

Glasgow International College

Postgraduate course information

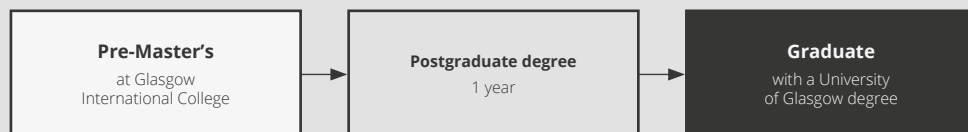
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Your path to university:



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Key:

- A:** Pre-Master's for Arts and Humanities
- B:** Pre-Master's for Business, Economics and Finance
- L:** Pre-Master's for Law and Social Sciences
- M:** Pre-Master's for Medical, Veterinary and Life Sciences
- S:** Pre-Master's for Science and Engineering

Internships: all pathway course subjects have the option of an integrated virtual internship as an extra final term in the UK. This finishes in time for you to still start your university degree on schedule.

Art and Design

MLitt Art History	A
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Building and Architecture

MSc City Planning	L
MSc City Planning and Real Estate Development	L
MSc Real Estate	L
MSc Urban Transport	L

Business and Finance

MSc Corporate Governance and Accountability	B
MSc Economics, International Banking and Finance	B
MSc Environmental Risk Management	L
MSc Finance and Management	B
MSc Financial Economics	B
MSc Financial Modelling and Investment	B
MSc Financial Risk Management	B
MAcc International Accounting and Financial Management	B
MSc International Business	B
MSc International Corporate Finance and Banking	B
MFin International Finance	B
MSc International Financial Analysis	B
MSc Investment Banking and Finance	B
MSc Management	B
MSc Management & Sustainable Tourism	B
MSc Management with Enterprise and Business Growth	B
MSc Management with Human Resources	B
MSc Management with International Finance	B
MSc Quantitative Finance	B

Computing

MSc Computer Systems Engineering	S
MSc Information Technology	S
MSc Sensor and Imaging Systems	S
MSc Software Development	S

Education

MSc Educational Studies	L
MSc Enhanced Practice in Education	L
MEd Teaching of English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)	L
MSc Teaching of English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)	L

Engineering

MSc Aerospace Engineering and Management	S
MSc Biomedical Engineering	S
MSc Civil Engineering	S
MSc Civil Engineering and Management	S
MSc Electronics & Electrical Engineering & Management	S
MSc Electronics and Electrical Engineering	S
MSc Mechanical Engineering	S
MSc Mechanical Engineering and Management	S
MSc Structural Engineering	S

Environment and Agriculture

MSc Environment and Sustainable Development	B
MLitt Environment, Culture & Communication ¹	L
MSc Sustainable Energy	S
MSc Sustainable Tourism and Global Challenges	L

Hospitality and Tourism

MSc Sustainable Tourism and Global Challenges	L
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Law

LLM Corporate and Financial Law	L
LLM Intellectual Property and the Digital Economy	L
LLM International Commercial Law	L
LLM International Economic Law	L
LLM International Law	L
LLM International Law and Security	L
LLM Law	L

Marketing and Media

MLitt Film and Television Studies	A
MSc International Strategic Marketing	B
MLitt Playwriting & Dramaturgy	A

Mathematics

MSc Applied Mathematics	S
MSc Data Analytics	S
MSc Mathematics	S
MSc Statistics	S

Music and Performing Arts

MLitt Theatre Studies	A
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Science and Health

MSc Advanced Functional Materials	S
MSc Advanced Nursing Science	M
MSc (Med Sci) Advanced Practice in Health Care	M
MSc (Med Sci) Applied Neuropsychology	M
MSc Astrophysics	S
MSc Bioinformatics	M
MSc Biomedical Sciences	M
MSc Biotechnology	M
MSc Biotechnology and Management	M
MSc Brain Sciences	M
MSc Cancer Research & Precision Oncology	M
MSc (Med Sci) Cardiovascular Sciences	M
MSc Chemical Biology	M
MSc Chemistry	S
MSc Chemistry with Medicinal Chemistry	S
MSc (Med Sci) Clinical Pharmacology	M
MSc Epidemiology of Infectious Diseases and Antimicrobial Resistance	M
MSc Geoinformation Technology and Cartography	S
MSc Geomatics and Management	S
MSc Geospatial and Mapping Sciences	S
MSc Health Services Management	M
MSc (Med Sci) Human Nutrition	M
MSc Immunology & Inflammatory Disease	M
MRes Industrial Heterogeneous Catalysis	S
MSc Infection Biology	M
MSc Infection Biology (Microbiology specialism)	M
MSc Infection Biology (Parasitology specialism)	M
MSc Infection Biology (Virology specialism)	M
MSc Mechatronics	S
MSc (Med Sci) Medical Genetics and Genomics	M
MSc Nanoscience and Nanotechnology	S
MSc Nuclear & Environmental Physics	S
MSc Oral Sciences	M
MSc Precision Medicine (with specialisms)	M
MPH Public Health	M
MPH Public Health (Data Science)	M
MPH Public Health (Epidemiology specialism)	M
MPH Public Health (Health Economics specialism)	M
MPH Public Health (Health Promotion specialism)	M
MSc Quantitative Methods in Biodiversity, Conservation & Epidemiology	M
MSc Quantum Technology	S
MSc Sport and Exercise Science & Medicine	M
MSc Stem Cell Engineering for Regenerative Medicine	M
MSc Theoretical Physics	S

