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**Postgraduate  
study guide**





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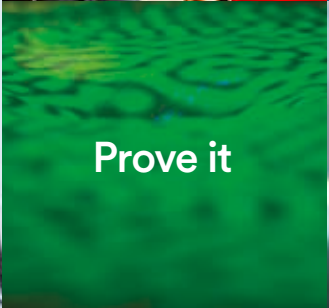
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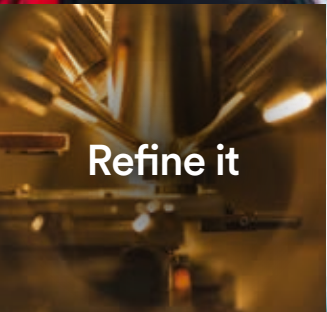
Shape it



Be part of our world



Prove it



Refine it



Develop it





Ranked as a  
**world top  
100 university**

QS World University Rankings 2019

Ranked  
**8th in  
the UK**  
for research  
power

Research Excellence  
Framework 2014

An inspiring  
research  
portfolio  
worth over  
**£766m**

**Outstanding teaching  
and learning**

Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF) 2017;  
one of eight Russell Group universities to attain Gold in TEF,  
which measures undergraduate teaching

**46,000**  
students from over  
150 countries across  
all our campuses



More than  
**97%**  
of our research is  
**recognised  
internationally**



Research Excellence  
Framework 2014

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# Develop your potential

**At the University of Nottingham, you will benefit from teaching of the highest quality – recognised by our students who are at the heart of everything we do. Our courses enable you to develop a critical approach to your work and the world around you.**

## Research-led teaching

We embrace research-led teaching and you will learn from leading academics who are shaping the world with their research.

Your tutors will guide you through lectures, seminars, and practical lab and field work. They will provide regular feedback on your progress and support you to achieve your ambitions, whatever they may be.

## Flexible learning

We offer a range of distance and online courses that allow you to access part or all of your programme remotely. This gives you the opportunity to study around your current work and personal commitments, no matter where you are based.

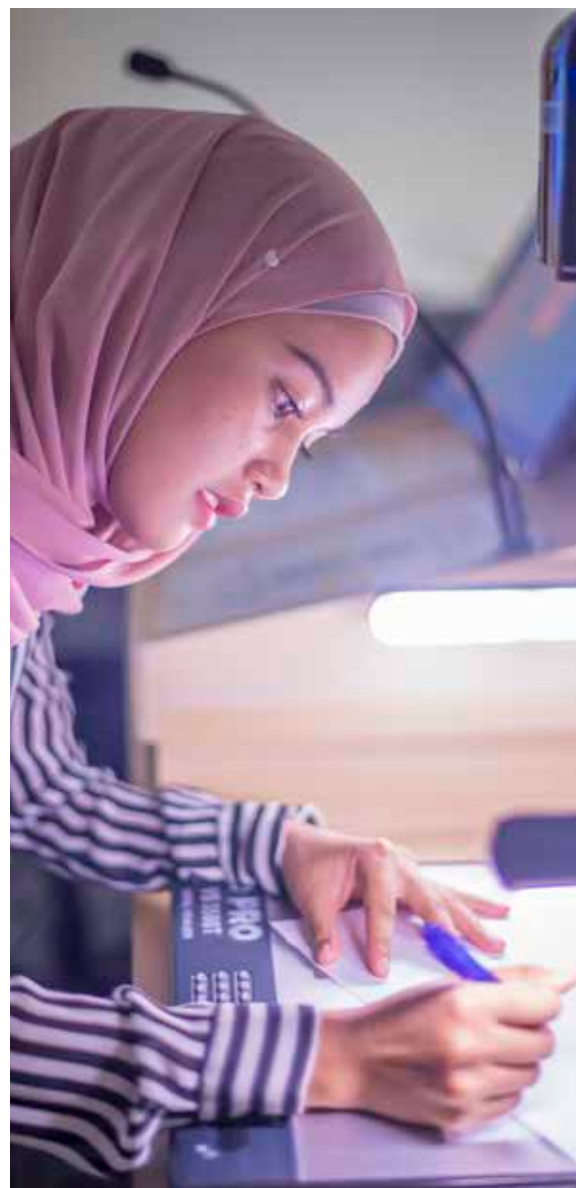
 [nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy/distancelearning](https://nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy/distancelearning)

## Support before you start

Before you start your masters with us, you can take our free online course, On Course for Your Masters. It is designed to support your transition to postgraduate study and help you engage with the books and resources you will need to succeed in your studies.

## Accredited courses

Many of our courses are accredited by professional bodies, giving you a head start in your chosen career. For more information, see the course listings at [nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy](https://nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy)



Our collections comprise around **43,000** journals, over **500,000** ebooks and **1.3 million** print books

Over 4,500 study spaces including **dedicated postgraduate study rooms**

## Inspiring places and spaces

We have eight UK libraries, including the £19m refurbished George Green Library. Each location offers a variety of study environments, from silent spaces to vibrant collaborative learning hubs. Our opening hours are extensive and include 24/7 periods throughout the year.

With NUsearch, our online resource discovery tool, you can access all our physical and digital collections and resources, including over a million books, more than 500,000 ebooks, journal articles from around the world and open access research from the University.

Our Manuscripts and Special Collections archive also holds approximately three and a half million items – the majority of which are unique to the University.

## Digital support

You will have access to a wide range of services, including Office 365, specialist software, printing and computer rooms as well as active learning platforms to enrich your learning anytime, anywhere.

In the UK, you can make use of our Smart Bars and Laptop Loan and Repair Service, as well as receiving 24-hour IT support from the University's IT Service Desk.

 [nottingham.ac.uk/it-services](https://nottingham.ac.uk/it-services)





# Discovery is in our DNA

**We deliver world-leading research to solve today's global challenges. Research that transforms lives, shapes the future and improves societies across the world.**

Our research is inspiring. It brings together talented, passionate and dedicated people as they strive to make discoveries that have a real impact across the world.

Here at the University of Nottingham we have a long-standing reputation for transformative, world-class research. Our pioneering, interdisciplinary and collaborative approaches deliver sustainable solutions to global challenges. We are poised to build on this reputation by continually investing in our research and our people.

Our six Beacons of Excellence champion our field-leading responses to food security, ending modern slavery, greener transport, securing low-carbon economies, a revolution in smart industry and products, and transforming healthcare with pioneering imaging.

We are committed to attracting and retaining the highest-quality researchers. Our world-class individuals work in multidisciplinary teams and with inspiring leaders to capture new ideas and translate these into world-changing solutions.

“I've made so many exciting connections and collaborations that the scope of my research has grown massively.”

Dr Graham Newton,  
Nottingham Research Fellow,  
School of Chemistry

Nottingham is the birthplace of MRI. We continue to lead the world in medical imaging and a new generation of wearable brain scanners will further revolutionise the treatment of countless millions of patients.

“It's just more spectacular, more amazing: for a research scientist this is the best time there's ever been.”  
Professor James McInerney,  
Chair in Evolutionary Biology

## A university without borders

Our unrivalled ability to work across disciplines is underpinned by our commitment to partnerships and the sharing of knowledge across borders.

Our leading role in the fight against 'hidden hunger' in sub-Saharan Africa has won a £4.4m award from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation. Our researchers are using satellite technology to help end the scourge of modern slavery. In stunning, world-class facilities such as the GSK Carbon Neutral Laboratory for Sustainable Chemistry, and the Institute for Advanced Manufacturing, we are working with industry to secure a UK bioeconomy and prosperity for our future.

All this is driven by our commitment to supporting our inspiring people and their shared passion for discovery. For postgraduate research, the University of Nottingham is an exciting and fulfilling place to be.

## Outstanding facilities

To recruit and retain the very best, we also invest in world-leading facilities, support and infrastructure.

