



**Working for you *and*
the Common Good**

The right place *for the* career you want

At Glasgow Caledonian University we're committed to your education, and working with you to build your career. With modern facilities and access to the best work experience opportunities, you can go places with us.

At our University your experience will be about more than the lectures, the study, the textbooks and the training. We know you have the creativity and curiosity to ask questions about how the world works and the confidence, integrity and responsibility to challenge problems and make a positive change in the world around you.

As a student at Glasgow Caledonian University you will develop the skills demanded by employers. We will work for you to have the best possible training for lifelong career success.

You can be part of the University for the Common Good and join our global network committed to changing lives for the better, here in Scotland and around the world. As the University for the Common Good, our mission is to make a positive difference to the communities we serve. This is at the heart of all we do, especially in our social innovation, our teaching and our research.

With us, you will be able to make a difference through a wide variety of paid and voluntary opportunities. You can build international friendships and experience new things through our friendly community of 20,000 students from more than 100 countries. And you will be able to take advantage of scholarship and travel opportunities around the world.

Our research is underpinned by the learning and teaching that will equip you to take on complex challenges, by helping you think differently and lead responsibly. We are recognised for our high impact research that's shaped by the UN sustainable goals - 17 global objectives aiming to build a fairer world. That's why our research is focused on how to build inclusive societies, better ways to live healthy lives and develop sustainable environments.

Your opportunity to build a career and change the world starts here at Glasgow Caledonian University.



World leading

We have **city campuses** in **Glasgow, London and New York** and partner institutions across Africa and Asia

Diverse

We're widening access by offering £2.5 million in student scholarships every year

Effective

97% of our graduates are in work or further study six months after graduation
(HESA, 2017)

Global

20,000 student population representing over **100** countries

Supportive

We get students through their programme with a **81%** degree completion rate* and **81%** student satisfaction**
(*HESA, 2017) (**NSS, 2017)

Trailblazing

With a heritage dating back to **1875**, we've been working for the **Common Good** across three centuries

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Your future, your prospects

If you want your degree to kick-start your career, you're in the right place. At Glasgow Caledonian University we offer a modern learning experience and an excellent network of student support.

That's why so many of our students go on to complete their studies and join our global community of 135,000 alumni. 97% of our graduates are in work or further study six months after graduation. And it's all underpinned by our commitment to the Common Good.

We offer more than 150 degree programmes designed to shape your future and help you tackle one of the three global challenges of our time:

- How do we lead healthy lives?
- How do we build inclusive societies?
- How do we develop sustainable environments?



Come visit GCU at our Open Days

31 August 2018
6 October 2018

Can't make Open Day?
Book a Campus tour.
Search for
gcu.ac.uk/opendays



Welcome to a great place to learn

To get a taste of life at Glasgow Caledonian University, find out more about our courses, or how we can help you start your journey with GCU, please get in touch:

gcu.ac.uk/undergraduate

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[school/glasgow-caledonian-university](https://www.linkedin.com/school/glasgow-caledonian-university)



Glasgow School for Business and Society

Building **inclusive societies**

Join our Business School and you'll be part of a cutting edge learning community. You'll find world leading research, ground-breaking community outreach and industry standard creative facilities. You'll learn how to thrive in the rapidly changing worlds of fashion, media and enterprise. You'll understand how our changing concepts of justice are reshaping society. And you'll be challenged to develop your entrepreneurial skills. With links to our campuses in London and New York, and driven by our Common Good values, our Business School is the place where you can build your career.



Visit our website. The undergraduate guide is a great reference but our website has the latest course listing, entry requirements and application details: gcu.ac.uk/undergraduate



Work with successful screen stars in industry standard media studios.



Build knowledge, skills and confidence with our women in finance mentorship programme.

