the practice focus that is one of the hallmarks of the School's approach.

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Graduate courses

Graduate Diploma in Law (GDL)

Duration

Full-time: one year

The GDL comprises the seven core foundation subjects, normally covered within a qualifying law degree and are prerequisites for taking the professional legal courses. City's GDL course has an unrivalled reputation within the profession for the quality of education, the ability of its students and the preparation it provides for students seeking pupillage or a training contract.

The course, which is for non-law graduates, is delivered by The City Law School's own lecturers and by visiting lecturers from other prestigious universities. In addition to the foundation subjects, students take another academic law subject unique to City: Introduction to legal ethics. This subject directs students' attention towards the ethical challenges which lawyers might face in practice and to the values which characterise the profession.

Students have the option to convert their GDL to an LLB degree by taking further law modules.

Career opportunities

Successful completion of the GDL qualifies students to progress onto the LPC for intending solicitors or the BPTC for intending barristers. As with the qualifying law degree, the GDL can prepare students for a range of non-legal career paths within the civil service, financial companies and more. Expert advice is available from personal tutors and City's Careers Service. This service can provide support for applications, organise mock interviews and give advice on job searching techniques.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/lgdl

Graduate Entry LLB (Hons)

Duration

Full-time: two years

This is a senior status law degree which allows non-law graduates to achieve an LLB law degree in just two years.

Students will have the opportunity to gain skills and knowledge in core legal subjects as well as specialist areas of law.

In year one, candidates study four of the seven core foundation subjects usually covered in an undergraduate law degree. In year two, students take the remaining three core subjects and have the opportunity to enhance their knowledge of particular areas of law by choosing three elective subjects.

This degree attracts international students from around the world, Canada in particular. Canadian-law specific electives can be chosen in year two.

There are opportunities for students to develop legal skills in mooting, legal research and legal writing and take part in various *pro bono* projects.

Career opportunities

Successful completion of this course qualifies students to progress to one of the two professional courses all UK lawyers are required to take; the Legal Practice Course for solicitors or the Bar Professional Training Course for barristers. Students can also pursue a Master of Laws qualification.

As with the three-year LLB (Hons), this degree can help students to pursue non-legal careers in the civil service, financial organisations and other job roles.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/lglb

Professional legal skills

Bar Professional Training Course (BPTC)

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

Our well-established professional course is a rigorous programme designed to reflect the working Bar. This is an internationally-renowned and highly skills-focused course delivered in London's prime legal location, surrounded by the Inns of Court and barristers' chambers.

The BPTC focuses on three areas of practice: advocacy, written and oral advice and case settlement. Underpinning these areas is a foundation of legal analysis and research as well as procedural knowledge and professional ethics. The skills and knowledge gained on the BPTC can be applied at the Bar and in a range of other professions and careers.

Career opportunities

On successful completion of the course students will receive the Postgraduate Diploma in Professional Legal Skills, which is required in order to be called to the Bar and take the first steps into practice as a barrister.

Students are offered guidance and support if applying for pupillage via our Pupillage Advisory Service. This service is available as soon as a place on the City BPTC is accepted. The service provides advice on cvs, applications to chambers and mock interviews.

Students wishing to pursue careers beyond independent practice at the Bar can seek expert advice from the City's Careers Service. This service can provide support for applications, organise mock interviews and give advice on job searching techniques.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/lbptc

Legal Practice Course (LPC)

PGDip, PGCert
(Stage One only)

Duration

Full-time: one year

The LPC is designed to ensure students are fully prepared to meet the demands of the modern legal profession.

Delivered by experienced legal practitioners, City's LPC comprises two stages: Stage One provides students with essential skills and knowledge, Stage Two allows students to enhance their knowledge in three specialist areas.

Students can take advantage of one-to-one support from the in-house Training Contracts Advisory Service. Students can also participate in a wide variety of *pro bono* schemes and be part of the LPC Mentor Programme.

On successful completion, students will be awarded a Postgraduate Diploma in Legal Practice. As the City LPC is taught at Masters level, students can convert the final award into an LLM in Legal Practice by preparing an additional dissertation which is included in the course fee.

Career opportunities

Students progress to a wide variety of firms both in London and beyond. They are assisted by the Training Contract Advisory Service who help with cvs, covering letters, interviews and selection days.

Students also have access to City's Careers Service and the events that they arrange.

There are opportunities for students to enhance their cv through extra-curricular activities such as participation in *pro bono* schemes and external competitions.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/lipc

Masters courses

International Business Law (Distance Learning) LLM

Duration

Part-time: two years

This course is distance learning

This flexible, part-time LLM is designed to provide students with specialist knowledge and help to broaden existing knowledge of the legal rules which impact on international business. Students will acquire legal and research skills to help enhance career prospects as international business professionals or legal practitioners.

As the course is delivered online, students have freedom to study in their own working environment and at their individual pace. Technology-enhanced learning environments support the student experience alongside City's extensive range of legal databases, including e-journals and e-books.

Students will receive access to study materials and will also be encouraged to explore and identify areas for research and reflection, with the course typically being completed over six consecutive terms (two calendar years). An accelerated route is also available, with students studying the course over four terms.

Career opportunities

By the end of the course, you will have gained specialist knowledge in key areas of law from an international business perspective and acquired transferable skills essential to develop a career in international business or law.