This includes a sector-leading commitment to developing a digital research environment that empowers our researchers and enhances our capacity to derive value from data through powerful analytics. Our growing team of digital research specialists are supporting the delivery of world-leading outputs in equally innovative and exciting ways.





# Inspiring academics

You will learn from and work alongside academics and researchers at the forefront of their fields. Their groundbreaking work is changing the world around us and helping to shape its future.



Dr Karen Salt



## Assistant Professor, Faculty of Arts

Dr Karen Salt is an interdisciplinary scholar with strong interests in transnational American studies and Afrodiasporic studies. A significant portion of her work investigates how black nation-states have fought for their continued existence within a highly racialised world. As this work has developed, Dr Salt has considered the relationship of sovereignty and race to environmental consumption and protection, enabling her to craft new research on racial ecologies. In addition to this work, she currently leads or co-leads projects on reparative trust, collective activism, racial equity and transformative justice politics.



Professor Emad Rakha



## Professor and Consultant Pathologist, Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences

Professor Emad Rakha is an Honorary Consultant Pathologist with a strong interest in Breast Pathology. He is a leading member of the interdisciplinary Nottingham Breast Research Group at the University of Nottingham and, in the past 10 years, has co-authored more than 270 peer-reviewed publications.

Dr Nicola Everitt



## Associate Professor, Faculty of Engineering

Dr Nicola Everitt's expertise lies predominantly in property and structure relationships for all kinds of materials. One strand of her work focuses on biomedical materials like degradable polymer scaffolds. Recently, she has dedicated much of her time to researching manufacturing and characterising materials created from waste products – manufacturing degradable packaging using Chitosan recovered from shrimp shell. Dr Everitt also has expertise within microhardness testing, nanoindentation and dynamic mechanical analysis.



Professor Katharine Adeney



## Professor, Faculty of Social Sciences

Professor Katharine Adeney is Director of the University of Nottingham Asia Research Institute. Her primary focus is on the countries of South Asia, particularly India and Pakistan. She is interested in why these two countries, products of the same colonial regime, differ so much in terms of their democratic development but also in their attitude to accommodating the diversity within their borders.



Dr Alexa Spence



## Assistant Professor, Faculty of Science

With expertise in psychology and Horizon Digital Economy Research, Dr Alexa Spence brings her applied social and environmental research background to new digital technology innovations. She particularly focuses on exploring public perceptions and engagement with climate change and new smart energy technologies. Dr Spence is currently part of the national team who advise the government on energy demand side management strategy.







**Winner**  
of the  
Green Flag  
Award for 16  
consecutive  
years

# Outstanding study environments

Combining beautiful parkland and countryside, impressive traditional and modern architecture, along with cutting-edge learning and research facilities, our award-winning campuses are inspiring places to live, work and study.



## Jubilee Campus

**Futuristic architecture, a library in a lake, eco-friendly buildings and innovative technologies combine to create unique surroundings for those studying here.**

The University's commitment to sustainability is exemplified by the GSK Carbon Neutral Laboratory for Sustainable Chemistry, which opened in 2017.

## University Park Campus

**Regarded as one of the most beautiful study environments in the UK, this 300-acre landscaped campus is set around a scenic boating lake.**

University Park is the hub of student life – it's home to the University of Nottingham's Students' Union, two libraries, a renowned arts centre, hotel, health centre, bank, cafés and a student bar. The £40m David Ross Sports Village provides outstanding facilities for a wide range of sporting activities, including everything from swimming to fencing, as well as a climbing wall.

Our Green Flag Awards, an international benchmark for well-managed parks and green spaces, demonstrate that our campuses consistently meet the highest possible environmental standards.



## Sutton Bonington Campus

**World-leading laboratories for plant biotechnology, veterinary sciences and future food research sit alongside excellent teaching, sports and accommodation facilities at Sutton Bonington.**

This campus is set in picturesque countryside 10 miles south of University Park, and is home to our Schools of Biosciences and Veterinary Medicine and Science.





# International footprint

The University has campuses in China and Malaysia, offering you the opportunity to undertake a postgraduate degree and experience living and studying in a different country.

All courses are taught in English to the same teaching assessment standards as the University of Nottingham in the UK, so you can be assured that your degree will be recognised by employers and universities worldwide.

Both campuses are purpose-built, and feature teaching and IT facilities, accommodation, a sports centre and food outlets within easy reach.

## How to apply

International students can apply for part-time and full-time courses at our Malaysia Campus, and full-time courses at our China Campus. You must hold a valid visa for the programme you want to study. Applications should be made directly to the campus that you wish to study at.

Qualifications from all our campuses are recognised equally. However, please be aware that courses accredited by external bodies in the UK may not be accredited in the same way at our international campuses.

## Malaysia Campus

After opening in 2000, and moving to its purpose-built campus at Semenyih in 2005, our Malaysia Campus is now home to almost 5,000 students.

Taught and research courses are available in the Faculties of Arts and Social Sciences, Engineering, and Science.

For a full list of courses, entry requirements, fees and details of how to apply, visit our Malaysia Campus website.


 [www.nottingham.edu.my](http://www.nottingham.edu.my)

## China Campus

Opened in 2004 and located in the city of Ningbo, this was the first foreign campus opened in the country by a UK university.

Taught and research courses are available within the Faculties of Humanities and Social Sciences, Science and Engineering, and Nottingham University Business School.

For a full list of courses, entry requirements, fees and details of how to apply, visit our China Campus website.

 [www.nottingham.edu.cn](http://www.nottingham.edu.cn)





# A world of opportunity

Make your university life the best it can be.



## Culture on campus

Nottingham Lakeside Arts, the University's public arts centre and museum, offers student discounts for its year-round programme of exhibitions and events – including music, drama, dance and participatory workshops. It also has a strong connection to the University's student-run theatre, Nottingham New Theatre.

[lakesidearts.org.uk](https://lakesidearts.org.uk)



## Learn a language

The University offers language courses for all students through the Language Centre. We provide daytime language modules in 10 languages from beginners' level to near-native speaker competence. We also offer a range of evening classes on a fee-paying basis.

[nottingham.ac.uk/language-centre](https://nottingham.ac.uk/language-centre)

### Your Students' Union

The Students' Union is the hub of student social life on campus. With more than 300 student groups, there are plenty of opportunities to meet like-minded people or try something new. Plus, you can get involved with the Postgraduate Students' Network – membership is free.

[su.nottingham.ac.uk](https://su.nottingham.ac.uk)



## Sport for all

The University has over 70 sports clubs for students, from Aikido to windsurfing. There are opportunities for everyone to get involved, whether you just want to keep fit, play socially with friends or compete for the University in one of our sports teams.

[nottingham.ac.uk/sport](https://nottingham.ac.uk/sport)



## Make a difference

With over 100 volunteering opportunities within the Students' Union and local community, there are lots of ways to get involved.

[su.nottingham.ac.uk/volunteering](https://su.nottingham.ac.uk/volunteering)



## Social events

Whichever campus you're based on and whatever your interests, you're sure to find something fun to do. We have events such as pub quizzes, live music, club nights, speed dating and comedy nights in venues on and off campus.

[su.nottingham.ac.uk/events](https://su.nottingham.ac.uk/events)



# In the heart of England

**A compact, vibrant and cosmopolitan city, Nottingham is a mix of modern and historic, quirky and mainstream, with a thriving cultural scene. Home to the world-class University of Nottingham, it is a culturally diverse and thriving city with a strong sense of community.**

As the commercial and cultural capital of the East Midlands, Nottingham is home to several major UK employers, including Walgreens Boots Alliance, Experian, Capital One, E.ON and the Inland Revenue. Many large blue-chip companies and prominent organisations have offices in and around the city and the University has strong links with many of them, including Rolls-Royce, based nearby in Derby.

## Music scene

Nottingham's music venues include something for everyone. The legendary Rock City hosts top rock and indie acts, the Motorpoint Arena attracts nationwide music and comedy tours, while venues such as Rescue Rooms and the Bodega Social Club showcase the latest alternative acts. The Royal Concert Hall at the Theatre Royal also hosts opera and classical concerts.