Accountancy, Finance and Risk

- Accountancy BA (Hons)
- Finance, Investment and Risk BA (Hons)
- Risk Management BA (Hons)

Business and Management

- Business Management Graduate Apprenticeship BA (Hons)
- Business Management BA (Hons)
- International Business BA (Hons)
- International Business and Finance BA (Hons)
- International Business with Languages BA (Hons)
- International Business and Marketing BA (Hons)
- International Business and Tourism Management* BA (Hons)
- International Business and Human Resource Management BA (Hons)
- International Supply Chain Management* BA (Hons)

Events and Sports Management

- International Events Management BA (Hons)
- International Sports Management* BA (Hons)

Fashion and Marketing

- International Fashion Branding BA (Hons)
- International Fashion Business BA (Hons)
- International Marketing BA (Hons)

Media and Journalism

- Media and Communication BA (Hons)
- Multimedia Journalism BA (Hons)

Law

- Bachelor of Laws LLB
- Bachelor of Laws Fast-Track LLB
- Bachelor of Laws with Risk LLB

Social Sciences

- Social Sciences BA (Hons)

* 3rd year entry only

Alternative college pathway route also available (page 15)



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Access state-of-the-art equipment on a programme created hand in hand with industry.



Become industry ready with our triple accredited construction management programme.

School of Engineering and Built Environment

Creating **sustainable environments**

Your experience of the world is being shaped by rapidly developing technology and the new principles of computing science. In our School of Engineering and Built Environment, you'll learn how innovations in technologies, materials and fabrics will create a future we've yet to imagine. You'll have access to cutting edge scientific facilities, revolutionary ideas around the practical applications of engineering and computer gaming. With excellent links to employers and access to some of the best work experience opportunities, you'll develop the vision and the skills you need to excel in your chosen industry.



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Gain first-hand experience from our computer, communications and interactive systems industry experts.



Civil Engineering

- Civil Engineering Graduate Apprenticeship **BSc (Hons)**
- Environmental Civil Engineering **BSc (Hons)**

Computer Networking and Digital Security

- Computer Networking **BEng (Hons)**
- Digital Security and Forensics **BEng/BEng(Hons)**
- Cyber Security Graduate Apprenticeship **BSc (Hons)**
- Cyber Security and Networks **BSc (Hons)**
- Networked Systems Engineering **BEng (Hons)**

Construction, Surveying and Property

- Building Services Engineering **BEng (Hons)**
- Building Surveying **BSc (Hons)**
- Construction and Built Environment in Quantity Surveying Graduate Apprenticeship **BSc (Hons)**
- Construction Management **BSc (Hons)**
- Real Estate **BSc (Hons)**
- Quantity Surveying **BSc (Hons)**

Digital Media and Design

- 3D Animation and Visualisation **BSc (Hons)**
- Digital Design (Graphics) **BSc (Hons)**

Electrical, Electronic and Audio Technology

- Audio Technology **BSc/BSc (Hons)**
- Electrical and Electronic Engineering **MEng/BEng (Hons)**

Environmental Management

- Environmental Management **BSc (Hons)**
- Health and Safety Management **BSc**
- Health, Safety and Environmental Management **BSc (Hons)**

Fire Engineering

- Fire Risk Engineering **BEng (Hons)**

Forensic Investigation

- Forensic Investigation **BSc (Hons)**

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Mechanical and Power Engineering

- Computer-Aided Mechanical Engineering **MEng/BEng (Hons)**
- Electrical Power Engineering **MEng/BEng (Hons)**
- Engineering Design and Manufacturing Graduate Apprenticeship **BSc (Hons)**
- Mechanical and Power Plant Systems **MEng/BEng (Hons)**
- Mechanical Systems Engineering **MEng/BEng (Hons)**

Software, Games and Interactive Entertainment

- Computer Games (Art and Animation) (Design) (Software Development) (Indie Development) **BSc (Hons)**
- Computing **BSc (Hons)**
- IT Management for Business **BSc (Hons)**
- IT Management for Business Graduate Apprenticeship **BSc (Hons)**
- Software Development for Business **BSc (Hons)**
- Software Development for Business Graduate Apprenticeship **BSc (Hons)**



gcu.ac.uk/ebe

Volunteer aboard South Africa's Phelophepa Train of Hope, bringing life-changing healthcare to the country's poorest rural communities.