Students who complete the LLM may wish to continue their advanced legal studies on the PhD or MPhil courses offered by The City Law School.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/llbl

Legal Practice LLM

Duration

Full-time: six months

Part-time: twelve to eighteen months

Students studying for the Legal Practice Course (LPC) at City can convert their LPC into an LLM in Legal Practice. City's LPC is delivered at Masters level rather than degree level, allowing you to gain an LLM by completing an additional dissertation during or after your LPC.

This LLM satisfies all the requirements of a traditional LLM, with a focus on professional practice. In addition to taught classes on the LPC, the course gives you the opportunity to strengthen your knowledge and understanding of a specific area of professional legal practice.

Students make a written proposal for their dissertation and undertake research in an area of choice related to legal practice, procedure or skills.

Please note that the LLM in Legal Practice is also included in the LPC course fee and the dissertation must be undertaken after students have completed the LPC.

Career opportunities

The course has been developed to enhance the employability of its graduates. Students who have a training contract can use the dissertation to demonstrate commitment to an area of practice. Students seeking a training contract or pursuing an alternative legal career can use the qualification to strengthen their cv and improve employability prospects.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/llpl

Maritime Law in Greece LLM

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

This LLM is an academically demanding course and beneficial for anyone working in the shipping industry.

The course gives a detailed understanding of maritime law and issues relating to the shipping market, allowing students to build on existing knowledge and enhance their career prospects.

Delivered in the Lloyd's Register building in Piraeus, Greece, with access to the Laskaridou Library, the course is taught in English in weekend blocks by British academics, legal practitioners and specialist maritime lecturers from around the world.

Career opportunities
The LLM in Maritime Law provides you with a sound basis for developing a career in shipping and maritime law; whether it is with a national or international firm or in-house.

Students who complete the LLM may wish to continue their academic studies by enrolling in a PhD or MPhil offered by The City Law School.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/lmlg

Master of Laws LLM

Duration
Full-time: one year
Part-time: two years

The Master of Laws (LLM) has a flexible, professional and global focus designed to deepen students' knowledge and enhance career aspirations.

The course has been structured to showcase the most current legal debates and to expose students to professional practitioners and leading academics. Students will gain the skills needed to tackle complex legal problems within chosen subjects.

The Master of Laws offers extensive choice when it comes to what students learn. Students can opt for a general Master of Laws degree by selecting courses from the extensive list of modules, or pursue one of several specialisms in fields such as International Commercial Law, International Banking and Finance Law, European Union Law and more. This means you can design your own degree and build your learning around your academic and professional goals.

Career opportunities
Graduates from the LLM are well placed to pursue careers in legal practice as well as business, management, banking and finance, government, charities, academia and research.

Students who complete the LLM may wish to continue their academic studies by enrolling in a PhD or MPhil offered by The City Law School.

City's Careers Service also provide a range of events and advice that will make students aware of their career options.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/lmol

Professional Legal Skills LLM

Duration
Full-time: six months
Part-time: one year

Students undertaking the Bar Professional Training Course (BPTC) can convert their BPTC into an LLM in Professional Legal Skills. City's BPTC is delivered at Masters level, allowing students to gain an LLM by completing an additional dissertation after the BPTC. Students will be asked to put forward a proposal for their dissertation upon application for this LLM.

This LLM satisfies the requirements of a traditional LLM but has a primary focus on practice. In addition to the taught classes on the BPTC the LLM gives students the chance to focus on an area of professional legal practice of their choice, while strengthening their knowledge and understanding of legal professional practice. This can be linked to pupillage to underline a commitment to a particular area, or can be used more generally.

Career opportunities
This course has been developed specifically to assist students in achieving their career aspirations. Students who have pupillage can use work on their dissertation to show their commitment to a specific area of practice. Students seeking pupillage or going into other areas of legal work can use the dissertation to strengthen their cv.

Find out more
city.ac.uk/lprs

Research degrees

Research degrees MPhil/PhD

Duration
Full-time: minimum period of registration is two years; maximum four years.
Part-time: minimum period of registration is three years; maximum seven years.

PhD students are assigned two supervisors to support them throughout their research. They also benefit from the School's Research Training Programme which focuses on research skills and methodologies, employability skills, career management and personal development.

PhD students become part of a stimulating research environment by participating in the activities of the School's Research Centres, institutes and groups.

The award of a PhD requires the submission of a thesis for examination at a *viva voce* (oral examination) by two examiners, at least one of whom is external to City. A PhD thesis (up to 100,000 words) must be an original and substantial piece of work which makes a contribution to the relevant literature. All students are initially registered for an MPhil degree. Those students who wish to proceed to a PhD must upgrade within 18 months (30 months for part-time students).

Find out more
city.ac.uk/lrds

School of Mathematics, Computer Science & Engineering

The School of Mathematics, Computer Science & Engineering has been offering outstanding courses tailored to the needs of the professions for more than 100 years. Postgraduate students are led by academics who are at the forefront of research and enterprise activity in their fields.

The School comprises six Departments. In the Department of Civil Engineering, academics work in the field of structural and geotechnical engineering, in partnership with leading design consultancies and building contractors (for example, Arup, Skanska, WSP, Thornton Tomasetti and Pell Frischmann). The Department of Electrical & Electronic Engineering is renowned for its expertise in developing sensors and instrumentation (particularly in the field of biomedical engineering), its work on managing systems complexity in design and confronting the challenges of cybersecurity. The Department of Mechanical Engineering & Aeronautics has outstanding facilities for applied research and it is particularly strong in the field of experimental and computational fluid dynamics.