## Cultural highlights

Nottingham is an old city with a rich history, taking in the legends of Robin Hood, its role in the English Civil War and the industrial revolution.

You can explore the ancient caves beneath your feet, or take a relaxing walk through Wollaton Park and visit its imposing Elizabethan hall, which appeared as Wayne Manor in the Batman film *The Dark Knight Rises*.

As well as the University's arts centre and museum, you'll find a selection of contemporary and traditional art galleries in the city. There are multiplex cinemas and independent screens such as Broadway, offering the best in arthouse and world cinema.

The city has two large theatres, as well as smaller venues including those with regular comedy nights. Nottingham is also a UNESCO City of Literature.



**Named one of the best and safest places for a night out in the UK, winning 8 Purple Flag awards**

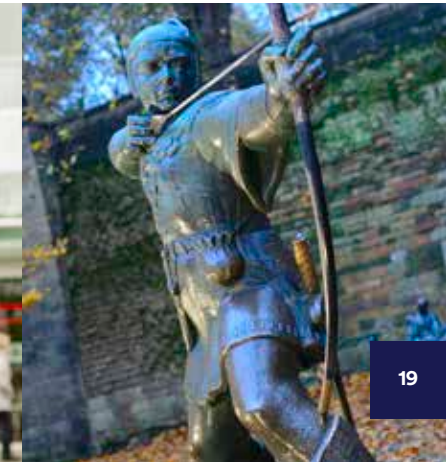
## Sports facilities

The city offers world-class sports facilities, with two Football League clubs: Nottingham Forest and Notts County – the world's oldest professional association football club. You can watch Test Match cricket at the world-famous Trent Bridge cricket ground or cheer on the city's professional ice hockey club, Nottingham Panthers, at the National Ice Centre.

## Food and drink

There is something to suit every taste and budget in Nottingham. Its mix of chain and independent cafés, restaurants and delis make eating out an eclectic, international adventure (and perhaps a taste of home). There's a large selection of traditional pubs and modern bars too.

With excellent transport links,  
**Nottingham is well connected**  
to the rest of the UK and wider world





# Kick-start your career

Our expert Careers and Employability Service offers ongoing support for planning your career throughout your time at University and beyond.

Find your future with:

- one-to-one career guidance and CV discussions, with specialist careers advisers available for PhD students
- career events with experienced professionals, providing an insight into sectors and job roles, as well as skills workshops to develop your job-hunting expertise
- PhD career management workshops delivered by our specialist careers advisers, offered through the Researcher Development Programme
- opportunities to meet over 350 employers on campus each year, who are eager to recruit quality graduates from the University of Nottingham
- assistance with securing part-time or temporary work on or close to campus through [unitemps.com](http://unitemps.com)\*
- access to My Career – an online system that's updated daily with graduate vacancies, placements, internships and PhD opportunities, as well as voluntary and vacation work
- lifetime access to our service


## Set yourself apart

The Nottingham Advantage Award offers a diverse portfolio of modules, giving you the opportunity to develop your skills, try something different and meet new people.

 [nottingham.ac.uk/advantageaward](http://nottingham.ac.uk/advantageaward)

## International support


As well as all our standard services, we have specialist resources to help international students find work opportunities around the world. There are several visa options if you wish to pursue a career, or are inspired to start a business in the UK after graduation.


 [nottingham.ac.uk/go/workingintheuk](http://nottingham.ac.uk/go/workingintheuk)


More than  
**1,800**  
employers  
approach us  
every year  
looking to recruit  
our students\*\*


**96.6%**  
find a job or  
further study  
within six months  
of graduation\*\*\*

Connect with our Careers and Employability Service

 [nottingham.ac.uk/careers/postgraduates](http://nottingham.ac.uk/careers/postgraduates)

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 University of Nottingham

\* Please note, there are regulations on work for those who require a student visa.

Find out more at [nottingham.ac.uk/go/workingintheuk](http://nottingham.ac.uk/go/workingintheuk)

\*\* The number of employers who advertised graduate jobs and internships on My Career during 2016/17.

\*\*\* Known destinations of full-time home postgraduates 2016/17.



# Celebrating our alumni

Our global community of over 270,000 alumni includes pioneering scientists, international policymakers, leaders of national charities, newspaper editors, novelists, Olympic medalists and a Nobel Prize winner.

We're proud of the contribution our graduates make to society. With an extensive programme of local and international events, our alumni can easily stay in touch.

**Dr Stewart Adams OBE**

Pharmacologist and inventor of ibuprofen

**Emma Barnett**

Broadcaster and Women's Editor of *The Daily Telegraph*

**Dr Tim Brabants MBE**

Canoeist and Olympic gold medalist

**Sir Clive Granger**

Economist and Nobel Prize winner

**Dame Mary Marsh**

Former Chief Executive of the NSPCC

**DH Lawrence**

Novelist, poet and playwright

**Judith McHale**

Former Under Secretary of State in the US Obama Administration

**John Rishton**

Former CEO of Rolls-Royce

**Sir John Sawers**

Former Chief of the Secret Intelligence Service MI6

**Dr Amanda Horton-Mastin**

Former Head of Marketing at Comic Relief

**Professor Sir Ian Wilmut**

Embryologist – managed the team that cloned Dolly the sheep

**Sir Andrew Witty**

Former CEO, GSK, and Chancellor of the University of Nottingham

**Dr Deng Yaping** (pictured)

China's Sporting Star of the Century



# Doctoral training programmes

As a world-leading research institute, the University of Nottingham has a broad portfolio of fully funded doctoral training programmes, many of which are interdisciplinary.

Each programme offers specialist opportunities for PhD and doctoral students through the delivery of integrated and tailored high-level research and skills training. Every opportunity is unique, with some offering placements, but all provide cutting-edge doctoral study, combined with a supportive and exciting working environment.

Unless stated otherwise, all existing studentships are for UK and EU students who have been resident in the UK for at least three years. Research council funding can currently cover fees for EU students but eligibility for stipends may vary.

## International students

International students may, in exceptional circumstances, be eligible for research council funding and will need to contact the doctoral training programme they are interested in for further details.





# International partnerships

**We work with thousands of partners worldwide to ensure that our research has a lasting impact in the real world.**

## International connections

We believe that international challenges are best addressed globally. This is accomplished by collaboration and knowledge exchange between our far-reaching international partners.

We actively encourage our researchers and academics to seek collaborations with the best institutions in the world.

As global landscapes evolve, we seek new opportunities and partnerships, and respond proactively to international funding and collaborations, wherever they are generated.

Early career researchers and PhD students benefit from a range of awards and funds designed to promote networks across the world.

Investment in our world-class digital research environment means better connectivity with colleagues wherever they are based, removing barriers to conducting transformative research.

## Industrial partners

Our researchers work with hundreds of organisations, from global businesses to start-ups, to find innovative solutions to the challenges they face.

Sponsors of research include AstraZeneca, GSK, Jaguar Land Rover, Network Rail, Rolls-Royce, Siemens and Unilever – which means our researchers are engaging with partners and projects at the forefront of industry.

# Support for innovation

**At the University, inventions are taken from initial ideas to commercial business ventures.**

Our support for innovation attracts the brightest minds from around the world. With our infrastructure, you can take your ideas and inventions to the global marketplace. You will learn from and work alongside leading academics, and many of our PhD and postdoctoral students play a large part in the development of new technologies.

## Student-led enterprise

Nottingham Entrepreneurs is one of the University's most ambitious societies, aiming to provide an inspiring community for students and support those looking to launch their own ventures.

The University is also home to student-led organisation Enactus Nottingham, which aims to improve livelihoods by setting up and running enterprises in the UK and abroad. In 2016, the Nottingham team represented the UK at the Enactus World Cup in Toronto, where students from around the world met to showcase the impact of their entrepreneurship.