School of Health and Life Sciences

Developing **healthy lives**

You'll be learning in our state-of-the-art facilities which include realistic healthcare environments and the latest simulation equipment. You'll keep pace with the latest professional developments and receive accredited training recognised by the NHS and other professional bodies at an international level. You'll be supported by our experienced tutors who will give you the skills, knowledge and confidence to succeed in your placements in clinical and therapeutic settings. You'll have the best possible start to your career.



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The first BSc Paramedic Science degree students in Scotland will graduate from GCU.



Gain hands-on experience in our GCU Vision Centre.



The University is home to the health economics research centre and The Yunus Centre for Social Business and Health.

Biological and Biomedical Sciences

- Applied Biomedical Science/ Biomedical Science [BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Cell and Molecular Biology [BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Food Bioscience [BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Microbiology [BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Pharmacology [BSc \(Hons\)](#)

Healthcare

- Diagnostic Imaging [BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Human Nutrition and Dietetics [BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Occupational Therapy [BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Oral Health Science [BSc](#)
- Paramedic Science [BSc](#)
- Physiotherapy [BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Podiatry [BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Radiotherapy and Oncology [BSc \(Hons\)](#)

Nursing

- Nursing Studies (Adult) [BSc/BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Nursing Studies (Child) [BSc/BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Nursing Studies (Dual Registration Learning Disability/Child) [BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Nursing Studies (Learning Disability) [BSc/BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Nursing Studies (Mental Health) [BSc/BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Professional Studies in Nursing [BSc/BSc \(Hons\)](#)

Psychology

- Applied Psychology [BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- COSCA Counselling Skills Certificate

Social Work

- Social Work [BA \(Hons\)](#)

Vision Sciences

- Optometry [BSc \(Hons\)](#)
- Orthoptics [BSc \(Hons\)](#)

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"I chose GCU because it had a new and unique course. The course boosts your employability thanks to the many employer events on offer. The events give you the opportunity to engage with employers and grow in confidence! It is the only university in Scotland that offers this course and has great employment statistics from those in England".

Christie McCormick, from Jersey, Channel Islands
IT Management for Business student.

Life after *graduation*

Glasgow Caledonian University's focus on employability means that you will become a career-ready graduate and our location in the heart of Glasgow is an employability hub with more than 410,000 jobs, means you will be in the best location.

Our partnership with world-leading companies and professional and public sector bodies ensures a learning environment which harnesses the latest technologies and expertise. Our graduates have gone on to secure careers across the globe.

As a GCU graduate you will excel as a professional in your field.

Support

At GCU, you will have the best support on campus for your future ambitions. We offer a team of professional careers advisors who can guide you through every stage of your learning journey. You can glean valuable work experience through an internship to securing a graduate position and beyond.

You will be given lots of 1 to 1 support in finding opportunities including:

- Interview skills and CV writing classes
- Regular networking events
- Guest speakers and masterclasses
- The option to study a language to enhance your international employer appeal
- The chance to add to your CV during your studies by becoming a paid GCU Student Mentor.

You can also connect with a wide network of leading global employers through careers fairs, employer presentations and GCU's online vacancies portal.



**Platinum
EcoCampus for
sustainability**

**Scotland's
first cycle
friendly campus**



Explore the *University*

Our campus has recently undergone a £32 million transformation and provides one of the best learning environments in the UK. Located right in the centre of Glasgow – there's everything a modern, international university has to offer.

Being a GCU student means gaining access to all of our modern facilities on campus, including:

The award-winning library - The Saltire Centre

The hub of the campus is the striking Saltire Centre, home to the University library. The building houses hundreds of thousands of books, 1,200 study spaces, over 350 computers, and the University's Archives and Special Collections.

The Arc Health and Fitness Gym

Keep your fitness on track in our bright, modern health and fitness centre. There are numerous affordable classes and activities that you can take part in as well as University sports clubs, a hair salon and an on-campus physiotherapist.