The Department was the first in the United Kingdom to offer courses in Aeronautical Engineering. In the Department of Mathematics, academic staff undertake fundamental research in pure and applied mathematics in the areas of representation theory, mathematical physics and mathematical biology.

Academics in the Department of Computer Science work across three broad areas. In software and systems engineering, research examines fundamental theories, methods and technologies related to the development, assessment and verification of complex socio-technical and software-intensive systems. In the field of human-computer interaction, academics focus on the accessibility and usability of interactive systems supporting human-computer activities and the development of

novel interfaces and devices for such systems. Finally, research on information-intensive systems explores the development of novel methods and frameworks to support the modelling, search, analysis, consumption and evolution of massive text and rich media, including images and sound. The Department of Library & Information Science builds on City's long tradition of research in information science. Academics in the Department are experts in: the history of information sciences; the organisation and communication of information in a digital environment; and information behaviour of individuals, groups and within society.

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Aviation Management

Aircraft Maintenance Management MSc

Duration

Part-time: average three, maximum five years

With the MSc Airline Maintenance Management students can align, develop or transform their career as well as study across several locations on this industry-accredited global course.

This MSc allows experienced aviation industry personnel to improve their knowledge of the complex disciplines required to enable full understanding of the technical, operational and financial pressures impacting flight operations.

The demand for airline maintenance management knowledge is growing. This course gives students the opportunity to freshen their current knowledge, learn the latest airline maintenance management techniques and build a network of peers.

The course is suited to those with at least two years' work experience within the aviation industry who want to study an executive MBA-style qualification. Students with a military background are also welcomed.

Career opportunities

The airline industry requires half a million new aircraft engineers in the next 20 years. As such, the industry is in need of maintenance managers and leaders.

Graduates of the course will be prepared for positions of responsibility within airlines, aviation authorities and defence forces. Graduate destinations include chief engineer, head of safety, senior investigator and other senior management positions.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/eamm

Air Safety Management MSc

Duration

Part-time: average three, maximum five years

With the MSc Air Safety Management students can align, develop or transform their career as well as study across several locations on this industry-accredited global course.

The objective of air safety management is to achieve and maintain an acceptable level of safety within the context of increasing air traffic, wider commercial competition and a greater focus on cost consciousness. Students learn the latest safety management techniques, freshen their current knowledge and build a network of peers.

The course is suited to those with at least two years' work experience within the aviation industry and who want to study an executive MBA-style qualification. Current students include pilots, air traffic controllers, maintenance staff and engineers, the majority of whom possess a licence or professional education. Students with a military background are also welcomed.

Career opportunities

This professional MSc course is recognised by the aviation industry and accredited by the Royal Aeronautical Society. Graduates have taken up roles such as safety manager, training captain, quality manager, flight safety officer, safety inspector, safety consultant and accident investigator in civil aviation authorities, airlines and other aircraft operators and defence forces worldwide.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/easm

Air Transport Management MSc

Duration

Part-time: average three, maximum five years

This MSc is designed for the working aviation employee who wishes to align, develop or transform their career and who aims to move into a position carrying greater management responsibility.

Delivered by experts from industry, the objective of the course is to improve the contributions that experienced professionals, including air crew, engineers and air traffic controllers, can make to their organisations. Students learn the latest management techniques, freshen their current knowledge and build a network of peers.

The course is suited to those with at least two years' work experience within the aviation industry who want to study an executive MBA-style qualification. Students with a military background are also welcomed.

Career opportunities

This is a professional course recognised by the aviation industry and accredited by the Royal Aeronautical Society. Our *alumni* network includes high-ranking individuals such as the Chief Operating of Oman Air, the Chief Executive of Jet Time and the Vice President of Emirates Airbus Fleet.

Graduates may change or transform their careers as a result of the MSc. An RAF air traffic controller immediately moved into a senior training position at Eurocontrol in Brussels after completing the course.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/eatm

Civil Engineering

Civil Engineering Structures MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: either two or three years

This is an established accredited technical MSc for those who wish to expand their specialist knowledge and skills in structural analysis and design. It offers a mixture of theory and practice to enhance the employment prospects of both recent graduates and mid-career engineers.

The course focuses on advanced analytical techniques, use of current design standards and development of creative and specialist solutions. It also provides scope for use of state-of-the-art technology, as excellent experimental facilities and extensive software are available.

The Department of Civil Engineering boasts structural engineering academic staff with diverse research interests and opportunities for professional engagement at the City. Professional institutions and well-known consulting engineers are also located in the vicinity. Industry experts regularly provide insight into structural engineering practice and research.

Career opportunities

Graduates have been successful in securing employment with leading construction consultants, such as Ramboll, AECOM, AKTII, Grimshaw's, Costain and Skanska. Many have found employment with research institutes and government agencies or pursued doctoral studies in the UK and internationally. Graduates are working in the UK, the USA, China, Iran, Turkey, the Middle East and other countries.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/eces

Civil Engineering Structures (Nuclear Power Plants) MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

The UK has committed to a long-term nuclear new-build programme that is forecast to generate more than 40,000 jobs, yet there is little specialised education in this area.