## Entrepreneurial skills development

Among Europe's leading centres for enterprise education, The Haydn Green Institute provides an outstanding programme of education with the aim of developing the innovators and entrepreneurs of the future.

Students and alumni are nurtured through The Ingenuity Lab, where members gain access to business mentors and free advice surgeries relating to finance, marketing, sales, intellectual property and legal issues.

## We'll help you deliver

We have dedicated teams who can advise on protecting your work, obtaining funding and working with business partners to help you commercialise your ideas.

 [nottingham.ac.uk/go/ipcommercialisation](https://nottingham.ac.uk/go/ipcommercialisation)





# Dedicated postgraduate support

The Graduate School supports all postgraduates and early career researchers at the University. Our network of specialist staff deliver transformative opportunities to help you excel in your chosen field.

## Graduate centres

We have five graduate centres based on different campuses, with each focusing on different disciplines. These centres are exclusively for postgraduate students and early career researchers. They offer a supportive environment for collaboration and inspiration as well as access to a range of development activities.

Each centre has study and social areas, computers, seminar rooms and kitchen facilities, acting as a hub for networking and promoting a sense of community. We also have graduate schools at the University's campuses in China and Malaysia, which you can use should you spend any time there.

## Part-time paid placements

We offer paid placements with a range of employers from small local businesses to multinational organisations. Open to all postgraduates, placements are designed to fit in with your studies and give you the opportunity to learn transferable skills and enhance your employment prospects.

Our award-winning placement programme has been running since 2009. Our research shows that alumni who have taken part in the programme generally achieve better degree outcomes, are more employable and command higher salaries than their peers.

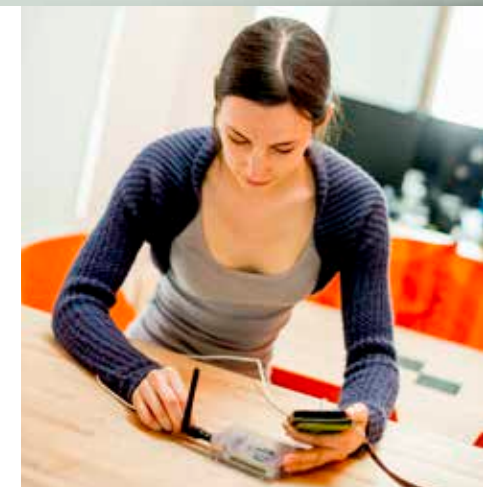


## Researcher development

Our transformative Researcher Development Programme includes over 150 specialist courses that empower postgraduate students and early career researchers to develop research and career skills.

The skills gained from these programmes will improve your ability to complete your research project on time and to present your work to a variety of audiences. They will also help you to develop a good understanding of how your work could transform the lives of people and societies across the world and encourage you to reflect on the commercial possibilities for your research.

Our conferences and events will inspire creativity, help you demonstrate the impact of your research, and offer you opportunities to network and collaborate with other researchers.



## Travel and mobility awards

The Graduate School manages a number of financial awards designed to enable you to access international opportunities and increase your researcher mobility and profile. Whether you are looking to foster your research collaboration network or add a global dimension to your career, you will have the chance to compete for a range of awards and prizes.

Over the last 10 years we have awarded over £500,000 in travel awards. Our funding opportunities enable researchers to present at academic conferences, visit overseas institutes, collaborate with other institutions and fund novel interdisciplinary research projects.



# Your support network

## Financial Support

We provide information and advice on all aspects of postgraduate finance, including government and University funding, loans and bursaries



## Student Service Centres

Located on all our campuses, student service centres are your first point of contact for information, guidance and support – we can help you with a wide range of topics and can signpost you to other specialist services

## Counselling Service

Our free, confidential Counselling Service provides groups and workshops, self-help resources and individual counselling consultation, where appropriate



## Academic and Disability Support

We can help with personal and academic issues affecting your studies, including advice on writing techniques, managing your time, exam preparation, dyslexia support and support for other Specific Learning Differences, as well as arranging support and access for disabled students

## Childcare Services

On-campus childcare facilities are available for children aged four months to 12 years – including three daycare facilities and a school holiday play scheme

## Chaplaincy and Faith Support

Offering friendship and advice as well as services of worship, our welcoming chaplaincy supports students of all faiths and none, and can help connect you with the local community and its communities of faith

## University Health Service

We offer healthcare, dental services, a pharmacy, GPs, physiotherapy and other specialist clinics\*, as well as the University Mental Health Advisory Service

\* International students must be pursuing a full-time course of at least six months in duration to be eligible for NHS care

# Academic English preparation and support

Our Centre for English Language Education provides high-quality English language preparation courses and support during your academic studies.

You can progress through up to four Preessional English for Academic Purposes stages, depending on your language level. Courses range from 5–40 weeks, with start dates throughout the year.

There are specialised summer courses for students going on to study business, engineering and law. There is also a four-week programme for students who already have an unconditional offer and would like to improve their study and language skills.

The courses will help you to improve your reading, writing, speaking and listening skills through real academic tasks such as library-based written assignments, presentations and seminar discussions.

For English language entry requirements, please see the course listings at [nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy](http://nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy)

## Free support while you study

During your academic course, you can benefit from free academic English language support (in-session classes and one-to-one consultations) to help you develop your English and study skills.

Accredited by the  
**BRITISH COUNCIL**

for the teaching of English in the UK

**ENGLISHUK**  
member

Length of course	Start month(s)
4 weeks	August
5 weeks	August
10 weeks	October, January, April or July
20 weeks	October, January, April or July
30 weeks	October or January
40 weeks	October



# International student support

As part of our thriving multicultural community, you'll study alongside students from more than 150 countries. We are here to support our international and EU students and will provide you with a truly international student experience.

## Support at every step

You can meet staff at our overseas events, visit us in Nottingham, or visit our offices in China, Malaysia, India or Ghana. We'll provide information and guidance throughout your preparations to study with us.

Our range of support services includes English language preparation courses, expert visa guidance, welcome activities for new international students, childcare services and faith support.

Our international and EU scholarships provide financial support for academically outstanding students from a variety of countries. Find out more on pages 36–37.

## International community

The Students' Union's many national, cultural and faith societies provide opportunities to celebrate your culture, connect with others and learn about communities from around the world.

Beyond our campuses, the city of Nottingham is just as multicultural. You can enjoy authentic world flavours from the city's many food shops and restaurants, including widespread vegetarian, vegan and halal options.

There are cultural festivals and celebrations throughout the year, within and outside the University, including Chinese New Year, Holi, Eid, Diwali, a Caribbean carnival and a European-style Christmas market. Find out more about Nottingham city life on pages 18–19.

Connect with our international social media channels

-  UoNInternationalOffice
-  @UoNIntOffice
-  UoNInternational
-  UniofNottingham
-  UoNEAO
-  UniofNottingham
-  UniofNottingham
-  [blogs.nottingham.ac.uk/internationalstudentlife](https://blogs.nottingham.ac.uk/internationalstudentlife)



## Visa and immigration support



We offer confidential, specialised advice on all aspects of UK immigration, from Tier 4 student visas to immigration permission for working in the UK during your studies and after graduating.

 [nottingham.ac.uk/go/student-visa](https://nottingham.ac.uk/go/student-visa)





# Your perfect home

**As a new postgraduate student starting in September 2019, we guarantee you a room in University-arranged accommodation for one year.\***

We have six accommodation sites that are well-placed for easy access to all our campuses, as well as local amenities and the city centre. You can choose from single study bedrooms in shared flats and en-suite self-contained studio apartments. All flats have a fully fitted kitchen, dining facilities and Wi-Fi. There are security teams dedicated to each site, a management team and a student committee which organises events and activities at each of our sites, providing a safe and comfortable environment.

## Accessible living

If you have a disability and need accessible accommodation, we'll do all we can to provide the access and facilities you need. Please inform us as early as possible, as applications will be considered according to priority and availability.