On campus accommodation

Our 'village in the city', Caledonian Court, is home to over 600 students and is perfectly located alongside the campus. You will live in a friendly, multi-cultural community in a safe and convenient location. Our modern and spacious flats are set within landscaped grounds. Desks, free Wi-Fi, an on-site launderette and large communal spaces means you will quickly feel at home and make new friends from all over the world.



Six on campus cafés

Including Scotland's largest single student refectory, which serves everything from a healthy breakfast to a hearty lunch at student-friendly prices. Our learning cyber café, Real@Caledonian, is a friendly environment where you can work and relax, packed with sofas, study desks and computer workstations for 190 students.

All of our buildings are
wheelchair accessible

Find out more: gcu.ac.uk/disability

Wifi and laptop hire

GCU provides a free laptop vending machine service allowing students to study remotely around campus.



What are your options?

There are now more ways than ever to gain your undergraduate degree and to build your experience. All of our programmes are designed and delivered around your needs. Some of our students arrive straight from high school and some of our students enter via alternative routes and many stay with us right through to PhD study.

Graduate apprenticeships

Accessing our 20 years' experience of work-based learning has never been easier. In partnership with Skills Development Scotland, we're offering you the chance to complete a fully funded apprenticeship programme aimed at working people of all ages and spanning a range of disciplines.

gcu.ac.uk/graduateapprenticeships

GCU Pathways through College

With our college partners, we have hand-picked degree pathway courses that offer the best of university and college experiences.

gcu.ac.uk/collegethroughways

Relevant experience

Applicants who don't have the standard entry requirements but have equivalent relevant experience can contact admissions for advice.

gcu.ac.uk/maturestudents

Taking a gap year

You may be able to secure your place a year in advance and defer entry while using your gap year to study or gain experience. Not all programmes offer deferred entry so talk to our admissions advisors in advance.

gcu.ac.uk/gapyear

Degrees with languages

Speaking more than one language opens doors to a global career. Our language classes aim to develop language skills as well as an understanding of other cultures and societies.

gcu.ac.uk/languages

English Language and Academic Pathway programmes through INTO GCU

International students who don't have the entry level qualifications for GCU can study a wide range of academic pathway programmes that if successfully completed guarantee a place on a related GCU degree programme. International students can also study stand-alone Academic English or Pre-sessional English programmes to enable direct application to GCU.

gcu.ac.uk/intostudy



When to apply

When to submit your application:

Full-time degree study

Programme start:

September 2019

UCAS Code for GCU:
University G42



Your *application*

How to apply

Full-time degree study

Complete your application through UCAS: ucas.com

Part-time degree study

Apply directly gcu.ac.uk/parttime

Application and decisions:

Application deadlines for our full-time programmes are set by UCAS. To be given equal consideration for a place, your application must be submitted to UCAS before the 15th January deadline. Some of our programmes accept applications after this date subject to the availability of places.

If you apply to us before 15th January, we aim to provide you with a decision via UCAS Track before 31st March. For programmes that are in high demand we may take a little longer, however you will be notified by the 2nd May at the very latest. If you receive an offer, UCAS will provide you with a deadline by which you need to accept or decline it. This must be done via UCAS Track. More information on key dates can be found on www.ucas.com

If you are successful and you do not need to attain further qualifications you will receive an unconditional offer. A conditional offer means your offer is based on you achieving further qualifications or other requirements. You can decline any offer made to you.

Contact GCU Admissions on studentenquiries@gcu.ac.uk
T: +44 (0)141 331 8630
gcu.ac.uk/howtoapply



Money, fees, funding

At GCU we believe education is for everyone – regardless of their financial circumstances. There are a range of funding options available and our generous fee bursaries and scholarships can help you manage the cost of your studies.

Scottish and EU students living in Scotland

Normally all tuition fees are paid by the Student Awards Agency for Scotland (SAAS). You must apply to SAAS in each year of your course to confirm your eligibility.

Scottish student loans

You can use a student loan to help cover living costs. Find out more: slc.co.uk

Students from England, Wales and Northern Ireland

Students from these countries will pay fees per year which include tuition fees, examination costs and library membership.