The MSc in Civil Engineering Structures (Nuclear Power Plants) is designed to respond to the skills shortage reported by employers currently working in the area. This Masters course enables students to study how to design, evaluate and analyse structural systems, with a special focus on nuclear power plants. Students learn all the principles used for the design of buildings, bridges, special structures and, in particular, nuclear containment structures.

This course is offered on either a one-year full-time or two-year part-time basis to allow students maximum flexibility. It is supported by the Royal Academy of Engineering.

Career opportunities

On successful completion of this course, students will be equipped to enhance their careers as on-site or design engineers. They may also be involved in building, designing or constructing new plants, evaluating and maintaining existing plants or decommissioning plants at the end of their life cycle.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/enpp

Construction Management MSc

Duration

Either full-time (one year) or part-time (two years). One or two days learning per week, respectively

Aimed at technically-competent construction professionals who want to move into construction management, this is a construction business management MSc degree.

The MSc prepares students for a management career in major construction projects. The course combines business-based modules from Cass Business School with construction-specific modules, to provide a construction-focused balance in business education.

The course is accredited by the Joint Board of Moderators as part of the personal development needed to achieve professional chartered status within the major engineering institutions. Course modules are delivered by highly-experienced practicing professionals, which ensures that content is up-to-date and can be used directly in future jobs.

This course equips current construction professionals for a fast-track career in construction management.

Career opportunities

This degree leads to business management roles within all parts of construction delivery, from client-side project supervision through to principal contractor project roles or package contractor specialist roles.

Graduates use this degree to add a business competence perspective to their professional contributions.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/ecma

Computer Science

Temporary Works and Construction Method Engineering MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This MSc is a specialist qualification for those involved in the design and construction of temporary works. Aimed at graduates with at least two years of professional experience in construction, it also suits recent graduates with a good appreciation of construction processes.

The course will allow those who have a good understanding of engineering principles to appreciate the particular and unusual challenges posed by temporary works, enabling them to produce robust design solutions for safe and economic construction.

The course, delivered by both academic and industry experts, addresses the regulatory background to temporary works, the design of geotechnical, structural and marine temporary works, demolition, plant and access works. Students gain the skills to undertake safe but cost-effective designs and an understanding of the range of plant and techniques that can be employed.

The Temporary Works Forum (TWf) has designated City as a Centre of Excellence in Temporary Works and Construction Method Engineering and has collaborated in the development and delivery of this new degree.

Career opportunities

A qualification in temporary works has widespread application across all civil engineering disciplines. Students can also enter the research arena, contributing to innovation in temporary works.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/etwc

Business Systems Analysis and Design MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months

This MSc equips students with specialist knowledge of subjects such as business systems requirements analysis and design, data modelling, business intelligence and business engineering with Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP).

This course is designed to produce hybrid IT/business professionals who understand the role IT systems play in supporting organisations, to ensure that such systems can help businesses achieve their objectives. Making key decisions on what the right system is to meet these organisational objectives is the focus of the course.

The course is accredited* by the Chartered Institute of IT (BCS) for partial fulfilment of the academic requirement for Chartered IT Professional (CITP status).

Career opportunities

On completion of the course, graduates are prepared for employment in roles including business analyst, systems analyst and IT consultant.

Recent graduates are employed in consultancy companies and major software users such as banks, public services, telecommunications, multinational manufactures and large retailers. Graduates have secured employment in some of the most prestigious companies in the world including Accenture, PwC, Barclays, Credit Suisse and IBM.

**Subject to reaccreditation in February 2017.*

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cbsy

Computer Games Technology MSc

Duration

Full-time: 12 months

Part-time: 28 months

This MSc is designed for graduates of computing-related degrees who want to develop their career in the games industry by further specialising their existing undergraduate education. It is also for those who wish to update their skills after time spent in industry as a computing professional and for those with equivalent experience.

Students develop strong technical skills and specialist knowledge in computer graphics, AI, physics and audio, in addition to developing the ability to design and build game engines from scratch in industry standard languages, including C++.

Students develop knowledge of the games development process, including the pitch, design and prototyping to build a demo. Through an individual project, students experience the planning, management and execution of a major games technology project.

Career opportunities

Graduates are equipped with advanced knowledge and skills in a range of topics in preparation for a career in computer games development.

Professional roles include programmer positions in 3D graphics, audio, physics, artificial intelligence, game engines, tools and networking.

Destinations of recent graduates include Sony Computer Entertainment Europe, Rockstar Games, Codemasters and Marmalade.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/ccgt

Cyber Security MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

This MSc is aimed at graduate students and IT/ICT professionals and is intended to provide them with the skills needed to act as cybersecurity professionals.

Students specialise in aspects of cybersecurity including cryptography, network security, information security management and security audit and engage with researchers to develop their scientific knowledge and skills. Students are also offered the option to specialise in the sociotechnical aspects of security, cybercrime and digital forensics.

The course includes a cybersecurity challenge, which aims to provide students with tangible experience that extends across all the security-specific core modules. Featuring real-life scenarios, this cybersecurity challenge ensures hands-on experience in testing and analysing computing systems.

Career opportunities

Graduates move into a range of careers in the IT/ICT sector, as well as the telecommunications and banking industries. Careers in information security are particularly popular with course *alumni*.

Graduate roles include security analyst, cybersecurity manager/architect, cybersecurity consultant and information security officer.