## Couples and families

If you want to live with your partner or family, you can apply for a limited number of places in University houses, or find suitable housing in the private sector.

## Private providers

If you would prefer to find your own place to live, there is more information on house-hunting and costs on our website.

 [nottingham.ac.uk/accommodation](http://nottingham.ac.uk/accommodation)

## Accommodation fees

Typical fees for University-arranged postgraduate student accommodation are listed in the table below. Costs are based on the fees confirmed for 2018/19 and a 51-week occupancy period on a self-catered basis. This includes heating, electricity and water charges, personal contents insurance, and students' committee membership.

Fees for 2019/20 will be available on our website from March 2019. You should check the website for the correct information and fees before you decide to accept any offer of accommodation.

Site	Location	Price range
<b>Bonington Hall</b> (reserved for students studying at Sutton Bonington Campus)	Sutton Bonington Campus	£5,559–£8,109
<b>Broadgate Park</b>	Beeston	£5,741–£8,832
<b>Cloister House</b>	Dunkirk	£5,741
<b>Melton Hall</b>	Jubilee Campus	£6,105
<b>Raleigh Park</b>	Lenton	£5,100–£6,324
<b>St Peter's Court</b>	Radford	£6,018

\* Providing you accept your offer to study with us and apply for accommodation by **Friday 31 May 2019**.





# Funding to help you thrive

There are many options when it comes to funding your postgraduate studies. Depending on your subject of interest and personal situation, different support is available.

## Loans

The UK government offers loans to eligible students starting a taught or research masters degree in the UK. In 2018, the maximum loan for students who ordinarily live in England or Wales was £10,609. A package of support is also available to students who live in Scotland or Northern Ireland, and to eligible students from the EU. Full details, including eligibility and repayment, can be found online.

[gov.uk/postgraduate-loan](http://gov.uk/postgraduate-loan)

The UK government now offers a Postgraduate Doctoral Loan of up to £25,000 (2018 entry figure; subject to change) to help with course fees and living costs for students doing a research degree in the UK. This is not assessed on you or your family's income and is paid directly to you.

[gov.uk/doctoral-loan](http://gov.uk/doctoral-loan)

## Scholarships and bursaries

You can visit our funding pages for up to date information about scholarships and bursaries available for taught and research courses, which includes a step-by-step guide to finding funding.

[nottingham.ac.uk/funding](http://nottingham.ac.uk/funding)

## EU student funding

EU students beginning courses in 2019/20 will pay tuition fees at the same rates as UK students and can apply for postgraduate loans and research studentships (if eligible) covering the full duration of their course.

[nottingham.ac.uk/go/eu-students](http://nottingham.ac.uk/go/eu-students)

## International scholarships

We offer an extensive range of international and EU scholarships for outstanding masters and research students from a variety of countries. Find out more on page 37.

[nottingham.ac.uk/go/international-scholarships](http://nottingham.ac.uk/go/international-scholarships)

## Tuition fees

All postgraduate students pay an annual fee which covers registration, tuition, initial examination, graduation, access to most of the University's library and IT services, and membership of the Students' Union.

The fee you pay depends on your chosen course and whether you are classified as a home, EU or international student.

Fees are per session, which means from 1 August to 31 July of the relevant academic year, or the full duration of a one-year masters course.

Part-time fees are normally charged according to the proportion of study undertaken during the year. For example, if you study half of a one-year course, you will normally be charged half of the full-time fee.

Tuition fees for 2019/20 are listed on our website. You should check the University's website for the correct course information, entry requirements and fees before you decide to apply for and accept a place to study with us.

[nottingham.ac.uk/fees](http://nottingham.ac.uk/fees)

## Explore your options

Funding applications are usually completed in spring for courses starting in the autumn

[nottingham.ac.uk/funding](http://nottingham.ac.uk/funding)

Consider a **postgraduate loan** from the **UK government**

Look for **paid studentships and doctoral training opportunities**

Investigate what funding is available from **research councils, trusts and charities**

Speak to your supervisor or our Funding and Financial Support team about **scholarships and awards** that may be available to you





# Sources of funding

## UK and EU students

### University of Nottingham awards

Award	Funding opportunities	Find out more
Vice-Chancellor's Scholarship for Research Excellence	Fully funded PhD research scholarship for EU students	<a href="https://nottingham.ac.uk/go/vceu">nottingham.ac.uk/go/vceu</a>
University scholarships	Masters and research scholarships	<a href="https://nottingham.ac.uk/funding">nottingham.ac.uk/funding</a>
Revis Fund	Limited financial assistance for part-time higher-degree students normally resident in England and Wales; small grants towards tuition fees may be made to students who are unemployed or on a low income	<a href="mailto:financialsupport@nottingham.ac.uk">financialsupport@nottingham.ac.uk</a> <a href="https://nottingham.ac.uk/financialsupport">nottingham.ac.uk/financialsupport</a>

### Alternative sources of funding

Award	Funding opportunities	Find out more
Research and teaching assistantships	Posts are advertised in the educational press and relevant specialist journals	<a href="https://nottingham.ac.uk/jobs">nottingham.ac.uk/jobs</a>
Studentships	Research opportunities for UK and EU students funded by the European Commission, industry and other sources	<a href="https://nottingham.ac.uk/jobs">nottingham.ac.uk/jobs</a>
Student Finance England and postgraduate loans	The government offers eligible students starting a taught or research masters degree in the UK a loan of up to £10,609 and doctoral loans of up to £25,000 (2018 entry figures; subject to change)	<a href="https://gov.uk/funding-for-postgraduate-study">gov.uk/funding-for-postgraduate-study</a>
Student Awards Agency for Scotland, Student Finance Wales and Student Finance NI	Funding to support eligible students commencing masters courses – funding varies so please contact your local funding body for more information	<a href="https://saas.gov.uk">saas.gov.uk</a> <a href="https://slc.co.uk">slc.co.uk</a>
Charitable awards	Awards are available in a variety of subject areas	Please visit individual charity websites

## UK Research and Innovation awards

UK Research and Innovation fund studentships for UK and EU students through doctoral training programmes.

[nottingham.ac.uk/dtprogs](https://nottingham.ac.uk/dtprogs)

### Useful funding websites

- [britishcouncil.org](https://britishcouncil.org)
- [findamasters.com](https://findamasters.com)
- [findaphd.com](https://findaphd.com)
- [jobs.ac.uk](https://jobs.ac.uk)
- [postgraduatestudentships.co.uk](https://postgraduatestudentships.co.uk)
- [prospects.ac.uk](https://prospects.ac.uk)
- [scholarship-search.org.uk](https://scholarship-search.org.uk)
- [postgrad.com](https://postgrad.com)

## International students

### University scholarships

Our international scholarships reward outstanding students from a variety of countries. You must receive an offer of study before applying for these scholarships, so please note the closing dates of any you are interested in and make sure you apply for your course in good time.

+44 (0)115 846 7697

[scholarship-assistant@nottingham.ac.uk](mailto:scholarship-assistant@nottingham.ac.uk)

[nottingham.ac.uk/go/international-scholarships](https://nottingham.ac.uk/go/international-scholarships)

### Masters scholarships

Commonwealth Shared Scholarship

Developing Solutions Masters Scholarship

Partial tuition fee scholarships for a range of countries and regions

Co-funded scholarship schemes in partnership with external sponsors

### Research scholarships

China Scholarship Council Research Excellence Scholarship

Faculty of Engineering Research Excellence PhD Scholarship

Islamic Development Bank Scholarship Programme

Vice-Chancellor's Scholarship for Research Excellence

### External scholarships

Chevening Scholarships are the UK government's global scholarship programmes for outstanding masters students from over 160 countries worldwide.

[nottingham.ac.uk/go/chevening](https://nottingham.ac.uk/go/chevening)

The Commonwealth Scholarship Commission offers masters and PhD scholarship opportunities for students from Commonwealth countries.