International students

Fees for international students vary by programme. These include tuition fees, examination costs and library membership. Please visit the programme page on our website for more information.

UK funding bodies

Scotland and EU:

saas.gov.uk

England:

direct.gov.uk/studentfinance

Wales:

studentfinancewales.co.uk

Northern Ireland:

studentfinanceneni.co.uk

Scholarships

We award more than £2.5 million of scholarships per year. Find out more:

gcu.ac.uk/scholarships

Our fees

See our website for up-to-date fees and funding information: gcu.ac.uk/fees



Discover *Glasgow*, explore **Scotland**

We're in the heart of vibrant Glasgow, Scotland's largest city (the fourth biggest in the UK) and the world's friendliest (Rough Guides, 2017).

People Make Glasgow


Glasgow is a fantastic, affordable city that is home to more than 130,000 students. Friendly Glasgow boasts world-class museums, cafes, concert venues, sports facilities, theatres, architecture and vibrant nightlife. It's a shopper's paradise with more than 1,500 shops and it has more green space per square mile than any other UK city.

Getting here

Glasgow is a compact city with great transport links. The campus is situated minutes from the bus, subway and train stations. Glasgow Airport is 15 minutes' drive from the city centre offering direct UK and international flights. The city is served with great motorway links making it easy to take in Scotland's hills, lochs and castles.



peoplemakeglasgow.com



"GCU has a full mix of international students and local students, which creates a really welcoming community for everyone. The University has allowed me to grow as a person, it also provides me with the perfect mix – a fun social life, meeting loads of new people from all around the world and also a great mix educationally. The campus itself is incredibly modern and just a cool place to hang out in."

Yanira Salceda, from California,
International Tourism Management student.

Scotland
the most
beautiful
country
in the world

(Rough Guide, 2017)





Learn from established entrepreneurs like Henry Holland through GCU Masterclasses.

Enhance your **employability**

Throughout your studies you can take up a wealth of opportunities that can enhance your skills and your employability.

Mentoring, becoming a Global Buddy or even taking part in The Common Good Award can help you to gain valuable experience, improve communication skills and boosts your confidence in the process.

Taking part to make the difference, can give you the chance to develop your skills at leading and inspiring others, listening to other people's views and putting your ideas into action – the very skills that employers are looking for.



Student Mentoring

As a Student Mentor you'll be a role model and a GCU ambassador. You'll deliver a wide range of activities to help build the confidence, skills and learning aspirations of young people from nurseries, primary and secondary schools and their families; work with senior pupils and college students considering studying at university and supporting GCU students on campus.

Global Buddies

Our friendly and committed Global Buddies help our international students settle into life in Scotland. You will be matched with an international student who shares your interests such as sports, movies, music or outdoor activities. We also host events and socials to help make everyone feel at home.

Common Good Award

As the University for the Common Good, our mission is to transform the communities we serve.

We want you to be part of that and the Common Good Award is a personal development and skills award that encourages and support you in developing the skills you need to make a positive difference.

Work Experience Hub

The Work Experience Hub is our 'one-stop-shop' gateway to on campus and part-time work experience opportunities. It's another way that you

can gain the essential skills valued by employers through opportunities such as on campus internships, part-time opportunities or becoming a paid student helper.

Students' Association

You can meet friends to enjoy a drink (or a Starbucks) at our Re:Union Bar & Grill, become a presenter at our student run radio station, challenge your friends to a game of pool or study in our 24 hour computer lab. You can meet new people and keep fit by joining the Students' Association's 60 Societies and 35 Sports Clubs – or even start your own.



[gcu.ac.uk/mentor](https://www.gcu.ac.uk/mentor)

As a GCU student you will **excel** as a professional in your field. You will be **entrepreneurial**, confident, socially driven and capable of fulfilling leadership roles in a global context. You will push boundaries and solve problems to achieve **positive change** in the world around you.

We think you have what it takes - now is the time to **start your career** with GCU...



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