Top students may also be considered for an internship programme, in which companies sponsor them during their research project.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/ccys

Data Science MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This MSc prepares students for a successful career as data scientists. One of the first degrees of its kind in the UK, it covers the intersection of computer science and statistics, machine learning and professional applications.

The course focuses on machine learning as the most exciting technology around data and our own graduates confirm that this is of high value for employment. Students will also explore areas like data visualization to generate insight from data and communicate it in practice.

Here at City, students can benefit from our expertise in machine learning and the excellent facilities students need for studying the technical aspects of data analysis. We have a world-leading centre for data visualization, where students are exposed to the latest developments in presenting and communicating their results – a highly sought-after skill.

Career opportunities

The course prepares students for a successful career in industries from health to retail, from technology to government. Students can do their final project as an internship with organisations such as Google, Unilever, or the Home Office.

Graduates have found employment in major domestic and international companies. Top students may wish to pursue doctoral studies after completing the MSc.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cdas

Health Informatics MSc

Duration

Full-time: 12 months

Part-time: 28 months

This MSc is the longest-established postgraduate course in this field in Europe. Accredited* by the Chartered Institute of IT (BCS), the course equips students with leading-edge knowledge and skills for the delivery of informatics-led health services.

Typical applicants are health professionals who wish to enhance their careers with an informatics qualification, as well as computer scientists, engineers and others with relevant technical or professional qualifications who wish to move into a successful career involving the application of informatics in the health service.

This MSc has a healthy balance of theory and practice, with a strong focus on real-world applications supported by guest lectures from medicine and industry. Students also benefit from City, University of London's central location, close to many hospitals.

Career opportunities

Graduates pursue successful careers in the health service (within both state and private sectors, in the UK and overseas) and in related healthcare industries such as Electronic Health Record providers.

Graduates have pursued roles such as application analyst, data and taxonomy manager, digital transformation lead and research informatics programme manager.

**Subject to reaccreditation in February 2017.*

Find out more

city.ac.uk/chin

Human-Computer Interaction Design MSc

Duration

Full-time: 12 months without internship, up to 16 months with internship

Part-time: 28 months

This MSc provides students with advanced knowledge, industry-desired skills and new perspectives on design, thoroughly preparing them for a career in user-centred design or user research.

It equips students with the latest academic research, theories and techniques in human-computer interaction (HCI), user experience (UX), usability and interaction design. It encourages students to think about design in new ways, recognising that there are many 'right' ways to design.

Students gain a mix of theoretical and real-world knowledge, along with the necessary skills and experience to create engaging user experiences. They study modules that cover the entire user-centred design and evaluation process, from understanding user needs, to designing interactive systems that meet those needs, to evaluating the usability of those (and existing systems) through user research.

Career opportunities

This course empowers students to succeed in UX roles in leading digital agencies, business consultancies, IT companies and government. Job titles include UX designer/consultant, user researcher, information architect and accessibility specialist.

This course is highly respected by industry, with high employability prospects. Graduate destinations include Samsung, Tesco, Thomson Reuters and Google.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/chci

Information Systems and Technology MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months

Information systems are a key part of an organisations' IT infrastructure. IT professionals who can manage information resources and understand the technologies and systems that enable them are key to the success of modern enterprises.

The course will equip students with skills in three main areas: information and knowledge of interest to users, systems designed to meet those users' needs and technologies which allow users to manage an organisation's information effectively.

Professionally orientated work is emphasised throughout to develop understanding and skills, which are strengthened by individual project development. The course is accredited* by the Chartered Institute of IT (BCS) for partial fulfilment of the academic requirement for Chartered IT Professional (CITP status).

Career opportunities

Graduates work in information systems management roles within large and small organisations, including banks, consultancies, the pharmaceutical and IT industries, central and local government and the education and health sectors.

Graduates have secured employment in some of the most prestigious companies in the world, including Merrill Lynch, Deutsche Bank, Virgin Atlantic, Barclays Capital and the Royal Bank of Scotland.

**Subject to reaccreditation in February 2017.*

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cist

Management of Information Security and Risk MSc

Duration

Part-time: two years

Concerns about cybersecurity have led to a growing market for technical specialists, but there is also a need for senior professionals with an awareness of both technical and business issues who can bridge the gap between IT security and business risk.

Such professionals would be responsible for drawing up organisation strategies for managing risk, identifying trade-offs between the risks and costs of protection and advising higher management on these issues.

This MSc is aimed at IT professionals with five years' experience. Students on this course learn the range of skills needed to progress on to a management role in information security and risk, such as security architect, chief information risk manager or chief information security officer.

Career opportunities

This course will appeal to companies and professionals that need to develop or improve their capability in managing IT-related security in order to enter markets with higher demands of security, comply with new regulations or re-qualify for new roles.

Graduates will be prepared to take on roles such as chief security officer, security architect or senior information risk manager, as well as information security consultancy and auditing roles.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/cisr

Software Engineering MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: up to 28 months

This industry-focused MSc is for computer science graduates and experienced professional programmers interested in developing high-quality, complex software systems.

The course develops skills in analysing system requirements and designing appropriate software solutions, as well as evaluating and using advanced software engineering environments, design methods and programming languages.

The course offers an up-to-the-minute curriculum with a strong professional core. There is a strong focus on key industrial technologies, including object-orientated programming languages (Java, C++), design patterns, service-orientated architecture, cloud computing, big data and mainstream standards.