[nottingham.ac.uk/go/csc](https://nottingham.ac.uk/go/csc)

International students may also be eligible to apply for some industry-sponsored studentships.

[nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy](https://nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy)

### Sponsored students

If your studies will be funded by an official sponsor, such as an overseas government, international business, charity or trust, we can invoice them directly for your tuition fees.

### Managing your finances

Guidance on living costs, budgeting and using banks in the UK is available online.

[nottingham.ac.uk/go/international-finance](https://nottingham.ac.uk/go/international-finance)



# How to apply for a taught course programme

This step-by-step guide takes you through the application process for our taught courses.



## Investigate postgraduate opportunities

Our website has details of all our current taught courses: [nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy](https://nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy)



## Check entry requirements

Entry requirements vary depending on the course and are detailed in our course listings at [nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy](https://nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy)



### International and EU students

We accept a wide range of qualifications from universities around the world. For guidance on our international requirements see page 42–43 or visit [nottingham.ac.uk/go/yourcountry](https://nottingham.ac.uk/go/yourcountry)

English language requirements are also listed on our website. These are typically shown as IELTS scores, however, we also accept a variety of other English language qualifications. Find out more at [nottingham.ac.uk/go/alternativerrequirements](https://nottingham.ac.uk/go/alternativerrequirements)



## Check key dates and deadlines

### Application deadlines

#### Home/EU students

Although most postgraduate courses do not formally close for applications until the course start dates, you should apply as soon as possible, as places are limited and courses may become full.

### Course start dates

The majority of postgraduate taught programmes will start on **Monday 23 September 2019**. Some courses may have alternative start dates, as detailed at [nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy](https://nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy)



### International students

The application deadline for taught courses starting on Monday 23 September 2019 is **Thursday 8 August 2019**. International students should submit applications as early as possible as places are limited and courses may become full. You will need to receive an unconditional offer and be able to demonstrate that you have secured sufficient funding before you can apply for your student visa. Find out more at [nottingham.ac.uk/go/student-visa](https://nottingham.ac.uk/go/student-visa)



## Submit your application

You can apply directly through our online application system at [nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy/apply](https://nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy/apply)

You will receive an automatic acknowledgment of your application when submitted and you can view its progress using the tracking information. Please note, applications for teacher training and MA Social Work are made through UCAS.



## Apply for funding

Wherever possible, you should secure funding for your studies before applying for a course. However, some scholarships, loans and funding schemes may require you to secure an offer of admission from the University before you apply for funding. For information on fees and funding, see pages 34–37.





# How to apply for a research programme

This step-by-step guide takes you through the application process for our research programmes.



## Investigate postgraduate opportunities

- **Identify a specific supervisor** who may help you develop a research proposal and application to secure funding
- **Investigate our current research projects** to find out if research in your area of interest is taking place at the University – you may submit an application directly to the relevant school, department or institute
- **Apply for a studentship** (a fully funded research place in a specific area) – many of our studentships are advertised on school/department websites and at [nottingham.ac.uk/jobs](http://nottingham.ac.uk/jobs)
- **Find out about PhDs via doctoral training programmes** – application processes and deadlines vary; find out more on page 23 or at [nottingham.ac.uk/dtprogs](http://nottingham.ac.uk/dtprogs)



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## Check key dates and deadlines

### Application deadlines

Although most postgraduate courses do not formally close for applications until the course start dates, you should apply as soon as possible, as places are limited and courses may become full.

Research programmes usually recruit postgraduate students at multiple points throughout the year, but it's worth checking if there are any closing dates for the project you are applying for.

If you're applying for a doctoral training programme (see page 23), please check specific dates and deadlines.

### Course start dates

Entry to most postgraduate research programmes is available at multiple points throughout the year. Please contact your school or department for details of specific start dates.

Please note that some scholarships and funding options are only available for research courses beginning in specific months.



### International students

The application deadline for research programmes starting on Tuesday 1 October 2019 is **Friday 16 August 2019**.

You'll need to receive an unconditional offer and be able to demonstrate that you've secured sufficient funding before you can apply for your student visa. Find out more at [nottingham.ac.uk/go/student-visa](http://nottingham.ac.uk/go/student-visa)



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## Write a research proposal

Your application will usually include a research proposal explaining your research plans. This will help us to assess the quality of your application and, if you have not already done so, identify academics who could supervise your research. Find out more at [nottingham.ac.uk/go/researchproposal](http://nottingham.ac.uk/go/researchproposal)





# International qualifications

Students from more than 150 countries study at our campuses and we accept degree qualifications from thousands of universities around the world.

Our masters courses typically require applicants to have a bachelors degree (or international equivalent) from a recognised institution. This should be at the same standard as a UK university's upper second class (2:1) or lower second class (2:2) degree classifications depending on the course you apply for. For specific entry requirements, see our website.

 [nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy](https://nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy)

The table on the next page provides brief guidance on the typical minimum entry requirements for 2:1 and 2:2 equivalents for a selection of countries. These are approximate guidelines based on well-ranked universities, and will vary for some institutions in these countries, depending on their academic reputation, grading system and the programme duration. We cannot accept degrees from all institutions due to differing standards of assessment and accreditation.

If your country isn't listed or you have any questions, please check our website or contact us.

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Country	UK 2:1 equivalent	UK 2:2 equivalent
Bangladesh*	3.3/4.0	3.2/4.0
China	75–88%	70–80%
Cyprus**	6.5/10 or 3.0/4.0	6.0/10 or 2.75/4.0
Ghana	second class, upper	second class, lower
Greece	7.0 (AEI) or 8.0 (TEI)	6.0 (AEI) or 7.0 (TEI)
Hong Kong	3.0/4.0 or a 2:1 degree	2.5/4.0 or a 2:2 degree
India	60% or 3.0/4.0 or 6.0/10	55% or 2.6/4.0 or 5.5/10
Indonesia	3.0/4.0	2.8/4.0
Kenya	second class, upper	second class, lower
Malaysia	2:1 degree or 3.0/4.0	2:2 degree or 2.8/4.0
Mexico	8.0/10 or 80%	7.5/10 or 75%
Nigeria	4.6/7.0 or 3.5/5.0 or 3.0/4.0	4.0/7.0 or 3.0/5.0 or 2.8/4.0
Pakistan*	3.01/4.0	2.6–3.0/4.0
Saudi Arabia	3.0/4.0 or 3.75/5.0 or 75%	2.8/4.0, 3.0/5.0 or 60%
Taiwan	75%	70%
Thailand	3.0/4.0	2.8/4.0
Turkey	3.0/4.0 or 65%	2.75/4.0 or 60%
UAE	3.75/5.0 or 3.0/4.0 or B or 80%	3.0/5.0 or 2.5/4.0 or C or 75%
USA	3.2/4.0 or grade B+/B	2.8/4.0 or grade B/B-
Vietnam	3.0/4.0 or 7.0/10	2.5/4.0 or 6.5/10

\* A four-year bachelors degree is usually required from these countries.

\*\* Grades listed are for Ptychion degrees graded out of 10 or Lisans Diplomasi degrees graded out of 4.0. If your university uses a different grading system please contact us for guidance.

For other countries and/or more detailed guidance, see our country-specific information.