Social Science and Humanities

MSc Ancient Cultures	A
MSc Applied Linguistics	A
MLitt Art History: Technical Art History, Making & Meaning	A
MLitt Comparative Literature	A
MSc Conflict Archaeology & Heritage	A
MSc Creative Industries & Cultural Policy	A
MSc Criminology & Criminal Justice	L
MSc Development Studies	B
MSc Digital Society	L
MSc Early Modern History	A
MSc Economic Development (with Finance & Policy Pathways)	B
MSc Food Security	M
MSc Gender History	A
MSc Global Economy	L
MSc Global Health	L
MSc Global History	A
MSc Global Mental Health	M
MSc Global Security	L
MSc History	A
MSc Human Rights and International Politics	L
MSc International Relations	L
MSc Philosophy	A
MSc Philosophy (Conversion)	A
MSc Political Communication	L
MSc Public Policy & Management	L
MSc Russian, East European & Eurasian Studies	L
MSc Scottish History	A
MSc Sociology	L
MSc Urban Analytics	L
MSc War Studies	A

Notes

Footnote:

1: This course is taught on the University of Glasgow's Dumfries campus.

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Common modules taken by all students:

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- Advanced Statistics
- Critical Thinking for Academic Writing
- Organisational Management
- Philosophy, History and Culture
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- Public Speaking
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Accounting and Finance

Evaluate various financial and accounting concepts, models and techniques, and apply them to a firm's strategic decision making.

Advanced Social Science

Learn about the key theories in social sciences, and their relation to methodologies in the field.

Advanced Statistics

Critique research data and apply standard statistical tools for the analysis of research quality.

Critical Reading, Writing and Reasoning for Higher Education

Enhance your ability to read and understand complex ideas in English, and learn how to compose convincing written arguments

Critical Thinking for Academic Writing

To develop critical thinking skills on selected relevant academic research, and to present this critique orally and in writing.

Engineering, Science and Society

Gain an awareness of ethical issues and debates surrounding research and innovation in the sciences.

English for Academic Purposes

Develop your English to the level you need for university study, and to really get involved in academic discussions.

English for Academic Study 2

Improve your English grammar and vocabulary in order to communicate in an academic environment.

English for Academic Study 3

Expand your knowledge of English grammar and vocabulary to the level required for degree study.

Grammar and Sentence Structure

The module enhances your linguistic ability and knowledge of the complex English grammar and sentence structure used in formal academic writing and speaking texts.

Independent and Collaborative Study

Work independently and in teams on an academic task, and practise applying your subject knowledge and study skills.

Organisational Management

Evaluate the key issues, theories and techniques relating to organisational behaviour, environmental analysis and global strategy.

Philosophy, History and Culture

Explore Western philosophy and its history, and analyse events and developments in your degree area in a historical and cultural context.

Practical Training for Science and Engineering Research

Research required skills, complete a skills audit, and critically reflect on your participation in relevant training activities for progression in your area of study.

Project Management

Gain key skills in project management, and apply your knowledge to a project.

Public Speaking

Develop your skills in planning, writing and delivering speeches in a variety of genres.

Research Project

Plan, execute and report a comprehensive research project. You can choose a research topic based on your degree and career goals, and personal interests.

Reading and Writing 2

Develop your English reading and writing so that you can understand and articulate ideas and reasoning.

Reading and Writing 3

Develop your English reading and writing skills to a sufficient level to communicate complex ideas.

Scottish, European and International Law

Apply legal principles in the areas of UK and Scottish constitutional law, European Union Law and Public International Law.

Speaking and Listening 2

Practise listening and speaking so that you are better prepared for academic debate and discussion.

Speaking and Listening 3

Improve your ability to listen and speak in English, allowing you to fully engage with academic topics.

Study Skills Preparation

Gain an introduction to the wide range of skills and strategies you'll need to succeed at university, such as research methods and using and citing sources.

Online internship

You'll take an online work placement in the UK as your final term if you study a pathway course with integrated internship.

The internship is offered in partnership with Virtual Internships, a leading education company in the field. This gives you the chance to gain valuable work experience at one of 3,500+ companies around the world.

You will be assigned one of 18 career fields on your internship, based on your chosen progression degree. This will all help you develop important skills, practise your English and give you some great experience to add to your CV.

Find out more at:
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Personal development activities (all courses)**Culture and activities**

We'll help you have a hugely beneficial cultural and social experience, and encourage you to explore different activities, sports, crafts and more. You might learn about local history and culture, or develop your wider subject knowledge and understanding of related industries.

Employability and digital skills

Outside of your academic learning, you'll also be taught skills that will be useful at university and later in life. You'll receive help in making the most of your creativity, improving your communication and developing your digital skills. We'll also help you build a CV, portfolio and online profile to empower you after you graduate.

Social networking

Forming a strong social network can be very beneficial, even if it's just to discuss and debate ideas. Not only will you get to know your classmates, you'll also have opportunities to join professional bodies, and network with students and industry professionals: something that can be really helpful when you go on to start your career.