City has one of the largest groups of academics in London specialising in research in the areas of systems and software engineering. Students are exposed to leading-edge technologies delivered by experts in their field.

Career opportunities

The MSc aims to meet the significant demand for graduates with a good knowledge of computing. This demand arises from consultancies, software houses, major software users such as banks, retailers and the public services, defence, aerospace and telecommunications companies.

Graduate destinations include Ceridian, Galatea Associates, GForces, Oracle and Thomson Reuters.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/csoe

Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Biomedical Engineering with Healthcare Technology Management MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

As healthcare becomes increasingly dependent on advanced technology, there is a growing international need for biomedical engineers with good technical and management skills.

The MSc develops skills in biology, biomedical technology and healthcare management. It promotes interdisciplinary methodology and prepares students for careers in academia, industry and healthcare institutions.

The course fosters close links with internationally-renowned hospitals, including Royal London Hospital. Students gain comprehensive insight into the management and use of medical technology and apply acquired knowledge within real-world settings.

This course is one of only 21 currently accredited by the Institute of Physics and Engineering in Medicine (IPEM).

Career opportunities

The course offers a well-rounded background and specialised knowledge for those seeking a professional career as a clinical or biomedical engineer, in the NHS or international healthcare organisations where expertise in engineering applied to medicine is required.

Careers involve designing patient monitoring, wearable sensors or therapeutic systems. Graduates can also work in the application of engineering to the delivery of healthcare. Alternatively, graduates may embark on a career in research.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/ebht

Project Management, Finance and Risk MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This MSc provides students with a foundation in quantitative risk assessment and decision-making under uncertain conditions, coupled with classical engineering economics and financial engineering.

Students unravel complex problems as applying scientific methods to real-world examples and discovering how to measure risk on any scale.

From analysing indecision within games theory to rebuilding a country's infrastructure, students explore the drivers in which businesses operate and the challenges and opportunities that project managers face.

Combining expertise from Cass Business School with specialists from industry and the banking sector, the course merges diverse and unique skill sets to solve complex problems.

The course is suited to students with a scientific or financial engineering background as the focus is on quantitative risk assessment, which requires an aptitude for problem solving.

Career opportunities

Graduates are prepared for a wide range of career opportunities involving project management, risk management and financial planning. The course is well suited to those pursuing a career managing complex projects; applying the latest management tools and techniques.

Past graduates have secured employment with companies like Eurostar, Petronas, Southern Water, Bechtel Construction and others.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/epmf

Renewable Energy and Power Systems Management

MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This MSc, suitable for both practicing engineers and those considering a career in engineering, has been designed to provide an in-depth insight into the technical workings, management and economics of the electrical power industry.

Due to the introduction of tough environmental laws, the use and integration of renewable energy schemes have become of paramount importance in order for nations to meet strict low pollution targets. Knowledge of the impact of such schemes on the existing electrical grid structure is covered in great detail. Power systems design, power systems management and economics, power systems simulation and power conditioning are all addressed on the course.

The course has been developed for graduates with electrical/electronic or related engineering or scientific backgrounds to meet the increasing demand from the energy and power industry.

Career opportunities

Students are prepared for careers that encompass a range of roles in the power industry, from technical aspects to management roles. Graduates have found jobs as engineers, managers and analysts in the power sector, with companies such as Ofgem, National Grid, UK Power Networks, EON, EDF, Vattenfall, Caterpillar and Railroad.

Students may also wish to further their research in the energy field by undertaking a PhD.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/erep

Library and Information Science

Information Science

MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This course, accredited by CILIP, is designed for career progression in the information professions.

The syllabus, based on historical and philosophical principles of library and information science, takes a unique technological perspective in the management of information in the 21st century.

The combination of research-active staff, key practitioners and pioneering thinkers within the field allows students to develop the theoretical insights and real-world skills needed to gain employment and to manage and shape today's constantly shifting information landscape.

The course benefits from City's central London location, close to many important institutions including the British Library and Turing Institute. An optional programme of workshops widens the impact of teaching, learning and networking with the sector.

Career opportunities

The course prepares students for employment in roles such as information officer, information manager, research data manager, knowledge manager, subject librarian, library data analyst, user experience librarian, information architect, taxonomist, meta-data specialist and roles within information policy. The course also prepares students for entry to doctoral research.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/insc

Library Science

MA/MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

The MA/MSc Library Science, accredited by CILIP, is designed for career development in the library and collections professions.

The syllabus, based on the historical and philosophical principles of library and information science, takes a unique technological perspective on the management of information in the 21st century.

The combination of research-active staff, key practitioners and pioneering thinkers within the field allows students to develop the theoretical insights and real-world skills needed to gain employment and to manage and shape today's information landscape.

The course benefits from City's central London location, which is close to many important collections including the British Library, British Museum, Victoria and Albert Museum and the National Archives. An associated, optional programme of workshops, seminars and visits widens the impact of teaching, learning and networking within the sector.

Career opportunities

The course prepares students for employment in roles such as library assistant, senior library assistant, assistant librarian, librarian or library manager. Broader employment opportunities include roles in publishing, web design, web content provision, information organisation and architecture, analytics, teaching and user experience. The course also prepares students for entry into doctoral research.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/ilsc

Above: **Homa Naseri** (Mechanical Engineering doctoral student; pictured left) and **Judit Guimera Busquets** (Air Transport Management and Safety doctoral student).