 [nottingham.ac.uk/go/yourcountry](https://nottingham.ac.uk/go/yourcountry)



# Faculty of Arts

## American and Canadian Studies

American Studies MA

### Research courses

American and Canadian Studies MRes

PhD:

American and Canadian Studies  
Black Studies  
Comparative Literature

## Classics and Archaeology

Ancient History MA

Classical Literature MA

The Visual Culture of Classical Antiquity MA

### Research courses

Archaeological Science MSc (by Research)

Archaeology MA (by Research)

Archaeology or Classics MPhil/PhD

## Cultural, Media and Visual Studies

Art History MA

Critical Theory and Cultural Studies MA

Critical Theory and Politics MA

Cultural Industries and Entrepreneurship MSc

Film, Television and Screen Industries MA

International Media and Communications Studies MA

Visual Culture MA

### Research courses

MRes/PhD:

Art History

Film and Television Studies

Critical Theory and Cultural Studies

Visual Culture

## English

Applied Linguistics MA

Applied Linguistics and English Language Teaching MA

Communication and Entrepreneurship MSc

Creative Writing MA

English Literature MA

English Studies MA

Literary Linguistics MA

Viking and Anglo-Saxon Studies MA

### Distance learning courses

Applied Linguistics MA

Applied Linguistics and English Language Teaching MA

English Studies MA

Health Communication MA

Literary Linguistics MA

Modern English Language MA

Professional Communication MA/PGDip/PGCert

### Research courses

PhD:

Applied Linguistics (with English Language Teaching)

Creative Writing

English

## History

History MA

### Research courses

History MRes/MPhil/PhD

## Modern Languages and Cultures

Chinese/English Translation and Interpreting MA

Comparative Literature MA

Languages and Intercultural Studies MA

Translation Studies MA with up to three languages from Arabic, French, German, Portuguese, Russian, Serbian/Croatian and Spanish

### Distance learning courses

Digital Technologies for Language Teaching MA

### Research courses

Modern Languages MA (by Research)

PhD:

Comparative Literature

French

German

Hispanic and Latin American Studies

Linguistics (Modern Languages)

Portuguese and Lusophone Studies

Russian and Slavonic Studies

Translation Studies

## Music

### Research courses

Music MA (by Research)

MPhil/PhD:

Music

Music Composition

Music Performance

Musicology

## Philosophy

Philosophy MA

### Research courses

Philosophy PhD

## Theology and Religious Studies

### Distance learning courses

Church History MA

Systematic and Philosophical Theology MA

### Research courses

Theology and Religious Studies MA (by Research)

Religious Studies or Theology MRes

Theology and Religious Studies

MPhil/PhD

# Faculty of Engineering

## Cross-faculty courses

Bioengineering MSc

Bioengineering: Biomaterials and Biomechanics MSc

Sustainable Energy Engineering MSc

## Architecture and Built Environment

Energy Conversion and Management MSc

Professional Practice in Architecture (Part 3) PGCert

Renewable Energy and Architecture MSc

Sustainable Building Technology MSc

Sustainable Building Technology (collaborative) MSc

Sustainable Energy and Entrepreneurship MSc

Design MArch

Digital Architecture and Tectonics MArch

Environmental Design MArch

Sustainable Urban Design MArch

## Chemical and Environmental Engineering

Chemical Engineering MSc

Energy Process Systems Engineering MSc

Environmental Engineering MSc

Food Process Engineering

MSc

## Civil Engineering

Civil Engineering MSc

Engineering Surveying MSc

Environmental Management and Earth Observation MSc

Structural Engineering MSc

Transportation Infrastructure

Engineering: Sustainable Highways/Sustainable Railways MSc

## Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Advanced Electrical and Electronic Engineering with Extended Research (two-year) MSc

Electrical and Electronic Engineering MSc

Electrical and Electronic Engineering and Entrepreneurship MSc

Electrical Engineering MSc

Electrical Engineering for Sustainable and Renewable Energy MSc

Electronic Communications and Computer Engineering MSc

Modern Telecommunications MSc

Power Electronics and Drives MSc

Sustainable Transportation and Electrical Power Systems (Erasmus Mundus) MSc

## Mechanical, Materials and Manufacturing Engineering

Additive Manufacturing and 3D Printing MSc

Advanced Materials MSc

Aerospace Technologies MSc

Human Computer Interaction MSc

Human Factors and Ergonomics MSc

Mechanical Engineering MSc

## Distance learning courses

Applied Ergonomics and Human Factors MSc/PGCert

Usability and Human Computer Interaction PGCert

## Research courses

Biophotonics MSc (by Research)

Electrical and Electronic Engineering MRes

Efficient Fossil Energy Technologies EngD

Non-Destructive Evaluation EngD

PhD:

Architecture (Science/Social Sciences)

Architectural Design (Social Science)

Building Technology

Chemical Engineering

Civil Engineering

Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Engineering Surveying and Space Geodesy

Environmental Engineering

Human Factors

Hydrogen Fuel Cells and their Applications

Manufacturing Engineering

Materials Engineering and Materials Design

Mechanical Engineering

Sustainable Energy Technology



# Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences

## Taught courses

Advanced Clinical Practice MSc  
 Advanced Clinical Skills PGCert  
 Advanced Nursing MSc/PGDip  
 Applied Sport and Exercise Medicine MSc  
 Assisted Reproduction Technology MMedSci  
 Biological Photography and Imaging MSc  
 Cancer Immunology and Biotechnology MSc  
 Clinical and Molecular Microbiology MSc  
 Cognitive Behavioural Therapy MSc/PGDip  
 Health Psychology MSc  
 Immunology and Immunotherapeutics MSc  
 Management Psychology MSc/PGDip  
 Medical Education MMedSci/PGDip/PGCert  
 Medicine, Graduate Entry BMBS  
 Mental Health Research MSc  
 Microbiology and Immunology MSc  
 Midwifery Studies, Maternal and Newborn Health MSc/PGDip  
 Molecular Genetics and Diagnostics MSc  
 Nursing, Graduate Entry (GEN) (Adult, Child or Mental Health) MSc

Occupational Psychology MSc  
 Oncology MSc/PGCert  
 Physician Associate Studies MSc\*  
 Physiotherapy MSc/PGDip/PGCert with pathways in Advancing Neuromusculoskeletal Practice and Neurorehabilitation  
 Practice Teacher in Health and Social Care PGCert  
 Public Health MPH  
 Public Health (Global Health) MPH  
 Quality and Patient Safety Improvement MSc/PGDip/PGCert  
 Rehabilitation Psychology MSc  
 Research Methods (Health) MA  
 Sports and Exercise Medicine MSc/PGDip  
 Stem Cell Technology and Regenerative Medicine MSc  
 Veterinary Education PGCert  
 Veterinary Medicine and Surgery PGCert  
 Veterinary Physiotherapy MSc/PGDip  
 Work and Organisational Psychology MSc/PGDip  
**Distance learning courses**  
 Clinical Microbiology MSc/PGDip/PGCert  
 Molecular Pathology PGCert  
 Workplace Health and Wellbeing MSc/PGDip/PGCert

## Professional doctorates

Clinical Psychology DClinPsy  
 Forensic Psychology (full programme) DForenPsy  
 Forensic Psychology (top-up programme) DForenPsy  
 Veterinary Medicine DVetMed  
 Veterinary Surgery DVetSurg

## Research courses

Forensic and Criminological Psychology MSc (by Research)  
 Molecular Pathology MSc (by Research)  
 MRes, PhD and other research qualifications available in a wide range of research areas, including:  
 Applied psychology  
 Health sciences  
 Life sciences  
 Medicine  
 Veterinary medicine and science

# Faculty of Science

## Biology (School of Life Sciences)

Biological Photography and Imaging MSc

### Research courses

MRes/PhD/DM

## Biosciences

Animal Nutrition MSc/PGDip  
 Applied Biomolecular Technology for the Biopharmaceutical, Food and Biotechnology Industries MSc  
 Applied Biopharmaceutical Biotechnology and Entrepreneurship MSc  
 Biotechnology MSc with pathways in Plant Biotechnology, Microbial Biotechnology and Animal Biotechnology  
 Brewing Science and Practice MSc  
 Clinical Nutrition MSc/PGDip  
 Crop Improvement MSc/PGDip  
 Food Production Management MSc/PGDip  
 Nutritional Sciences MSc  
**Distance learning courses**  
 Advanced Dietetic Practice MSc/PGDip/PGCert  
 Agrifood MSc/PGDip/PGCert/D.  
 Brewing Science MSc/PGDip  
 Brewing: Principles and Practice PGCert  
 Sensory Science PGCert  
 Short Courses for Brewers