Maritime Operations Management

Maritime Operations and Management MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year, with the project taking approximately three months during this period

Part-time: two to three years, with the project taking approximately six months during or after this period

This MSc is designed to train professionals for the various sectors and occupations within the maritime and sea transport industries. It is open to graduates who have qualified in an appropriate discipline and to those serving at sea, offshore or inland-based organisations.

The course focuses on maritime operations, management, law and technology and the related business environment. There is also an emphasis on the fields of port security and risk management, marine environmental and offshore studies, marketing and selected aspects of conceptual ship design.

It makes use of prestigious visiting speakers and takes advantage of the importance of London as an international maritime hub.

Career opportunities

Graduates have wide-ranging employment opportunities within the marine sector. These include commercial and technical roles within the worldwide marine industry and senior management roles.

Former students have taken up positions in the fields of ship and insurance broking, offshore operations, port and terminal management, shipping finance, surveying, ship superintendence, safety management and as technical and commercial managers and directors.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/emop

Maritime Operations and Management in Greece MSc

Duration

Full-time: 18 months, with the project taking approximately five months during this period

This MSc is designed to train professionals for various sectors and occupations within the maritime and sea transport industries. It is suitable for existing professionals serving both at sea and onshore and for those seeking a career in the maritime and sea transport industries.

The course makes use of prestigious visiting speakers and takes advantage of the importance of Piraeus as an international maritime hub, with a focus on maritime operations, management, law, technology and the related business environment. It also emphasises the fields of port security and risk management, marine environmental and offshore studies, marketing and aspects of conceptual ship design.

Students develop leadership and management skills in a wide range of maritime activities on a modular basis, at suitably spaced weekends over the duration of the course.

Career opportunities

Graduates have wide-ranging employment opportunities, including commercial and technical roles within the worldwide marine industry.

Former students have taken up positions in the fields of ship and insurance broking, offshore operations, port and terminal management, shipping finance, safety management and as technical and commercial managers and directors.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/emog

Mechanical Engineering

Energy and Environmental Technology and Economics MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This MSc has been designed to provide students with the knowledge to analyse and forecast the future of energy, environmental technology and economics.

Students develop knowledge and skills in cost-effective management and regulation of the rapidly-changing energy sector. The course maintains strong links with industry, which provides students with an understanding of current real-world energy use problems.

By engaging with practising businesses and trade associations, a wide variety of perspectives are analysed, from regulation and government funding to behavioural psychology and emerging technologies.

The course is accredited by the Energy Institute and fulfils the learning requirement for chartered engineer status.

Career opportunities

With strong industry links, expert lecturers and a diverse range of modules on offer, graduates will be equipped to become leaders and entrepreneurs in their chosen area of specialisation, whether it be energy management, supply or policy-making.

Past employment destinations of our graduates include AK Home Energy, Enelco Environmental Technology, Energy Institute, Equinox Services Ltd, Log Tech Consultancy, Ofgem, RWE Innogy and SCFG.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/eeet

Mechanical Engineering MSc

Duration

Full-time: one year

Part-time: two years

This MSc offers a blend of theory and practice to help students develop the skills and knowledge required for mechanical engineers.

Topics covered include structural mechanics, renewable energy, IC engines and power electronics, offering students experience, expertise and an excellent platform for career development.

Students gain an in-depth understanding of fundamental theory and hands-on experience in the field of mechanical technology.

The dissertation is supervised by City's internationally-recognised academic staff and is supported by excellent computational and experimental facilities. The course is accredited by the UK Institution of Mechanical Engineers and satisfies the academic requirement for chartered engineer status.

City's Mechanical Engineering department is proud to be ranked 11th in the UK and 2nd in London in the *The Guardian* 2017 league table.

This course has been designed and developed in collaboration with industry and professional bodies.

Career opportunities

The course also features industry-based projects which can provide graduates with employment opportunities. Recent graduate employment destinations include: Ford, Rolls Royce, Lotus, BP, Howden, Shell, Heliex, Sortex, Transport for London, Jaguar, Delphi and Holroyd.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/emen

Research degrees

Research degrees MPhil/PhD

Duration

Full-time: three years

Part-time: five to six years

The School of Mathematics, Computer Science & Engineering has a vibrant community of research students and welcomes applications from candidates who are interested in studying for a research degree to address an exciting unsolved problem and advance their career.

The School offers the following types of research degree: PhD by Major Thesis; PhD by Prospective Publication; PhD by Prior Publication; and MPhil.

The School is home to the following 12 Research Centres, comprising teams of academic staff with international reputations in their fields: Adaptive Computing Systems; Biomedical Engineering; Civil Engineering Structures; Compressor Technology; Fluids; giCentre (data visualization); Human-Computer Interaction Design; Information Science; Machine Learning; Mathematics; Multi-scale Geotechnical Engineering; Photonics and Instrumentation; Software Reliability; Systems and Control; Temporary Works and Construction Method Engineering.

All doctoral students are initially registered as MPhil students, except in those circumstances where a student has transferred from another institution and has provided suitable and appropriate evidence that permits direct registration as a PhD student.

A research degree provides a superb opportunity for able students to dig deep into a specialist area in order to advance knowledge for the benefit of many. It is a remarkably satisfying and rewarding venture.

Find out more

city.ac.uk/erds

Information

A central London location

Maps, addresses and transport links

The address for City's main campus is:

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United Kingdom

Reaching City from within London

The nearest Underground stations are Angel on the Northern line (Bank branch) and Barbican and Farringdon on the Metropolitan, Circle and Hammersmith & City lines.

Bus routes that pass close to City include the following:
4, 19, 30, 38, 43, 55, 56, 63, 73, 153, 205, 214, 243, 274, 341, 394, 476.

Secure parking for bicycles is available on campus.

Parking in central London is limited and can be expensive. There is metered parking available on the roads surrounding Northampton Square and the nearest National Car Park is on Pear Tree Street. Please also note that almost all of City's sites are within the congestion charging zone and drivers are liable to a daily charge.

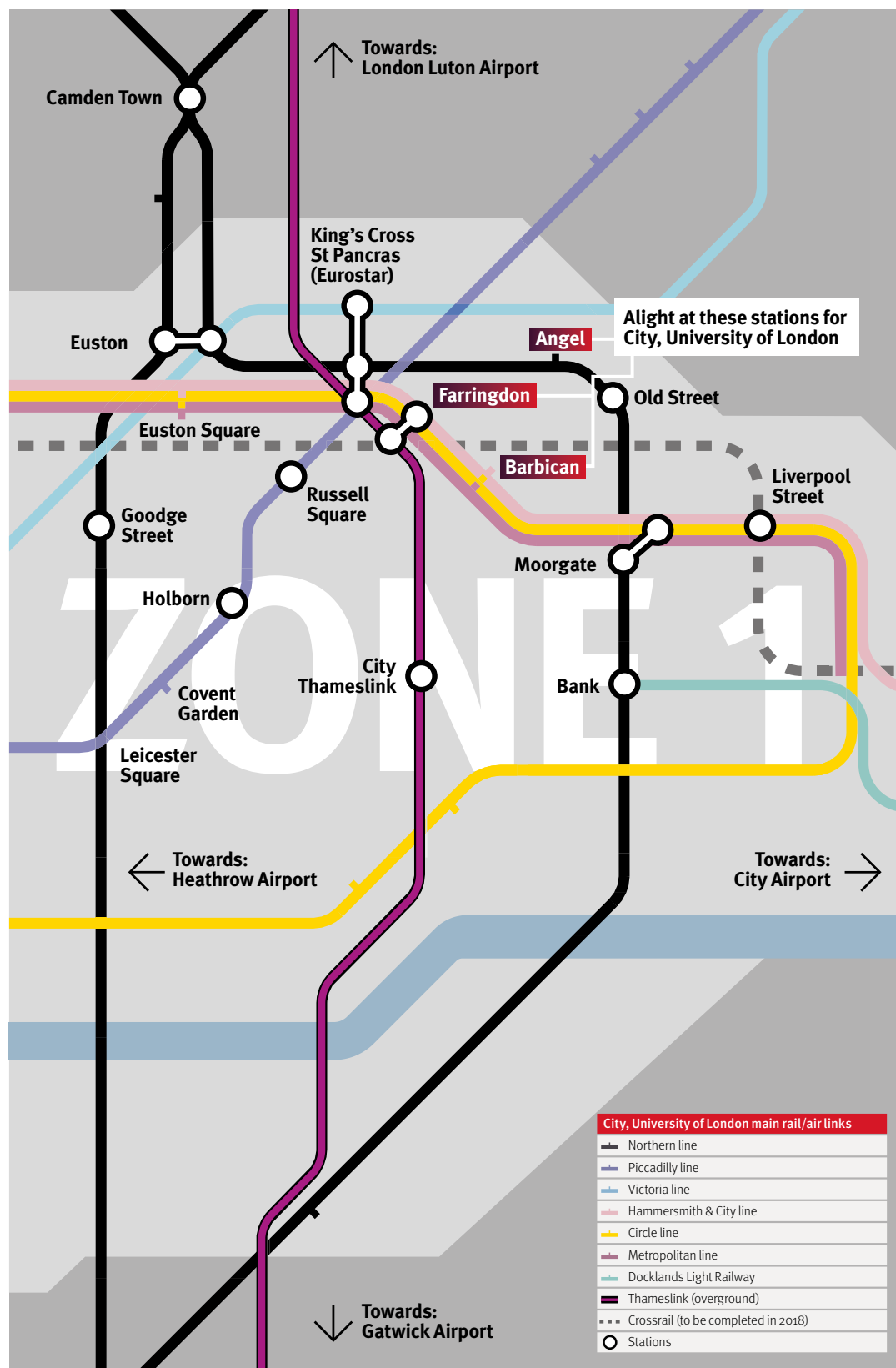
Reaching City from outside London

- Coach and train terminals in London link with Underground and bus networks
- Rail services connect Gatwick and Luton airports with Farringdon station
- The Heathrow Express train service connects Heathrow Airport with Paddington station
- The Docklands Light Railway (DLR) connects London City Airport with Bank station
- The Stansted Express train service connects Stansted Airport with Liverpool Street station
- Eurostar trains connect to Paris and Brussels directly and the rest of continental Europe indirectly from St Pancras station.

To plan your journey to City, visit our website: www.city.ac.uk/visit

The Transport for London website also provides up-to-date information on public transport: www.tfl.gov.uk





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