## Research courses

Biosciences MRes/MPhil/PhD  
 Research areas include:  
 Agricultural systems management  
 Animal sciences  
 Bioethics  
 Environmental sciences  
 Food sciences  
 Microbiology  
 Nutritional sciences  
 Plant and crop sciences

## Chemistry

Green and Sustainable Chemistry MSc  
**Research courses**  
 Chemistry MSc (by Research)/MRes  
 MPhil/PhD

## Computer Science

Computer Science MSc  
 Data Science MSc  
 Human Computer Interaction MSc  
**Research courses**  
 PhD

## Mathematical Sciences

Financial and Computational Mathematics MSc  
 Gravity, Particles and Fields MSc  
 Mathematical Medicine and Biology MSc  
 Pure Mathematics MSc  
 Scientific Computation MSc  
 Statistics MSc  
 Statistics and Applied Probability MSc  
**Research courses**  
 PhD

## Pharmacy

Drug Discovery and Pharmaceutical Sciences MSc  
 Drug Discovery and Pharmaceutical Sciences with Industrial Training MSc  
**Research courses**  
 PhD – lab-based  
 /non-lab-based projects  
 Pharmacy Practice and Policy  
 PhD

## Physics and Astronomy

Gravity, Particles and Fields MSc  
 Machine Learning in Science MSc  
**Research courses**  
 Physics MSc (by Research)  
 PhD

## Psychology

Applied Educational Psychology (Professional Training) DAppEdPsy  
 Brain Imaging MSc  
 Developmental Disorders MSc  
 Computational Neuroscience, Cognition and AI MSc  
 Psychology (Conversion) MSc/PGDip  
 Psychology Research Methods MSc  
**Research courses**  
 MPhil/PhD

\* Recruiting for January 2020.



# Faculty of Social Sciences

## Business

Accounting and Finance MSc  
 Applied Biopharmaceutical  
 Biotechnology and Entrepreneurship  
 MSc  
 Banking and Finance MSc  
 Business Analytics MSc  
 Business and Management MSc  
 Communication and  
 Entrepreneurship MSc  
 Cultural Industries and  
 Entrepreneurship MSc  
 Electrical and Electronic  
 Engineering and Entrepreneurship  
 MSc  
 Entrepreneurship, Innovation and  
 Management MSc  
 Finance and Investment MSc  
 Human Resource Management and  
 Organisation MSc  
 Industrial Engineering and  
 Operations Management MSc  
 Information Systems and Operations  
 Management MSc  
 International Business MSc  
 International Tourism Management  
 and Marketing MSc  
 Logistics and Supply Chain  
 Management MSc  
 Management MSc  
 Marketing MSc  
 Risk Management MSc  
 Supply Chain and Operations  
 Management MSc  
 Sustainable Energy and  
 Entrepreneurship MSc

## MBA programmes

Master of Business Administration  
 MBA  
 Executive MBA  
 Executive MBA Healthcare

## Research courses

PhD

## Economics

Behavioural Economics MSc  
 Economic Development and Policy  
 Analysis MSc  
 Economics MSc  
 Economics and Development  
 Economics MSc  
 Economics and Econometrics MSc  
 Economics and Financial Economics  
 MSc  
 Economics and International  
 Economics MSc  
 Economics of Monetary and  
 Financial Policy MSc  
 Economics (Conversion) GDip

## Research courses

PhD

## Education

Education MA  
 Educational Leadership and  
 Management MA  
 International Student Advice and  
 Support PGCert  
 Learning, Technology and Education  
 MA  
 Mentoring and Coaching  
 Teachers PGCert  
 Person-Centred Experiential  
 Counselling and Psychotherapy  
 Practice MA  
 Special and Inclusive Education MA  
 Teaching Chinese to Speakers of  
 Other Languages MA  
 Teaching English to Speakers of  
 Other Languages MA  
 Teaching English to Speakers of  
 Other Languages MA  
 Trauma Studies MA\*

## Distance learning courses

Education (Flexible) MA  
 Educational Leadership and  
 Management MA  
 Learning, Technology and Education  
 MA  
 Special and Inclusive Education MA  
 Teaching English for Academic  
 Purposes MA  
 Teaching English to Speakers of  
 Other Languages MA  
 PGCEi Education (International)

## Teacher training courses

PGCE Primary Education  
 PGCE School Direct (tuition fee)  
 Primary Education  
 PGCE Secondary Education  
 (biology, chemistry, English,  
 geography, history, mathematics,  
 modern languages and physics)  
 PGCE School Direct (tuition fee)  
 Secondary Education – for subjects,  
 see [nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy](http://nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy)

## Research courses

MPhil/PhD/EdD

## Geography

Environmental Leadership and  
 Management MSc  
**Research courses**  
 Geography MA/MSc (by Research)  
 Geography MRes/(Sc) MRes  
 PhD

## Law

Criminal Justice LLM  
 Environmental Law LLM  
 European Law LLM  
 Human Rights Law LLM  
 International Commercial Law LLM  
 International Criminal Justice and  
 Armed Conflict LLM  
 International Law LLM  
 International Law and Development  
 LLM  
 Law and Environmental Science  
 MSc  
 Maritime Law LLM  
 Master of Laws LLM  
 Public International Law LLM  
 Social Science Research (Socio-  
 Legal Studies) MA  
**Distance learning courses**  
 International Human Rights Law  
 PGCert  
 Public Procurement Law and Policy  
 LLM/PGDip/PGCert  
**Research courses**  
 PhD

## Politics and International Relations

Asian and International Studies MA  
 Diplomacy MA  
 Governance and Political  
 Development MA  
 International Relations MA  
 International Security and Terrorism  
 MA  
 Politics and Contemporary History  
 MA  
 Social Science Research (Political  
 Science and International Relations)  
 MA  
**Distance learning courses**  
 Slavery and Liberation MA/PGDip/  
 PGCert  
**Research courses**  
 MRes/PhD

## Sociology and Social Policy

Criminology MA/PGDip  
 Global Citizenship, Identities and  
 Human Rights MA/PGDip  
 International Social Policy MA/  
 PGDip  
 Public Administration MPA/PGDip  
 Public Policy MA/PGDip  
 Social Science Research (Social  
 Policy and Social Work) MA  
 Social Science Research (Sociology)  
 MA  
 Social Work MA  
**Research courses**  
 Doctor of Public Management  
 DPM/Public Policy DPP  
 PhD

\* Recruiting for September 2020.



# Getting here

## Open days and visits

Some faculties, schools and departments run their own scheduled open days. Our campuses are public so you can explore them at any time. You may also be able to arrange to see the relevant school/department, by prior arrangement.

 [nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy/visiting-us](https://nottingham.ac.uk/pgstudy/visiting-us)

## Virtual tour

If you don't get to visit, you can take a 360° virtual tour of our campuses, watch videos of current students and find information on accommodation, student life, careers, plus much more.

 [nottingham.ac.uk/virtualnottingham](https://nottingham.ac.uk/virtualnottingham)


## By car

It's easy to travel to the University by car. You can find postcodes for each of our campuses on our website.

 [nottingham.ac.uk/about/campuses](https://nottingham.ac.uk/about/campuses)

## By train

Nottingham's train station is situated in the city centre and has direct tram and bus links to the University.

 [trainline.com](https://trainline.com)

## By coach

Nottingham is easily accessible by coach.

 [nationalexpress.com](https://nationalexpress.com)

 [megabus.co.uk](https://megabus.co.uk)

## By air

East Midlands Airport is approximately 13 miles from the city centre, University Park and Jubilee Campuses, and five miles from Sutton Bonington Campus. There is a 24-hour Skylink bus service or taxi services from the nearby East Midlands Parkway train station.

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## Malaysia Campus

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## Study guide updates

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You should check the University's website for the correct information on courses and fees before you decide to apply for and accept a place to study with us.

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